Summer Camp Program Guide





ear Parents, Leaders and Scouts:
Welcome to the 1999 camping season of the Pine Tree Council.

Inside this Program Guide you will find information about Boy Scout camping at Camp Hinds and Camp Bomazeen, Cub Scout Day Camp in your district, Webelos Resident Camp at Camp Bomazeen and our new High Adventure programs offered through Northeast Challenge Trek at Camp Bomazeen.

The Pine Tree Council's Camping Department is committed to providing the best programs and facilities possible to support the year-round programs of Cub Scout Packs, Boy Scout Troops, Explorer Posts, and Venture Crews. We believe that our camping programs can deliver one of the best and most memorable Scouting experi-

ences to our youth members. Summer camp is the place where the Scouting program truly comes alive for boys and girls, offering them program opportunities that they might never get elsewhere.

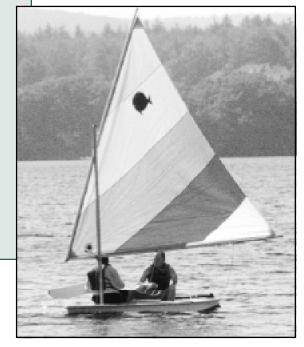
Please use the enclosed forms to register for any of our exciting programs in 1999. Also, save this Program Guide as it will be useful throughout the year.

Thank You!

Pine Tree Council's Camping Department

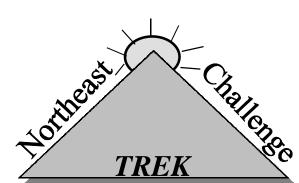
















Boy Scout Camping

Camp Hinds

For over 70 years, Scouts from around the

nation have enjoyed their summer camp

experience at Camp William Hinds on Panther Pond in Raymond, Maine.

The program at Camp Hinds is geared

for first-year campers as well as older

Scouts who want to try COPE (ropes

course), waterskiing, and mountain

biking. This year Camp Hinds offers

seven weeks of Boy Scout camping

with two Trail to Eagle weeks (see

summer – we want to make it the best summer camping experience

yet!

1999 dates on this page). Our staff at Camp Hinds is eager to serve you this



1999 Boy Scout Camp Fees

- \$165 per week for Pine Tree Council Scouts
- \$190 per week for provisional campers
- \$190 per week for out-of-council Scouts
- \$190 per week for Trail to Eagle (provisional)

1999 DATES - Camp Hinds

July 4 - July 9 Week 1 (Includes Trail to Eagle)
July 11 - July 16 Week 2
July 18 - July 23 Week 3
July 25 - July 30 Week 4
Aug. 1 - Aug. 6 Week 5
Aug. 8 - Aug. 13 Week 6
Aug. 15 - Aug. 20 Week 7 (Includes Trail to Eagle)

Discount: Deduct \$20 from above fee if total camp fee is paid in full by June 1, 1999.

Reservation Policy: To reserve for either Camp Hinds or Camp Bomazeen in 1999, the reservation fee is \$10 per Scout attending camp with his troop.

An additional \$25 per Scout is due on April 1, 1999.

Adult Leader Fees: Two adult leaders go free with the first eight boys. One additional adult goes free for each additional eight boys. Extra adult leaders are charged \$60 per week.

Camperships

Limited financial assistance may be available on an individual basis for Scouts who could not go to camp without this assistance. Individual campership applications must be submitted and approved by the unit leader and the Pine Tree Council's Camping Committee.

If you would like a campership application, ask your Scoutmaster or call the Pine Tree Council Service Center at 797-5252.

Campership application deadline is May 20, 1999.

Camp Bomazeen

Camp Bomazeen on Great Pond in Belgrade, Maine hosts a variety of outdoor programs in 1999. Our traditional Boy Scout camp program will be offered during three weeks in July (see 1999 dates on this page). Also, the Pine Tree Council is pleased to announce the creation of



Northeast Challenge Trek, our new high adventure program based at Camp Bomazeen. This older boy program (13 and older) offers sea kayaking, mountain biking, COPE (ropes course) as well as other exciting

High Adventure activities.
See the next page for more information on Northeast Challenge Trek and its great program offerings.



We look forward to your visit at Camp Bomazeen this summer!

1999 DATES - Camp Bomazeen

July 11 - July 16 Week 1 (Includes high adventure treks)
July 18 - July 23 Week 2 (Includes high adventure treks)
July 25 - July 30 Week 3 (Includes high adventure treks)

BOY SCOUT CAMPING REGISTRATION FORM

(For TROOP USE - for individual (provisional) registration form, see insert.)

Troop #:	Town:
District:	Council:
Scoutmaster:	
Address:	
City:	State/Zip:
Telephone (H):	Telephone (W):
Camp Leader (if different f	om Scoutmaster):
Address:	
City:	State/Zip:
Telephone (H):	Telephone (W):

CAMP HINDS		CAMP BOMAZEEN		FEE SCHEDULE			
Check Camp(s	s) Dates	Session	Check Camp(s)	Dates	Session	Camp Fee	Early Bird Fee
	July 4 - 9	WK 1		July 11 - 16	WK 1	\$165.00	\$145 if paid by June 1
	July 11 - 16	WK 2		July 18 - 23	WK 2	\$165.00	\$145 if paid by June 1
	July 18 - 23	WK 3		July 25 - 30	WK 3	\$165.00	\$145 if paid by June 1
	July 25 - 30	WK 4				\$165.00	\$145 if paid by June 1
	August 1 - 6	WK 5				\$165.00	\$145 if paid by June 1
	August 8 - 13	3 WK 6				\$165.00	\$145 if paid by June 1
	August 15 - 2	20 WK 7				\$165.00	\$145 if paid by June 1

PREFERRED SITES: (LIST 3)					
1)	2)	3)			
Approximate number of attendees:	Scouts	Adults			

Site Reservation Deposit of \$10 per Scout is required.

Medical Form: All participants must use the Medical Form on pages 34 & 35 of the 1998-99 Pine Tree Council Planning Calendar. Adult leaders over 40 years old must use the Medical Form on page 37 of the Planning Calendar.



Announcing Northeast Challenge Trek



This Summer...

Give your young people the adventure they deserve!

<u>Sea Kayaking</u> - Sunday and Monday will be devoted to paddling strokes and special equipment usage. Rescue skills and kayak loading will also be covered. Participants will travel to the Maine coast on Tuesday morning where they will launch at the mouth of the Kennebec River. The group will explore the coastal environment from our island base. Friday, the group will return to camp for clean-up and closing celebration.

<u>Mountain Biking</u>- Sunday, participants will learn bike handling skills on the Camp Bomazeen mountain bike obstacle course. The evening will be devoted to learning bike maintenance and viewing technique videos. Monday, the group will be transported to a nearby riding area where they will hone their riding and map skills. The next few days will be based out of a remote campsite where the rides will be determined by the skills and enthusiasm of the group.

Rock Climbing- Sunday night and Monday morning will be spent in "ground school", learning the skills necessary to become a safe rock climber. Monday, the group will be transported to a remote climbing site that will challenge their skills. There will be both climbing and rappelling and the participants will learn skills so they can be an asset to their troop's climbing program. The Rock Climbing merit badge will be offered.

<u>Wilderness Canoe Expeditions</u> - Participants will arrive at camp on Sunday afternoon and begin preparing for their expedition with swim checks and itinerary planning. The group will go out on Great Pond for a practice paddle to tune up their boat handling skills. Sunday evening will be spent in final packing. Monday morning we will be up early, and out to the lakes and rivers for a week on the water.

Fact Sheets are available for all programs

The Pine Tree Council, Boy Scouts of America, announces the launch of Northeast Challenge Trek for the summer of 1999.

Last Summer, the Council piloted a Sea Kayaking trip which met with overwhelming success. Using this trip's success as a springboard, the Pine Tree Council will offer a complete slate of adventures this coming summer.

Trek Facts:

- ◆Based out of Camp Bomazeen in Belgrade, Maine.
- ◆Young men and women aged 13- 18 years old.
- Adults also welcomed.
- ◆Adult guides will be provided by Northeast Challenge Trek.
- ◆Keep older youth interested in your group's activities.

For the summer of 1999, Northeast Challenge Trek offers:

Sea Kayaking Mountain Biking Rock Climbing Wilderness Canoe Expeditions

Guide to Boy Scout Camping

Ways to Attend Camp

TROOP CAMPING

Most Scout Troops go to summer camp with their own leadership. This is the best way for Scouts to attend summer camp.

PROVISIONAL CAMPING

A provisional camper is a Boy Scout who goes to summer camp as an individual without his troop. In this case, leadership is provided by the Pine Tree Council's camp staff.

Medical Supervision

Medical supervision at camp is under the direction of a licensed physician. A resident health officer is on duty at all times to handle minor injuries. If the injury or illness is serious, the person is brought to a local health care facility. The camps have agreements with local health care facilities for such emergencies. Any dietary or health restrictions must be reported to the camp office one week prior to arrival at camp.

Refund Policy

Individuals or groups that cancel a program reservation 30 day prior to the date of the event will receive a refund of fees paid less 15% administrative charge. No refunds will be made after the 30 day cancellation period.

Handicapped Information

If you have any needs that require special attention, auxiliary aids or any reasonable accommodations, please let us know at least two weeks prior to arrival at camp.

Medical Forms

All Scouts attending camp must have a completed BSA medical form signed by a licensed physician within 36 months of his arrival at camp. The Health History section must be updated and signed every year. All leaders over 40 years old must have a completed BSA Class 3 medical form signed by a licensed physician within 12 months of their arrival at camp.

It is a regulation of the Boy Scouts of America that anyone who does not have a completed and signed medical form at check-in time on the first day of camp will not be allowed to remain in camp. No exceptions will be made.

Medical forms are in the Pine Tree Council's 1998-99 Planning Calendar on pages 34 to 37. Copies can be made at your discretion.

Trading Post

Each of our Boy Scout Camps has a Trading Post which

is like a general store. The Trading Posts offer handicraft items, candy, souvenirs, soda, stamps, T-shirts, patches, etc. The amount of money each Scout brings is an individual matter and should be determined by the Scout and his parents.



Suggested Equipment List

- ✓ Scout uniform
- ✓ Comfortable hiking shoes & sneakers
- ✓ Warm sweater or jacket
- ✓ Pajamas
- ✓ Underwear
- ✓ Socks
- ✓ Swimming trunks
- ✓ Long sleeve shirt(s)
- ✓ Shorts and hat
- √ Two (2) pairs long, tough pants
- ✓ Belt(s)
- ✓ Poncho or raincoat
- ✓ Toilet articles (soap, toothbrush & paste, etc.)
- ✓ Towels and washcloths
- ✓ Sleeping bag and pillow
- ✓ Waterproof ground cloth or foam pad
- ✓ Backpack, duffel bag, or foot locker
- ✓ Fork, spoon, plastic cup & canteen
- ✓ Mess kit
- ✓ Camera
- ✓ Fishing gear
- ✓ Mosquito repellent (non-aerosol)
- ✓ Matches
- ✓ Watch
- ✓ Pocket knife
- ✓ Flashlight with extra batteries
- ✓ Pencil and/or pen and notebook
- ✓ Medical Form
- ✓ Scout Handbook

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Cub Scout Day Camp



Our highly successful and popular Cub Scout Day Camps are open to all Cub Scouts that are entering second, third, fourth or fifth grade in September. Cub Scouts experience a variety of activities during the day at camp such as crafts, games, nature hikes, swimming (where available), archery, BB range, team sports, and opening and closing ceremonies.

Campers bring their own lunch, swimsuit, towel, and spending money to use in the Trading Post. Cub Scout Day Camp operates from 9:00 am to approximately 4:00 pm.

This year's theme for Cub Scout Day Camp is Safari Adventures! We hope your Cub Scout and his friends will join us at Day Camp this year.

1999 Day Camp Dates

July 6 - July 10 K Valley - Camp Bomazeen - Includes family camping on Friday and Saturday

July 12 - July 16 Casco Bay - Mackworth Island

July 19 - July 23 Casco Bay - Camp Hinds

July 12 - July 16 Downeast - Wiscasset (Eaton Farm)

July 19 - July 23 Downeast - Union Fair Grounds

July 12 - July 16 York - Camp Nutter

July 19 - July 23 York - Camp Nutter

July 26 - July 30 K Valley - Titcomb Mountain, Farmington

July 26 - July 30 Abnaki (Rumford or Bethel area)

Aug. 2 - Aug. 6...... Abnaki - Camp Gustin

Day Camp fees:

\$70 per week

\$65 per week if paid in full by June 1, 1999

To apply, use Cub Scout Day Camp Registration Form inside this program booklet.

Webelos Resident Camp

Webelos Resident Camp is a week long overnight camping experience from Sunday afternoon to Friday evening and is held at Camp Bomazeen in Belgrade. Boys entering the fourth or fifth grade in September are eligible to attend.

Our program is constantly updated to provide a dynamite camping experience for our Webelos. Scouts can register for this camp individually, which is referred to as provisional camping, or with their Webelos Den. Boys from the same pack stay together in the same campsite. At camp the Scouts sleep in our platform tents on cots with mattresses. All meals are served from our dining hall.

The theme for this summer's Webelos
Resident Camp is Safari Adventures and
many of our special program areas will
feature this theme. At camp, the Scouts
have daily activities relating to different
Webelos Activity Badges that can be earned.

Some of the daily events are: Canoeing, rowing, nature, crafts, Scoutcraft, BB range, archery, sports, ecology, swimming, Swamp Romp, and evening campfires.

To apply, use Webelos Resident Camp Registration Form inside this program booklet.

1999 Webelos Resident Camp

Aug. 1 - Aug. 6...... Camp Bomazeen - Webelos Week 1 Aug. 8 - Aug. 13..... Camp Bomazeen - Webelos Week 2

Webelos Resident Camp fees:

Pack reservation information:

\$165 per week for Webelos with pack leadership

- The reservation fee is \$10 per Webelos attending camp with Pack.
- Additional \$25 per Webelos fee is due on April 1, 1999.

Provisional registration information:

\$190 per week when registering as a provisional (individual) camper.

Early Bird Discount: Deduct \$20 from above fees if total camp fee is paid in full by June 1, 1999.



Funpack Weekends

There is no better way to enjoy the outdoor program of Cub Scouting than to attend one of our popular Funpack Weekends. Each weekend offers a great opportunity to experience the excitement of overnight camping with your son.

A GREAT PACK ACTIVITY!

Our purpose for the Funpack Weekend is to provide an environment to strengthen the family relationship and introduce you to the fun and adventure of camping. Most Cub Scout Packs choose a particular weekend or weekends to attend and register together as a pack.

Cub Scouts and their parent or guardian can camp at one of the Pine Tree Council's four camping properties. At Camp Hinds and Camp Bomazeen you will sleep in our platform tents on a cot with mattress. At Camp Nutter and Camp Gustin you will experience a more wilderness camping experience by providing your own camping equipment and stay in smaller tent sites. The pack is responsible for food and cooking at all Funpack Weekends; however, most packs find that this can be a very fun activity in itself.

During the day you can experience these exciting activities: swimming, crafts, archery, BB range, sports, boating (where available), nature hikes, and games.

The Funpack Weekend fee is \$18 per person.

1999 Funpack Weekend Dates

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July 10 & 1	1	Camp	Hinds	
July 17 & 1	8	Camp	Hinds	
July 17 & 1	8	Camp	Bomazee	n
July 24 & 2	5	Camp	Hinds	
July 24 & 2	5	Camp	Bomazee	n
July 31 & A	ug 1	Camp	Hinds	
August 7 &	. 8	Camp	Nutter	
August 7 &	8	Camp	Gustin	





Summer Camp Registration Forms

Please use the appropriate reservation form(s) for the camp your Scout(s) plans to attend. The registration form for Camp Hinds and Camp Bomazeen is on page 2 of this flyer.

PROVISIONAL and TRAIL TO EAGLE BOY SCOUT CAMPING REGISTRATION FORM

(For individual Boy Scouts and "Trail to Eagle" participants – camp provides leadership)

Scout's Name:	Age as of June 1st:
Street Address:	
Town:	State/Zip:
Parent's Day Phone:	Night Phone:
Grade in September:	Troop #:
Parent's Name:	

HINDS PROVISIONAL and TRAIL TO EAGLE CAMP

Check				
Camp(s)	Dates	Session	Camp Fee	Early Bird Fee
	July 4 - 9	WK 1	\$190.00	\$170 if paid by June 1
	July 4 - 9	Trail to Eagle	\$190.00	\$170 if paid by June 1
	July 11 - 16	WK 2	\$190.00	\$170 if paid by June 1
	July 18 - 23	WK 3	\$190.00	\$170 if paid by June 1
	July 25 - 30	WK 4	\$190.00	\$170 if paid by June 1
	August 1 - 6	WK 5	\$190.00	\$170 if paid by June 1
	August 8 - 13	WK 6	\$190.00	\$170 if paid by June 1
	August 15 - 20	WK 7	\$190.00	\$170 if paid by June 1
	August 15 – 20	Trail to Eagle	\$190.00	\$170 if paid by June 1

TOTAL HINDS CAMP FEE

BOMAZEEN PROVISIONAL CAMP

Check				
Camp	(s) Dates	Session	Camp Fee	Early Bird Fee
	July 11 - 16	WK 1	\$190.00	\$170 if paid by June 1
	July 18 - 23	WK 2	\$190.00	\$170 if paid by June 1
	July 25 - 30	WK 3	\$190.00	\$170 if paid by June 1

TOTAL BOMAZEEN CAMP FEE

Medical Form: All participants must use the Medical Form on pages 34 & 35 of the 1998-99 Pine Tree Council Planning Calendar.

For Troop Reservation Form, see page 2.

Please mail these forms and appropriate fees to Pine Tree Council, 125 Auburn Street, Portland, ME 04103

FUNPACK WEEKEND REGISTRATION FORM

Pack #: Town:			
District:			
Cubmaster:			
Address:			
City:	State/Zip:		
Telephone (H):	Telephone (W):		
Camp Leader (if different from Cubmaster):			
Address:			
City:	State/Zip:	·	
Telephone (H):	Telephone (W):		

FUNPACK WEEKEND

Check					
Camp(s)	Dates	Location	# Of Scouts	# Of Adults	Camp Fee
	July 10 & 11	Camp Hinds			\$18 per person
	July 17 & 18	Camp Hinds			\$18 per person
	July 17 & 18	Camp Bomazeen			\$18 per person
	July 24 & 25	Camp Hinds			\$18 per person
	July 24 & 25	Camp Bomazeen			\$18 per person
	July 31 & August 1	Camp Hinds			\$18 per person
	August 7 & 8	Camp Nutter			\$18 per person
	August 7 & 8	Camp Gustin			\$18 per person
Totals					

Attendees: Scouts ____ + Adults ___ = Total # of attendees ____ X \$18 per person = \$ ____

(Total Funpack Weekend Fee)

Medical Form: All participants (including adults) must use the Medical Form on page 36 of the 1998-99 Pine Tree Council Planning Calendar.

CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP REGISTRATION FORM

Scout's Name.		Age as of June 1st.	
Street Address:			
Town:		State/Zip:	
Parent's Day Phone:		Night Phone:	
Grade in September: Pack #:	Rank:	T-Shirt Size:	
Parent's Name:			
Parent Staff Volunteer (circle one):	YES	NO	
Camp Director's Approval Obtained (circle one);	YES	NO	
Staff's Child Day Camp T-Shirt and Patch Foo:	\$10.00		

DAY CAMP

Check					
Camp(s)	Dates	District	Location	Camp Fee	Early Bird Fee
	July 6 - 10	KV	Camp Bomazeen	\$70.00	\$65 if paid by June 1
	July 12 - 16	СВ	Mackworth Island	\$70.00	\$65 if paid by June 1
	July 12 - 16	DE	Wiscasset (Eaton Farm)	\$70.00	\$65 if paid by June 1
	July 12 - 16	YK	Camp Nutter	\$70.00	\$65 if paid by June 1
	July 19 - 23	DE	Union Fair Grounds	\$70.00	\$65 if paid by June 1
	July 19 - 23	YK	Camp Nutter	\$70.00	\$65 if paid by June 1
	July 19 - 23	СВ	Camp Hinds	\$70.00	\$65 if paid by June 1
	July 26 - 30	KV	Titcomb Mt., Farmington	\$70.00	\$65 if paid by June 1
	July 26 - 30	AB	Rumford or Bethel Area	\$70.00	\$65 if paid by June 1
	August 2 - 6	AB	Camp Gustin	\$70.00	\$65 if paid by June 1

TOTAL DAY CAMP FEE _____

Medical Form: All participants must use the Medical Form on page 36 of the 1998-99 Pine Tree Council Planning Calendar.

WEBELOS PACK RESIDENT CAMP REGISTRATION FORM

(Pack must provide appropriate leadership)

Pack #: Town:
District:

Webelos Leader:
Address:
City: State/Zip:
Telephone (H): Telephone (W):

Check Camp(s)	Dates	Location	Camp Fee	Early Bird Fee	
	August 1-6	Camp Bomazeen	\$165.00	\$145.00 if paid by June 1	
	August 8 -13	Camp Bomazeen	\$165.00	\$145.00 if paid by June 1	
		TOTAL WEBELOS FEE			

Site reservation deposit of \$10 per Scout is required. Two adult leaders per eight Scouts are free. For each additional eight Scouts, 1 adult leader is free. \$60.00 per additional adult leader.

Medical Form: All participants must use the Medical Form on pages 34 & 35 of the 1998-99 Pine Tree Council Planning Calendar. Adult leaders over 40 years old must use the Medical Form on page 37 of the Planning Calendar.

PROVISIONAL WEBELOS CAMP REGISTRATION FORM

(For individual Webelos – camp provides leadership)

Scout's Name: Age as of June 1st:

Street Address:

Town: State/Zip:

Parent's Day Phone: Night Phone:

Grade in September: Pack #: Rank:

Parent's Name:

Check Camp(s)	Dates	Location	Camp Fee	Early Bird Fee
۵	August 1-6	Camp Bomazeen	\$190.00	\$170.00 if paid by June 1
۵	August 8 -13	Camp Bomazeen	\$190.00	\$170.00 if paid by June 1

TOTAL PROVISIONAL WEBELOS FEE

Medical Form: All participants must use the Medical Form on pages 34 & 35 of the 1998-99 Pine Tree Council Planning Calendar.