

# 2023 Resident (Scouts, BSA) Summer Camp Fees & Payment Schedule JUNE NORCROSS WEBSTER SCOUT RESERVATION

**Camp Fees:** 

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Troop Campsite Deposit	\$100	One-time fee per Unit to SAVE-A-SPOT		
Early Bird Fee Before May 1	\$500	If the balance is paid in full by May 1, 2023, the fee will be \$500		
Regular Camp Fee	\$535	Paid after May 1, 2023		
Webelos Crossovers	\$500	These Scouts are always afforded the lowest possible camp fee rate. Because many troops don't know what Webelos will be joining their troop until after the March 15th individual deposit deadline, a special registration category will be established for them.		
New Scout Fee	\$500	For Scouts who join the troop as new Scouts between March 15 <sup>th</sup> and the beginning of the troop's week at camp.		

## **Discounts:**

Encore or 2 <sup>nd</sup> Week Camper Fee	\$350	The registration process will require the Scout's other camp/week to be identified. To qualify, a scout must have already spent a week in a BSA Scout Camp (Any Council), National Jamboree, or National BSA High Adventure Base, and the discount applies to a second (or more) week at one of the CRC's camps, AFTER the other program/camp.
Sibling Discount	\$25	A \$25 discount will be given to help those families with siblings attending Resident Camp. The discount will apply to each sibling from the same family.

### **Adult Leader Fees:**

Two Adult Leaders	FREE	Two adults are required for minimum supervision per Youth Protection Guidelines. Additional FREE Leaders per the chart. Names of leaders are not required until May.
Additional Unit Leaders (Week)	\$150	Leader Fee (by the Week)
Additional Unit Leaders ( <b>Day</b> )	\$25	Leader Fee ( <mark>By the</mark> Day)

### **Free Adult Leaders Chart:**

# of Youth Attending Camp	# of Free Leaders
5-10 Scouts	2
11-20 Scouts	3
21-30 Scouts	4
31-40 Scouts	5
41-51 Scouts	6

#### **Camperships:**

The Connecticut Rivers Council will continue to award camperships to assist Scouts needing funds to attend camp who might not otherwise do so. The annual campership fund is limited and fluctuates from year to year. Like Webelos crossovers and new Scouts, campership Scouts will also be afforded the lowest possible rate to attend camp. The unit process for paying for these Scouts is to be determined. Those asking for Camperships should be named, and a \$50 deposit should be submitted by March 15 in BlackPug.

#### Campership Link:

https://247scouting.com/forms/?OrgKey=BSA066&id=3058

**Question?** We know our troop has Scouts that need Campership assistance in order to attend camp. Should we register them with a \$50 deposit by March 15th?

**Answer**: Yes, as stated above, campership applicants are always afforded the lowest possible camp fee.

#### **Refund Policy:**

The Connecticut Rivers Council must commit financial resources to purchase equipment, hire staff, and otherwise prepare to provide the high-quality programs in our camps well in advance of the camps opening for the summer. Participants therefore must be prepared to make a financial commitment to attend. Refund requests made before June 15th will be reimbursed the fee minus the cancellation fee of \$75. Requests after June 15th will be reimbursed the fee minus the cancellation fee of \$150. In the event of an illness we will process a refund if you can not attend camp. If a camp attendee presents signs of illness while at camp, we reserve the right to send them home without a refund.

**Question?** I don't know what Scouts in my troop are going to attend camp by the March 15th Early. Fee deposit date. Why should I make a deposit for the "unknown"?

**Answer:** Camp promotion is a year-round process. The unit's camp plans should already be on family's calendars. Units also should have a pretty good idea of the percentage of Scouts in the troop that attends camp. Register and make deposits for that number of Scouts you think will be attending. Deposits may later be transferred between Scouts.

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#### **Requests for Refunds:**

All requests for refund consideration are to be in writing and sent either in the form of a letter or email and postmarked no later than September 1, 2023:

Connecticut Rivers Council, BSA

ATTN: Camp Refunds

60 Darlin Street

East Hartford, CT 06108

Sean.Fogle@scouting.org

www.CTScouting.org

NOTE: This year has been a difficult year to establish camp fees. We have had to anticipate increases in food, electricity, fuel, every type of insurance, and camp staff payrolls. Through the budgeting process we anticipated raising camp fees \$75.00 per Scout. Working with The Peter & Carmen Lucia Buck Foundation, they agreed to generously underwrite the 2023 camp fee increase by subsidizing each Scout attending summer camp by \$50.00.

