

A Buffalo's Scout Camp Directory

The decision to create this directory was made during my Wood Badge course. My patrol mates and I were having a discussion with our Troop Guide about where our troops attend summer camp. We started talking about the different camps and our troop guide thought that a camp directory would be nice to have. Not too long before the Wood Badge course, I was talking to one of the assistant scoutmasters for my son's troop about the fact that the boys always seem to want to go to the same place every year. I thought a directory of Boy Scout camps in the area might encourage them to broaden their summer camp experience. So, this directory became one of my Wood Badge ticket items. It wasn't until after I had written my ticket that I found out that the Order of the Arrow already had a directory. At first, I thought about changing my ticket item. But, I saw the OA directory and noticed that it did not have all of the information that I wanted to see. I decided to build on what the OA had started.

During the initial phases of my research, I learned that there are over 800 Boy Scout camps in the United States. This was way too many for me to address in the amount of time that I could dedicate to this endeavor. I decided to limit my research to camps that were within a 200 mile radius of the Baltimore Area Council headquarters. Because I had to find out the distance to each camp, it is included in this directory. I also tried to gather information on merit badge and program offerings, and driving directions. There are also comments that I extracted from the camp web sites. It isn't an exhaustive guide, but it should provide a troop with an idea of what camps are available in area.

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A Stampeding Buffalo
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Big Spring - Resica Falls Scout Reservation

Cradle of Liberty Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 196 miles

Camp Address

1200 Resica Falls Road
East Strousburg, PA 18301
Phone: (570) 223-8312
Fax: (570) 223-7263
Web Site: <http://www.colbsa.org/camps/resica/bigsprings/bigsprings.asp?sm=29>

Council Address

Parkway
22nd & Winter Sts
Philadelphia, PA 19103
Phone: (215) 988-9811
Fax: (215) 988-9839
Web Site: <http://www.colbsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	Yes	Adirondacks:	Yes
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	No
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	No		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

A dining hall camp with a solid traditional Scout camp program, Big Springs includes special programs like Dan Beard (first year camper), COPE course and fly fishing on the Bushkill creek

C.H.A.S.E. Chesapeake Bay High Adventure Sail Experience

Colonial Virginia Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 170 miles

Camp Address

PO Box 1454
Kilmarnock, VA 22482
Phone: (757) 595-3356
E-mail: info@cvcboyscouts.org
Web Site: <http://www.cvcboyscouts.org/?page=chase>

Council Address

11721 Jefferson Avenue
Newport News, VA 23606
Phone: (757) 595-3356
Fax: (757) 877-8611
E-mail: info@cvcboyscouts.org
Web Site: <http://www.cvcboyscouts.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	Yes	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	No	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	No	Indoor Dining:	No	Pool:	No
COPE:	No	Patrol Cooking:	No		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

SAIL

Learn to chart your course and navigate to our destination as you set sail with other experienced sailors on the mighty Chesapeake Bay for a week like no other in the CHASE Outpost Sail.

Novice sailors will learn basic sailing skills and principles on 15-foot Flying Juniors and Hobie Waves at CHASE's Aquatics Adventure Camp.

SKI

Experience the thrill of flying across the water! Whether on two skis or one, you will learn the techniques and BSA safety requirements for one of America's most popular water sports.

KAYAK

See the beauty and wildlife of the Bay at your leisure in a one or two man kayak.

CANOE

Build your teamwork skills in one of the Bay's most historic forms of transportation... the canoe.

ADVANCEMENT

Sea Scouts, Boy Scouts and Venturers will all have a range of opportunities to complete advancement requirements at CHASE. Each crew's experience is tailored to both their interests and their program's achievement goals.

AMENITIES

CHASE'S 110 acre facility includes cabins with full electricity for male and female crew members, modern shower and bath facilities, a swimming pool, ships's store, dining hall and much more..

Camp Anderson

Penn's Woods Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 196 miles

Camp Address

PO Box 221
Tyrone, PA 16686
Phone: (814) 684-8475
E-mail: pwcbasa@hhs.net

Council Address

PO Box 332
Johnstown, PA 15907-0332
Phone: (814) 288-0162
Fax: (814) 228-3595
E-mail: pwcbasa@hhs.net
Web Site: www.pwcbasa.org

Camp Details

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	Yes	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	No	Pool:	No
COPE:	No	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Camp Anderson is a short term (weekend/overnight) use facilities, offered as a service to Scouting units for this purpose. It will serve as a training base to educate adult and youth leaders in the methods of the Scouting program. The camp will serve as a resource to the community at large, as a facility that provides hospitality to groups to conduct their own program. Camp Anderson will be promoted as a hospitable site that is a comfortable place to enjoy an "outdoor experience" while experiencing adventure at various attractions in the surrounding area.

Driving Directions

Camp Anderson is located just north of Tyrone, in Bald Eagle, PA.

Take I-99 North, past the Tyrone exit, until the expressway ends and forms one lane.

There will be a convenience store and gas station on the right. At the traffic light, make a left.

Travel approximately 1/2 mile until you see a sign for the "Tyrone Sportsman's Club" on your right.

There will also be a sign for Camp Anderson.

Make a right onto "Decker Hollow Road" and travel approximately 2 1/2 miles.

Camp Anderson will be on your left.

Camp Bashore

Pennsylvania Dutch Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 108 miles

Camp Address

RD#2 Box 4395, Jonestown
Licksdale, PA 17038
Phone: (717) 865-4583

Council Address

630 Janet Ave
Lancaster, PA 17601
Phone: (717) 394-4063
Fax: (717) 394-7776
Web Site: <http://www.padutchbsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout / Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	Yes
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	No
COPE:	No	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Camp Bashore is home to the Pennsylvania Dutch Council's Boy Scout summer camp program. The typical summer season begins in mid-June and lasts through early August. The program offered at Bashore is a wonderful mix of traditional elements and innovative ideas.

Driving Directions

From Lancaster:

Take PA Rt. 72 north through Manheim.
Continue north to split with US 322.
Follow US 322 west to second traffic light.
Turn right on PA Rt. 934, continue north through Annville.
Pass under US 22, then pass under I-81.
Continue about 3/4 mile to turn left on Asher Miner Road (Funck Family Restaurant on right opposite corner).
Continue about 1 1/2 mile to stop sign.
Cross intersection and you'll now be on PA Rt. 443 East.
Continue about 4 miles to entrance to camp on right.

From Lebanon:

Take PA Rt. 72 north through Lebanon.
Continue to intersection with PA Rt. 443 West.
Turn left on PA Rt. 443, continue about two miles to entrance to camp on left.

Camp Bashore

Merit Badge and Other Programs

First Aid
Basketry
Wilderness Survival
Pioneering
Orienteering
Hiking
Cooking
Camping
Firem'n Chit
Canoeing
Totin' Chip
Woodcarving
Emergency Preparedness
CPR Training
BSA Mile Swim Certification
Snorkeling BSA Certification
BSA Lifeguard Certification
Swimming
Small Boat Sailing
Rowing
Lifesaving
Fishing
Forestry
Scholarship
Cycling
Bugling
Weather
Space Exploration
Soil & Water Conservation
Reptile & Amphibian Study
Oceanography
Nature
Indian Lore
Geology
Leatherwork
Fish & Wildlife Management
Environmental Science
Bird Study
Astronomy
World Conservation Award
Shotgun Shooting
Rifle Shooting
Archery
Horsemanship
Mammal Study

Camp Boisseau

Robert E. Lee Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 173 miles

Camp Address

The Council Reservation
1723 Maidens Road
Maidens, VA 21032-9704
Phone: (804) 556-3170
Web Site: <http://www.relbsa.org/boisseau.html>

Council Address

4015 Fitzhugh Avenue
Richmond, VA 23230-3921
Phone: (804) 355-4306
Web Site: <http://www.relbsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	No	Cabins:	No
Weekend Camping:	No	Indoor Dining:	No	Pool:	No
COPE:	No	Patrol Cooking:	No		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Described by some as "a stunning piece of property," the former Boisseau farm is the focus of a major camp development project recently undertaken by the council. The area's first camping facility designed and built specifically for cub scouts and webelos is Now open!

A forested ridge line presents good opportunities for primitive camping, while lowland bogs and bottom lands provide excellent wildlife habitat. While there are no facilities for water or sanitation yet, the no- trace camper will find the solitude and relative isolation a plus. A three acre pond gives up its secrets grudgingly, so fish quietly!

Located next to and adjoining Camp T. Brady Saunders, the new Cub Camp's 220 acres offer an incredibly diverse environment for scouts of all ages.

Driving Directions

Camp Boisseau

The Council Reservation is located in Goochland County on Route 634 (Maidens Road), one mile east of the Goochland Courthouse.

From Richmond, Virginia:
go west on Interstate 64, U.S. Route 250 (Broad Street), or State Route 6 (Patterson Avenue) for approximately 27 miles.

Via State Route 6:
From Richmond, take State Route 6 (Patterson Avenue) west past Crozier and the State Farm, to the first intersection (U.S. Route 522 and Route 634). Turn right (north) on Route 624 to camp.

From the South via U.S. Route 522:
U.S. Route 522 connects with U.S. Route 60 west of Richmond. Proceed north on U.S. Route 522. Cross the James River at Maidens. Continue straight ahead to Camp on Route 634 at the intersection with State Route 6

Via Interstate 64:
Take Interstate 64 to the Oilville Exit. Turn left (south) on Route 617 to U.S. Route 250. Turn right (west) on U.S. Route 250. Turn left (southwest) on Route 632, then turn left (southeast) on Route 634 to Camp. Note the highway signs that lead into camp starting at U.S. Route 250.

Via U.S. Route 250:
From Richmond, Take U.S. Route 250 (Broad Street Road) west past Oilville to Route 632. Turn left (southwest) on Route 632, then turn left (southeast) on Route 634 to Camp. Note the highway signs that lead to camp starting at Route 250 at Route 617.

Camp Brule

Five Rivers Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 192 miles

Camp Address

RR #1
BOX 1205
Forksville, PA 18616
Phone: (570) 924-3479
E-mail: servicecenter@fiverivers.org
Web Site: <http://www.fiverivers.org>

Council Address

244 West Water Street
Horseheads, NY 14901-5190
Phone: (607) 732-9047
Fax: (607) 732-9055
E-mail: servicecenter@fiverivers.org
Web Site: <http://www.fiverivers.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout / Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	Yes	High Adventure:	Yes	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	No
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Nestled into the Endless Mountains of Pennsylvania's Sullivan County, Camp Brulé (pronounced brew-lay) offers a complete summer camp program that can't be beat. With activities like camping, canoeing, hiking, backpacking, swimming, archery, rifle shooting a Scout should have his time filled with fun. We also have some unique program features at our Science and Technology Center where Scouts can connect to the Internet, talk on Amateur Radio and program robots while still enjoying the great outdoors.

Camp Brule

Merit Badge and Other Programs

Computers
Fishing
Fish and Wildlife Management
Farm Mechanics
Environmental Science
Emergency Preparedness
Electronics
Art
Cooking
Leatherworking
Canoeing
C.O.P.E.
BSA Lifeguard
Basketry
Auto Mechanics
Astronomy
Electricity
Pioneering
Wilderness Survival
Swimming
Space Exploration
Soil and Water Conservation
Small Boat Sailing
Rowing
Forestry
Plumbing
Indian Lore
Orienteering
Nature, Weather
Mile Swim
Metal working
Mammals
Lifesaving
Woodcarving
Railroading

Camp Chickahominy

Colonial Virginia Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 196 miles

Camp Address

Box 38
Lightfoot, VA 23090
Web Site: <http://www.cvcboyscouts.org/?page=camp>

Council Address

11721 Jefferson Avenue
Newport News, VA 23606
Phone: (757) 595-3356
Fax: (757) 877-8611
Web Site: <http://www.cvcboyscouts.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	No	Cabins:	No
Weekend Camping:	No	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	No		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Camp Chickahominy is located in Lightfoot, Virginia (just west of Williamsburg) on 737 acres in a hardwood forest that is home to an abundance of native plants and wildlife, deer, beaver, rabbit and squirrel, and a lake brimming with fish. The Camp includes 11 camp sites, a dining hall, administration meeting building, health lodge, trading post, rifle, shotgun and archery ranges, COPE course which includes a climbing/rapelling tower, central shower houses, a chapel, an Olympic-size pool and other multi-use buildings.

Office Phone: 757/565-0050

After hours, in case of emergency only, the camp phone is (757)565-3742

Driving Directions

Camp Chickahominy is located near Williamsburg, VA.

Take Interstate 64 to exit 234A (Route 199/Lightfoot).

Follow Route 199 East for approximately 1.7 miles.

At the end, take the exit ramp and turn left onto Route 60 West.

Proceed for 1/10th of a mile and turn left onto Centerville Road (Route 614).

Go about 1.7 miles and turn right onto Jolly Pond Road.

About 1/2 mile down Jolly Pond Road you will turn right into the camp.

Camp Chickahominy

Merit Badge and Other Programs

Pottery
Indian Lore
Geology
Forestry
Space Exploration
Electricity
Atomic Energy
Environmental Science
Astronomy
Swimming
Art
Bird Study
Wood Carving
Sculpture
Leatherwork
Pulp and Paper
Basketry
Rowing
Canoeing
Lifesaving
Archeology
Leave No Trace Award
Climbing (w/ High Adventure Climbing)
Mountain Bike Treks
Athletics
Sports
Personal Fitness
Emergency Preparedness
First Aid
Shotgun
Mammal Study
Archery
Dog Care
Back Packing
Wilderness Survival
Pioneering
Orienteering (Not the Merit Badge)
Fishing
Cooking
Camping
Reptile & Amphibian Study
American Heritage
Rifle

Camp Conewago

York Adams Area Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 55 miles

Camp Address

Dicks Dam Road

New Oxford, PA 17350

Web Site: <http://www.yaac-bsa.org/camping/conewago/conewago.htm>

Council Address

2139 White Street

York, PA 17404

Phone: (800) 569-5197

Fax: (717) 845-6338

Web Site: <http://www.yaac-bsa.org>

Camp Details

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	No	Cabins:	No
Weekend Camping:	No	Indoor Dining:	No	Pool:	No
COPE:	No	Patrol Cooking:	No		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Camp Conewago - Serving Scout Campers Since 1919

In 1919, the officers of Conewago Council, which then oversaw Scouting in Hanover, Littlestown, New Oxford, Locust Grove, Abbottstown, and East Berlin, saw the need for a Boy Scout camp in their area. Along with the assistance of other civic-minded citizens, the council solicited funds in the area for a camp. On September 13, 1919, they purchased approximately 25 acres of land in Hamilton Township, Adams County, from George T. Gitt.

The camp is located at the "Forks" where the Little Conewago enters into the Big Conewago stream. It was formerly at the point of a traders cabin where the collection of furs and trading was done with early settlers and the Conewago Indian Tribes in the area.

Today, Camp Conewago is still blessed with many of the original buildings constructed over the years. The Lodge was built in 1920 and has a spacious porch on the front and one side. Inside the building is a large stone fireplace, kitchen and sleeping area equipped with bunk beds.

Other sleeping quarters known as Rothrocks were built after the first few years of the camp's operation. The name "Rothrocks" derived from the Chairman of the Department of Forest and Waters, whose name was Rothrock. These buildings were given individual Native American names such as Seneca, Mohawk, Shawnee, Sioux, Delaware and Susquehannock.

The Administration Building was dedicated on August 1, 1937 in memory of H. Merle Stokes, Camping Chairman.

Camp Conewago, located just off of Dicks Dam Road in New Oxford, PA, is available for rental year-round. The camp is a little more than 10 miles from the Gettysburg area and is an easy drive to the battlefield for groups touring in the area. For more information and current rates, please download and print the current reservation form or contact the council service center at (717) 843-0901 or (800) 569-5197 (outside York).

Camp Delmont

Cradle of Liberty Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 129 miles

Camp Address

5505 Upper Ridge Rd

Pennsburg, PA 18073

Phone: (215) 234-4588

Web Site: <http://www.colbsa.org/camps/musser/delmont/delmont.asp?sm=30>

Council Address

Parkway

22nd & Winter Sts

Philadelphia, PA 19103

Phone: (215) 988-9811

Fax: (215) 988-9839

Web Site: <http://www.colbsa.org>

Camp Details

Cub Family Camping:	Yes	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	Yes
Cub Day Camp:	Yes	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	No	Patrol Cooking:	No		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Camp Delmont is part of the 1,400+ acre Musser Scout Reservation and is located in Marlborough Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. The camp is nestled around the serenity of the Unami Creek.

For more information, please contact
Cradle of Liberty Council Camping Service
at (610) 688-6996 or (610) 688-6900.

Driving Directions

Take the Northeast Extension of the Pennsylvania Turnpike to the Lansdale exit.

Exit onto Route 63 west.

Travel approximately 10 miles to Sumneytown.

At the Sumneytown hotel bear right onto Gerryville Pike.

Follow Gerryville Pike to Upper Ridge road (first stop sign).

Turn right on Upper ridge Road to Camp Delmont entrance (about one mile).

Camp Duportail - Hawk Mountain Scout Reservation

Hawk Mountain Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 130 miles

Camp Address

Blue Mountain Rd
Schuylkill Haven, PA 17972
Phone: (717) 754-7552
E-mail: hawkmtn@epix.net
Web Site: <http://www.hawkmountaincouncil.org>

Council Address

5027 Pottsville Pike
Reading, PA 19605
Phone: (610) 926-3406
Fax: (610) 926-4965
E-mail: hawkmtn@epix.net
Web Site: <http://www.hawkmountaincouncil.org>

Camp Details

Type: Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	Yes	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	No		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Born in France where he was trained as an engineer in 1776, Louis Lebreque DuPortail (1743-1802) was hired by Benjamin Franklin and Silas Deane and commissioned to serve as a Colonel of Engineers in the Continental Army. In November of 1777 he was promoted to Brigadier General. In December of 1777 he helped to select the Valley Forge winter encampment site and was responsible for its fortification.

He returned to France in 1782. He resigned his commission in 1792. As the associates of Lafayette fell out of favor with the French Government, he returned to America in self-exile in 1794. Seriously ill he departed for his homeland in 1802, but died at sea.

The home for our Cubs and Webelos is Camp DuPortail. The camp offers a seven-week day camp program. Beginning their day at 8:50 AM the Scouts work on their Wolf, Bear, and Webelos advancements. The day also offers swimming and instruction at North Pool, a round at the archery or BB range, craft instruction at the Hofmann Cub Activity Building. Lunchtime finds the Cubs in their own dining hall where beverages are provided. A full service trading post and health lodge are located in the day camp.

Resident Webelos Camp takes place in Camp Meade at the end of the Boy Scout camp season. Two sessions of a four-day, three-night camp give our second-year Webelos an opportunity to experience the Scout camp with a special program designed to meet their activity-pin needs.

Camp Garrison

Cradle of Liberty Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 129 miles

Camp Address

Web Site: <http://www.colbsa.org/camps/musser/garrison/garrison.asp?sm=32>

Council Address

Parkway
22nd & Winter Sts
Philadelphia, PA 19103
Phone: (215) 988-9811
Fax: (215) 988-9839
Web Site: <http://www.colbsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Cub Scout

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	No	Cabins:	No
Weekend Camping:	No	Indoor Dining:	No	Pool:	No
COPE:	No	Patrol Cooking:	No		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Camp Garrison is part of the Musser Scout Reservation.

Contact the Camping department at (610) 688 6900 or (215) 988 9811 for more details.

Camp Hart

Cradle of Liberty Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 129 miles

Camp Address

1300 Camp Rd
Green Lane, PA 18054
Phone: (215) 679-2236

Council Address

Parkway
22nd & Winter Sts
Philadelphia, PA 19103
Phone: (215) 988-9811
Fax: (215) 988-9839
Web Site: <http://www.colbsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout / Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	Yes	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	Yes
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	No	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Camp Hart is part of the 1,400+ acre Musser Scout Reservation and is located in Marlborough Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania. The camp is nestled around the serenity of the Unami Creek.

Non Cradle of Liberty Council units or outside groups will pay a \$10 courtesy fee.

For more information, please contact
Cradle of Liberty Council Camping Service
at (610) 688-6996 or (610) 688-6900.

Driving Directions

1) Take the Northeast Extension of the Pennsylvania Turnpike to the Lansdale exit. Exit onto Route 63 west. Travel approximately 10 miles to Sumneytown. At the Sumneytown hotel bear right onto Garyville Pike. Follow Garyville Pike to Upper Ridge Road (first stop sign). Turn right on Upper Ridge Road and follow to Miller Road (about two miles). Turn right on Miller Road and follow Camp Hart entrance.

2) Travel north on Route 309 to the Perkasie exit. At the exit ramp turn left and follow Route 563. Turn left on Route 563, heading south towards Tylersport, PA. After you go through Tylersport, slow down at the fire station. You will pass over the Pennsylvania Turnpike (Northeast Extension.) Turn right on the next road, which is Whites Mill Road. Follow this winding road to Camp Hart. Follow signs to West Camp.

Camp Hart

Merit Badge and Other Programs

Canoeing
Archery
Geology
Forestry
Fly Fishing
Fishing
Fish & Wildlife Management
Environmental Science
Cycling
Indian Lore
Climbing
Insect Study
Camping
Bugling
Bird Study
Basketry
Backpacking
Athletics
Astronomy
Art
Cooking
Reptile & Amphibian Study
Wood Carving
Wilderness Survival
Weather
Swimming
Sports
Soil & Water Conservation
Small Boat Sailing
Shotgun Shooting
Hiking
Rifle Shooting
Whitewater
Pioneering
Personal Fitness
Orienteering
Nature
Music
Mammal Study
Lifesaving
Leatherwork
Rowing

Camp John H. Ware III

Chester County Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 60 miles

Camp Address

239 Jubilee Rd
Peach Bottom, PA 17563
Phone: (717) 548-8985
Fax: (717) 548-2253
Web Site: <http://www.octoraro22.org/ware>

Council Address

504 S. Concord Rd
West Chester, PA 19382
Phone: (610) 696-2900
Fax: (610) 696-3389
Web Site: <http://www.cccbsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout / Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	Yes	High Adventure:	Yes	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

There's always something going on at Ware. No matter what your interest is, Ware has an activity that is just right for your troop or pack. Camp John H. Ware III, is open year round. Although it is well known as one the finest council camps in the nation, Ware is much more than just a nice place to spend a week in mid-summer. Activities such as the Handicapped Scout Camporee, Cub Scout Webelos Woods Weekend, Cub Parent and Pal programs, winter camping, shakedown for High Adventure bases and Jamborees, adult training programs, and Junior Leader Training are just some of the things done at Ware

Camp Lavigne

Columbia Montour Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 178 miles

Camp Address

Lavigne Rd
off SR4049
Benton, PA 17814
Phone: (570) 925-2473
E-mail: office@columbiamontourbsa.org
Web Site: <http://www.columbiamontourbsa.org/camp/camplav.html>

Council Address

5 Audubon Court
Bloomsburg, PA 17815
Phone: (570) 784-2700
Fax: (570) 387-4074
E-mail: office@columbiamontourbsa.org
Web Site: <http://www.columbiamontourbsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout / Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	Yes	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	Yes
Cub Day Camp:	Yes	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	No	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Offers Tiger Day Camp, Cub/Webelos Resident Camp, and Boy Scout Traditional Camp.

Merit Badge and Other Programs

Insect Study
Astronomy
Basketry
Camping
Canoeing
Climbing
Cooking
Environmental Science
Fish & Wildlife Mgmt.
First Aid
Fishing
Fly Fishing
Archery
Indian Lore
Wilderness Survival
Leatherwork
Lifesaving
Mammal Study
Nature
Orienteering
Pioneering
Reptile & Amphibian
Rifle Shooting
Rowing
Shotgun Shooting
Soil & Water Conserv.
Swimming
Forestry

Camp Meade - Hawk Mountain Scout Reservation

Hawk Mountain Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 130 miles

Camp Address

Blue Mountain Rd
Schuylkill Haven, PA 17972
Phone: (717) 754-7552
E-mail: hawkmtn@epix.net
Web Site: <http://www.hawkmountauncouncil.org>

Council Address

5027 Pottsville Pike
Reading, PA 19605
Phone: (610) 926-3406
Fax: (610) 926-4965
E-mail: hawkmtn@epix.net
Web Site: <http://www.hawkmountauncouncil.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	Yes	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	No		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

George Meade (1771-1808) was a Catholic business man who financed the army at Valley Forge and assisted in the Revolutionary cause. Meade was an ardent patriot and contributed large sums from his private fortune toward the cause of the colonies. Meade was a prominent citizen though he was not drawn to public office. He was, however, a member of the common council of Philadelphia in the years 1789-91. Meade's name is remembered in our long-term Boy Scout Camp.

The summer camp operation runs for seven weeks during June, July and August. Reservations for the caning year can be made by contacting the Hawk Mountain Council office (610-926-3406) during regular business hours.

The camp offers the full range of Scout summertime activities. Reary Pool and the lake offer a full aquatic program including sailing and windsurfing for older Scouts. The Meridian Nature Pavilion provides a center for Ecology Conservation study. Shooting Sports offers not only a rifle range but also archery, and shotgun shooting. Hafer Lodge is the center for Handicraft skills. The COPE (Challenging Outdoor Personal Experience) course gives our older youth the chance for real adventure with low and high elements to encourage leadership and teamwork. Incorporated in the course is our rappelling tower open for use for all Boy Scouts and Scouters. Commissioners provide support for Troops in Scout skill instruction. Some of those hard-to-get, required merit badges are offered by various departments.

Truly one of the unique features of Camp Meade is our food service. The Willits Dining Hall is an air conditioned dining area which seats 390 persons. An alternate form of dining available at our upper campsites is heaterstack service. Cooked meals are delivered to the site in heated containers three times a day. Your troop enjoys a pavilion in the site for this food service.

From the first-year camper to the veteran outdoorsman, the Hawk Mountain Reservation will meet your Troop's needs.

Camp Oest - Broad Creek Memorial Scout Reservation

Baltimore Area Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 49 miles

Camp Address

1929 Susquehanna Hall Rd
Whiteford, MD 21160
Phone: (410) 452-8155
Fax: (410) 452-8260
Web Site: <http://www.intandem.com/bcmsr>

Council Address

701 Wyman Park Drive
Baltimore, MD 21211-2805
Phone: (443) 573-2500
Fax: (443) 573-2600
Web Site: <http://www.baltimorebsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	Yes	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	Yes
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	No	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

The Baltimore Area Council extends an enthusiastic invitation to all Scouts and Scouters to enjoy Broad Creek Memorial Scout Reservation. Nestled among the hills of Northern Maryland, in Harford County, Broad Creek extends a warm welcome to all Scouts and Scouters of the Baltimore Area Council and beyond. The camps have trails to hike, canoes to paddle, three Olympic-size swimming pools in which you can swim, rifles to shoot, and plenty of games, sports, field events, and endless hours of fun and fellowship for all. The camp programs and facilities are diverse; they should meet the special needs of any unit.

Camp Saffran - Broad Creek Memorial Scout Reservation

Baltimore Area Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 49 miles

Camp Address

1929 Susquehanna Hall Rd
Whiteford, MD 21160
Phone: (410) 452-8155
Fax: (410) 452-8260
Web Site: <http://www.intandem.com/bcmsr>

Council Address

701 Wyman Park Drive
Baltimore, MD 21211-2805
Phone: (443) 573-2500
Fax: (443) 573-2600
Web Site: <http://www.baltimorebsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	Yes	Adirondacks:	Yes
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

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Your unit will camp around one of eight (8) lodge sites or one of four (4) adirondack sites. Sites are equipped with electricity, refrigeration and a gas stove. Cooking equipment is provided and extra equipment may be obtained from the Quartermaster. Each Unit has a choice of one of four methods of food preparation.

Choice 1 Central Dining: Completely prepared quality meals, by an experienced cooking staff, will be awaiting you at the pavilion. If you are planning to do Central Dining, you must specify this when you sign-up for camp. Meal Times are: Breakfast 8:00 a.m., Lunch 12:15 p.m., Dinner 6:00 p.m.

Choice 2 Patrol Cooking: Food will be issued once a day to the unit that chooses this method. Provisions will be obtained from the Stock Control Building according to the number of members in each patrol. Patrol cooking sites will be set up in camp. If you are planning to do patrol cooking, you must specify this when you sign-up for camp.

Choice 3 Troop Issue: Food will be issued to the troop in bulk form. Provisions will be obtained from the Stock Control Building according to the number of people at the campsite. The unit will follow the menu provided by the camp. If you are planning to do troop issue, you must specify this when you sign-up for camp.

Choice 4 Troop Cooking: Units provide all of their own food, either by bringing it from home or using one of the stores conveniently located in the area.

Camp Spencer - Broad Creek Memorial Scout Reservation

Baltimore Area Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 49 miles

Camp Address

1929 Susquehanna Hall Rd
Whiteford, MD 21160
Phone: (410) 452-8155
Fax: (410) 452-8260
Web Site: <http://www.intandem.com/bcmr>

Council Address

701 Wyman Park Drive
Baltimore, MD 21211-2805
Phone: (443) 573-2500
Fax: (443) 573-2600
Web Site: <http://www.baltimorebsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	Yes	Adirondacks:	Yes
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

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Camp Spencer offers Central Dining meal service. Scouts also enjoy the shot gun program. Trap shooting is always a challenge for both Scouts and their leaders.

Central Dining: Meals are served in the Jacobs Dining Facility. Meal service is cafeteria style. Waiters from each unit will set tables, assist with food service, and help clean up. Quality meals are prepared by our experienced cooks. Seconds on food items are usually available for hungry campers. After each meal, your unit will participate in the fellowship and crazy antics of the Spencer Staff!

Older Scout Adventure

The Mason-Dixon Trek is a week long program for scouts ages fourteen and older. Participants will be led on a trip by two staff members outside of the normal summer camp experience. 1998 was its introductory year, and it was a tremendous success.

Archery, Astronomy, Backpacking, Basketry, Camping, Canoeing, Environmental Science, Fish and Wildlife Mgt., Fishing, Forestry, Geology, Hiking, Indian Lore, Insect Study, Leatherwork, Lifesaving, Mammal Study, Nature, Orienteering, Pioneering, Reptile Study, Rifle Shooting, Rowing, Small-Boat Sailing, Soil and Water Conservation, Sports, Swimming, Weather, Wilderness Survival, Woodcarving

Merit Badges might be added or subtracted according to special skills of the staff members, or demand by the campers.

Year-round programs available

Camp Spencer - Broad Creek Memorial Scout Reservation

Merit Badge and Other Programs

Lifesaving
Astronomy
Backpacking
Basketry
Camping
Canoeing
Environmental Science
Fish and Wildlife Mgt.
Fishing
Forestry
Geology
Hiking
Indian Lore
Archery
Leatherwork
Woodcarving
Mammal Study
Nature
Orienteering
Pioneering
Reptile Study
Rifle Shooting
Rowing
Small-Boat Sailing
Soil and Water Conservation
Sports
Swimming
Weather
Wilderness Survival
Insect Study

Camp Tuckahoe

York Adams Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 86 miles

Camp Address

400 Tuckahoe Road
Dillsburg, PA 17019
Phone: (717) 432-5232
E-mail: Holbrook-bsa@aol.com
Web Site: <http://www.yaac-bsa.org/tuckahoe/index.htm>

Council Address

2139 White Street
York, PA 17404-4940
Phone: (717) 843-0901
Fax: (717) 845-6338
E-mail: Holbrook-bsa@aol.com
Web Site: <http://www.yaac-bsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout / Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	Yes	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	Yes	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Camp Tuckahoe

Located near Dillsburg, Pennsylvania on the York and Cumberland County border, Camp Tuckahoe has served as the council's summer camp home since 1948. With 1,300 acres of lush wooded hills, Tuckahoe is a Scout camp rich in the purest traditions of Scout camping while offering campers of all ages outstanding challenges and adventures.

Tuckahoe has been transformed for the 21st century through \$4.5 million worth of new construction and renovations that were completed in 2003. With the addition of a new dining hall, swimming pool, bath house, Cub World and many other new additions, Tuckahoe has been reshaped into one of the finest Scout camping facilities found anywhere in the United States.

York-Adams Area Council has a long and proud tradition of summer camping programs at Camp Tuckahoe. Over the years, tens of thousands of Scouts have hiked through our camp gateway. Tuckahoe offers Scouts of all ages the chance to interact with other Scouts in a safe and carefully-staffed camp environment.

Summer camp is the high point of the Scouting year. Tuckahoe offers summer camp programs for Scouts of all ages - from the youngest Cub Scouts to the most-experienced Boy Scout campers. All of our resident camp programs are designed to be filled with fun and challenging outdoor programs with a special purposes.

Camp programs are designed to provide Scouts with opportunities to advance and to develop character, teach citizenship and encourage personal fitness. Summer camping opportunities are available to any registered Scout regardless of race, creed, religion, or national origin.

But Tuckahoe is much more than just a summer camp - there are a total eight cabins available for year-round use at Tuckahoe, including four brand-new cabins each capable of sleeping up to 40 persons. The camp's four older cabins have been completely remodeled to create comfortable accommodations for groups looking for a warm place to stay during the cold weather months or for units visiting the Gettysburg area (about 35 minutes to the south of Tuckahoe) for the extremely popular historic trails program offered by the York-Adams Area Council in partnership with the National Park Service.

Tuckahoe is also blessed with some of the most beautiful scenery for tent camping anywhere in Pennsylvania in its many campsites. In addition, Tuckahoe is the home for the annual Halloween Days program offered for Cub Scouts of all ages each October. In 2003, Halloween Days attract more than 750 Cub Scouts and parents on each of two weekends, providing thrills and excitement for Cub Scouts and their parents.

Thanks for checking out Camp Tuckahoe and we hope to see you soon at "The Land of the Deer and Fawn." For more information, please don't hesitate either Todd Weidner, Council Program Director, or Meghan Almodovar, Camping Secretary, by telephone at (717) 843-0901, (800) 569-5197 (outside York), or by e-mail at tweidner@bsamail.org or malmmodov@bsamail.org.

Firestone - Resica Falls Scout Reservation

Cradle of Liberty Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 196 miles

Camp Address

1200 Resica Falls Road
East Stroudsburg, PA 18301
Phone: (570) 223-8312

Web Site: <http://www.colbsa.org/camps/resica/firestone/firestone.asp?sm=31>

Council Address

Parkway
22nd & Winter Sts
Philadelphia, PA 19103

Phone: (215) 988-9811
Fax: (215) 988-9839
Web Site: <http://www.colbsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	Yes	Adirondacks:	Yes
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	No
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	No	Pool:	No
COPE:	No	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Located just north of Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania in the heart of the Pocono Mountains, Resica Falls is a great location to enjoy the wonder of the great outdoors.

As a year-round facility, Resica Falls also provides convenient access to all Poconos attractions.

Please note: Non-Cradle of Liberty Council units or outside groups will add a \$10 courtesy fee.

For more information, please contact
Cradle of Liberty Council Camping Service
at (610) 688-6996 or (610) 688-6900.

Henson Scout Reservation

Del Mar Va Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 98 miles

Camp Address

5700 Nanticoke Rd
Rhodesdale, MD 21659
Phone: (410) 883-3333
Fax: (410) 883-0001
E-mail: camps@delmarvacouncil.org
Web Site: <http://www.delmarvacouncil.com>

Council Address

801 North Washington St
Wilmington, DE 19801
Phone: (302) 622-3300
Fax: (302) 622-3306
E-mail: camps@delmarvacouncil.org
Web Site: <http://www.delmarvacouncil.com>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout / Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	Yes	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Camp Nanticoke is comprised of 1600 acres of pristine pinelands in Dorchester County on the Eastern Shore of Maryland. Located 12 miles West of Seaford, DE and 20 miles South of Easton, MD Henson Scout Reservation is convenient to the entire Del-Mar-Va Peninsula and the Baltimore-Washington metro area by crossing the Bay Bridge. The property is the peninsula of land between the mouth of the Marshyhope Creek and the Nanticoke River in an area designated as one of the Last Great Places on Earth in the Nature Conservancy preservation program. Camp Nanticoke is fully owned by the Del-Mar-Va Council and has been in continuous operation since 1965.

Henson Scout Reservation

Merit Badge and Other Programs

Communications
Indian Lore
Hiking
Geology
Forestry
Fishing
Fish & Wildlife Mngt.
First Aid
Environmental Science
Emergency Preparedness
Cycling
Archery
Computers
Lifesaving
Climbing
Citizenship in the World
Citizenship in the Nation
Canoeing
Camping
BSA Lifeguard
Bird Study
Basketry
Backpacking
Art
Cooking
Rifle Shooting
Wilderness Survival
Weather
Water-skiing
Swimming
Space Exploration
Soil & H2O Conservation
Snorkeling BSA
Shotgun Shooting
Sailing
Safety Afloat
Kayaking BSA
Rowing
Leatherwork
Reptile & Amphibian Study
Project COPE
Pottery
Pioneering
Personal Management
Orienteering
Nature
Motorboating
Mile Swim
Mammal Study
Woodcarving
Safe Swim Defense

Heritage Reservation

Greater Pittsburgh Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 195 miles

Camp Address

300 Heritage Road
Farmington, PA 15437
Phone: (724) 329-8534
Web Site: <http://www.gpc-bsa.org>

Council Address

Flag Plaza
1275 Bedford Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15219-3699
Phone: (412) 471-2927
Fax: (412) 232-3524
Web Site: <http://www.gpc-bsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout / Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	Yes	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	No
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Heritage Reservation

This reservation is the crowning jewel of Boy Scout facilities in the northeast section of the United States. Within Heritage there are three camps and several wilderness areas for use by all scouts. During the summer months, the camps are put into use as summer camps, offering two Boy Scout camp programs, and a nationally renowned Cub Scout program at the third camp. Heritage Reservation also has a conference center and nine modern style houses available for rent by groups and scout units alike. The reservation's centerpiece attraction is its 270 plus acre lake, providing plenty of room for boating, fishing, sailing, water-skiing, swimming, and scuba diving. During the fall, winter and spring months, several pavilions and shelters area available for traditional camping, all reachable by vehicle. Located close to Nemaquin Woodlands ski slopes, Laurel Caverns, and Ohiopyle. Heritage is a centrally located camp, with plenty to keep any unit or group busy for a weekend, or a week at summer camp.

Heritage Reservation, 1700 acres of unspoiled woodland is the ultimate laboratory for the experience of Scout summer camping. Every campsite is carefully nestled among the trees in Camp Freedom and Camp Liberty. The activity areas are designed to challenge and thrill every Scout, offering 33 merit badges along with six special older Scout programs.

With its 270-acre lake and six miles of shoreline, Heritage Reservation calls all Scouts for an unmatched summer of fun and adventure. The large, beautiful lake offers unlimited aquatics adventure, including all the water related merit badges -- Swimming, Fishing, Rowing, Motorboating, Water-skiing, Canoeing and Small Boat Sailing. White Water merit badge is available on the nearby Youghiogheny River.

Heritage is much more than just aquatics. In the field sports area, Scouts can test their marksmanship abilities on the .22 rifle range, in addition to the target and action archery ranges.

In the Ecology-Conservation area, Scouts learn about the natural world in which they live. The Scoutcraft area offers Scouts the opportunity to hone skills in camping, hiking, axemanship, backpacking, wilderness survival and pioneering.

The Handicrafts area offers instruction in basketry, leatherwork, woodcarving and model rocketry as part of the Space Exploration merit badge. Handicrafts is also popular as the area for the exciting Heritage Reservation belt program, where Scouts can make their own customized belts and earn "brands" for various accomplishments during the week.

Camp Liberty is the best in "patrol cooking" with everything provided for successful campsite cooking. It has 14 troop sites, a central area, waterfront, rifle and archery ranges, 2 troop showers, leaders' and staff shower and a campfire area. The central area consists of the Program Hall (adult centered), Commissary/ Quartermaster/Trading Post building (boy centered), parade ground with flagpoles, and a staff dining/lounge building. The waterfront has both swimming and boating areas. The boating area is equipped with canoes, motor boats, rowboats, and sailboats. Water-ski boats arrive at the camp for merit badge instruction.

Camp Freedom facilities are identical to those in Camp Liberty, with the exception of the 350-seat Camp Freedom dining hall located near the leaders' and staff shower. Many troops invite their families to join them for the Wednesday evening family night.

Camp Independence

Independence is the ultimate laboratory for the experience of Cub and Webelos Scout summer camping. Every pack has access to a state-of-the-art Cub Scout camping facility. With its 270-acre lake and seven miles of shoreline, Heritage Reservation's Lake Courage calls all Scouts for an unmatched summer of fun and adventure.

Cub Scout Resident Camp

Heritage Reservation

Cub Scout Camp is three days and two nights of summer camp adventure designed to introduce Cub Scouts and their parents to the outdoor program. All registered Cub Scouts who have completed the first grade are eligible to attend, and Scouts that have graduated to second and third grade. All parents of Cub Scouts attending camp are encouraged to camp with their son.

With a special theme every summer, the camp experience offers an exciting new twist every year. Cub Camp programs are designed as an introduction to the summer camp outdoor program for scouts and their parents. The program is well structured, allowing for lots of activity and hands-on experiences. Boys who have attended in past years are tremendously excited about Scouting as a result.

The best method of attending is with an organized group from your Pack, with one adult who will attend as the key leader for check-in and leader meetings. The Pack completes a campsite reservation card with a \$75 deposit and you are ready to go.

Sessions begin with arrival between 12:30 PM and 2:00 PM. At the end of the session, there is campfire for the entire family ending around 8:00 P.M.

Webelos Summer Camp

Webelos Camp is five days and four nights of summer camp adventure designed to challenge Webelos Scouts with the outdoor program. All registered Webelos Scouts who have completed the third and fourth grade, and have not entered Boy Scouts are eligible to attend. All parents of Webelos Scouts attending camp are encouraged to camp with their son.

Sessions begin with arrival between 12:30 PM and 2:00 PM. The session ends with a campfire for the entire family around 8:00 PM.

Hidden Valley Scout Reservation

Keystone Area Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 104 miles

Camp Address

RD#2

268 Hidden Valley Road

Loysville, PA 17047

Phone: (717) 789-3817

Fax: (717) 789-4255

E-mail: tvangi@bsamail.org

Web Site: <http://www.keystonebsa.org/CAMP/INDEX.HTM>

Council Address

1 Baden Powell Lane

Mechanicsburg, PA 17055

Phone: (717) 766-1591

Fax: (717) 795-8721

E-mail: tvangi@bsamail.org

Web Site: <http://www.keystonebsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout / Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	Yes	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	Yes
Cub Day Camp:	Yes	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	No	Patrol Cooking:	No		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Driving Directions

Hidden Valley Scout Reservation

From Harrisburg:

1. Take I-81 South and exit at Mechanicsburg exit, Rt. 114. At traffic light at top of exit ramp, turn right onto Rt . 114.
2. Take Rt. 114 to traffic light at Rt. 944 (Wertzville Rd). Turn left at light onto Rt. 944.
3. On Rt. 944, travel 3.9 miles to "Y" in road. Bear right at "Y" and travel up the mountain 1.2 miles to stop sign at top.
4. At Stop Sign, bear right onto Rt. 34.
5. On Rt. 34, travel 5.1 miles. Turn Left onto Rt. 850 West at Dromgold.
6. On Rt. 850 West, travel 9.2 miles to 4-way stop sign in Landisburg. (Watch for 4-way stop at village of Alinda, just before Landisburg) At stop sign in Landisburg, drive straight onto Rt. 233 (do not turn right onto Rt . 850). Travel on Rt. 233 for about 2 miles, across Laurel Run and to a "Y" in the road (sign for HV is located at "Y").
7. Bear right at "Y", go a short way to stop sign (another sign for HV is located across the road from the stop sign), turn right at stop sign (right turn keeps moving), and cross steel bridge at Laurel Run.
8. Travel 1.1 miles, across the concrete bridge and past the first sign for Hidden Valley Camp East & West Entrance, then look for second Hidden Valley Camp East & West Entrance sign on left. To get to Hidden Valley's main entrance into West Camp, turn left at the second camp sign (road goes up a slight hill), and travel 1.2 miles to West Camp Entrance on left.

Alternate Harrisburg Route:

Travel west shore of Susquehanna River on Rts. 11 & 15 to Marysville. Turn left in Marysville onto Rt. 850 West. Follow 850 into Landisburg. Pick up Rt. 233 in Landisburg and follow steps 6, 7 & 8 above to HVSR.

From Carlisle:

Follow Rt. 34 through Carlisle Springs. Sterretts Gap to Dromgold. Follow steps 5 through 8 above to HVSR.

From Chambersburg / Shippensburg:

Go through Newville and travel on Rt. 233 over mountain. Turn sharp left at "Y". Follow steps 7 & 8 above to HVSR.

Hidden Valley Scout Reservation

Merit Badge and Other Programs

Citizenship in the World
Hiking
Geology
Forestry
Fly Fishing
Fishing
Fish & Wildlife Mgmt
First Aid
Environmental Science
Archery
Communications
Lifesaving
Citizenship in the Nation
Cinematography
Canoeing
Camping
Basketry
Backpacking
Astronomy
Art
Emergency Preparedness
Reptile and Amphibian
Wilderness Survival
Weather
Theater
Textile
Swimming
Space Exploration
Soil & Water Cons.
Shotgun Shooting
Insect Study
Rifle Shooting
Leatherwork
Pulp and Paper
Pioneering
Painting
Orienteering
Oceanography
Nature
Music
Mammal Study
Wood Carving
Rowing

Horseshoe Scout Reservation

Chester County Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 52 miles

Camp Address

1286 Ridge Rd
Rising Sun, MD 21911
Phone: (717) 548-2525
Web Site: <http://hsr.ectoraro22.org/>

Council Address

504 S. Concord Rd
West Chester, PA 19382
Phone: (610) 696-2900
Fax: (610) 696-3389
Web Site: <http://www.cnjc-bsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	Yes
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

There's always something going on at Horseshoe. No matter what your interest is, Horseshoe has an activity that is just right for your troop or pack. Horseshoe Scout reservation, consisting of Camp Horseshoe and Camp John H. Ware III, is open year round. Although it is well known as one the finest council camps in the nation, Horseshoe is much more than just a nice place to spend a week in mid-summer.

Activities such as the Handicapped Scout Camporee, Cub Scout Webelos Woods Weekend, Cub Parent and Pal programs, OA Section Conclaves and service weekends, winter camping, shakedown for High Adventure bases and Jamborees, adult training programs, and Junior Leader Training are just some of the reasons why Horseshoe is the center of outdoor activity in Chester County Council, B.S.A.

Horseshoe serves as a vehicle in an ideal, natural setting for programs which help build the character of the council's youth while seeing that they have a lot of fun and opportunities for personal growth in the process.

Horseshoe Scout Reservation

Merit Badge and Other Programs

Mammals

Art

Astronomy

Basketry

Camping

Canoeing

Cooking

Emergency Prep

Environmental Science

First Aid

Fish and Wildlife Management

Forestry

Geology

Indian Lore

Archery

Rifle Shooting

Woodcarving

Wilderness Survival

Weather

Swimming

Soil & Water Conservation

Leatherwork

Rowing

Lifesaving

Reptile Study

Pioneering

Personal Fitness

Orienteering

Nature

Woodwork

Shotgun Shooting

J E Mack Scout Reservation

Pennsylvania Dutch Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 97 miles

Camp Address

2 Scout Lane
Newmanstown, PA 17073
Phone: (717) 789-3817

Council Address

630 Janet Ave
Lancaster, PA 17601
Phone: (717) 394-4063
Fax: (717) 394-7776
Web Site: <http://www.padutchbsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	Yes	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	Yes	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	No
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	No		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Driving Directions

From Lancaster:

Take PA Rt. 501 north through Lititz to intersection with US 322 at Brickerville.

Continue north on PA Rt. 501 two miles to entrance to camp on left.

From Lebanon:

Take PA Rt. 897 South to Schaeffertown, connecting with PA Rt. 501.

Follow PA Rt. 501 South about 6 miles to entrance to camp on right.

Ockanickon Scout Reservation

Bucks County Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 140 miles

Camp Address

5787 State Park Rd
Pipersville, PA 18947
Phone: (215) 297-5290
E-mail: buckscounty@bsa.org
Web Site: <http://www.ockanickon.org/>

Council Address

1 Scout Way
Doylestown, PA 18901
Phone: (215) 348-9436
Fax: (215) 348-7289
E-mail: buckscounty@bsa.org
Web Site: <http://www.buckscountybsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout / Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	Yes	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	Yes	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

OCKANICKON SCOUT RESERVATION is owned and operated by the Bucks County Council, Boy Scouts of America. Since 1940 it has been our mission to offer a quality summer camp program to every scout. Our camp is regionally and nationally recognized for our fine facility and program. Ockanickon Scout Reservation is routinely inspected and always meets the standards set down by the B.S.A. National Office for an Accredited Boy Scout Summer Camp. All of our key staff members are trained through the B.S.A. National Camp School system and all of our staff is trained in C.P.R., basic first aid and emergency procedures. We hold ourselves to the highest local and state standards in food service and property management. We are proud of our camp, its history and its goals. We, as a staff, are dedicated to our camp and its mission. We hope that your stay at Ockanickon will be a positive, fun-filled experience for your scouts.

Driving Directions

Ockanickon Scout Reservation

Depart 701 Wyman Park Dr, Baltimore, MD 21211
Turn RIGHT (South) onto Sisson St
Turn RIGHT (West) onto W 29th St
Continue (South-West) on Ramp
Merge onto I-83 [Jones Falls Expy] (South)
Bear RIGHT (South) onto (N) President St
Turn LEFT (East) onto Eastern Ave
Continue (East) on SR-150 [Eastern Ave]
Turn off onto Ramp
Merge onto I-95 (North)
Toll road Stay on I-95 [John F Kennedy Memorial Hwy] (East)
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Entering Delaware
Toll road Stay on I-95 [John F Kennedy Memorial Hwy] (East)
Stay on I-95 [John F Kennedy Memorial Hwy] (East)
Turn off onto Ramp
Merge onto I-495 (North)
Continue (North) on I-95 [John F Kennedy Memorial Hwy]
Entering Pennsylvania
At I-95 Exit 7, turn off onto Ramp
Merge onto I-476 [Blue Route] (North-West)
Toll road Stay on I-476 [Pennsylvania Tpke Northeast Ext] (East)
Turn off onto Ramp
Toll road Merge onto I-276 [Pennsylvania Tpke] (East)
At Pennsylvania Tpke Exit 27, bear RIGHT (East) onto Ramp [Willow Grove Interchange]
Merge onto SR-611 [Easton Rd] (North)
Bear LEFT (West) onto US-202 [SR-611]
Continue (North) on SR-611 [Doylestown Byp]
Turn off onto Ramp
Merge onto SR-611 [N Easton Rd] (North)
Turn RIGHT (North-East) onto Stump Rd
Continue (South-East) on State Park Rd
Arrive 5787 State Park Rd, Pipersville, PA 18947 [5787 State Park Rd, Pipersville, PA 18947]

Ockanickon Scout Reservation

Merit Badge and Other Programs

First Aid MB
CPR Training
Department
Discovery SCUBA
Ecology Department
Electricity MB
Electronics MB
Emergency Prep. MB
Archeology MB
Fingerprinting MB
Climbing MB
Fish/Wild Mgt. MB
Fishing MB
Forestry MB
Genealogy MB
Geology MB
Indian Lore MB
Insect Study MB
Leatherwork MB
Environ. Sci. MB
C.O.P.E. Low Course
Archery MB
Art MB
Astronomy MB
Atomic Energy MB
Basketry MB
Belay Certification
Bird Study MB
Bouldering Class
Cooking MB
C.O.P.E. High Course
Communications MB
Camping MB
Canoeing MB
Chemistry MB
Citizenship in the Community MB
Citizenship in the Nation MB
Citizenship in the World MB
Climb on Safely Certification
Mile Swim
BSA Lifeguard
Swimming MB
Lifesaving MB
Runner
Safe Swim Defense
Safety Afloat
Second Class Requirements
Shotgun MB
Snorkeling BSA
Snorkeling BSA
Rock Climbing
Space Exploration MB
Rifle MB
Tenderfoot Requirements
Textiles MB
Totin Chip
Volleyball Tournament
Water Carnival

Ockanickon Scout Reservation

Weather MB
Wilderness
Wilderness Survival MB
Soil & Water Cons. MB
Open Swims & Boating
Woodcarving MB
Mountain Biking
Mountain Biking Treks
Nature MB
O.A. Social
Oceanography MB
Open Activities
Open Crafts
Rowing MB
Open Swims
Mammal Study MB
Opening & Closing Campfires
Overnighters
Pioneering MB
Plant Science MB
Polar Bear Swims
Pottery MB
Pulp & Paper MB
Reptile & Amphib. MB
Open Ranges

Rodney Scout Reservation

DelMarVa Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 51 miles

Camp Address

400 Rodney Scout Road
North East, MD 21901
Phone: (410) 287-5888
Fax: (410) 287-5889
E-mail: delmarvacamps@juno.com
Web Site: <http://www.delmarvacouncil.com>

Council Address

801 North Washington St
Wilmington, DE 19801
Phone: (302) 622-3300
Fax: (302) 622-3306
E-mail: delmarvacamps@juno.com
Web Site: <http://www.delmarvacouncil.com>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout

Cub Family Camping:	Yes	High Adventure:	Yes	Adirondacks:	Yes
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	No	Patrol Cooking:	No		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Rodney Scout Reservation is located on 900 acres of rolling upland woodlands at the head of the Chesapeake Bay and boasts over a mile of prime bay frontage. It has been in continuous operation since 1923.

Driving Directions

Rodney is located in Cecil County Maryland, about 6 miles Southeast of Interstate 95 or Maryland Route 40 off Maryland Route 272 near North East.

Rodney Scout Reservation

Merit Badge and Other Programs

Canoeing
Leatherwork
Indian Lore
Geology
Forestry
Fish & Wildlife Mngt.
Environmental Science
Archery
Cooking
Motorboating
Camping
BSA Lifeguard
Bird Study
Basketry
Astronomy
Art
Cycling
Rifle Shooting
Wilderness Survival
Weather
Water-skiing
Swimming
Soil & Water Conservation
Shotgun Shooting
Lifesaving
Rowing
Mammal Study
Reptile Study
Pottery
Pioneering
Orienteering
Oceanography
Nature
Woodcarving
Sailing

Sinoquipe Scout Reservation

Mason Dixon Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 135 miles

Camp Address

PO Box 23
77 Boy Scout Road
Fort Littleton, PA 17223
Phone: (717) 987-3747
E-mail: msansona@bsamail.org
Web Site: <http://www.mason-dixon-bsa.org/sinoquipe.html>

Council Address

18600 Crestwood Dr
Hagerstown, MD 21742
Phone: (301) 739-1211
Fax: (301) 739-1213
E-mail: msansona@bsamail.org
Web Site: <http://www.mason-dixon-bsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout / Cub Scout / Webelos

Cub Family Camping:	Yes	High Adventure:	No	Adirondacks:	No
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	No
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Sinoquipe Scout Reservation

Location

Camp Sinoquipe is a beautiful 500 acre forested mountain facility with a 10 acre lake located in the rural area two miles from the village of Fort Littleton, Pennsylvania located in Fulton County. We are 120 miles from Baltimore, 115 miles from DC, and 65 miles from Harrisburg

Overview

During the summer for seven weeks, this camp hosts scout troops for an entire week. Most troops are from the Mason-Dixon Council, but some come from other Boy Scout councils.

There are 12 campsites, each with running water, washstand and a latrine. Campsites vary in size accommodating 16 to 60 campers. Each campsite is equipped with wooden platforms, a tent for every two campers, and a bunk and mattress for each camper.

The total number of Scouts attending camp each week has been limited to 175 so that each scout can benefit more from the smaller class size. It would be wise to register soon as slots fill quickly.

Support

Camp Sinoquipe is supported by Guneukitschik Lodge #317, Order of the Arrow. The Lodge has work weekends yearly and does much of the preparation necessary to prepare camp for each season.

Camp Sinoquipe is owned and operated by the Mason-Dixon Boy Scout Council located in Hagerstown, MD.

First Year Camper Program

Sinoquipe also prides itself in having an OUTSTANDING first year camper program.

Merit Badge Programs

Sinoquipe has a beautiful lake offering swimming, canoeing, kayaking, and sailing.

Camp also provides courses in first aid, emergency preparedness, pioneering, cooking, scoutcraft, handicraft, sports, public speaking, plumbing, archery, rifle & shotgun shooting, ecology and horsemanship (and numerous others!) All areas teach merit badges during the day.

Advanced Activities

Camp Sinoquipe offers more than JUST merit badges! Scouts who come here are always doing something that challenges them mentally and physically.

Sinoquipe offers a COPE (Challenging Outdoor Physical Encounter) course with rappelling tower.

Qualified Scouts can train for Lifeguard, BSA or attain the BSA Mile Swim.

Eagle Week

The last week of camp offers many Eagle required merit badges.

Other Activities

Camp wide competitions like the Aquabash, Volleyball, and many others are also offered. Camp has a well stocked Trading Post for all those "camp essentials".

Every Friday night, the parents are invited to come to camp and watch the show. A grand performance by The Potomac Dancers, Venture Crew 2, Hagerstown, MD is the main part of the show. They give a great display of Native American Dancing in beautiful outfits made by the dancers themselves. Order of the Arrow (OA) tap outs are also conducted at this campfire program.

Driving Directions

Sinoquipe Scout Reservation

From Waynesboro, Greencastle, & Mercersburg PA:
Travel route 16 west to McConnellsburg;

Take route 522 north to Fort Littleton PA.

From Hancock MD:
Travel route 522 north to McConnellsburg, then Ft. Littleton PA.

From Hagerstown MD:
Travel Interstate 81 north to exit 3 at Greencastle PA-

Travel route 16 west to McConnellsburg;

take route 522 north to Ft. Littleton.

From Baltimore MD & Washington DC areas:
Travel Interstate 70 or 270 west to Frederick MD;

then continue I-70 west to Hagerstown MD-

then travel Interstate 81 north to exit 3 at Greencastle PA-

travel route 16 west to McConnellsburg;

take route 522 north to Ft. Littleton PA.

Camp is approximately 2 miles north of Ft. Littleton

Merit Badge and Other Programs

handicraft
canoeing
kayaking
sailing
first aid
emergency preparedness
pioneering
swimming
scoutcraft
horsemanship
sports
public speaking
plumbing
archery
rifle
shotgun shooting
ecology
cooking

Treasure Island

Cradle of Liberty Council

Distance from Baltimore Area Council: 138 miles

Camp Address

575 River Rd
Pipersville, PA 18947
Phone: (610) 294-9533

Council Address

Parkway
22nd & Winter Sts
Philadelphia, PA 19103
Phone: (215) 988-9811
Fax: (215) 988-9839
Web Site: <http://www.colbsa.org>

Camp Details

Type: Boy Scout

Cub Family Camping:	No	High Adventure:	Yes	Adirondacks:	Yes
Cub Day Camp:	No	Tent Camping:	Yes	Cabins:	Yes
Weekend Camping:	Yes	Indoor Dining:	Yes	Pool:	Yes
COPE:	Yes	Patrol Cooking:	Yes		

Notes from the Camp's Web Site

Treasure Island is the oldest continually operated Boy Scout camp in the country. This reservation is naturally divided into Marshall Island and Treasure Island by the Delaware River near Pipersville, PA.

To explore any of the lodges, cabins, or camping areas available for rental at Treasure Island and Marshall Island, click on the facility's name at the left to see a picture and description of features and rental costs.

All Friday night arrivals must be before dark. Marshall Island arrivals on Saturday only. No tent camping is available on Treasure Island, but is available on Marshall Island.

Please note: Non Cradle of Liberty Council units or outside groups will add a \$10 courtesy fee.

For more information, please contact
Cradle of Liberty Council Camping Service
at (610) 688-6996 or (610) 688-6900.

Thank you.

Driving Directions

1) Take I-95 north to New Jersey Route 29 (Trenton exit, first exit in New Jersey). Follow Route 29 north to Stockton Bridge in Stockton, New Jersey. Make a right turn onto Pennsylvania Route 32 north. Continue on Route 32 north to Treasure Island.

2) Take Pennsylvania Route 611 to Doylestown, PA. Take the freeway to by-pass around Doylestown, to the first traffic light, at the light turn right to dead end. Turn left on Danboro Road and follow to Point Pleasant (at bottom of steep hill). Cross over canal bridge and follow Pennsylvania Route 32 north 3.5 miles and look for Treasure Island signs.