

Welcome Families,

Our Family Adventure Day at Rodney Scout Reservation is coming in a flash. In this guide, you will find the answers to many of your questions. If you have additional questions, please let us know and we will get them answered. Contact us by email at <a href="mailto:pkeck@dmvc.org">pkeck@dmvc.org</a>.

The fun begins on Saturday morning. Check-in will begin from 9:00-9:30 am outside of Sampson Lodge (near the main parking lot) The program will kick off with an opening ceremony on the parade field at 9:45 am (near the main parking lot). Adventure programs will run carnival style from 10:00 am to 4:45 pm. Go where you want, when you want, and go again if you like. Travel as a whole Pack or break into smaller groups. Program areas close for lunch from 12:30-1:30 pm.

We look forward to sharing a fun filled day with you!

# Family Adventure Day at Rodney Scout Reservation October 28th, 2023

# Cars & Carpooling:

Parking is at a premium in camp so please carpool as much as possible. Please drive only on established camp roads. ALL vehicles will need to be parked in the main parking lot and remain there until departure.

# Getting here:

Rodney Scout Reservation, 400 Rodney Scout Road, North East, MD 21901

GPS Directions to camp may lead to "Boy Scout Rd", do NOT use this road. Use "Rodney Scout Road" only.

# Check In:

From 9:15 to 9:30 am Check-in will occur outside Sampson Lodge near the main parking lot at Rodney Scout Reservation. ALL attendees must be checked in. You will receive a program map for the day and your event patch at check-in.

# **Program Times & Trail Groups:**

Family Adventure Day programs will begin at 10am and run until 4:45pm. The program will kick off with an opening ceremony on the parade field at 9:45 am (near the main parking lot). Adventure programs will run carnival style from 10:15 am to 4:45 pm. Go where you want, when you want, and go again if you like. Travel as a whole Pack or break into smaller groups. Program areas close for lunch from 12:30 – 1:30 pm. There will not be a closing ceremony as participants may leave at various times. The day will be full of adventure and hiking, and some Scouts tire faster than others.

### Lunch:

All attendees are responsible for bringing their own lunch/snacks and a water bottle as there will be no food service. Refrigeration and microwaves will not be available, so plan accordingly. You can eat outdoors whenever and wherever you'd like. If you find a good spot and a down moment, feel free to enjoy a snack or your lunch, though program areas close for lunch from 12:30 – 1:30 pm. Trash cans will be in each program area. Remember a Scout is clean!

## First Aid:

There will be a Camp Health Officer located on property for any first aid needs. Please make sure that you have a completed and updated BSA Annual Health & Medical form (Parts A & B) for each person attending. These forms will remain with the Pack Leader, or individual family. Health forms can be found on the BSA National website at: <a href="http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/HealthandSafety/ahmr.aspx">http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/HealthandSafety/ahmr.aspx</a>

### Alcohol and Tobacco:

There is "zero tolerance" with the regards to the possession and use of illegal drugs and/or alcohol in camp at any time. Anyone found to be in violation of this National Boy Scouts of America Policy will be expelled from camp property. Please inform your parents accordingly. It is the policy of the Boy Scouts of America that the use of tobacco products, including vaporizers and e-cigarettes, must be done out of view and smell of any youth.

# **OUR PROGRAMS**

Climbing at our 45 foot Tower	Giant Slingshots at the Shotgun Range
Bow and Arrows at the Archery Range	Target shooting at the BB Range
Fire Building at Scoutcraft	Branding at Bull Mountain Studios
Introductory Campfire Cooking at Scoutcraft	Tie-Dye at Bull Mountain Studios
Marine Exploration and Craft activity on the Parade Field	Compass Game – Parade Field
Scout Skills at Bayview Campsite	Knots and Lace Craft at the Dining Hall
Carving at Bayview Campsite	Hot Coffee for Leaders at Bayview Campsite
First Aid at Bayview Campsite	Drinks, Snacks, and Souvenirs at Lenape Trading Post

