

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA® HOUSATONIC COUNCIL



2020 CAMP STRANG SUMMER CAMP

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

APRIL 1, 2020 AND JUNE 1, 2020

IN ORDER TO SECURE A DISCOUNTED FEE TOWARDS SUMMER CAMP, A DEPOSIT OF \$25 IS REQUIRED FOR EACH WEEK ATTENDING CAMP ON OR BEFORE APRIL 1, 2020.

FULL PAYMENT OF THE DISCOUNTED PRICE MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE JUNE 1, 2020 OTHERWISE THE DIFFERENCE WILL BE APPLIED BASED ON WHICH WEEK YOUR CHILD(REN) WILL BE ATTENDING.

ATTENTION TROOPS - DEPOSITS DO NOT HAVE TO BE FOR A SPECIFIC YOUTH MEMBER (I.E. RESERVE 10 SPOTS = \$250 DEPOSIT).

WE WELCOME YOU TO CAMP STRANG



in the foothills of Litchfield County. Strang Scout Reservation's 186 acres of forests, fields and streams provide the backdrop to an exciting Scouting experience. Strang Scout Reservation offers a diverse program for Scouts of all ages.

Owned and operated by the Housatonic Council B.S.A., located

WHAT TO BRING TO CAMP

- Watch
- Toiletry items
- Daily change of clothes
- Field (Class "A") Scout Uniform with Socks and Belt
- Sleeping Bag or sheets and blankets
- Pillow
- Rain Gear
- Flashlight and extra batteries
- Trunk and combination lock
- Scout Handbook
- Pen/ Pencil and paper
- Swim Suit and Towel
- Bug Netting with poles
- Hiking Shoes
- Laundry Bags
- Canteen or Water Bottle
- Sweatshirt or jacket
- Bug Repellent (non-aerosol)
- Sun Screen

WHAT NOT TO BRING

- Food to keep in site or tent
- Fire works
- Tobacco Products

SAFETY IS OUR TOP PRIORITY

Our Camp Health Lodge is staffed 24 hours a day by a qualified health officer. Strang Scout Reservation meets or exceeds National BSA Camp Standards and Complies with Connecticut State Laws for youth camps.

No Pets are allowed in camp without prior authorization from the camp administration.



CAMP TELEPHONE

In case of emergency only, the telephone to reach camp is **860-491-2770**.

INSURANCE

Housatonic Council provides secondary health and accident insurance for participants, which covers costs not paid by the primary carrier. Non-Housatonic Council participants need to provide proof of council/ unit insurance.

MEDICAL FORMS

Please refer to the Medical Forms portion of the camp brochure. Please read it carefully and follow the directions.

SMOKING, ALCOHOL or ILLEGAL DRUGS

Use of tobacco products, alcohol or Illegal drugs on camp property is prohibited.

CAMP TRADING POST

The camp trading post offers everything a camper may desire during the week. Some of the items available for sale are T-shirts, craft supplies, soft drinks, ice cream, patches, Pepsi products candy and other goodies.

MAIL SERVICE

they leave home...

Mail can be sent to campers at the following address:
Camper's name
Troop/Pack Number
Campsite
C/O Strang Scout
Reservation

Goshen, CT 06756

Scouts love getting mail so send letters and packages before

278 West Side Road



HOW TO GET TO CAMP STRANG

DIRECTIONS TO EDMUND D. STRANG SCOUT RESERVATION

Located at 278 West Side Road in Goshen, CT.

- From the Lower Naugatuck Valley, follow Route 8 North towards Torrington.
- Take Exit 44 onto Route 4 West towards Goshen.
- Follow Route 4 West approximately 6 miles to Goshen.
- At the rotary, take a right onto Route 63 North.
- West Side Road is the first left past St. Thomas Roman Catholic Church.
- Follow West Side Road for Approximately one mile.
- The Main camp entrance will be on the right side of the road past the Rangers house.

All vehicles must be parked in the main parking lot as directed.



"A week of camp life is worth six months of theoretical teaching in the meeting room," Lord Baden Powell

Camp Strang Programs in 2020!

☆ Activities at Camp

- **☆ STEM Center**
- ☆ Radio-Controlled Cars
- ☆ Night Climbing
- ☆ Welding
- ☆ Crate Stacking
- ☆ Nine-Square in the Air
- ☆ Gaga Pit



- Adventure to Eagle Week with Eagle Required Merit Badges and Seminars on how to plan a project! Most Scouts will only be able to bring home partials in the required badges....
- ☆ One of the **Best First Year Camper** programs in the Northeast Region!
- **☆ 2020 BOY SCOUT RESIDENT CAMP DATES:**

Week 1: July 5 - 11
Week 2: July 12 - 18
Week 3: July 19 –25
Week 4: July 26 - August 1
INCLUDES:

ADVENTURE TO EAGLE CAMP

HIGH ADVENTURE TREK







Camp Fees

\$400.00 (if \$25 deposit is paid by April 1st, and full payment made by June 1st)

If no deposit by April 1st - fee is \$440.00
Sibling discount reduces price to \$300.00 for the week
Or go for two weeks and second week is \$300

Adventure to Eagle & 50 MILE TREK
EARLY BIRD fee on or before April 1, 2020 - \$425.00
Regular fee \$465.00

CHECK IN PROCEDURES

Plan to Arrive between 2:00 PM and 4:30 PM for check-in.

Check-in Scoutmaster/ Staff member will be located at the registration area to check-in your Pack / Troop. Scouts then receive their buddy tag for the waterfront. All personal gear can be taken to your campsite.

If a buddy tag is NOT in the scoutmaster packet, then the scout must report to the Medical check-in station in front of the Health Lodge before reporting to the waterfront for a swim test.

A Swim Test will be conducted at the waterfront after check-in. Scouts should plan to arrive at camp ready to take their swim test!



FAMILY PICNIC ON SUNDAY

All parents/visitors are invited to stay for our opening picnic. The fee is \$8.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children. Children under age 6 are free. Dinner is served at 5:00 PM Field games will be organized so uniforms will NOT be required.

RETREAT

Formal retreat will be held at **6:45 PM** in the Parade Field. Troop formation and location will be discussed upon arrival. **Uniforms are NOT required for this because of the picnic.**



CAMP TOUR

All campers, new and old will attend the tour after retreat. Each of the program areas visited will have a staff member who will explain the program and answer any questions. Please make sure you bring a flashlight with you.

OPENING CAMPFIRE

The opening campfire will occur after the tour.





MERIT BADGE SIGN-UPS

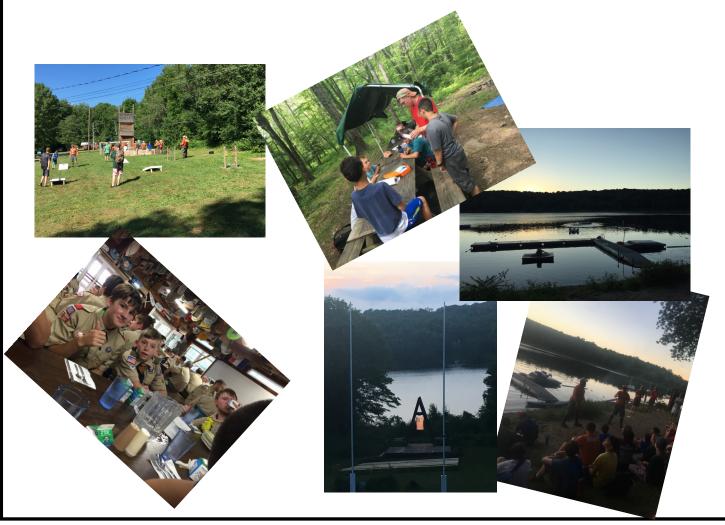
Scoutmasters should submit their unit's merit badge requests online prior to the pre-camp meeting on Tuesday night prior to camp. This allows the camp staff time to plan accordingly. The camp administration will do their best to accommodate all schedule requests. The program director reserves the right to adjust the merit badge schedule to best accommodate the majority of scouts.

CHANGING CLASSES

Scouts are able to change classes **on Monday** by seeing the instructor directly. However, due to space limitations, it may not always be possible to do so.

BY APPOINTMENT MERIT BADGES

Many badges, are available by scheduling an appointment with the counselor. For a list of available merit badges, please visit the appropriate area. Free time (except Siesta) may be used for 'By Appointment' merit badges at times agreed upon by the camper and counselor.



ADVANCEMENT PROGRAM











MERIT BADGES

The core of the scout's week at camp is the opportunity for advancement through earning merit badges and completing requirements for rank advancement. There are five sessions for scheduled merit badge classes per day with opportunity for others during free time. Certain merit badges also require prerequisites. It is beneficial to the scout to complete them **prior to the beginning of camp.** Scouts will need to show the work that they completed for the prerequisites to the assigned Merit Badge Counselor. However, some merit badges simply cannot be completed at camp. To be recognized at the Saturday Court of Honor for the completion of the merit badge, scouts must have proved that they have completed *all* the requirements.







RANK ADVANCEMENT

We recognize that many scouts will work towards advancing in rank during the week. The staff is committed to work with unit leaders to allow scouts to advance at camp and be recognized at the court of honor on Saturday morning. One of the main objectives of our First Year Camper Program is to provide new scouts with the skills they need to fulfill their advancement goals.







MERIT BADGE SCHEDULE

(Subject to Change)

	Sunrise 6:30 - 7:00	Session 1 9:00 - 9:50	Session 2 10:00- 10:50	Session 3 11:00 - 11:50	Session 4 2:00 - 2:50	Session 5 3:00 - 3:50	Session 6 4:00 - 4:40	Session 7 4:50 - 5:50
First Year Camper		Browns	sea Island Progr	ram—Fingerprinting and Leatherwork By Appointment			intment	
ECON		Environmer	ital Science	Geology	Pulp & Paper	Nature	Guided Nature Trail	By Apt
Leon		Weather	Fish & Wildlife Management	Reptile & Amphibian	Mammal Study	Forestry	Conservati	on Project
Field	Wake up Sports	Arch	nery	Personal Fitness	Rifle SI	hooting	Older Boy Shoot	Open Shoot
Sports	(Mon. & Wed.)	Shotgun	Shooting				Open Archery	Older Boy Archery
		Canoein	g (12 +)		Life Savi	ng (12 +)		
Waterfront	Polar Bear Swim (Mon. & Wed.)	Small Boa Swim		Kayaking	Fishing		Open	
		Instructional Swim	Swim	ıming	Rov	ving		
Outdoor		Scout Skills Instruction	Wilderness Survival	Emergency Prep	Cooking	Camping	Ор	en
Skills Area		Geocaching & Orienteering	Pioneeri	ng (12+)	Indian Lore	Signs, Signals and Codes	Older Boy	Mini Trek
Handicrafts		Basketry	Automotive	Maintenance	Art	Woodcarving	Ор	en
Climbing Tower	Wake up Climb (T & TH)		Clim	bing	Clim	bing	Open Climb	Older Boy Climb
		Electronics	Chess	Animation	Robe	otics		
STEM Center		Farm Mechanics	Graphic Arts	Radio	Movie	Movie Making (en
		Programming	Digital Technology	Space Exploration	Drafting	Welding		
Health & Safety			First	: Aid				

2020 MERIT BADGES



Animation is recommended for all scouts.



Archery is a two-period badge. Requirement #5 is possible to achieve at camp, but may prove difficult as it requires patience and skill.



Art is recommended for all scouts.



Automotive Maintenance is recommended for older scouts.



Basketry is recommended for new scouts. Three kits must be purchased from the Trading Post and completed to achieve this badge about \$20.



Camping is recommended for older scouts. Scouts will go on a challenging off property hike and should come prepared with a day pack and the appropriate footwear to do so. Scouts can complete everything at camp except requirement 9a, which requires a letter from your Scoutmaster.



Canoeing is a two-period badge which is not recommended for a first year scout. Scouts must have passed the swim test as a swimmer in order to take this badge.



Chess is recommended for all scouts.



Climbing is a two-period badge recommended for all scouts.



Cooking is offered in the Outdoor Skills area. The requirements of this merit badge may prove difficult for a scout to complete at camp unless, you have completed the following requirements prior to camp. Requirements 4, 5, and 6.



Digital Technology requires completion of the Cyber Chip prior to your attendance.



Drafting is recommended for all scouts



Electronics is recommended for all scouts.



Emergency Preparedness Earning this merit badge helps a Scout to be prepared by learning the actions that can be helpful and needed before, during, and after an emergency.



Environmental Science is a two-period badge which is recommended for older scouts. Some work and observations will have to be completed outside of class time. Written assignments that can be completed prior to camp include 2, 3e, 4b, and 6.



Farm Mechanics is recommended for older scouts.



Fingerprinting is a badge which is offered only in the Brownsea Island program



First Aid is a two-period badge available to scouts who have achieved the rank of First Class or above. Requirement 2d is a prerequisite the must be completed at home and brought to camp.



Fish and Wildlife Management is recommended for all scouts.



Fishing is a two-session badge recommended for all scouts. It is recommended that you bring your own fishing gear. Completion of this badge is dependent upon the cooperation of the fish.



Forestry is recommended for older scouts. Requirements 1, 2b, and 2c could be completed prior to camp.



Geocaching is recommended for all scouts and is offered alongside orienteering



Geology is recommended for all scouts



Graphic Arts is recommended for all scouts.



Indian Lore is a badge for all scouts. Craft kits can be purchased through the trading post to assist with requirements 3a, 3b, and 6e. Estimated cost for the kits \$20.



Kayaking is recommended for all scouts. Scouts must have passed the swim test as a swimmer in order to take this badge.



Lifesaving is a two-session badge available to scouts who have already earned swimming merit badge. It is a physically demanding badge.



Mammal Study is recommended for all scouts.



Moviemaking is recommended for all scouts.



Nature is not recommended for younger campers due to its difficulty. Requirement 4 may be difficult to complete at camp and could be done prior to camp.



Orienteering is offered alongside geocaching. Scouts should have completed the first class orienteering requirement (#10) prior to camp. Bring a good compass with you. Several orienteering courses will be completed.



Personal Fitness is a badge requiring a 3-month commitment. Requirement 7 must be pre-approved by a counselor prior to camp. Also, requirements 1b, 6, 7, and 8 must be completed prior to camp.



Pioneering is a two-session badge recommended for all scouts who have completed the knots and lashing requirements for Tenderfoot and First Class ranks.



Programming is recommended for all scouts. Complete your Cyber Chip prior to camp.



Pulp & Paper is recommended for all scouts.



Radio is recommended for all scouts.



Robotics is recommended for all scouts.



Reptile and Amphibian - Recommended for all scouts. Requirement 8 must completed outside of camp. Scouts should be prepared for mud



Rifle Shooting is a two-session badge and is not recommended for younger scouts. Practice is required and there is a qualifying requirement. Scouts may NOT bring their own firearms from home.



Rowing is a two-session badge which requires the scout to have passed the swim test as a swimmer. Strength and physical coordination is necessary. Scouts should bring shoes that can get wet.



Shotgun Shooting is a two-session badge offered to scouts 13 years of age and older. However, a scout's physical stature should be taken into consideration prior to registering for this badge. Scouts are required to shoot 25 times in a row in order to qualify.



Signs, Signals and Codes is recommended for all scouts. Requirements 7 COULD be completed before attending camp.



Small Boat Sailing is a two-session badge which is recommended for older scouts and may be technically and physically demanding. Scouts must have passed the swim test as a swimmer in order to take this badge.



Space Exploration is recommended for all scouts. Estimated cost of a rocket kit is \$20.



Swimming is a two-period badge recommended for all scouts who have passed the swim test as a swimmer.



Weather is recommended for all scouts.



Welding is a merit badge for older scouts due to the maturity required. This merit badge has limited a viability and an estimated cost of \$15



Wilderness Survival is recommended for older scouts with prior camping experience. Scouts will be required to build a shelter and sleep in it for one night with the ten essentials of scouting.



Woodcarving is recommended for all scouts. Purchase of materials at the Trading Post will be needed in order to complete the badge. Scouts must have earned the Totin' Chip prior to taking this badge. Estimated cost of kits is \$15.

UNIT LEADERS WE COULD USE YOUR ASSISTANCE

We are always looking for Volunteers to assist with merit badges

Merit Badges by Appointment

By Appointment Badges:

May be earned at Camp Strang, depending upon the interest of the scout and the availability of a counselor, may be earned by making an appointment with a counselor. Free time (except siesta) may be used for the appointments.



Astronomy is a badge that is recommended for seasoned scouts. Some work and observations could be completed prior to attending camp. Completion of some requirements depends upon favorable weather conditions throughout the week.



Electricity is recommended for all scouts, bring your floor plan from requirement #2.



Photography is recommended for all scouts. Prior to attending camp complete requirements 4, 5, and 6.



Soil and Water Conservation is recommended for all scouts.

SPECIAL AWARDS











TROOP PROGRAM

THE SENIOR PATROL LEADER (SPL)

As the BSA is a **youth-led organization**, during the week at camp, the individual responsible for most troop activities and decision is the SPL. The SPL is charged with coordinating the troop's activities and ensuring the troop completes its responsibilities like campsite clean up and arriving on time to retreat. SPL's will be asked to attend frequent meetings with the program director to coordinate activities and discuss camp related issues.

TROOP ACTIVITIES

Troop activities will be held from 7:00 - 7:45 PM daily, except when special programming takes precedence. The following is a list of suggested activities for the evening program. Other ideas can be arranged and we always encourage inter troop and inter patrol competition.

Aquatics

Troop Boating Troop Swim Greased Watermelon Canoe Tug of War Canoe keep away

Field Sports

Rifle Shoot Archery Shoot Softball Capture the Flag Soccer One Pitch Wiffle Ball Volleyball Ultimate Frisbee

Handicrafts

Plaque making Patrol Flag Making

Outdoor Skills
Orienteering Skill Instruction
Fire Building Skill Instruction
Totin' Chip Award Pioneering Skill Instruction Firem'n Chit Award Paul Bunyan Award Knot Relay

Ecology & Conservation

Kayak to Beaver Dam Plant ID/Nature Trail Hike Conservation Projects

Additional Activities

Ga - Ga Ball Human Foosball Climbing Wall Native Games at EWI

OTHER TROOP PROGRAMS





Service Projects around camp can be completed by troops, patrols, and individuals for fun or for rank requirements (except Eagle). Interested scouts, units, and leaders should contact the Camp Commissioner.

Campfires should be conducted by troops within their own campsites (observing quiet hours). If so desired, troops should invite staff members or other campsites to join in. Two camp-wide campfires will occur on Sunday and Friday evenings. The staff will run the campfire on Sunday. However, we strongly encourage troop participation in the Friday night campfire. Troops should start practicing their songs and skits early in the week and SPL's should inform the Program Director of their choices by Thursday at dinner.

Campsite Cooking is strongly encouraged. Especially at times when the dining hall is very full, troops may find it as a nice change to cook one meal during the week in their campsite. If they so desire, troops should notify the camp administration at the pre-camp meeting. You are responsible for providing most cooking equipment. If you have any questions, please contact any member of the camp administration.

Patrol Leader's Council Meetings are also strongly encouraged. If the SPL would like assistance in coordinating one of these important meetings within his troop, the Program Director will be glad to help.

Baden Powell Patrol Award

This award is issued to Patrols who participate in all troop functions, display scout spirit, and complete a service project as a patrol. See your scoutmaster or SPL for details.

CAMPWIDE PROGRAMS

Campwide activities will occur at 8pm on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and 9pm on Friday for our closing campfire. Campwide activities will be decided at the Sunday Senior Patrol Leader meeting.

SATURDAY PROGRAM

Saturday program will include breakfast served in the campsite, and a court of honor.

The schedule is as follows:

7:00 AM REVEILLE

8:30 AM UNIT BREAKFAST

Breakfast can be collected from the dining hall at 7:30 AM to eat at troop sites. Please be sure to bring all trash back to the dining hall. We ask that all unnecessary gear and/or equipment be packed and placed in a central location in the unit site, so that the camp staff can move it out starting at 8:30 AM.

9:30 AM COURT OF HONOR

The court of honor will be held at **9:30 AM**. This court of honor will recognize all scouts for their hard work during the week. Troops have the option of being able to purchase merit badges that can be attached to all merit badge certificates handed out at the court of honor in the office. It is the responsibility of the troop to pay for these badges in a reasonable amount of time.

Scoutmasters are responsible for picking up the advancement paperwork after the court of honor each week!!



ADVENTURE TO EAGLE



OUR MISSION

Adventure to Eagle (A2E) is a one-week, structured, and specifically timed program, held at Housatonic Council's Edmund D. Strang Scout Reservation, in Goshen, CT. It provides an environment for the older Scout to grow, to set personal goals, to learn to understand values, to experience motivation, and to learn leadership from experienced mentors in the Boy Scouts.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

A2E will also teach youth how to apply for their Eagle Scout rank, and how to confirm their personal and troop records with the National records. Other workshops will include the benefits of earning the Eagle Scout rank, including college scholarship opportunities, Eagle Courts of Honor and dinners/receptions.

BUT IT WON'T BE ALL WORK...

As members of a Strang provisional troop, the **A2E** campers will take part in campwide events as selected and, at least once during the week, **A2E** Scouts will participate in a "for-them-only" special activity.

MERIT BADGES

The **A2E** candidates will select 3 or 4 Eagle-required merit badges to work on during the week. These may be among those offered at camp on a regular basis or others offered only during **A2E** Week. Each **A2E** Candidate receives his own individual MB class schedule.

Depending on the badge, all requirements may not be completed at camp. Prerequisites, outlined during the pre-Camp Troop meeting in April, will be expected of many of the badges.

ADVENTURE TO EAGLE MERIT BADGE REGISTRATION

This form must be turned in at time of registration to Adventure to Eagle

First Name:	Las	st Name:	
Current Rank: ☐ Star ☐	J Life DOB:		
Unit #:	Unit's Town:		
Scoutmaster/Crew Adviso	r Recommendation Initia	als (Required):	
Parent's Signature:		Date Sig	ned:
PLACE THE DATE of the requorder of the required Eagle	uired Merit Badges you hav Merit Badges you wish to t	re earned on the line. Place take at A2E:	e a number in the ranked
Camping		Environmental Science	
Citizenship in the Community		Family Life	
Citizenship in the Nation		First Aid	
Citizenship in the Wor1d		Lifesaving	
Cooking		Personal Fitness	
Communications		Personal Management	
Emergency Preparedness		Swimming	

Attending A2E does not mean the Scout will complete the Merit Badge at camp. Merit Badges that are not completed at camp will have a "partial" issued to the Scout. It is the scout's responsibility to complete the requirements with an authorized merit badge counselor.

Please note that some of the Merit Badges have pre-requisites and require a three month commitment. Pre-requisites are listed within this brochure for Camping, Cooking, Emergency Preparedness, Environmental Science, First Aid, Lifesaving, Physical Fitness, and Swimming.

Citizenship in the Community - Requirements 2, 7, and 8 must be completed prior to attending camp.

Citizenship in the Nation - Requirements 2 and 8 must be completed prior to attending camp.

Communications - Requirements 3, 5 and 6 can be done in advance of camp; written confirmation from Scoutmaster, teacher or similar must be presented.) All class members will plan and present a campfire at camp to complete the badge.

Family Life - Requirements 3, 4, 5, and 6 must be worked on prior to camp. Completing this badge requires a 3-month commitment.

Personal Management - Requirement 2 requires a 3- month commitment and must be completed prior to attending camp.

CAMP STRANG REGISTRATION FORM - SCOUT CAMP

Name:	Age:	Birth date:	//		
Address:					
Town:	State:	Zip:			
Phone: Unit #: U	nit's Town:				
Parents Signature (Required):					
Parents Email					
CHECK THE APPROPRIATE WEEK(S) YOU WILL ATTEND A Camp fee includes a \$25.00 non-refundable deposit.					
SCOUT RESIDENT CAME	SESSIONS AT	CAMP STRANG			
Total All Above \$ AMOUNT PAID \$					
SUMMER CAMP DATES	Regular Fee after April 1st	Early Bird Fee Prior to April 1st	Additional Week / Sibling Discount		
Week #1 Sunday, July 5 -Saturday, July 11	\$440	\$400	\$300		
Week #2 Sunday, July 12 -Saturday, July 18	\$440	\$400	\$300		
Week #3 Sunday, July 19 -Saturday, July 25	\$440	\$400	\$300		
Week #4 Sunday, July 26 -Saturday, Aug 1	\$440	\$400	\$300		
Week #4 ADVENTURE TO EAGLE	\$465	\$425			
Week #4 HIGH ADVENTURE TREK	\$465	\$425			
DAVMENT	INFORMATIO	N			
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Payment by (check all that apply) Cash or Chec		Card Payment			
Credit Card Type: MCVISA Date: C	heck #:				
Print Name of Card Holder:	Signature				
Credit Card #: Security # on Back					
Expiration Date:					
Remit to: Housatonic Council, BSA, 111 New Have	en Ave, Derby, CT (06418			
See refund request form for refund policy. ALL REFUND SERVICE CENTER BY AUGUST 31) request must be	MADE IN WRITING TO	THE COUNCIL		

Required Form PERMISSION TO LEAVE CAMP

Scout Name:	Unit #:
Dates attending camp:	<u> </u>
Departure date and time:	Return date and time:
Signature of parent or legal guardian:	
Will your child need to leave camp during t	he week? (sports, medical, family event, etc.)
person specified on this form. We require as any reason (other than emergencies) and wit	than a parent, legal guardian, or other authorized dvance notice if a Scout will be leaving camp for h whom. In case of emergency, a Scout will be nature is on the official Housatonic Council, BSA
Circle one: My child WILL / WILL NOT be leave	ring camp during the week.
Reason for leaving:Authorized pick-up person (provide name and	relationship to the scout named above.)
Camp Strang T	rip Permission Form
time while off site, proper adult/staff superv the age of 18) Transportation will be by foot	require scouts to leave the camp property. At all ision will be provided. (a minimum of 2 adults over, chartered bus, or private car with a driver over coop. All BSA Youth Protection guidelines will be
America is an educational institution, member confidence that every precaution will be take	en to ensure the safety of my child's activity, I waiver all claims against the leader of this trip and
Circle one: I DO / DO NOT give my child per trip(s) on the following dates.	mission to participate in the following off property
Camp Mohawk Dance on	(date, time)
5 mile hike on(date, time)	rain date scheduled for
Other:on _	
(note activity)	(date, time)
Signature of parent or legal guardian	date



REQUEST FOR REFUND Housatonic Council, BSA Refund Policy



All requests must be received by August 31ST and must have the Unit Leader's approval (signature) to be considered for refund. If a Scout will be missing days during a Camp period, that Scout needs to notify the Camp Director at check in time. No refund will include the non-refundable \$25.00 deposit.

The only circumstances under which refunds will be granted are as follows:

- 1. Illness of Scout prevents child's attendance at summer camp
- 2. Illness or death in the camper's immediate family prevents attendance at camp
- 3. Family relocation making attending camp impractical
- 4. Mandatory attendance at summer school that is verifiable
- 5. A Scout leaves camp for medical reasons (home sickness is not considered a refundable medical reason) must be certified by the Camp Health Officer or Camp Director. In such cases, the Scout will receive a pro-rated refund for the unused portion of the camp fee. If the unused portion constitutes three or more days and the medical excuse is not due to horseplay or negligence of said Scout.

Absolutely no refunds will be granted for "No Shows" or Days Missed.

Scout's name:	Troop/Pack:	-
Address:	City/State/Zip:	
Parent's Name:	Phone:	
Camp Attending and Date(s):		
Reason for Refund		
Amount Paid for Camp: \$	Amount Requesting:	
Unit Leader's Signature (required):		

Mail to: Housatonic Council, BSA, 111 New Haven Avenue, Derby, CT 06418

HOUSATONIC COUNCIL

SCOUT CAMP SCHOLARSHIP FUND APPLICATION

To Apply a \$25 non refundable deposit is needed to process this campership application along with Unit Leader's Signature

Name:	Age (as of 7/1/2020)			
	City			
Telephone:	Unit: Troop / Crew #			
Parent – Briefly explain your need fo	or campership assistance:			
	week (s) of camp.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
Applying for:				
ipplying for.	SUMMER CAMP DATES			
	Week #1 Sunday, July 5 -Saturday, July	y 11		
	Week #2 Sunday, July 12 -Saturday, July	y 18		
	Week #3 Sunday, July 19 -Saturday, July	y 25		
	Week #4 Sunday, July 26 -Saturday, Aug	g 1		
	Week #4 ADVENTURE TO EAGLE			
	Week #4 HIGH ADVENTURE TREK			
can afford to pay the following \$ _	towards my child's	week (s) of	camp.	
The unit will be contributing \$	towards my child's week (s) o	of camp		
Number of persons in household	Gross Income \$			
lousatonic Council awards partial ca	n, and in no way guarantees a camp schola Imp scholarship and that scouts are encour	raged to earr	her unders	stand that neir camp fee.
This campership program is limited to	o use at Housatonic Council Camp facilities	5.		
Parents Name (please print)				
Address:	City		State	Zip
Parents Signature:				
fail to: Camperships Committee, H	ousatonic Council BSA, 111 New Haven A	Avenue, Der	by, Conn	ecticut, 06418
Init Leader's Signature:			Date:	
Offit Leader's Signature.			Date	

REQUIRED MEDICAL FORMS

All troops/packs send in medical forms with their Scoutmaster a week prior, during the Pre-Camp Meeting. All scouts and scouters must have a completed medical form to spend the week in camp. A scout's health history must be filled out and signed by the parent/guardian within the past year and the medication signature must be within 90 days. The camp health officer will check and collect all forms not previously turned in, as well as medications during check-in.

PLEASE SUBMIT A PHOTOCOPIED HEALTH FORM

Scouts and scouters not meeting the medical examination requirements will not be permitted to remain in camp. This pertains to all participating scouts and leaders, no matter how long their stay in camp may be, **including temporary leadership**.

EACH MEDICATION TO BE ADMINISTERED BY THE HEALTH OFFICER WILL NEED:

- "Authorization for Administration of Medication by School, Child Care, and Youth Camp Personnel" - page 24
- The doctor needs to fill out a form for each medication to be administered, including any over the counter, vitamins, inhalers, and EpiPens.
- If the "Authorization for Administration of Medication by School, Child Care, and Youth Camp Personnel" is not complete the medication CANNOT be administered at Camp.

No medical examinations can be given at camp!

MEDICATIONS

All medications for scouts and scouters must be turned into the health officer during checkin. The Health officer will be located at the Medical check-in station at the Health Lodge. All medications must have a **photo of the camper** attached. Each form of medication must have a date as well as a doctor's name on the container.

Medications must be in the original container with an attached photo! *Please bring only the amount of medication necessary for the week.*

Medical Forms Checklist for each Camper:

Authorization of Medication by School, Child Care, and Youth Camp Personnel (If over 18, not required)
Boy Scouts of America Annual Medical Form
Medical Addendum
Non-prescription medication must also be left at the Health Lodge. This is a state law.

MEDICAL ADDENDUM REQUIRED FORM to attend camp!

(must be completed by parent/guardian for scouts under 18 years old)

Scout	Troop	Week (s)
This addendum to the Annual BSA age and is required to meet Conne	Health and Medic ecticut Departme	cal Record is for scouts under 18 years of nt of Health requirements.
cations as directed by the Camp P Council's policies on medications	Physician in the Ca at scout camp are	urse to administer over-the-counter medi amp Standing Orders. The Housatonic written to comply with the National te of Connecticut Health Department.
If you do not wish to have any of t please cross out and initial.	the following over	r-the-counter medications administered,
Over-the-Counter Medications may	y include:	
(Generics may be substituted)		
 Tylenol by mouth, per weight Advil by mouth, per weight Bacitracin/Neosporin/Hydrog Hydrocortisone Cream topical Benadryl by mouth, per weig Claritin by mouth, per packal Sudafed by mouth, per packal Zantac by mouth, per packal Sunscreen topically, as need Bug repellent topically, as need Solarcaine/Aloe Vera topical 	age dosing as neegen Peroxide topically every 6 hours ght/age dosing as age directions age directions deduced every 2-4 heeded every 2-4 heede	eded every 6-8 hours cally as needed as needed needed, per package directions
Signature	Date	
**RFMINDER - Prescription medications	must be in the origi	nal pharmacy container with label this include

**REMINDER - Prescription medications must be in the original pharmacy container with label, this includes EPI-Pens. Please bring only amount needed for camp. Failure to comply will result in the inability for the medications to be administered at camp. Any medication not picked up with-in 1 week after scout leaves camp will be destroyed.

Authorization for the Administration of Medication by School. Child Care, and Youth Camp Personnel

In Connecticut schools, ChildCare Centers and Group Care Homes, licensed Family Care Homes, and licensed Youth Camps administering medications to children shall comply with all requirements regarding the Administration of Medications described in the State Statutes and Regulations. Parents/guardians requesting medication administration to their child shall provide the program with appropriate written authorization(s) and the medication before any medications are administered. Medications must be in the original container and labeled with child's name, name of medication, directions for medication's administration, and date of the prescription.

Authorized Prescriber's Ord	ler (Physician, Dentist, Optometr	ist, Physician Assistant, Advanc	ed Practice Registere	d Nurse or Podiatrist)
Name of Child/Student:		Date of Birth/	Today's Date	_//
Address of Child/Student:			Town	
Medication Name/Generic Nar	me of Drug,		Controlled I	Orug? ☐ YES ☐ NO
Condition for which drug is l	being administered:			
Specific Instructions for Med	dication Administration			
Dosage		Method /Route, _		
Time of Administr	ation	If PRN, f	requency	
Medication shall be	administered: Start Date:	_ / / End Date:	/	_
Relevant Side Effects of Med	lication			None Expected
Explain any allergies, reacti	on to/negative interaction with f	ood or drugs,		
Plan of Management for Side	Effects		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	
Prescriber's Name / Title _		Phone	e Number () _	
Prescriber's Address			Town	
Prescriber's Signature			Date	//
School Nurse Signature (if ap	oplicable)			
Parent/Guardian Authorizati				
I hereby request that the ab the exchange of informatic administration of this medi only.)	e administered to my child/studen ove ordered medication be administ on between the prescriber and the so cation. I understand that I must supp	tered by school, child care and you chool nurse, child care nurse or car oly the school with no more-than a	uth camp personnel and np nurse necessary to en three (3) month supply	
adverse effects. (For child	t one does of the medication with I care only)	the exception of emergency med	neations to my child/sc	udent without
Parent/Guardian Signature_		Relationship	Da	te/
Parent /Guardian's Address _		To	wn	State
Home Phone # ()	Work Phone #	()	_ Cell Phone # () _	
	SELF ADMINISTRATION OF	MEDICATION AUTHORIZATION/A	\PPROVAL	
nurse (if applicable) in accorallergies, students may self-	ration may be authorized by the produced by the produced with board policy. In a schadminister medication with only t's parent or guardian or eligible	nool, inhalers for asthma and ca the written authorization of an	artridge injectors for I	medically-diagnosed
Prescriber's authorization for	self-administration: ☐ YES ☐ NO _			
		Signature		Date
Parent/Guardian authorizati	on for self-administration: 🗆 YE	S 🗖 NOSignature		Date
School nurse, if applicable, a	pproval for self-administration:			
		Signature		Date
Today's Date	Printed Name of Individual Re	eceiving Written Authorization	and Medication	
Title/Position	Signa	ature (in ink or electronic)		

Note: This form is in compliance with Section 10-212a, Section 19a-79-9a, 19a-87b-17 and 19-13-B27a(v.)





Full manner	High-adventure base participants:		
Full name:	Expedition/crew No.:		
Date of birth:	or staff position:		
Informed Consent, Release Agreement, and Authorization I understand that participation in Scouting activities involves the risk of personal injury, including death, due to the physical, mental, and emotional challenges in the activities offered. Information about those activities may be obtained from the venue, activity coordinators, or your local council. I also understand that participation in these activities is entirely voluntary and requires participants to follow instructions and abide by all applicable rules and the standards of conduct. In case of an emergency involving me or my child, I understand that efforts will be made to contact the individual listed as the emergency contact person by the medical provider and/or adult leader. In the event that this person cannot be reached, permission is hereby given to the medical provider selected by the adult leader in charge to secure proper treatment, including hospitalization, anesthesia, surgery, or injections of medication for me or my child. Medical providers are authorized to disclose protected health information to the adult in charge, camp medical staff, camp management, and/or any physician or health-care provider involved in providing medical care to the participant. Protected Health Information/Confidential Health Information (PHI/CHI) under the Standards for Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information, 45 C.F.R. §\$160.103, 164.501, etc. seq., as amended from time to time, includes examination findings, test results, and treatment provided for purposes of medical evaluation of the participant, follow-up and communication with the participant's parents or guardian, and/or determination of the participant's ability to continue in the program activities. (If applicable) I have carefully considered the risk involved and hereby give my informed consent for my child to participate in all activities offered in the program. I further authorize the sharing of the information on this form with any BSA volunteers or professionals who need to kno			
own behalf and/or on behalf of my child, I hereby fully and completely release and waive any and all claims for personal injury, death, or loss that may arise against the Boy Scouts of America, the local council, the activity coordinators, and all employees, volunteers, related parties, or other organizations associated with any program or activity. I understand that, if any information I/we have provided is found to be inaccurate, it may limit and/or Philmont Scout Ranch, Philmont Training Center, Northern Tier, Sea Base, or the Summit Bechtel Re and weight requirements and restrictions, and understand that the participant will not be all met. The participant has permission to engage in all high-adventure activities described, except as parent or guardian's signature is required.	List participant restrictions, if any: Or eliminate the opportunity for participation in any event or activity. If I am participating at eserve, I have also read and understand the supplemental risk advisories, including height lowed to participate in applicable high-adventure programs if those requirements are not		
Participant's signature:			
Parent/guardian signature for youth:	Date:Date:		
Complete this section for youth participants only: Adults Authorized to Take Youth to and From Events: You must designate at least one adult. Please include a phone number. Name: Phone:	Name:		
Adults NOT Authorized to Take Youth to and From Events:	Marrow		
Name:	Name:		



Part B1: General Information/Health History

Full n	Il name: High-adventure base participants:					
Date of hirth:				Expedition/crew No.:		
Date of birth:				or staff position:		
Age:		Gender:	Height (inches):	Weight (lbs.):		
				P code: Phone:		
				Unit leader's mobile #:		
		0.:_				
				Policy No.:		
Trediti/	SOOIGCIIL	montation company.				
1	Please	attach a photocopy of both sides of the insurance card. If you	do not have medical insu	urance, enter "none" above.		
In case	e of em	ergency, notify the person below:				
Name:				_Relationship:		
Address	:		Home phone:	: Other phone:		
Alternat	e contac	t name:		Alternate's phone:		
Hoal	th Ui	ictory				
		story have or have you ever been treated for any of the following?				
Yes	No	Condition		Explain		
		Diabetes	Last HbA1c percentage	and date: Insulin pump: Yes 🔲 No 🗀		
		Hypertension (high blood pressure)				
		Adult or congenital heart disease/heart attack/chest pain (angina)/ heart murmur/coronary artery disease. Any heart surgery or procedure. Explain all "yes" answers.				
		Family history of heart disease or any sudden heart-related death of a family member before age 50.				
		Stroke/TIA				
		Asthma/reactive airway disease	Last attack date:			
		Lung/respiratory disease				
		COPD				
		Ear/eyes/nose/sinus problems				
		Muscular/skeletal condition/muscle or bone issues				
		Head injury/concussion/TBI				
		Altitude sickness				
		Psychiatric/psychological or emotional difficulties				
		Neurological/behavioral disorders				
		Blood disorders/sickle cell disease				
		Fainting spells and dizziness				
		Kidney disease				
		Seizures or epilepsy	Last seizure date:			
		Abdominal/stomach/digestive problems				
		Thyroid disease				
		Skin issues				
		Obstructive sleep apnea/sleep disorders	CPAP: Yes 🔲 No 🗌			
		List all surgeries and hospitalizations	Last surgery date:			
		List any other medical conditions not covered above				



Full name:			High-adventure base participants:		
			Expedition/crew No.: or staff position:		
	RINE PYES		DO YOU USE AN ASTHMA INHALER? Exp. date (if Yes No Allergies or Plants Insect bites/sting	A RESCUE YES NO i yes)	
List all medications curre	ently used, including any over-	the-counter medication	IS.	**	
	ications are routinely taken.			a separate sheet and attach.	
Medication	Dose	Frequency		Reason	
	-prescription medication administratio lications is approved for youth by: Parent/guardian signature	n is authorized with these exc		ture (if your state requires signature)	
any maintenance m	eations in sufficient quantities and in edication unless instructed to do so l		e sure that they are NOT expired, incl	luding inhalers and EpiPens. You SHOULD NOT STOP taking	
	e recommended. Tetanus immunization neck the disease column and list the da			Please list any additional information about your	
Yes No Had Diseas				nedical history:	
	Tetanus		-		
	Pertussis		9 <u>—</u>		
	Diphtheria				
	Measles/mumps/rubella				
	Polio			OO NOT WRITE IN THIS BOX. Review for camp or special activity.	
	Chicken Pox		R	leviewed by::	
	Hepatitis A			Date:	
	Hepatitis B		F	further approval required: Yes No.	
	Meningitis Influenza		R	iteason:	
	Other (i.e., HIB)			approved by:	
	Exemption to immunizations (fo	rm required))ate:	
	Distription to minimizeduons (10	raquiradj			



Part C: Pre-Participation Physical

This part must be completed by certified and licensed physicians (MD, D0), nurse practitioners, or physician assistants.

Full name: Date of birth:	Expedition/crew No.:
	ation for participation in a Scouting experience. For individuals who will be attending a high-adventure program, ne supplemental information on the following pages or the form provided by your patient. You can also visit online.
Please fill in the following information:	
Yes No Medical restrictions to participate	Explain
Yes No Allergies or Reactions Explain	Yes No Allergies or Reactions Explain
Medication Food	Plants Insect bites/stings
Height (inches) Weight (lbs.)	BMI Blood Pressure Pulse
	1
Normal Abnormal Explain Abnormalitie Eyes Ears/nose/throat	Examiner's Certification I certify that I have reviewed the health history and examined this person and find no contraindications for participation in a Scouting experience. This participant (with noted restrictions): True False Explain
	Meets height/weight requirements.
Lungs Heart	Has no uncontrolled heart disease, lung disease, or hypertension. Has not had an orthopedic injury, musculoskeletal problems, or orthopedic surgery in the last six months or possesses a letter of clearance from his or her orthopedic surgeon or treating physician.
	Has no uncontrolled psychiatric disorders.
Abdomen	Has had no seizures in the last year.
Genitalia/hernia	Does not have poorly controlled diabetes.
Musculoskeletal	If planning to scuba dive, does not have diabetes, asthma, or seizures. Examiner's signature: Date:
Neurological	Examiner's printed name:
Skin issues	Address:
Other Other	City: ZIP code: Office phone:
Height/Weight Restrictions If you exceed the maximum weight for height as explained in the following chart ar accessible roadway, you may not be allowed to participate.	nd your planned high-adventure activity will take you more than 30 minutes away from an emergency vehicle/

Maximum weight for height:

Height (inches)	Max. Weight						
60	166	65	195	70	226	75	260
61	172	66	201	71	233	76	267
62	178	67	207	72	239	77	274
63	183	68	214	73	246	78	281
64	189	69	220	74	252	79 and over	295



BECOME A FRIEND OF CAMP STRANG

Friends of Camp Strang Alumni includes anyone that has been a camper, staff member, supporter or visitor

The Camp Strang Staff Alumni group will be sponsoring a meet and greet at Edmund D. Strang Scout Reservation on July 11th, 2020.

Afternoon activities include opportunities for swimming, boating, shooting, camp tours and more! Update will be given on current projects and planned improvements to the Edmund D. Strang Scout Reservation.

For More Information contact:
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carole.cafaro@scouting.org.



CONTACT INFORMATION

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ADDITIONAL FORMS

The Summer Camp Applications are located on-line at http://www.houstonicbsa.org

- Click on Summer Camp
 - Then FORMS.

The medical form is also located on the Council Website or the Housatonic Council Office.

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