

# Camp Daniel Boone Parents

## Information

*Scoutmasters: please forward this information to the parents of your scouts. It is a valuable tool in helping them prepare for their son's summer camp adventure.*

At Camp Daniel Boone, we strive to provide an excellent program for your scouts, whatever their age or interest. We offer a large variety of merit badges, high adventure treks special programming and an excellent staff to guide your son through his week at camp.

### Merit Badge Classes

Registration for all classes are completed online by your troop. The complete leaders guide has information about specific costs associated with each of the merit badges. While most classes are covered in the registration fee, some have additional costs. Please check the leaders guide to assure the classes you choose are financially covered.

### Provisional Scouts

Provisional scouts are scouts that attend camp without their troop and are welcome at Camp Daniel Boone. Provisional scouts will be assigned to a troop upon arrival. The provisional scout must be responsible to comply with troop guidelines and accept responsibility for his own conduct. Provisional scouts unwilling to comply with troop guidelines will be counseled as needed. Continued noncompliance or intentional rule breaking will result in immediate dismissal from camp at parent expense.

### Medical Forms

- Every youth and adult must have a completed current BSA Medical Form signed by a physician within the past 12 months, regardless of program (Parts A, B & C).
- This form may be found at: [http://www.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-001\\_ABC.pdf](http://www.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-001_ABC.pdf)
- No other medical forms are accepted. All medical forms are turned in upon arrival at camp and maintained at the health lodge during your stay.
- Make sure that the form is filled out completely, including attaching copies of insurance cards and dates of immunizations.
- On arrival in camp, everyone is given a medical screening by a physician, health officer, or other adult approved by the camp physician.

### Special Diets

Camp Daniel Boone diligently accommodates special dietary needs. There are regular options for vegan or vegetarian lifestyle preferences. For other special dietary needs (gluten, casein, dairy, enzymes, eggs, or other situations), medical documentation is required. A letter from the physician outlining specific concerns will suffice. Please provide this information well in advance of your visit so we can prepare. If you wish to

communicate directly with the kitchen team, you may do so via email [specialneeds4cdb@gmail.com](mailto:specialneeds4cdb@gmail.com). Be sure to

include your troop number and week attending. Once summer camp begins, it is best to call the dining hall (828.235.2776).

Camp Daniel Boone is a nut free facility in that no menu items contain nuts specifically, although there may be prepackaged cookies or other foods that are processed in facilities that also process nuts. We will gladly check labels as needed and encourage your scout to do the same.

## Refunds

All fees are refundable until **May 15, 2019**, less the \$220.00 deposit. After May 15th, fees are transferable to another member of this year's trip, but not refundable. **Trip cancellation insurance is available** through several insurance carriers. This insurance will cover all expenses of your trip including fees paid to the troop in addition to the camp fee, with no deductible. **The purchase of trip cancellation insurance is the responsibility of each individual participant. No refunds or exceptions will be made due to failure to purchase trip cancellation insurance.**

One option for obtaining trip cancellation insurance is Seven Corners Insurance at

**<https://www.sevencorners.com/insurance/HWKQTS4>**

**SCOUTMASTERS are expected to communicate the above information to all families of attending scouts/leaders. Refunds are not given in situations where insurance would have covered the expense. Please ask your Scoutmaster about this.**

## Wednesday Family Night

Each Wednesday night we will be playing good-ole mountain music and have activities out on the lawn. All parents and family members are invited to camp for a great time, and to enjoy fellowship with their scouts. Dinner for guests cost \$5, tickets can be purchased in the trading post. Vespers is held at 8:00PM. Guests are encouraged to stay for a flag retirement campfire immediately following Vespers. If you have flags you would like to see retired please bring those with you and turn in to the program office by noon Tuesday.

All camp visitors, including those attending Family Night, are required to check in at the camp office (the building behind the flag pole) upon arrival.

## **Additional Information**

Some merit badges require kits to complete. These kits can be purchased at the Trading Post for a variety of prices. The average scout spends \$65 - \$85 in the trading post between merit badge supplies, souvenirs etc.. Additional information about Camp Daniel Boone can be found in your Scoutmaster's Leader's Guidebook or online at [www.campdanielboone.org](http://www.campdanielboone.org).

Boonesboro Village has a separate trading post which is cash only. Some knives sold at the village require an adult present to approve the purchase. You must be 18 to purchase a sheath knife. Scouts must present their Totin chip to purchase a folding knife. Axes and Tomahawks are sold to Totin chip holders ages 16 and up, or to younger scouts with personal adult endorsement. Troop leaders have authority to determine what, if any, knife sales are allowed for their unit.

## **Contact Us**

### **Phone Listings:**

Council Office ----- 800.526.6708  
Call the council office for all inquiries between August and May

Camp Daniel Boone  
Only call camp during June and July  
Camp Office ----- 828.648.0435 (8:30a - 8:00p )  
Camp Ranger ----- 828.648.6770 (10:00p - 8:30a)  
EMERGENCIES ONLY Camp Health Lodge 828.648.0442

Phone Calls: Due to the number of scouts in camp every week, we request that only EMERGENCY calls be made to Camp Daniel Boone. In the case of a family emergency, CDB staff will deliver a message to that scout immediately. All other messages received by camp will be passed on to that troop's Scoutmaster. Cellular phones do not receive reception here in the mountains.

### **Mailing Information:**

Scouts may receive mail while at camp, please address letters and packages as follows:

Scout's Name Troop # Week #  
Camp Daniel Boone  
3647 Little East Fork Road  
Canton, NC 28716

All letters received at camp must have the Scout's correct Troop number in order to ensure delivery. Also, please include a return address on any mail that will come into camp so that it may be returned to sender if not picked up at the end of the week. Due to our remote location, mail sent to camp can take up to four days to arrive.

Camp Daniel Boone recommends that any correspondence intended for Scouts be sent prior to Wednesday.

### 2019 Special Needs Request Form

The Daniel Boone Council will do everything in its power to accommodate participants with Special needs. Please complete this form and submit it by May 15, 2019.

Unit Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Council / District: \_\_\_\_\_ Week Attending Camp:

5. Does anyone in your unit have a physical need that limits mobility? Please provide details below:

6. Does anyone in your unit have special equipment needs? (Access to electricity, etc.) Please explain below:

\_\_\_\_\_ CPAP Battery

7. Do any of your unit members have special dietary concerns?

\_\_\_\_\_ vegan                      \_\_\_\_\_ vegetarian

\_\_\_\_\_ Other allergies/restrictions. Attach medical documentation.

8. Please list any other special needs below:

Person to contact if we have questions:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: