

TIMELINE FOR SCOUTMASTERS

WELCOME TO THE 2007 CAMPING SEASON AT CAMP WILLIAM HINDS!!

SCOUTMASTERS- PLEASE REVIEW THE PROGRAM INFORMATION AND DUPLICATE PAGES AS NEEDED TO SHARE WITH YOUR SCOUTS AND THEIR FAMILIES.

- Late 2006/Early 2007
- Review with your Scouts the programs available as Camp Hinds this summer.
 - Reserve your week and campsite or trek with Pine Tree Council
 - Send in deposits for Scouts going to camp.
 - Make parents aware of summer camp dates and the required BSA Health Forms.
- March/April 2007
Camp
- Confirm with the camping administrator at PTC the # of adults and Scouts attending Camp
 - Arrange for Adult leadership to cover your troop at camp.
- May 15, 2007
- Campership application deadline
- May 12th & 15th, 2007
- Scout Leader and SPL pre-camp meetings. May 12th at 1 pm and May 15th at 7 pm, The Camp Hinds Training Center, Raymond, Maine.
- June 1, 2007
- Early bird deadline for camp payments!
Start Sending Merit Badge Forms to camp
- May/June 2007
- Review with Scouts the Merit Badges available at camp
 - Counsel Scouts on appropriate Merit Badges and pre-requisites
 - SPL's – Discuss with Scouts program opportunities available at camp, troop rotations, Outposts, and troop activities.
 - Scoutmasters secure 2-deep leadership for troop at camp. **2 LEADERS MUST BE IN CAMP AT ALL TIMES, ALL WEEK LONG!!!**
 - Begin and follow training and conditioning program for scouts and leaders in preparation for High Adventure Trek.
- 30 Days before Troop Comes to Camp Hinds
- Finalize plans, shake-down equipment, leadership, and transportation for week at camp
 - Make final payments to PTC (bring receipts to camp)
 - Review Merit Badge sign-up forms for all Scouts
 - Collect and review BSA Health Forms for accuracy and completeness.
 - Prepare gear for Wednesday Cookout meal in campsite
 - Arrange for emergency funds for camp (extra money – just in case)
- AT LEAST TWO WEEKS PRIOR TO ARRIVAL TO CAMP HINDS
- Mail photocopies of all BSA Health Forms and Advancement Registration materials to Camp Hinds. **MAIL FORMS DIRECTLY TO CAMP HINDS:**

**CAMP HINDS
146 PLAINS RD.
RAYMOND, ME 04071**

DO NOT SEND FORMS TO PINE TREE COUNCIL, SEND THEM TO CAMP HINDS!

- Sunday at Camp
- WELCOME! Scoutmasters and SPL's attend the orientation meeting – **1 PM at the TABOR RETREAT. Bring 2 copies of Troop Roster.**

GATES INTO CAMP OPEN AT 2 PM.

NO SCOUTS, LEADERS, VEHICLES, OR EQUIPMENT WILL BE ALLOWED TO ENTER THEIR CAMPSITES BEFORE THIS TIME!!
STAFF PARKING ATTENDANTS WILL BE AROUND TO ASSIST TROOPS