Parent/Leader Guide

Sioux Council, BSA

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Tabor, SD 57063
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Webelos Camp

2020 Program Areas

Camp Frontier

PROGRAMS

Pins Offered in this Area

- Aware and Care
- Building a Better World
- Webelos Walk About
- First Responder
- Into the Wild
- Earth Rocks

Group Activity

- Campfire Cooking
- Branding Station
- Gaga Ball

Adventure Activities

- BB and Archery Level Pins
- Water Kickball

Scouts will still have a chance to participate in all group and adventure activities.

Camp Keel Boat

PROGRAMS

Pins Offered in the Area

- Aquanaut
- Adventures in Science
- Art Explosion
- Stronger, Faster Higher
- Maestro
- Outdoor Adventure

Group Activity

- Canoeing
- Open Swim
- Gaga Ball
- Whittling Chip

Adventure Activity

- Challenge Valley
- Soccer with a twist (lakefront style)

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How Do You Get in on the Action at Webelos Camp?

Getting ready for camp is easy!

1. Read the material included in the camp guide.
2. Discuss with your Scout the exciting opportunity that going to Webelos camp will provide for them.
3. Contact your Webelos’ leader to see if your den will be going as a group.
4. Register online at www.siouxcouncil.org individually or with your Pack.
5. Talk it over and talk it up! It’ll make for a high point in your Scout’s Webelos’ years.

General Webelos Camp Information

Camp fees are shown below. Registration is available online at www.siouxcouncil.org.

Fees are not refundable but can be transferred to cover the registration fees of another Scout. Fees should be paid by 2 weeks prior to each camp to help in planning for camp.

**Registration by May 1st**

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T-shirts are included in price but are not available after two weeks prior to camp

**Camp Weekend Dates:** Two exciting 2 day/2-night sessions are planned:

1: August 21st – 23rd 
2: August 28th – 30th

Sessions fill on a first come, first serve basis. The quicker you can get your reservation in the better chance you have to get the camp of your choice. We allow 100 total participants to attend each session. Register your Scout as soon as possible.

General Camp Information

**Camp Address**
Lewis and Clark Scout Reservation, 31071 Boy Scout Rd, Tabor, SD 57063

**Telephone**
The camp telephone is used for camp business and emergencies only. Since there is only one line into camp, it cannot be tied up with personal calls. The camp number is (605) 665-7970 Fax: (605) 665-6124.

**Trading Post**
There is a Trading Post to provide additional snacks and souvenirs, so Webelos may wish to bring some spending money (est. $75.00 to $100.00). We suggest talking with pack leaders to establish a unit “banking” system to help safeguard money Scouts bring to camp. We cannot be responsible for lost or stolen personal items.
Visitors
Due to COVID-19 Visitors are not permitted during camp. Parents who would like to camp overnight in order to help provide transportation home may pitch a tent or bring a SMALL camper to park in the family camping area. A small camping fee will apply. Vehicles must be parked in the designated parking area across from the administration building. Advance reservations for camping and meals are required.

Lost & Found
We will keep all the lost & found materials at camp for the entire summer. Everything will be sent to the Sioux Council Center for Scouting and held until the first of September. After that date all lost & found materials will be donated to a local thrift store.

Pets
Are NOT allowed at camp.

Camperships
Financial assistance for Sioux Council Webelos Scouts demonstrating a financial need is available for Webelos attending Lewis and Clark. Cubmasters or Webelos leaders should contact the Sioux Council Office for the most current scholarship forms.

Adult Leadership
In accordance with the national policies of the Boy Scouts of America, Webelos can go camping on a limited basis, only when accompanied by Webelos leaders and/or parents. The leadership policy of the BSA states that a minimum of two adult leaders, age 21 or older are required for each Pack trip or activity. While your group is at camp, they will be in campsites of more than one group. It is recommended that parents not attending camp take their Webelos to camp and meet their leader there at the beginning of the session and pick them up at camp at the end of the session. You will need a ratio of 2 adults to every 8 Webelos.

Camp Registration
Registration is completed by individual Webelos and a parent or if the Pack is registering please contact the office to get your Pack’s login if you do not already have it. Rosters are being uploaded for those packs registering their Scouts. We recommend that you attend as a den. Campsite assignments will be made by den. If you are unable to attend with your den, you are welcome to sign up with your parent for a different session. Register online at: www.siouxcouncil.org
CAMP EQUIPMENT

Den Equipment
You might want to visit with leaders of a Scouts, BSA Troop for equipment suggestions for a stay at camp. The patrol or crew overnight camping gear list found in the Scouts, BSA handbook might be helpful as you pack gear. You will not need to worry about cooking equipment. The following listing may be helpful. Bold face items are the most necessary.

First Aid Kit
Program Books***
Song Books***
Tools**
Lanterns

Tents*, poles, stakes
Hammer
Lawn Chairs
Ice Chest with locking lid
Rope & Twine

* BSA National Standards require tents to have a minimum of 30 square feet of floor space per camper and the warning “No Flame in Tent” marked on the outside near the doorway.
** Consider such items as a screwdriver, duct tape, vise grips, sharpening stone, oil etc…
*** You might want some ideas for campfire skits, etc.

Following are Items That Webelos Will Find Useful at Camp:

____ Health form (required) ____ Toothbrush & paste ____ Towels
____ Webelos handbook ____ Air mattress or cot ____ Insect lotion
____ Webelos uniform ____ Jacket or sweatshirt ____ Underwear
____ Long pants ____ Raincoat or poncho ____ Soap
____ Shorts ____ Sturdy shoes or boots ____ Water bottle
____ Small pillow ____ Extra socks ____ Swimsuit
____ Flashlight ____ Bed roll or sleeping bag ____ Fishing gear
____ Tent, etc. ____ Pajamas ____ Sunscreen
____ Swimming shoes ____ T-shirts ____ Hat

Don’t Bring
- Carpet
- Futon (or other indoor furniture)
- Firewood (we have plenty)
- Excessive water (our water is from a municipal source)
- Excessively large coolers (shouldn’t take more than 1 person to lift)
- Expensive watches, clothes, shoes, jewelry…..you get the idea.

*The Sioux Council BSA cannot be responsible for lost or stolen items.
CAMP HEALTH AND SAFETY

Arrival and Check in

The speed limit at Lewis and Clark is 15 mph.
Regulations specify that all truck riders be in a passenger compartment
(no riding in beds, covered or uncovered).

Plan to arrive at camp between 5:00 pm and 6:30 pm on the first day of your camp. In order for the camp staff to complete their pre-session meeting, greeting of dens will not begin until 5:00 pm. If you arrive earlier than 5:00 pm, be prepared to make yourselves comfortable in the areas near the parking lot. We strongly encourage dens to make travel arrangements so that all members of the pack arrive at camp at the same time.

When you arrive to camp, we will first take your temperature while you are in the car. Please read the COVID-19 forms and check everyone temperature before you leave for camp.

You will be greeted by the camp commissioner and your campsite commissioner for the week. They will assist you in unloading and loading personal gear onto camp service vehicles to transport your Pack gear to your camping site.

A Pack leader will proceed to the administration building to:

• Present the Pack roster
• Sign up for activity badges (we suggest a second person to handle badge sign-up)
  Scouts should be signing up for activity badges when they register for camp.
• Receive campsite assignments

Your campsite commissioner will lead the pack to the medical lodge for medical rechecks and to the dining hall for orientation.

Your campsite commissioner will lead you to your campsite. The camp ranger and other staff will pull trailers and/or transport by truck all den equipment. Please do not drive equipment or trailers to your site yourself.

Swim checks will be done in Keel Boat on the day that you are there. Please bring your waterfront appropriate clothing and a change of clothes with towel.

As campsites are ready, Scouts will make name tags. Play games and relax around the campfire. Smores supplies will be supplied as well!
Your Campsite

Picnic tables are provided in each campsite. You will find an established fire circle in each campsite. We ask that you use this fire site for any and all campfires you may wish to build.

The den’s campsite arrangement and orderliness reflect upon the den’s standards. Living in a clean and well-organized site helps a Scout feel pride in themselves.

Listed below are the aspects of a well-established den campsite. The camp commissioner will visit you and your site during the week. The commissioner may share ideas with you about ways to improve your site.

___ American and pack flags displayed with pack identification
___ First Aid Kit available in a central location
___ Campsite laid out with clear and safe traffic lanes
___ Tents and flies pitched correctly taught and using proper knots
___ Tents marked with “No Flame in Tent” sign or stencil
___ Campsite clean—food and gear properly stored, surfaces clean
___ Garbage cans used and covered: liners in place
___ Bulletin board with roster, fire guard plan and program posted
___ Latrine clean
___ Saw/axe yard separated from central site, marked and large enough
___ Respect is shown for camp facility—no marking of trees or property
___ Handicap vehicles parked in designated area (if applicable)

Flag Ceremonies

Flag Ceremonies are held per the schedule on page 11.

Dining Hall

All Meals will be served in the Program Camp Areas or campsites

Health Lodge

A camp health officer serves as a regular member of the camp staff. (A volunteer physician from Yankton supervises the camp’s medical care services.) In the event of a serious accident, illness, or hospitalization, parents are contacted. However, care is not delayed. Medical care given at the camp by the camp medical officer is without additional charge. Scouts whose care requires use of disposable items such as non-rebreather masks will be charged the cost of such items. **Treatment provided outside of the camp is at each family’s expense, forms are filed for insurance coverage.** The Sioux Council does participate in an insurance plan which assists with deductibles and uninsured costs.

ALL CAMPERS must have a signed COVID-19 acknowledgment form.

Insurance

Scout campers registered with the Sioux Council are covered by the Council’s sickness and accident policy while attending camp and during travel between camp and home. The council’s policy meets costs beyond those covered by a Scout’s family policy. It is important that the name of the family’s insurance carrier and policy number be provided on the personal health and medical summary. A brochure fully describing the Council’s sickness and accident policy is available from the Sioux Council Center for Scouting.

Discipline

Lewis and Clark Scout Camp, in accordance with the policies of the Boy Scouts of America, will not permit staff, volunteer leaders, or Scouts to use corporal or other harsh punishment. No humiliating or frightening method of discipline will be used to control the actions of any camper. Initiations which frighten or humiliate, including forms of hazing, are also not permitted.
Conditioning
A number of Pack leaders attending camp have recommended that we alert adults to the fact that Lewis and Clark Scout Camp is situated on bluffs along the Missouri River. The bluffs provide an exhilarating view of forest, water, and the rolling expanse of Nebraska. The bluffs also mean that everyone at camp must climb and descend hills walking from campsites to dining hall to program areas.

Suggestions: Do some extra walking, jogging or bicycling beginning several weeks before you come to camp. Maybe put some miles on the “stepper “ in the corner of the bedroom.

Dangerous Items and Substances
Some items are not permitted at camp. Failure to abide by the camp rules may lead to dismissal from camp. Do not bring any alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs into camp. Firearms, ammunition, personal BB guns, fireworks, bows and arrows, and sheath knives are items that should not be brought to camp. The use of aerosol propellant-based insect spray is prohibited. Please use personal sized insect repellent in squeeze bottles or with a pump action.

Fuel Policy
National BSA policy permits use of liquid fuel only under the direct supervision of a knowledgeable adult leader. Gasoline and other flammable substances are to be stored in the approved fuel storage area in camp. (Contact the camp commissioner or camp administration). Propane or LP’s are the preferred fuel and liquid fuels (white gas) are discouraged.

Open flames (i.e. candles, sterno, kerosene lanterns, cigarettes, etc.) are not allowed in tents.

Firearms Policy
Personal firearms, ammunition and archery equipment are strictly prohibited. Lewis and Clark provide all equipment necessary for the field sports activities.

Fireworks Policy
Possession or use of fireworks at Lewis and Clark is strictly prohibited and cause for dismissal from camp.

Buddy System
The use of the buddy system is imperative at Webelos Explorer Camp. Each Scout must always be with a buddy. Scouts should never travel or be in the campsite alone. REMEMBER two deep leadership is required when a Scout is with an adult who is not their parent or legal guardian.
PROHIBITED ITEMS:
(may result in immediate dismissal from camp)

- Alcoholic Beverages
- Fireworks of any kind
- Sheath Knives
- Pets

- Archery equipment
- BB guns
- Slingshots
- Hand Axes

*Smoking and Vaping are discouraged and must be done out of sight of Scouts in the parking lot!! Remember YOU set the example.*

CHECKING IN AND OUT OF CAMP

BSA Registration
All Webelos must be registered as members of the Boy Scouts of America and camp fees paid in order to stay at camp and participate.

Vehicles and Parking
1. Scout leaders, staff and parent vehicles will be parked in lots located across the road from the administration building.
2. One vehicle per Pack, upon special request and demonstration of need, may receive a permit to park in one of the designated lots (down the hill). These vehicles may be used only for:
   * Handicapped accessibility
3. Scouts will hike into campsites on arrival day and out of the campsite on departure day.
4. Under NO circumstances will any individual ride in the bed of a truck.
5. Restricted roads, from the south ends of the parking lot, will be for the use of camp service and other authorized vehicles only (permit showing).

This plan is intended to alleviate many of the identified concerns that have been raised with traffic in camp. **SCOUT SAFETY IS OUR NUMBER ONE CONCERN.**

Care of Equipment
All campers and leaders are reminded that they are responsible for any damage above ordinary wear and tear they might cause to camp facilities or equipment.

Leaving Camp During the Week
Campers and leaders who must leave camp during the week must sign out at the administration building. Campers may leave only with a parent or guardian. Leaders must be present when a camper checks-out of camp.

WEBELOS CAMP PROGRAM

Pack Program
Although most of your time at Lewis and Clark Scout Camp will be spent participating in activities which are part of a program schedule, do not underestimate the importance of interactions among members of your local Pack or den. You, as den leaders and parents, will live and move with your Scouts for the duration of camp. You will set the example and encourage each Scout to take on new responsibilities, cooperate better with others, and live in accordance with ideals of Scouting. This is a major part of the Webelos program.
We aim to make them enjoyable and supportive of the Webelos program. Feedback in past summers has included comments from some participants to the effect that there has not been enough time for the dens to be on their own and spend time in relaxation at camp. Others have expressed appreciation of the fairly continuous schedule of activities during the relatively short time at camp. Use the information about program offering from the daily schedule and on the following pages to plan your Lewis and Clark Webelos Program.

Advancement Program
Much of each day’s program time is devoted to activities designed to help Webelos satisfy activity pin requirements. Some activity periods are specifically identifiable as dedicated to one particular activity pin or another. Others, like outdoorsman activity badge requirements, will be met as Scouts camp and dine with your den. Sportsman activity badge requirements are met by participating in the series of sportsman activities scheduled throughout your camp stay.

Individual Activities
There are times when you can choose to work with Scouts on individual activities back at the campsite. You may also choose to accompany your Scouts back to a place in camp they found worth further explorations. Scouts always like to explore pebble beach.

NOTE: Adult supervision of Scouts, as well as use of the buddy system, is essential when camping and exploring.

NOTE: Everyone, Scouts and adults alike, must take the swim test before swimming or boating in the water. Swimming proficiency determines which depth of water may be used for swimming and which boats may be used. This swim testing is part of the BSA Safe Swim Defense Plan, which governs the use of all BSA swimming and boating areas.

FINAL CHECK LIST
___ Bring your health forms to camp. Every youth and adult needs to have a completed health history. Youth forms must be signed by the legal parent or guardian. You should complete a separate health form for each camp attended.
___ If any youth is leaving early with someone other than a parent, a letter indicating such is signed by the legal parent or guardian.
___ All personal gear is packed.
___ Sufficient and safe transportation has been arranged to and from camp. (Remember no one is to ride in the bed of a pickup covered or not)
___ There is sufficient leadership. BSA policy requires two deep leadership.
___ Fees have been paid to the Sioux Council Center for Scouting.
## Webelos Camp Schedule

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COVID-19 Protocols and Acknowledgement Form

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In addition to the high standards required by Boy Scouts of America to open and operate a summer camp, Lewis & Clark Scout Reservation and Sioux Council will be implementing the following policies based on guidance from CDC, State of South Dakota, OSHA, ACA and BSA for summer camp operations.

Camp Pre-Screening:
- All Scouters attending will be required to fill out a screening questionnaire in the 48 hours before arriving at camp.
- All Scouters attending will be required to have their temperature checked and logged just before departing for camp.
- Anyone answering any question positively or having a fever the day of travel to camp may not leave for camp.
- All Scouters will be required to have a signed Covid-19 notice of risk and responsibly while attending camp.
- Scouters will not be allowed into camp if they are traveling from a Covid-19 CDC or state health department designated hot spot, have not completed the above screening, temperature log and a signed Covid-19 notice for each Adult and Youth.

Camp Screening & Monitoring:
- All adults and youth will be individually screened and must pass this before being allowed to proceed into camping and program areas. This screening will include a health questionnaire and temperature check.
- All adults and youth will have a daily health check in their campgrounds before leaving for program areas.
- Camp Pack Health Logs will be used to track data for individuals at camp.

In Camp Prevention:

Building Access -
- The following buildings will be closed to the public Camp Administration Building & Dining Hall.
- The following buildings will have limited access with time limits per person, timed access for groups and sanitizing procedures to be complemented between groups, East and Central Shower House and Trading Post.
- No Visitors will be allowed in camp.

Meal Service -
- Monitored and mandatory hand washing before and after meal service.
- All meals will be served in campgrounds or program areas.
- All meals will be served using disposable pans and utensils.
- All meals will be eaten using disposable dishes and utensils.

Social Distancing -
- Each adult and youth will be provided with a personal PPE kit consisting of masks, gloves and hand sanitizer.
- Attendance for each camp session will be limited.
- Camp Schedule has been revised
- No visitors will be allowed during camping sessions.
- Scouters will be assigned to a Social Group (Camp Pack). This group should not interact with another social group during camp.
- Lewis & Clark will only open 2 of our 14 campsites 1 for each Camp Pack.
- Lewis & Clark will be divided in to 2 program areas.
- Each Camp Pack will spend a full day in each program area.
- Programs will limit extended face to face contact by using learning centers when able and adjusting programs to give additional spacing between Scouters.
Sanitization -
- Handwashing stations will be provided in each program areas with mandatory handwashing times scheduled during camp programing.
- Sanitizer will be provided to each scouter and available in program areas.
- Where appropriate sanitizing wipes will be provided to sanitize items between uses.
- Staff will be required to attend BSA training on proper cleaning procedures for Covid-19.
- Program areas, shower houses, bathrooms, Trading Post will be sanitized between each Camp Troops use.
- Masks and gloves will be required for all serving of food.
- All Sanitizing procedures will be in accordance with CDC, BSA and local health department guidelines.
- All Sanitizing products will come from the CDC approved list of products to neutralize COVID-19.

Health Checks -
- All Scouters will be required to maintain a health log starting with a check before leaving for camp through their last full day of camp.
- Lewis & Clark will Provide a logbook and no contact thermometers for use at camp.
- Camp Health Officer will monitor camp health logs and immediately separate anyone failing a health check and consult with our camp medical director.
- Anyone failing a health check may not return to participate in camp activities without the Camp Medical Directors approval.

Post Camp -
- If any Staff or Attendee reports having a positive Covid-19 test, the Sioux Council will inform Troops through the contact information provided in their camp registration.

Your safety and the safety of all our members, volunteers, and employees is Sioux Council’s top priority. In light of COVID-19, we are taking additional precautions at camp on top of our long-established health and safety measures.

First, our council health supervisor, a physician, is following state, local and Federal guidelines to ensure we are mitigating as much as possible the risk of COVID-19 at camp.

Our mitigation plan includes:
- Pre-attendance education,
- Health screening conducted by your unit prior to travel to our camp, including a temperature check.
- Health screening upon your arrival at camp conducted by our camp health officers, which will also include a temperature check.
  - Note: should anyone in the unit not pass the arrival screening, the entire unit will not be allowed to enter camp.
- No visitors in camp.
- Hygiene reminders throughout camp experience.
- Handwashing /sanitizer stations throughout camp.
- Staff to clean and disinfect high-touch surfaces and shared program equipment.
- An emergency response plan that includes isolation and quarantine protocol should a person at camp develop symptoms of COVID-19 or other communicable disease.
- Check-ins with each unit one week and two weeks after the unit leaves camp to determine if any participants have developed symptoms.

These precautions are important, but they do not remove the potential for exposure to COVID-19 or any other illness while at camp. Some people with COVID-19 show no signs or symptoms of illness but can still spread the virus, and people may be contagious before their symptoms occur. These factors mean that an infected person may pass the required health screenings and be allowed into camp.
We also know the very nature of camp makes social distancing difficult in many situations or impossible in some cases.

Information from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) states that older adults and people of any age who have serious underlying medical conditions are at higher risk for severe illness from COVID-19. **If you are in this group, please ensure you have approval from your health care provider prior to attending camp.**

We know that each staff member, volunteer, and Scouting family has a unique set of circumstances to consider when deciding whether to attend camp. We hope this information will be helpful as you make those choices.

**We recognize and accept this form of camp protocols, signed by myself and/or my parent/guardian if under the age of 18. I agree to follow written and verbal social distancing guidelines and to participate with my safety and the safety of others in mind.**

Parental Signature  ________________________________  Date:__________

Youth Signature  ________________________________  Date:__________
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The undersigned ____________________________ (Parent, Camper, Visitor, Leader) is attending programs offered by the Sioux Council, BSA. He/she will be attending programs at Lewis and Clark Scout Reservation. After reading all pages of “COVID-19 Protocols and Acknowledgement Form” he/she acknowledges having read these forms informing them of the risks to himself/herself and other in relations to the following:

Given the current state of SARS CoV-2 (COVID-19) in our surrounding communities, state, country and world, the Sioux Council cannot guarantee that all those in attendance that enter this property and participate in this program are not asymptomatic carriers of the virus. We have screening protocols in place to attempt to assure your safety, but the possibility does exist that our screening process and protocols will not prevent COVID-19 from entering our camp. Also, if you are over 65 or have underlying health issues like coronary artery disease, hypertension, diabetes, renal disease, cancer, or are currently receiving chemotherapy or history of chemotherapy your risk of critical illness should you contract COVID-19 is greater. We encourage everyone to visit their primary physician regarding potential risks and follow all applicable government guidelines. Your health and wellbeing are our number one concern and yes should only participate in our programs if you feel comfortable with the additional risk due to COVID-19 at this time.

By signing below you a) acknowledge all the risks described above b) acknowledge the above protocols and your part to keep camp safer for all by practicing written and verbal social distancing guidelines c) releases the Sioux Council, its staff and all other participants and program collaborators from any and all claims for liability if he/she contracts COVID-19 virus; and d) to the extent allowed by applicable law, covenants to not sue the Sioux Council, its staff and all other participants and program collaborators in connection with any such claims, liabilities or cause (s) of action related to COVID-19 unless any part or parts of this release are held to be invalid or unenforceable, all remaining portions of this release shall continue in effect.

I have read and agree to the above acknowledgement

Camper Signature: ____________________________ date: ____________

Parent/Guardians signature if individual is under 18: ____________________________ date: ____________