

# Things to Know About Camping

## Pack #3977

1. All scouts must have a parent or guardian on the campout. \*
2. We camp one tent per family. You sleep with your child. \*
3. We family camp as a group. The men take turns preparing, cooking, and cleaning up after all meals. The scouts generally are asked to set up and clean up after the meal. (Women are considered guests and are not required to help.)
4. In an effort to help the environment everyone is asked to bring a plastic washable cup and silver wear. The Pack provides plates.
5. We as a Pack do not own our own cooking equipment so we rely on the generosity of designated others to bring equipment. We help them with the equipment and protect it as our own. They are not in charge of all cooking, although, they do have the final say about their equipment. We ask that others do not bring theirs; we do our activities as a Pack.
6. Outside food (necessary because of allergies) or snacks may be brought by each family; however, it is their responsibility to protect it from all wild animals, such as raccoons.
7. Families may bring things to use such as baseballs, Frisbees, horse shoes etc. Generally there is some free time throughout the campout.
8. There is no alcohol allowed in the campsite or on our campouts. \*
9. All Scouts and their Akela's are asked to participate in the camping programs provided by the Cub Scout Leadership.
10. Scouts should not be allowed to hike or venture into the woods unattended.
11. All scouts and campers are expected and required to conduct themselves in a positive, highly moral and ethical manner.
12. Webelos scouts are allowed to help construct the campfire. Only adults are allowed to light the campfire. Campfires should never be taller than the tallest person at the campout. All other Dens may collect tinder, kindling, and wood for the campfire.\*
13. Scouts and leaders are expected to ride to the campout in uniform. They do not have to be worn during the campout, unless there is an occasion to do so, such as a ceremony or chapel service.

14. At all times we follow the Leave No Traces Guidelines and we leave our campsite looking better than it looked when we arrive.
15. If there is a special activity (swimming, fishing, etc) all scouts are expected to abide by the rules set forth by the state, county, city or facility. (For example, safety rules in or around the pool, fishing licenses, pollution laws etc.)
16. Den Chiefs are allowed on Cub Scout Campouts and must follow the camping rules set out by their Boy Scout Troop. They should come in uniform and conduct themselves as part of the leadership.

\* Rules set forth by the Boy Scouts of America.