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## Summer Camp 2019 July 28, 2019– August 4, 2019 Cost \$550 – Deposit of \$100 Due 4/9/19 – Balance Due 6/4/19

### Dear Scouts and Parents

The time is soon at hand to sign up for Summer Camp. We will be heading up to Yawgoog Scout Reservation in Rhode Island for the week of July 28, 2019-August 4, 2019. Campsite Forty-Nine'r in Camp Three Point will, as usual, be our home for the week.

### Who Goes:

Summer Camp is not a core event, meaning it is not mandatory for a Scout to attend. Camp is something that we would want every Scout to experience. However, there may be a rare time when not every Scout will be asked to attend with the Troop. If you are behind on your fees and dues or if you don't show the proper Scouting attitude throughout the year, you may not be asked to join us at Summer Camp. We want Summer Camp to be something that all our Scouts will enjoy. We do not want someone in camp that does not want to be there for the right reason.

### What's To Do:

Any of our veteran Scouts can testify to the fun that a week at Yawgoog provides. The Waterfront offers activities like *Canoeing\**, *Fishing\**, Kayaking, *Sailing\**, Snorkeling, *Swimming\**, Paddleboard and the Mile Swim. The Camp Craft center offers activities such as; *Leatherwork\**, *Woodcarving\**, *Basketry\**, *Indian Lore\**. There are many other things to do: Stargazing, Hiking Nature Trails, Plant Identification, Animal Studies, *Geology\** and Rappelling at the Challenge Course. Rifle and Shotgun shooting, *Archery\**, *Orienteering\**, *Pioneering\**, Fire building, Campfires, Firem'n Chit, Totin' Chip. There are Inter-Troop competitions: Volleyball, Basketball, Bocce, Bake-Off, Scavenger hunt plus many other opportunities for Merit Badges and rank advancement. One thing is for sure: you won't be bored! (*Merit Badge Activities\**)

### Getting There and Back:

We travel by boat and bus. The Troop will assemble at the Orient Point dock on **Sunday July 28, 2019 at 12:30pm** for the ferry trip to New London. Parking is available at the east side of the parking lot adjacent to the ferry terminal.

Camp buses will meet us in New London to take us into camp. Scouts' equipment will travel by truck from the ferry to camp. You'll want to make sure all your gear is securely packed in your backpack and clearly labeled with your name and our Troop number. Pick up coming home is at Orient Pt. Sunday afternoon August 5 at around 4:30 pm. As the date gets closer, we'll be providing you with details of times and places.

## COSTS

- The cost to attend this year is \$550, which covers the week at camp, 3 summer camp Class “B” T-shirts, round-trip transportation between Orient Point and Camp Yawgoog along with support material / troop incidentals.
- A minimum deposit of \$100 is required to sign up- sign up and deposit by April 9, 2019, with the balance due no later than the June 4, 2019. ***\$25.00 of the initial deposit is non refundable.***
- If you do not make the initial deposit, we cannot guarantee a spot for your Scout at Camp!
- Scouts bridging over or joining the Troop after April 9, 2019 will have until April 30, 2019 to make their deposit.

The balance of the fee is payable any time (the sooner the better) but must be paid no later than the June 4<sup>th</sup> meeting in order to avoid a \$25 late-payment charge.

You may use your Camp Fund to pay for all or part of summer camp. **You MUST check with the Troop Treasurer Mr. O’Connor or Troop Activities Coordinator Mr. Schlossberg for the balance in your scout’s account to make sure there are funds to be used.**

*(If there are any hardship issues that may impact your scout’s ability to attend camp, please speak to Mr. Schlossberg, Mr. O’Connor or Mr. Brauer. All such communication is confidential.)*

### ***What makes up the cost of camp?***

- ***\$455.00 Yawgoog Camp Fee***
  - ***\$ 30.00 Approximate cost for 3 Class 3 T shirts***
  - ***\$ 30.00 Approximate cost for Round Trip Orient Ferry***
  - ***\$ 15.00 Round Trip Camp Bus***
  - ***\$ 20.00 Approximate cost for Troop Incidentals Per Scout***
- \$550.00***

## **IMPORTANT ADDITIONAL PAPERWORK**

These forms are due on **April 9, 2019** with your deposit (attached forms):

- **Permission Slip**
- **Parent Contact Form and**
- **Allergy, Dietary Restrictions and Medications Form**

**Deposits will NOT be accepted without these three forms**

### **MEDICAL FORM and INSURANCE CARD – 3 Copies of Each**

The medical form must be filled out by your Scout's doctor. Filled out forms from examination with immunization record is acceptable but the Dr's signature must be on the initial Class 3 medical form. Please ensure that the forms are complete

**THREE (3) complete COPIES of the MEDICAL FORM (Parts A, B and C) and THREE (3) COPIES OF YOUR CURRENT INSURANCE CARD are to be turned in to the troop medical form coordinator. (Keep your Original). The required Medical Form can be found at: [https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-001\\_ABC.pdf](https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-001_ABC.pdf)**

**Medical Forms and Insurance Cards must be turned in by June 4<sup>th</sup>  
Troop Meeting**

We will be checking all forms to make sure they are properly filled out. Do not make the mistake of waiting until the last minute to turn in your medical form or your scout may have a real problem attending camp.

If you we have not received the forms above, ***your Scout will not be getting on the ferry.***

**PLEASE – MAKE YOUR DOCTOR APPOINTMENT NOW!**

## **Proper Conduct:**

Summer camp should be a fantastic time for each and every boy who attends, and with your cooperation we can make sure that it really is. You will be expected to display Scout spirit throughout your week at camp and to conduct yourself in a way that you and the Troop can both be proud of. After all, this is *Scout* camp. Yawgoog is definitely not the place to go if you just want to get away from your folks and hang out and goof around for a week. Be reminded that there is no place in Boy Scouting for "initiations" or for treating another Scout in a shameful or potentially harmful way. If either of these is what you have in mind, stay home. If you are unwilling to display Scout-like behavior or to follow rules, you may be restricted from activities or sent home. In either case, you won't have any fun.

## **More Information:**

More information on dates, times, places, things to bring, and program details will be forthcoming as the date approaches. Parents of Scouts attending Summer Camp must be at the Summer Camp meeting on **June 25, 2019** just in case we have a problem with your paper work. **REMEMBER ALL PAPERS MUST BE IN BY THE JUNE 4, 2019 MEETING.** In the meantime, if you have any questions regarding summer camp, contact Mr. Schlossberg.

## **Parent Participation:**

Only parents who have taken the required minimum training and are registered with the troop are allowed to attend camp with the Troop with the understanding that they are there as troop leadership responsible for oversight & guidance of **ALL** scouts. **Parent Participation is at the discretion of troop leadership.** The following are requirements in order for a parent or guardian to attend camp.

- **Must be a registered adult BSA member.** As a minimum a parent must be an active member of the Troop Committee.
- **Have completed ALL of the appropriate on-line BSA Training prior to the June 4, 2019 troop meeting (Youth Protection, Fast Start Orientation Training and This is Scouting).**
- **Have a valid Class III medical in force over the camping period.**
- **There is space availability at the campsite for additional adults.**
- The cost for a parent / guardian to attend is approximately \$250 per adult for the week.
- Parents may choose to drive to Yawgoog on their own however; Scouts are expected to travel with their fellow scouts unless there are other exigencies.

**You are encouraged to visit the Camp Yawgoog website at: [www.yawgoog.org](http://www.yawgoog.org)**

# Troop 75 - 2019 Summer Camp Registration Permission & Payment Slip

**Scout:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print Scouts Name)

Sign me up for a week at Yawgoog Scout Reservation from July 28 to August 4, 2019. I'll pay my fee as follows:

**Paid Via** (please check all that applies)

**I'll pay in full with early Registration:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  Camp Fund  Cash  Check / Check # \_\_\_\_\_

**Initial Deposit (\$100):** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  Camp Fund  Cash  Check / Check # \_\_\_\_\_

**Additional Partial Payment(s)** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  Camp Fund  Cash  Check / Check # \_\_\_\_\_

**Final Balance:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  Camp Fund  Cash  Check / Check # \_\_\_\_\_  
(Due by **June 4, 2019**)

**Total** \$ 550.00  Paid In Full

(Deduct \$10.00 for each Cass C shirt not ordered or add for quantities over 3)

**Class "C" Shirt Order** Qty. \_\_\_\_\_ (3 recommended) Size Adult: **S** **M** **L** **XL**  
Please circle

**No Shirts This Year** \_\_\_\_\_ **Initial:** \_\_\_\_\_

I understand the importance of proper behavior during my week at camp and I agree to act in a proper Scout-like manner. I also agree to have a great time doing all the things Yawgoog makes available!

**Scout's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Yes You Have to Sign)

## **Parent's / Guardian's Part:**

I give permission for my son to attend summer camp at Yawgoog Scout Reservation with Troop 75, from July 28 – August 4, 2019. I will attend the parent meeting with my son and have the forms completed and turned in on time. I understand that I must be reachable during the week of camp and that I agree to come to camp within 24 hours of being notified if it should become necessary due to medical or behavioral problems. I agree that I will discuss with my son the importance of proper conduct during his week at camp.

**Parent / Guardian Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Troop 75 2019 Parent Contact Form For: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print Scouts Name)

**Dear Parents:**

With any luck, you'll get a post card or two from your son while he's away at camp and you'll certainly hear all about his week when he gets home. However, we must be able to contact you quickly should it be necessary for you to retrieve him, give medical consent, or otherwise support him at camp.

Please fill out this form and turn it in with the other forms prior to our departure. Your son will not be allowed to board the ferry unless we have this.

**If the numbers are the same for each day just fill in the top line and draw an arrow down**

**2018 SUMMER CAMP CONTACT SHEET**

	<b>Daytime Phone #</b>	<b>Nighttime Phone #</b>	<b>Cell Phone #</b>	<b>Other Contact #</b>
<b>Sunday</b>				
<b>Monday</b>				
<b>Tuesday</b>				
<b>Wednesday</b>				
<b>Thursday</b>				
<b>Friday</b>				
<b>Saturday</b>				
<b>Sunday</b>				

# Troop 75 – 2019 Summer Camp Allergies, Diet Restrictions and Medications

**Scout:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Print Scouts Name)

PLEASE LIST ALL ALLERGIES AND DIETARY RESTRICTIONS:

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**MEDICATIONS** – Please list all medications your Scout will be taking at camp – If you are requesting that the Scoutmasters or Camp administer such medication, please provide instructions

MEDICATION	SCOUT ADMINISTER (Y/N)	CAMP ADMINISTER (Y/N)	Instructions