



Frequently Asked Questions

Broad Creek Cub Adventure (Resident) Camp

Q. How much does camp cost?

Weekday and Weekend Sessions

3-day, 2-night program

Programmed for Cubs entering 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th grades in the Fall after camp, but open to all Cub Scouts and siblings of Cub Scouts.

\$220 per youth (\$195 if registered by June 1st)

\$70 per adult

\$70 per sibling aged 4 or younger

Webelos Week Sessions

6-day, 5-night program

Programmed for Cubs entering 4th or 5th grades in the Fall after camp, but open to all Cub Scouts and Cub-aged siblings with camping experience.

\$335 per youth (\$310 if registered by June 1st)

\$100 per adult

\$100 per sibling aged 4 or younger

Q. Does a parent have to come with their Cub?

All Tiger Cubs, Lion Cubs, and sibling tagalongs not registered in Cub Scouts must have a parent present to participate.

All other ranks of Cub Scouts may attend without parents if they attend with their Cub Scout Pack. Packs attending camp that include a Cub without a parent need at minimum two BSA registered adult leaders aged 21+. They must also meet a youth-to-adult ratio of two adults to a maximum of eight youths and one additional adult for each four additional youth (or part thereof).

Families who do not attend with their pack will have camp-coordinated two-deep leadership for the duration of the program.

In all cases, we recommend that parents attend camp with their Cub Scouts, even if it's not required.

The following are all acceptable examples for minimum adult supervision:

<u>Youth</u>	<u>Adults</u>
1 Cub Scout	: 1 parent
3 Cub Scouts	: 2 parents (all Cub parents present)
3 Cub Scouts	: 2 registered pack leaders
10 Cub Scouts and 1 sibling	: 2 registered pack leaders and 1 parent of sibling
25 Cub Scouts and 5 siblings	: 4 registered pack leaders (all sibling parents present)





Q. What paperwork and training is required to attend camp?

All campers:

- ☐ Completed BSA Annual Health and Medical Record Parts A&B (Webelos Week campers must do Part C also)

Per youth (Cub Scout or sibling):

- ☐ Signed Shooting Sports Permission Slip
- ☐ Drug Administration Record form (if needed)

Per adult (BSA-registered adult or parent):

- ☐ Medication Storage Release Record form (if needed)

Per non-BSA registered parent:

- ☐ Review "*How to Protect your Children from Child Abuse: A Parent's Guide*" from the Cub Scout Handbook

Per Cub Scout Pack (if applicable):

- ☐ Two 21+ BSA-registered adult leaders
- ☐ One additional registered leader for every four additional youth (or part thereof)
- ☐ One BALOO trained leader
- ☐ One Hazardous Weather trained leader
- ☐ Certificate of Accident & Sickness Insurance (if coming from outside the Baltimore Area Council)

All paperwork can be found online at www.broadcreekbsa.org/cubs.

Q. Can Packs split between the 3-day and 6-day share leadership?

Yes, if appropriate adult supervision is met during the remainder of the 6-day program.

Q. What is the timeline for registration and payments?

For all sessions, a \$50 per-person deposit is required to reserve your spot. Full payment is due two weeks in advance of your session. To take advantage of the early-bird discount, the \$50 deposit must be paid by June 1st.





Q. How do I register?

Registration can be found online at <http://www.broadcreekbsa.org/cubs>. If you're attending with your Pack, a Pack leader may create a registration for the whole pack. Please consult your Pack leadership for guidance if this is the case.

Q. What activities are provided?

Cub Adventure Camp will provide the following activities, depending on your Cub's rank:

- Aquatics
 - Boating on Lake Straus
 - Swimming in the pool
- Outdoor Learning
 - Fire-building
 - Shelter-building
 - First aid activities
 - Knot-tying
 - Animal encounters
 - Nature hikes
 - Fishing
- Field Sports
 - Slingshot
 - BBs
 - Archery
 - Sports
 - Team-building games
 - Climbing (Webelos and AOLs only)
- STEM
 - Game design
 - Rockets!
 - Crafting

Q. What should I bring?

- Sleeping bag
- Pillow
- Cub Scout activity shirts, at least 2 or more depending on the number of days you are camping
- Cub Scout uniform for dinner
- Regular clothes – enough to cover your stay in camp
- Underwear for every day
- Socks for every day
- Swimsuit
- Towel & washcloth
- Toothpaste & toothbrush
- Bath soap
- Shower shoes if possible
- Tennis shoes and/or boots – no open toed or slip on shoes
- Sunscreen
- Bug spray
- Money for the Trading Post if allowed

Q. Where is Broad Creek?

Broad Creek is in northern Harford County in Whiteford, Maryland, approximately one hour north of the City of Baltimore. The camp address is Broad Creek Memorial Scout Reservation, 1929 Susquehanna Hall Road, Whiteford, MD 21160.





Q. Why do all non-parent adults attending need to register with the BSA, even if they aren't Pack leaders?

The Boy Scouts of America requires any adult who will be camping overnight to be a registered member of the Boy Scouts of America, with a limited exception for Cub Scout parents. They must also complete the Youth Protection Training course found at my.scouting.org.

Q. So does that mean each non-parent adult must pay \$45 to register with the BSA?

Yes. The national fee to register as an adult with the BSA is \$45.00. The Baltimore Area Council also requires a \$4.00 insurance fee. The total cost to be an adult member of the Baltimore Area Council, BSA is \$49.00.

Q. What facilities are available at camp?

- Canvas tents with cots
- Flush toilets
- Water at campsite
- Electricity at campsite
- Free WiFi at RHQ
- Basketball court
- Volleyball court
- Gaga pit
- Archery range
- BB Range
- Cabins
- Trading Post

Q. Some of my Scouts cannot afford to go to camp. Is there financial assistance available?

Yes. Camperships are available for Scouts in need. The campership deadline is February 15, 2024.

Q. What is expected of parents and adults at camp?

Parents and adults are expected to help provide supervision to their children and help them with activities as needed.

Q. I went to summer camp in 2023, is my medical form still good for 2024?

Medical forms are good for one year from the date of the last physical examination if there are no significant health changes.

For example: if the physical was done in June 2023, and summer camp is August of 2024, this physical would not be good for summer camp.





If the physical was done in September 2023, yes it would be good for summer camp in August 2024 as long as there are no significant health changes.

Q. If I completed a physical in April for sports do I need to get a new physical done for summer camp?

No. Just have the doctor sign the BSA medical form and/or attach the physical report to the BSA medical form.

Q. Can I bring my own tent?

Yes. You can bring your own tent to camp. We provide canvas-covered platform tents with cots. These tents do not zipper close and are open at the bottom.

Q. Can I bring a bike to camp?

Yes. You must also wear a helmet when riding your bike in camp. Bikes are to be ridden on paved roads when at all possible. Elbow and knee pads are recommended but not required.

Q. Can I share a campsite with my friends?

Yes. We camp campers together from the same unit in the same campsite.

Q. Can I bring snacks to camp?

Yes. It is recommended any snacks brought to camp be in sealed containers small enough to fit under the cot. About the size of a medium sized storage bin.

