

Pack 453 Camping Rules and Regulations

1. If you sign up for a trip you are financially responsible for that trip. If an emergency comes up and you are not able to attend, you must find someone within the pack to fill your spot.
2. Do not leave the outing until the full campsite has been broken down, inspected for garbage and cleanliness, and the campfire ashes are completely cool. Cub Scouts and eventually Boy Scouts are teaching the boys the ethics of the Outdoor Code and how to preserve and respect nature.
3. If you have a specialty item you would like to bring (ex. telescope) let the trip coordinator know ahead of time so they can work it into the schedule ahead of time. Be prepared to have it touched by many small hands.
4. RV's are ok to bring on campouts (as long as there is enough room). Please be sure to check with the trip coordinator to make sure there is enough space available. If it is limited space, it will be first come first served. Also remember that eventually when they do reach Boy Scouts, RV's aren't allowed and they will need to be comfortable sleeping in tents, so it is better to get them used to that sooner rather than later and in a more comfortable environment with a parent present.
5. There is no alcohol allowed on any pack event.
6. Firearms, BB guns, bow and arrows, crossbows, etc. are prohibited from any outing.
7. All pocket knives must be able to close and not have a blade longer than 5 inches. Sheath knives are prohibited. If your son has earned his whittling chip (bear+), he may practice his skills under your supervision away from the other scouts.
8. The campfire may only be started and maintained by the trip coordinator, Cubmaster, and Assistant Cubmaster. Please do not feed the fire and make sure to monitor all youth near the fire that they do not throw anything into the fire.
9. Please supervise all youth at all times, do not send any children off on their own to explore. If for some reason you need to go with the children, we are always operating under two deep leadership, meaning that a minimum of two adults must accompany the children.
10. Please follow the cooking and cleaning schedules when they are posted (each campout varies).
11. Any and all injuries need to be reported to the pack coordinator, Cubmaster, and any other pack leaders.
12. Per most rules of almost all of the Campgrounds we go to, there is no wood gathering for the campfire.
13. If you witness any stick play amongst the boys, please diffuse it immediately.

****Please remember that the Pack Leaders are not here to serve you, they are here with their families just as you are, and to make sure that you do your part to share in the duties of the trip. We are a family based pack, and each family is expected to do their share to make sure that the trip runs as smoothly as possible.

Attending Families Signature _____

Camping Trip _____