

**Thunderbird District
Webelos Encampment 2009
Thunderbird Olympics
General Information**

Registration:

Registration fees for each Scout, Scouter and parent will be \$ 12.00. Pre-Registration Deadline is **Feb. 15, 2009 Fees should be paid by, Feb.27, 2009.** Proof of Pack registration must be presented at registration or an extra dollar will be charged per person. Tour permits must be presented at registration. Registration forms must be turned in to the Scout Service Center at 171 S. Hollywood.

Uniforms:

Units should arrive and depart in full uniform. The uniform is required to be worn at the Saturday night campfire. Scouts should dress for Saturday activities in a manner that is appropriate for the activities and weather.

Knife Policy:

Scouts are not allowed to carry a knife at anytime.

First-Aid and Lost & Found

Will be located in the Dining Hall

Weather

Be Prepared!! One learns about camping in the rain not from a book but by practicing it. **Quality rain gear is a Must.**

Campsites:

Campsite selection is the responsibility of each unit leader prior to February 1st. After February 1st, the Encampment staff will assign Campsites. Campsites will be on a first come- first served basis. Camping is not required, but is highly recommended.

Baden Powell Spirit Award:

The Encampment staff will award **The Fabulous Thunderbird Districts', Baden Powell Spirit Award** to the Pack with the most **enthusiasm**, including being on time, to all activities (this includes Leader activities) and Cub Scout spirit. Den yells are strongly encouraged.

Taps:

Taps will be at 10:30 PM on Friday and Saturday evening. Reveille will be at 6:00 AM. Quiet hours are between those times. Units should arrive at the Encampment in ample time to have their campsites established before taps.

Driving/Parking:

Vehicles are restricted to 15MPH while operating on camp property. After unloading all vehicles should park in the designated parking areas. Vehicles should be parked in the parking areas throughout the Encampment.

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Schedule of Events**

Friday, March 6, 2009

4:00 – 9:00 PM	Check in
9:00 – 10:00PM	Leader's Cracker Barrel (Bring Patrol Flags)
10:30 PM	Taps (all quiet)

Saturday, March 7, 2009

6:00 A.M	Reveille
6:00 – 7:45AM	Breakfast
8:00 – 8:20 AM	Opening Ceremony
8:30 – 11:00 AM	Events
9:00 – 10:10AM	Activity Badge Class – Session 1
11:00 – 1:00 PM	Dutch Oven Competition/ Lunch
1:00 – 2:10 PM	Activity Badge Class – Session 2
1:00 – 3:40 PM	Events
4:00 PM	Tug of War (Boy & Adult)
5:30 PM	Lower Flags
5:45 – 7:30 PM	Units Break for Dinner & Cleanup
7:30 – 7:45 PM	Units Assemble and Begin Going Toward Campfire
8:00 PM	Campfire/ Awards Presentation
10:30 PM	Taps (all quiet)

Sunday, March 8, 2009

7:00 AM	Reveille
7:00- 8:30 AM	Breakfast
9:00 AM	Worship Service
10:00 AM- 12:00 PM	Clean up, Packs depart, Final Inspection, Patches Disbursed

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Spirit Points:

A spirit of Scout courtesy and brotherhood must prevail during the entire Encampment if it is to be a success. Therefore, an observance of all Encampment regulations, is beneficial to all Scouts and Leaders. Those Units or Scouts who do not conform to this spirit in such matters as ignoring Taps, the directions of the Judges and other authorized officials, shall lose Spirit points.

Patches:

Encampment patches will not be given out until the final campsite inspection is made Sunday morning at checkout.

Campfire:

The evening campfire will start at 8:00PM. All Scouts and Leaders should wear, their **Class A Uniform**, to the campfire. We will be having a Flag Retirement ceremony this night also

Den Flag Kit Instructions:

Each den will make a flag to help show their Scout Spirit and let everyone else know who they are. All flags must be original, & made from kit supplies, then affixed to a standard flagpole or a found branch.

- 1.) The flag Must include the Pack Number and Den. Drawings of Athletes or Encampment theme are encouraged.
- 2.) The top flags will be recognized at the campfire. **They must be Scout Designed.**

Uniform Inspection:

The uniform inspection will consist of the following items:

- General appearance
- Headgear
- Neckerchief and Slide
- Shirt
- Belt
- Pants/ Shorts
- Socks
- Insignia

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Pack # _____ Date: _____

Pack Leader: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____

Home Phone: _____ Other Phone: _____

1. Total Number of Scouts Attending: _____ @ \$ 12.00 ea.

2. Total Number of Adults Attending: _____ @ \$ 12.00 ea.

Total Registration Fee: _____

Emergency Information: (contact not at camp)

Home Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____

**Fabulous Thunderbird District
Webelos Encampment 2009
“Friendship Games”**

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Den Flag Kit Instructions:

Each den will make a flag to help show their Scout Spirit and let everyone else know who they Are. All flags must be original, made from kit supplies, then affixed to a standard (please refrain from cutting live trees- use a flagpole or a found branch.

- 1.) The flag Must include the Patrol Name, Flags must also represent a Nation that competes in the Olympics, please try to include the original five continents of the Olympics: Africa, Asia, Australia, North/South America, Europe
- 2.) The top flags will be recognized at the campfire. They must be Scout designed.

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To Camp Currier from Memphis, Tn.

1. Take I- 55 South from Memphis.
2. Take Hernando exit and go west (right)
3. Proceed through Hernando, and stay on Hwy 304 for 10 miles and you will come to Eudora, Ms.
4. Continue through Eudora for about $\frac{3}{4}$ mile
5. Hwy 304 will curve to the left, at that point the gravel road to Camp

Currier turns to the right. Watch for the Camp Currier sign on the right.

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EVENTS

Carl Osbur BB Guns & Rod White Archery ---- We will be having BB guns & Archery. Certified instructors will conduct these events. Before a Scout participates, there will be a safety course prior to the event. **Any Scout** not obeying the rules will be asked to leave the area. **Safety Comes First !!!!!!**

Johnny Wisemiller, Lizagator Swamp---- Teamwork will enhance the patrols time when they roll a wooden Platform on top of 55 gallon drums across the 20 foot course. The object of this event is not to fall into the swamp and be eaten by hungry alligators.(Timed event)

Bruce Jenner, Obstacle Course --- Scouts will demonstrate the physical capabilities required, to complete a full obstacle course. This event will test endurance through a timed event during which **All Members** of the patrol must complete the course. Average patrol time will determine the winner. Course will consist of, 5 Push-ups, Sandbox, Small Climbing Tower, and a special event in keeping with our theme.

Carl Lewis 50 Yard dash – Scouts will run the 50 yard dash, as a unit. This will be a timed event. Total time divided by number of Scouts in patrol.

“Living Scouting” Scout Oath & Law --- The Patrol will construct a puzzle using **The Scout Law & The Scout Oath.** (Timed Event)

Rain Gutter Regatta - Each scout patrol will race a regatta boat Rain gutter rules apply

Chipper Jones Baseball --- Each unit will play a two inning game of Wiffleball baseball to see how many runs they can score before reaching three outs. The unit with the most runs wins.

Mike Conley Long-Jump – Scouts will be required to see who can jump the longest in the standing long jump. The total distance jumped will be divided by the number of boys in patrol.

Nature Art Gallery - Identify 20 Nature items on a board, most identified in best time wins.

Tug of War – We will be having both a Patrol Tug of War, and a Leader Tug of War, so get ready to flex your muscles.

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Permission Slip

(Note: You must have a signed permission slip for each Scout attending).

As the parent or legal guardian of _____

I hereby give my permission for him to participate in the Thunderbird Webelos Encampment

Date: March 6-8, 2009

Location: Camp Currier, Eudora, Ms

Time/ Place of Departure: _____

Time/ Place of Return: _____

I give my permission to the leaders of the above unit to render First Aid, should the need arise. In the event, of an emergency, I also give permission to the physician selected by the adult leader in charge, to hospitalize, secure proper anesthesia, order injection or secure other medical treatment as needed I further agree to hold the Chickasaw Council, Boy Scouts of America and its leaders blameless for any accidents that might occur during this outing except clear acts of negligence or non-adherence to BSA policies and guidelines.

In case of emergency, I can be reached by phone at:

_____ or _____

If I cannot be reached, please contact:

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____

(Parent or Guardian)

COPY AS NEEDED

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**Please pick an Olympian listed below, as the symbol to be on your Patrol Flag.
Carl Osbur**

Johnny Wisemiller

Bruce Jenner

Carl Lewis

Chipper Jones

Mike Conley

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Rod White

Ken Patera

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Campsite Inspection

Unit # _____

	Point Value	Points Earned
1. Pack Identification (Flag or Entranceway)	5	_____
2. Tents properly erected and orderly	5	_____
3. Water Supply (Cooking & Drinking on hand)	5	_____
4. Personal Gear properly stored	5	_____
5. Encampment Schedule Posted	5	_____
6. First Aid kit properly displayed and ready for use	5	_____
7. Cooking and Dining areas clean & organized	5	_____
8. Menu posted (for each Den)	5	_____
9. Dishwashing facilities evident	5	_____
10. Duty Rosters posted for each Den	5	_____
11. Proper SAFETY observed, no running in campsite, Wood cutting tools properly safeguarded and firewood Properly stored	10	_____
12. Campsite gadgets such as knot boards, towel racks, Etc. displayed attractively and correctly	20	_____
13. Disposal area for garbage & waste	5	_____
14. Personal washing facilities evident	5	_____
15. Vehicles parked in designated parking area	<u>10</u>	_____
Possible Score	100	

CLASS LIST FOR WEBELOS ENCAMPMENT 2009

READYMAN—

NATURALIST—

FORESTER—

PLEASE CHOOSE (1) CLASS FROM THE LIST ABOVE THAT YOU WOULD LIKE YOUR BOYS TO TAKE. THE REASON YOU ONLY NEED TO CHOOSE ONE CLASS FROM THE LIST THIS YEAR IS SO THAT, THE BOYS WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO PARTICIPATE IN ALL THE EVENTS.

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WHAT TO BRING: SUGGESTED PERSONAL GEAR

Bedding

- _ Sleeping Bag & extra blankets
- _ Deodorant
- _ Sunscreen
- _ Large Towel

- _ Pad
- _ Pillow
- _ Bug Repellent

Clothing

- _ Pajamas
- _ Uniform-Camp T-shirt
- _ Sweater or jacket
- _ Poncho or rain gear
- _ Hat or visor
- _ Jeans or shorts
- _ T-shirts
- _ Extra shoes
- _ Tennis shoes

Camp Necessities

- _ Flashlight/Batteries
- _ Personal First Aid Kit
- _ Canteen/ Water Bottle
- _ Pack or Duffle bag
- _ Pencils and Note pad

Toiletries

- _ Toothbrush and tooth paste
- _ Towel/Washcloth
- _ Comb/Brush

Optional

- _ Sunglasses
- _ Camera/ Film
- _ Folding chair or stool

Note: This equipment list is meant to serve as a guide. Use your discretion in choosing what to bring and what to leave. Things do get broken or lost. Please plan accordingly and leave valuables at home.

ITEMS TO LEAVE AT HOME

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none">_ Pets_ Radios_ Tape Decks_ Electronic Games_ Sheath knives_ Firearms | <ul style="list-style-type: none">_ Fireworks_ Tobacco_ Hatchets_ Alcohol or illegal drugs_ Ammunition |
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SUGGESTED PACK GEAR TO BRING

- _ Tents
- _ Fire Buckets (coffee cans filled with water, two for each tent)
- _ Fire Building Supplies (wood/ matches)
- _ Lanterns
- _ Snacks for around the pack campfire site