



**BERT ADAMS**  
SCOUT CAMP

**2017 Winter Camp  
Program Guide**



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Dear Scouts and Scouters:

Welcome to the 2017 winter adventure of the Atlanta Area Council. We are excited to have you as a part of our 6th annual Winter Camp program and have a tremendous facility available for you and your Troop.

Winter camp is a true adventure! Scouts will enjoy the beauty of Georgia's piedmont, experience special winter camp programs, and have the opportunity to earn merit badges and work on Scouting advancements. We have added a Rawhide experience to the program for our younger Scouts that need help advancing in their ranks.

We are very proud of our Camp Staff: the best of the Woodruff and Bert Adams summer camp staff. The exceptional quality of our staff, programs, and facilities will exceed your expectations!

Winter Camp is a unique Scouting experience. Please take time to read this guide from cover to cover, absorb all of the information in it, and share it with your adult and junior leaders. We are planning the highest quality experience that we will continue for many years. Please take time to prepare for your winter adventure.

If you have any questions, special needs, or comments please feel free to contact us. We will be happy to work with your Troop in any way we can. We are excited to host you at the Bert Adams Scout Camp this winter, in true Atlanta Area Council style.

Yours in Scouting,

George Snipes  
Council Senior Program Director

## PLANNING INFORMATION

### Winter Camp Details:

DATE: Tuesday December 27-Saturday, December 31, 2017

LOCATION: Bert Adams Scout Camp  
218 Scout Road  
Covington, Georgia 30016

RESERVATION DEPOSIT: \$100 per unit

CAMP FEES: The basic camp fee includes campsite with platform tents and cots, toilet and shower facilities, eleven meals, and basic program supplies.

Participant Type	Camp Fees
Youth paid in full by December 15	\$180
Adult paid in full by December 15	\$80

Each unit receives 2 adults registrations for free with 5 registered Scouts!

\$5 per person late fee for complete payments made after December 15, 2017.

The deposit will be counted toward fees. \$50 per Scout is due November 1, 2017. 100% of fees is due by December 15, 2017.

### Reservation Information:

**Make a reservation by visiting [www.AtlantaBSA.org/WinterCamp](http://www.AtlantaBSA.org/WinterCamp)** to complete the online registration form and make your deposit of \$100. Reservation must also include a projected number of male adults, female adults, and male youth attending. Final participant numbers must be finalized by December 15. Any “no-show” based on the December 15 numbers will be assessed a \$100 penalty each.

Specific requests for campsites will be accepted, but can not be guaranteed. Units that are paid in full first will receive priority campsite assignments. If you bring more individuals than your December 15th count, please bring tents to accommodate them. Some campsites may have more than one unit assigned to them.

All campsites have water, electricity availability, and toilet facilities. No extension cords are allowed due to the hazard of tripping or shock. Camping will be conducted in the Adventure Camp, unless Troops make their own tentage arrangements.

Reservation assistance is available by calling 770-956-5687 or emailing [BertAdams@atlantabsa.org](mailto:BertAdams@atlantabsa.org)

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### When You Arrive

Check-In will be held on December 27th from 1:00-3:00pm. All camp facilities will be closed until 1:00pm; the camp gate will be unlocked at 12:00pm for units that arrive early.

1. Your unit will be greeted upon arrival at the camp and met by the Camp Commissioner. Pre-camp health status questionnaires must be turned in immediately (available on [www.AtlantaBSA.org/WinterCamp](http://www.AtlantaBSA.org/WinterCamp)) and the arrival health screening will be performed by a staff member.
2. One adult leader will remain to complete the check-in process. Your camp staff guide, youth, and all other adult leaders will begin their camp tour and proceed to the campsite. Before entering the campsite an inspection must be completed and Campsite Inventory Form completed and signed. The camp tour includes a brief history of camp, visits to program areas, and a dining hall orientation. We ask that adult leaders participate in this tour with the youth.
3. The adult completing check-in will meet with the medical officer to turn-in and review medical forms and medications. This adult will also reconcile the unit's account with the camp and pay any outstanding fees. The Scouts and Leaders medical insurance information will be required at this time. Before being cleared to officially enter camp this leader will receive a program packet and has the opportunity to make schedule changes.
4. An adult leader orientation will be held following dinner in the Loebler Room. A Senior Patrol Leader orientation will be held following dinner in the dining hall. These sessions will include a review of the schedule and program areas. One representative from every unit is required.

### Checking-Out

Check-Out is on December 31st. All camp facilities will be closed at 9:00 am; all Troops must be out of camp by this time.

1. Staff guides will be dispatched to your campsite immediately following breakfast to assist with check-out. They will inspect campsites in preparation for departure.
2. All trash must be removed from the campsite to the dumpster.
3. After campsite inspection is complete, an adult leader must report to the camp office to check-out and pick-up all medical forms. Medical forms left at camp will be shredded at 9:30am on the day of departure.

### Camp Registration & Class Schedule Registration

All camp registration, payments, and class scheduling will be completed online through the link at [www.AtlantaBSA.org/WinterCamp](http://www.AtlantaBSA.org/WinterCamp). Additional assistance with any portion of camp registration is available at 770-956-5687 or [Veronica.Bramlett@scouting.org](mailto:Veronica.Bramlett@scouting.org).

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### Provisional Scouts

Scouts may attend winter camp on an individual basis as Provisional Scouts. Provisional Scouts will be provided with experienced adult leadership so that they can participate fully in the camp experience. Provisional Scouts must provide certification that they have accident/sickness insurance coverage. Provisional parent/son groups are also common. Sign-up for provisional Scouts must be done online using the link at [www.AtlantaBSA.org/WinterCamp](http://www.AtlantaBSA.org/WinterCamp).

If your Troop is willing to assist the provisional Scouts during camp, please let us know.

### Refunds

Any overpayment of camp fees will be documented at check-in to camp. A check for the overpayment, less any no-show fees, will be mailed from the Volunteer Service Center after camp is over. We are not permitted to issue refunds from camp.

### Registration and Insurance

In accordance with national policy, every Scout and Leader who attends Winter Camp must be registered with the Boy Scouts of America. Non- Atlanta Area Council Troops must provide proof that they have Troop and/or council accident/sickness insurance coverage. *Accident/Sickness insurance is not provided by the Bert Adams Scout Camp nor Atlanta Area Council for units visiting from other councils.*

### Patrol Method

All Troop camping is done in the "Patrol Method". It is the responsibility of each Troop's Senior Patrol Leader to organize and run the Troop. It is his job to ensure the campsite is ready for inspection each day, to post the duty roster and fire plan, to ensure the waiters' responsibilities are completed at each meal, and to attend the Senior Patrol Leader meetings. We expect the adult leaders to support the camp staff, guide their Troop's youth leadership, and enjoy themselves at camp!



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### **Medical Information**

Every person who attends camp must submit a completed and signed BSA medical form, including a physical examination according to the standards on the form (parts A, B, and C). Form must be current and complete. These forms are due at time of arrival at camp; do not mail medical forms to camp in advance. All medical forms must be turned in on the current Annual Health & Medical Record. Any individual who does not have a complete or correct medical form will be required to visit a physician for a physical before entering camp.

Review your youth and adult medical forms in advance of leaving for camp. Give special attention to dietary restrictions and prescribed medications, family history, and emergency contact information.

### **Pre-Camp Screenings:**

All units are required to complete a pre-camp health status questionnaire using our form. This form must be turned in immediately upon check-in and all Scouts with any symptoms of illness must be left at home.

### **Arrival Screenings:**

Upon arrival at camp, all units will be required to undergo a brief health screening. Individuals with a fever of 100 degrees or more, or symptomatic, will be quarantined.

### **Hospital or Doctor Visit:**

In the event that a Scout requires medical attention from a physician or the hospital the following procedure will be followed:

1. It is the responsibility of the unit leadership to provide transportation for members of their unit requiring non-emergency attention.
2. At least one adult leader from the unit will accompany the Scout requiring medical services and must obtain the Scout's medical form before leaving camp property. Two-deep leadership is required at all times.
3. Parents or guardians will be notified immediately by the Camp Director or unit leader of any serious illness or injury. Parents not at home while Scout is at camp must advise adult leaders of contact information in the case of emergency.
4. The Camp Health Officer must clear all cases requiring outside medical care.
5. The Troop is responsible for providing proof of insurance upon arrival at the doctor's office or hospital, or pay cash for services provided.

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### Pre-Camp Checklist

- \_\_\_\_\_ Review the Program Guide with the Patrol Leader's Council, Troop Committee, and Scoutmasters. Make notes and record any questions, then contact our camping representatives at 770-956-5687 or [BertAdams@atlantabsa.org](mailto:BertAdams@atlantabsa.org)
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ Ensure that all youth and adults complete the appropriate medical forms, collect them and review them. Do not mail medical forms to camp; bring them with you for check-in.
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Communication with Parents:**
  - \* Collect all camp fees.
  - \* Communicate time, place, and date of departure for camp and arrival home.
  - \* Communicate the camp's mailing address: 218 Scout Road, Covington, GA, 30016.
  - \* Communicate the camp's emergency contact number: 770-385-1565.
  - \* Give blank copy of medical form and deadline for them to be complete and returned.
  - \* Communicate directions to camp (or direct to website: [www.BertAdams.org](http://www.BertAdams.org))
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ \$50 per Scout payment due by November 1, 2017
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ 100% of Camp Fees due by December 15, 2017 (\$5-penalty for late payment).
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Troop Committee:**
  - \* Arrange for necessary adult leadership, minimum 2 adults at all times.
  - \* Arrange for necessary transportation to and from camp.
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Patrol Leader's Council:**
  - \* Develop a list of Troop and patrol equipment to take to camp.
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Individual Registration:**
  - \* Register each individual (Scout and adult) online at: [www.AtlantaBSA.org/WinterCamp](http://www.AtlantaBSA.org/WinterCamp)
  - \* Discuss class schedules individually with Scouts and preparations required prior to camp.
  - \* Register for classes online (opens on December 1, 2017).
  
- \_\_\_\_\_ **Going to Camp:**
  - \* Final review of checklist.
  - \* Collect and review medical forms for signatures and insurance information.
  - \* Complete Troop roster (2 copies) for check-in with unit insurance policy number.
  - \* Conduct pre-camp health status questionnaire.

## PLANNING INFORMATION

### What To Bring To Camp

#### Personal Gear

- Complete Scout Uniform
- Sweater and/or Jacket
- Swim Suit (Polar Bear Swim)
- Long pants and long sleeved shirts
- Scout related T-shirt (3 minimum)
- Raincoat or Poncho
- Hiking boots
- 3 Season Sleeping Bag and pillow
- Sweat pants
- Belt
- Socks (4 pair)
- Extra footwear
- Underwear/Long Underwear
- Gloves
- Hat

#### Toilet Articles

- Toothbrush and toothpaste
- Wash Cloth/Towels
- Soap and Shampoo
- Deodorant
- Comb/Brush
- Sunscreen

#### Patrol Gear

- Flags
- Patrol Leader's Handbook
- Patrol First Aid Kit
- Patrol Cook Kit

#### Advancement Materials

- Scout Handbook
- Notebook w/pens or pencils
- Merit Badge pamphlets
- Completed merit badge work
- BSA Requirement book
- Scout Fieldbook

#### Other Items

- Flashlight w/new batteries
- Pocketknife
- Spending money (\$60 average)
- Personal first aid kit
- Fishing gear
- Sunglasses
- Compass
- Camera and film
- OA Sash
- Canteen/water bottles
- Day pack
- Alarm clock

#### Troop Gear

- Firewood
- Portable Shelter with sides
- Water cooler
- Propane stove
- Silverware
- American and Troop flags
- Troop library
- Troop first aid kit
- Rope
- Shovel and other tools
- Coolers
- Lanterns

#### Leave At Home:

*Hunting & sheath knives*

*Fireworks*

*Firearms and ammunition*

**\*\*Focus on warm clothes & layers\*\***

**\*\*Average temperature range is**

**34°-55° F during each day\*\***



## GENERAL INFORMATION

### Camp Rules

As a Scouting facility, the foremost rules for personal and group behavior are the ideals found in Scouting:

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SCOUT OATH</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">On my honor, I will do my best To do my duty to God and my country, And to obey the Scout Law; To help other people at all times; To keep myself physically strong, mentally awake, and morally straight.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SCOUT LAW</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">A Scout is Trustworthy, Loyal, Helpful, Friendly Courteous, Kind, Obedient, Cheerful, Thrifty, Brave, Clean, and Reverent.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>OUTDOOR CODE</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;">As an American, I will do my best to Be clean in my outdoor manners, Be careful with fire, Be considerate in the outdoors, and Be conservation minded.</p>	

Beyond these ideals, the following rules are enforced at the Bert Adams Scout Camp:

- Fireworks are prohibited.
- Throwing rocks is forbidden.
- All cars must be parked in one of the camp parking lots; no parking in campsites.
- Alcoholic beverages and illegal substances are prohibited.
- Closed-toed shoes must be worn at all times. Sandals may only be worn at the water-front and at the showers.
- All campers and visitors must sign-in/sign-out at the camp office.
- Two-deep leadership is required at all times for youth. BSA Youth Protection guidelines must be practiced.
- No thru traffic in program areas or in Campsites other than your own.
- No running on trails, hills, or stairways.
- No one may ride in the back of a truck or trailer; seat belts must be worn by anyone in a moving vehicle.
- Speed limit in camp is 9 mph. Pedestrians always have the right of way.
- No extension cords are allowed.

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### Adult Leader & Senior Patrol Leader Meetings

An orientation meeting for Scoutmasters will be held after dinner on the 27th in the Loeble Room. An orientation meeting for Senior Patrol Leaders will be held in the dining hall at the same time special announcements concerning the camp, its policies and procedures, or any specific needs or questions about the camp operation will be covered at this meeting. It is important that every unit is represented.

A Senior Patrol Leader meeting will be held each day after lunch in the dining hall. A brief meeting concerning check-out will be held on the final evening of camp, directly following dinner, in the Loeble Room; this is for Scoutmasters and Senior Patrol Leaders.

### Transportation

Each Troop is responsible for safe transportation to and from camp and must meet the insurance requirements of the Boy Scouts of America found on the Tour Plan. Members of the Boy Scouts of America may not be transported at any time in the back of pickup trucks; members must wear seat belts at all times.

### Speed Limits

The speed limit in camp is 9 mph. Violation of this speed limit will result in dismissal from the Camp property.

### Vehicles in Camp

No personal vehicles are allowed past the parking lots. Troop trailers may be dropped in Troop campsites. Vehicles driving in Camp must turn on headlights and hazard lights. Scouts, adult leaders, and visitors are expected to park, walk, exercise, and enjoy the beauty of our camp.

### Leaving During Camp

Scouts and adults should have no reason to leave camp except for an emergency. If a Scout must leave camp for an emergency, they must be under the supervision of appropriate adult leadership. Please sign out at the camp office prior to leaving and upon return.

### Mail Service

Mail service to camp generally takes 2-5 days. Be sure to register and insure all packages. Leaders may pick up mail at the office just before dinner.

To write a Scout at camp, the address is:

**MAIL-** Troop # "Scout's Name"  
Bert Adams Scout Camp  
218 Scout Road  
Covington, Georgia 30016

**EMAIL-** BertAdams@live.com  
"Scout's Name", Troop # in Subject  
Do not send pictures or files.

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### Ammunition, Firearms, and Related Items

Personal weapons and ammunition are not allowed on the Bert Adams Scout Camp. No hunting arrows, ammunition, or rocket engines may be brought on the property.

### Fishing

Bert Adams Scout Camp follows a strict catch and release policy. No fishing license is required. The only exception is for Scouts working on the Fishing Merit Badge.

### Lost and Found

Lost and found items will be turned into the camp office. Leaders should encourage Scouts to mark their belongings with name and Troop number. Lost and found items will be kept for 1 week after collected, then donated to a local charity.

### Smoking

The Bert Adams Scout Camp is a tobacco-free facility. This includes vapor cigarettes. Adults may use tobacco in the secluded area behind the dining hall. Use of tobacco in any other area will result in dismissal from the property.

### Damage to Camp Facilities

All campsites and equipment will be inspected upon check-in and check-out. Any damages will be assessed by the camp management and paid in full prior to leaving camp. Damages may include lost or damaged equipment or defacing tents or buildings. Please conduct a thorough check-in inspection. Sample charges for damage are as follows:

#### Beds

Mattress Replacement (rips, cuts, writing)	\$155.00
Frame Replacement	\$305.00

#### Tents & Flies

Rips & Tears per inch	\$25.00
Writing on canvas per panel	\$50.00
Tent Replacement	\$785.00
Tent Fly Replacement	\$345.00

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### Phone Messages

Messages will be delivered to the Troop's mailbox. In the event of an emergency, we will attempt to hand deliver the message to an adult leader.

### Litter

"A Scout is Clean". Trash must be taken to the dumpster at the parking lot; there is no campsite trash service.

### Pets

All pets must be left at home. Pets of any type are not permitted; including those brought by parents or visitors. Registered service animals are the only animals allowed.

### Chemical Fuels Policy

For safety, knowledgeable adult supervision must be present when Scouts are involved in the use, handling, lighting, or storage of chemical fuels (liquids, jellies, or gas). All fuels must be stored in a locked container. Battery operated lanterns and flashlights should be used by all Scouts in camping activities. No fuel, lanterns, stoves, or candles are to be used in or near tents and camp structures.

### Emergency Procedures

The Camp has its own alarm system. It is important that everyone in camp be aware of the Camp system. Some emergency equipment is in each site. All Emergency Procedures will be covered in detail at the first leaders meeting.

### Uniform

The BSA field uniform is worn for evening flag ceremonies, dinner, and campfires. Activity uniforms are appropriate for the remainder of the day. Uniform must always be worn buttoned up and tucked in.

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### Dining Hall Operations

Meal Times: Breakfast-7:45am Lunch-12:15pm Dinner-6:00pm

Each Troop will be assigned tables on the day of arrival, during their camp tour. One waiter is needed for every 8 people. Waiters need to report to the dining hall 15 minutes prior to the meal. Leaders are asked to help supervise cleanup.

### Responsibilities of Waiters:

Table Waiters set each place setting with a napkin and silverware. Waiters also fill pitchers and set out any meal items. They also assist with the clean-up of the dining hall, restrooms, and serving hallway. After the meal, waiters must do the following:

1. Wipe off tables.
2. Sweep underneath tables and mop as necessary.

### Trays and Utensils:

The plastic trays, glasses, and metal utensils are to be placed in their appropriate dirty location. Scout leaders must provide supervision.

### Meals:

The menu for each meal has been planned and approved by a nutrition expert. We proudly include fresh fruit at every meal and vegetable options at each lunch and dinner.

A salad bar will be available for lunch and dinner at each meal which will include hot soups and peanut butter & jelly sandwiches.

Our healthy, delicious meals have plenty of vegetarian options. We can accommodate most dietary needs with advance notice. If you have more specific needs please get in touch with us well ahead of time to see if you need to bring some of your own items.



## Program Information

The next few pages contain information on our camp programs for Winter Camp. Our curriculum has been developed through a unique collaboration of Scoutmasters, summer camp staff, and our Council's Camping and Advancement committees. We are proud of the variety of programs we are able to offer, and with the highest quality found in Scouting!

Winter camping is primarily about fun! Too often, younger Scouts create an aggressive class schedule focused on advancement. Please work with your Scouts to help create appropriate schedules that mix advancement with adventure and fun.

Many of our programs have age-appropriate suggestions. We encourage you to use these guidelines when Scouts are creating their class schedules.

You will find that some of our class offerings include prerequisites. In some cases, a merit badge must already have been earned prior to summer camp. For example, in order to take Emergency Preparedness a Scout must already have earned First Aid. We do not permit Scouts to take these classes concurrently; the prerequisite must be complete before camp starts. Prerequisites listed in our program guide will not be covered in class. Scouts may bring proof of completion on these prerequisites to class for the instructor to review before or after class. Or, the Troop may review these items toward completion of the merit badge.

Please encourage your Scouts to take a variety of courses at camp! We believe that camp is about outdoor adventure and challenge; a Scout only enrolled in academic classes is missing out.

**The course guide that follows is tentative.** The updated version will appear on the website in time for online class scheduling. Our final offerings will be much more extensive than the description in this version of the program guide

Occasionally, we may offer additional courses when skilled instruction is available. If any of your leaders is able to instruct a unique merit badge course to completion, please let us know!

### Program Departments

In 2017, we will be offering ~30 merit badge courses in the following program departments:

- Ecology & Science
- Handicraft
- Life Skills
- Outdoor Skills
- Shooting Sports
- Specialty Programs
- Field Sports

A final course schedule will be posted at [www.AtlantaBSA.org/WinterCamp](http://www.AtlantaBSA.org/WinterCamp) by November 15, 2017.

## Class Offerings

This is a tentative list of merit badge class offerings. The final list will be posted on the web page [www.AtlantaBSA.org/WinterCamp](http://www.AtlantaBSA.org/WinterCamp) by November 15, 2017.

ECOLOGY & SCIENCE			
Astronomy Forestry Digital Technology	Chemistry Geology Surveying	Electricity Robotics Game Design	Environmental Science Space Exploration
FIELD SPORTS			
Cycling	Sports	Athletics	Personal Fitness
Handicraft			
Art Basketry	Leatherwork Theatre	Photography	Welding
LIFE SKILLS			
Chess Communications Traffic Safety	Emergency Preparedness Welding	Citizenship in the Nation Fire Safety	Citizenship in the World First Aid
OUTDOOR SKILLS			
Camping	Cooking	Geocaching	Wilderness Survival
SPECIALTY PROGRAMS			
Chugach Challenge	Life to Eagle	Rawhide First Class Skills Workshop	
SHOOTING SPORTS			
Archery	Rifle	Shotgun	



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### **Klondike Derby**

The highlight of Winter Camp will be our annual Klondike Derby. This will give each Troop/Patrol to be able to compete in a competition to test their Scout Skills. Each will be challenged as they proceed through the Alaskan towns along the trail of the 2017 AAC Klondike Derby.

In order to prepare for the Klondike, each competing Troop/Patrol should build a Klondike Derby sled to use during the competition. Here are some rules that must be followed:

- The Klondike sled must carry at least one Scout throughout the Klondike Derby as the Team progresses from Town to Town.
- Upon arriving at each Town, the Team must announce itself with a Patrol Yell. Upon completing the competition in the Town, the Team must finish with its Patrol Yell signifying that it is ready to move on to the next Town.
- No wheels can be used on the Klondike sleds during the traveling from Town to Town.
- Each Team shall carry the 10 Essentials of Scouting with them during the competition. Any other equipment needed for the competition will be provided for at the Towns.
- Each Team will be graded for the competition in each Town for accuracy, neatness and adherence to the Scout Law.
- The race will start with a scattered shotgun start. All Teams shall follow the sequence of Towns prescribed in the Klondike Derby map that will be provided at the start of the race.
- The race will end as the Team returns to the Town in which it began the Derby. There will also be a limit of 90 minutes of time to complete the Klondike Derby.
- The winner will be determined by the total score from the competition in each Town and the tie breaking determination will be by time elapsed.





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### **Life to Eagle**

A seminar for anyone who has completed at least First Class. Learn the steps to earn your Eagle, how to organize and execute a project, and how to prepare for a Board of Review.

### **Cold Weather Programming**

Scouts will have the opportunity to participate in a wide range of cold weather camping and outdoor programs, including survival activities, nature presentations, and more. Ample indoor activities will also be available that include board games, Life to Eagle seminars, and talent exhibitions.

Winter Camp is a great time to learn the unique set of skills for cold-weather outdoor fun! Scouts will be able to get hands-on experience in survival methods, sports activities, and general camping techniques for the cold.

### **Ookpik Overnight**

Scouts can brave the cold overnight as part of this winter camp program. Staff will assist Scouts in preparing shelters and lead them through a night of legend, skills challenges, and inspiration.

### **Cobbler Night**

The entire camp will enjoy hot chocolate and steaming cobblers cooked over coals in a dutch oven! Don't miss this treat.

### **Polar Bear Club**

In the spirit of winter, Bert Adams will participate in a true swim of the Polar Bear Club for Scouts (and adults) that are willing to brave the cold for a brief dip in the water.

Tentatively scheduled for Tuesday after lunch; schedule may be postponed to reflect weather conditions. Be sure to bring towels and warm clothes to change into immediately. Many Polar Bear Club swimmers dress in costumes and bring props!

*One of our Health Officers will be on-site to assist participants in this program.*

## PROGRAM INFORMATION

### Daily Schedule

#### Wednesday, December 27

Check-In .....	1:00-3:00pm	Dining Hall
Formation .....	5:45pm	Flagpoles
Dinner .....	6:00pm	Dining Hall
SM/SPL Orientation .....	7:00pm	Bill Loeble Room/Dining Hall
Opening Campfire .....	8:30pm	Amphitheater

#### Thursday, December 28

Formation .....	7:30am	Flagpoles
Breakfast .....	7:45am	Dining Hall
1st Period .....	9:00am	Program Areas
2nd Period .....	10:30am	Program Areas
Lunch .....	12:15pm	Dining Hall
3rd Period .....	2:00pm	Program Areas
4th Period .....	3:30pm	Program Areas
Formation .....	5:45pm	Flagpoles
Dinner .....	6:00pm	Dining Hall
Evening Activities/Klondike .....	7:00pm	Dining Hall

#### Friday, December 29

Formation .....	7:30am	Flagpoles
Breakfast .....	7:45am	Dining Hall
1st Period .....	9:00am	Program Areas
2nd Period .....	10:30am	Program Areas
Lunch .....	12:15pm	Dining Hall
Polar Bear Swim .....	1:15pm	Waterfront
3rd Period .....	2:00pm	Program Areas
4th Period .....	3:30pm	Program Areas
Formation .....	5:45pm	Flagpoles
Dinner .....	6:00pm	Dining Hall
Evening Activities/Cobbler Night .....	7:00pm	Dining Hall

#### Saturday, December 30

Formation .....	7:30am	Flagpoles
Breakfast .....	7:45am	Dining Hall
1st Period .....	9:00am	Program Areas
2nd Period .....	10:30am	Program Areas
Lunch .....	12:15pm	Dining Hall
3rd Period .....	2:00pm	Program Areas
4th Period .....	3:30pm	Program Areas
Formation .....	5:45pm	Flagpoles
Dinner .....	6:00pm	Dining Hall
Leader & SPL Meeting .....	7:00pm	Bill Loeble Room
Evening Activities .....	7:00pm	Dining Hall
Closing Campfire .....	8:30pm	Amphitheater

#### Sunday, December 31

Breakfast .....	7:30am	Dining Hall
Check-Out/Depart .....	9:00am	Camp Office