



# Camp Edward

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## CASTAWAY BAY

**2025 Leader's Guide and Camp Information**



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Dear Parents and Leaders,

Hello and WELCOME to Castaway Bay at Camp Edward!

We are excited to have you join us here this summer as we work to find our way off our deserted island, using the scouting skills we'll learn to help us along the way. This is a brand new theme in 2025 and you'll be among the first to join us as castaways! This guide will help you to prepare for your adventure with us.

Summer camp can be one of the greatest experiences in the life of a cub scout. Each program, adventure, and campfire will live in their memory for years to come. Cub Scouting is designed to take place in the out-of-doors. It is in the out door setting that scouts share responsibilities and learn to live with one another. The skills practiced at den meetings come alive with purpose. Being close to nature helps Cub Scouts gain an appreciation for the beauty of the world around us.

Our premier Cub Scout Resident Camp facility, Camp Edward, has been providing cub scout summer camp programs continuously since 1991 and offers you and your scouts a memorable camping program that will provide the opportunity to test outdoor skills, work together, and make lifelong friends. There is much to experience, learn, and enjoy on your summer camp adventure at Camp Edward.

The primary purpose of camp is for your cubs to have FUN! While advancing in rank and completing adventures are undoubtedly important aspects of the camping experience, we must ensure that our scouts have the opportunity to engage in as many programs that are enjoyable to them as possible. The Camp Edward staff has developed a well-rounded program mixing together a balance of advancement, rotations with your pack, and free-time.

This guide is designed to answer many of your questions about camp ahead of time. Should you need additional information, contact the Chief Seattle Council Outdoor Adventures Department at (206) 725-0361 or by email at [campingdept@seattlebsa.org](mailto:campingdept@seattlebsa.org). You may also visit our website at [www.scoutingseattle.org/camp-edward](http://www.scoutingseattle.org/camp-edward).

From all of us here on the Camp Edward staff, our sincere thanks, and **we look forward to seeing you and your scouts at camp this summer!**

Yours in Scouting,

*Don Baeder*

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Camp Director





## ABOUT CAMP EDWARD

Camp Edward is located in the peaceful foothills of the Cascade Mountain range. The facilities are a beautiful addition to the natural features of the property. These amenities include four campsites with a mix of enclosed 8-person cabins with screened windows, and 2-person tents on platforms. There are an additional four campsites featuring 16 two-person canvas wall tents each. All campsites feature a campfire ring, as well as picnic tables that are situated under a large covered picnic shelter. Restroom buildings with private showers are located nearby the campsites. Program areas include a private lake for swimming and boating, a climbing tower, a vast “cub world” playfield including a fort, mine, and lookout tower. BB and archery ranges are also available for all scouts from Tigers on up.

Camp Edward occupies the same land where, from 1967-2013 Camp Brinkley once stood. Before that, the area was occupied by the Rockin’ T-H Scout Ranch, from about 1960 until 1966. Still used today are many of the same footpaths and building footprints that James Foot Brinkley and others before him made into a reality. Before becoming a full-time Cub Scout camp, the ranch offered horsemanship and farming experiences to older scouts and, years later, Camp Brinkley served as a base camp for week-long high-adventure outings as well as 12 sessions of week-long traditional scout camp. Troops would cook several meals in their campsites during cookout day and a lucky few even got to hike to Hughes Lake at Camp Omache (now camp Pigott) for their chance to earn the waterskiing merit badge. In 1991, Camp Brinkley began offering four, 4-day sessions of cub scout resident summer camp as part of a national pilot program, and then would follow these up with four 7-day sessions of older scout summer camp program. In 2003, Camp Brinkley began catering exclusively to cub scouts during the summer and, in 2014, after significant upgrades to the campsites and restrooms, along with some skillful additions to the program areas, the gates re-opened as Camp Edward! Camp Edward is named after World War II veteran and POW, Edward J. Perry.

At Camp Edward, scouts will spend 4 days and 3 nights completely immersed in adventures while increasing knowledge and having the time of their lives. The rich summer camp program provides scouts and packs balanced opportunities for advancement, personal growth, exploration, and **FUN!** The staff will use their unmatched scouting spirit to make your adventure a memorable one! However, at the end of the day, what your unit takes home in experience or advancement rests with you, the parents and adult leaders who volunteer their time over the session. Please use this program guide to learn about camp procedures and policies as well as advancement opportunities. You will then be able to inform all scouts and parents as well as alleviate any potential trepidation among volunteers.



## PRE-CAMP INFORMATION

### Pack Leadership in Camp

Adult leaders are responsible for monitoring the behavior of youth scout members. Scouting America's Youth Protection Guidelines provide that a minimum of standard of two leaders on all trips and outings be followed. Two registered, YP trained adult leaders who must each be at least 21 years of age are required. Furthermore, one of the leaders must be female if the den serves female scouts. At resident camp, a parent of either gender may accompany their own child regardless of gender, as a pair.

For cub resident camp, Scouting America requires that there be 2 registered leaders for the first 8 cubs and one additional registered adult for every 4 additional scouts (or portion thereof) beyond the first 8. Units are strongly encouraged to bring more than the minimum leaders required. We group members of the same pack together at camp. Tiger scouts **MUST** be accompanied by a parent or guardian. We do not recommend bringing Lion scouts to camp. Lions may only be at camp during the day and can not stay overnight. Also, Lions are limited in their ability to participate in several camp activities pursuant to national Scouting America policies.

Finally, if a single family is coming and are the only people from their pack in attendance, the leadership requirement is met. The family will be able to camp together as a family and will be placed in a shared site that may be with another pack or with other families who also are coming without their pack. Those in this situation will only be able to share lodging with their own family members and this lodging will likely be a tent. Families are welcome to bring and pitch their own tent in the campsite as well, rather than use camp-provided tents. **Importantly: children may only share a tent with their own parent or legal guardian if they are sharing with an adult. Grandparents do NOT count as parents under national Scouting America policy unless that grandparent is the legal guardian of the child appointed by a court. This is true regardless of registration status with Scouting America. A grandparent attending with their grandchild will need to sleep in a separate tent, AND will need to be registered as an adult member of the child's pack as the exception to the registration requirement applies only to parents and legal guardians. We are unable to make exceptions to these policies.**

### Camp Contact Information:

**For Reservations:** (206) 725-0361 or email at [campingdept@seattlebsa.org](mailto:campingdept@seattlebsa.org)

**To Contact Camp Edward:** (360) 568-6295 or email the Camp Director at [dbaeder@seattlebsa.org](mailto:dbaeder@seattlebsa.org)



## RESERVATION INFORMATION

### 2025 Camp Dates

- Session 1 July 24-27
- Session 2 July 31-August 3
- Session 3 August 7-10
- Session 4 August 14-17
- Session 5 August 21-24

### Making Reservations

Reservations are online on the Chief Seattle Council website, [www.scoutingseattle.org](http://www.scoutingseattle.org), on a first-come, first-served basis. A \$20 per person nonrefundable deposit is required to secure your reservation. The remaining payments are due as follows:

Payment #1	\$162.50 per scout	\$107.50 per adult	Due April 1, 2025
Payment #2	\$162.50 per scout	\$107.50 per adult	Due June 3, 2025

You must also keep the Outdoor Adventures Department informed of any changes in numbers. **Only 270 spots exist in any one session. Reserve EARLY.** Scouts must attend either with their parent/guardian or with other registered adults from their pack. Tiger Cubs **must** be accompanied by a parent/guardian (they can not attend without, even if they are attending with others from their pack or den). **No non-scout siblings allowed overnight in camp per national Scouting America policy. We are unable to make exceptions.**

### Camperships

Camp scholarships (camperships) are available for those scouts **who are members of the Chief Seattle Council** who may otherwise be unable to attend one of our council camps. No scout should stay home because their family cannot afford for them to attend camp. Pack leaders are encouraged to provide unit money-earning projects so cubs can earn their way to camp. If, after those opportunities are exhausted, there is still a financial need, you can apply online on our website, [www.scoutingseattle.org](http://www.scoutingseattle.org). Completed forms need to be submitted and approved prior to any final payment being due.



## RESERVATION INFORMATION – REFUND POLICY

### **REFUND POLICY**

Preparing for camp requires us to purchase food, supplies, equipment, hire staff, and keep camp facilities in good repair in anticipation of the number of participants registered to attend. These are non-recoverable expenses.

### **Deposits**

Deposits are non-refundable unless a unit or camper cannot be placed in the camp or dates chosen. Refunds are not given for no-shows, behavior issues, scheduling conflicts with other activities such as family vacation, team sports, or school activities. If a participant is sent home from camp due to illness, a refund is not indicated. The Council is unable to refund or reallocate Camp Cards or Camperships.

### **Refund Eligibility**

Refunds will be considered after full payment for the camp has been made. Refunds will be considered if a participant experiences an accident, serious illness including COVID-19 infection, or a death in the immediate family prior to camp. Last-minute cancellations due to chronic conditions may not meet the criteria of becoming ill. Refunds for the above reasons are based on the date of occurrence.

- ***Occurrence up to 2 weeks prior to camp:*** A full refund minus the non-refundable deposit will be considered for the above qualifying events.
- ***Occurrence 2 weeks or less prior to camp:*** No refunds are given unless the participant experiences one of the above qualifying events, in which case they would be considered for a 50% refund minus the non-refundable deposit.

### **Refund Requests**

All refund requests MUST be made ***in writing*** to [campingdept@seattlebsa.org](mailto:campingdept@seattlebsa.org) by up to 10 business days after the last day of the camp/program session cancellation. Any refunds requested after this 10-day period will not be considered. Include the reason for withdrawal, unit number, camp/session, and participant name. Refunds are not guaranteed. No phone calls please.





## ARRIVING AT CAMP EDWARD

### Transportation

Camp Edward does not provide transportation to and from camp. Cub Scouts are to be transported by packs or families only in regular passenger vehicles equipped with seatbelts. Truck beds and equipment trailers are for equipment only. Please note that **carpooling with others in the pack and traveling as a group will help cut down the time it takes for check-in** once you have arrived at camp.

### Check-In

You will be contacted via e-mail one week prior to camp and provided with your assigned arrival time. **Please arrive ON TIME, and no more than 10 minutes early. You will not be able to check-in until your assigned time. Late arrivals may be required to wait until last too check in.** Staff will be stationed in the parking lot on check-in day. Park all vehicles as directed and follow all instructions received from staff. Adults will be given a wristband to show they are registered and have checked-in. Any past due payments must also be made at this time. You will then be checked in to camp, provided with your schedules and other information, and be escorted directly from the parking lot to your campsite as an entire campsite group. Camp staff will also haul your gear into your campsite with the camp truck. **At no time should you exit the parking lot and enter camp unless instructed or authorized by a staff member to do so.** Shortly after arriving in your site, the camp Health Officer will visit to complete your medical form screening and collect your forms for safekeeping in the health lodge. Our check-in procedures may change slightly between now and the start of camp.

### CAMPSITES –

Your campsite requests ARE considered! While every attempt is made to honor them while assigning campsites, we can't guarantee you'll be placed in the site you requested. Many factors play into dividing up the camp and assigning campsites. These include, but are not limited to, group size, YP considerations, special accommodations needed for health reasons, and more. Once we have assigned your campsite and have communicated your check-in time to you, we are unable to change it. We appreciate your understanding.



## ANNUAL HEALTH AND MEDICAL RECORD / AHMR (MEDICAL FORM) INFO

### Scouting America, Annual Health & Medical Record Form / AHMR (Medical Forms)

Scouting America requires an Annual Health and Medical Record (AHMR) commonly known as the “medical form” for all scouting activities. Camp Edward summer camp is no exception.

Castaway Bay at Camp Edward is designed as a program with a duration of LESS THAN 72 total hours. Check-in and orientation is Thursday morning, with the program beginning at lunch (12:25PM). Check-out is Sunday morning at 11:45AM, departing no later than noon. According to national Scouting America rules, such a program requires that Parts A, B1, and B2 of the AHMR form are to be completed prior to arrival. Part C, the pre-participation physical examination, is highly recommended – especially for adults – but is not required. AHMR forms are available online at

- Parts A/B1/B2 only - [http://www.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-001\\_AB.pdf](http://www.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-001_AB.pdf).
- All parts including C - [https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-001\\_ABC.pdf](https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-001_ABC.pdf).

Shortly after arriving at your campsite all AHMR's will be screened by camp medical personnel. These forms and any medications will be collected and checked-in. **All AHMR forms brought into camp will be kept by the health officer and will be returned to you to take home at the end of the session.** Only the health officer, the Camp Director, yourself upon request to the health officer, and professional medical personnel such as EMS will have access to these forms during camp. Lockboxes may be checked out for the length of your session and may be used for medication storage in your campsite.

## CAMP MEDICATION POLICY

### Medications

All medications must be in the original pharmacy containers with the prescription on the container, and be unexpired. Be sure the scout (or adult) brings only the quantity of medication required for the duration of their stay at camp. Inhalers and epinephrine auto-injectors used for emergency conditions may be carried by the camper or their parent. Make sure all medications are current and have not expired!!

The pack (or scout's own parent/guardian) will be responsible for dispensing medications to the scout. Medications must be kept in a lockable container, which will be provided by the camp. A secured vehicle is also an acceptable location to store medications. Refrigeration is available in the Health Lodge if needed. Any injections that need to be given at camp if other than by the scout or adult themselves, must be administered by the Health Officer with written permission from the parent/guardian.



## SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS & DIETARY RESTRICTIONS

### Special Accommodation Needs & Dietary Restriction Information

If you need a special physical accommodation (such as power for a CPAP) or have a dietary need resulting from a food allergy, please provide this information in the **special needs** section located within the roster section of your online camp reservation in Tentaroo **at least two weeks prior to your session**. It is imperative that we have this information ahead of time in order to properly prepare for and accommodate you and your needs here at camp. We cannot guarantee accommodation of your need if this information is not provided by this deadline. If you require a CPAP and we aren't able to place you in a campsite with electrical power due to numbers and required YP arrangements, as long as we know of the need, we'll advise you ahead of your arrival so that you can come prepared with a rechargeable battery pack. We will provide a space for you to recharge such a pack.

**-Reporting Instructions Provided Later in this Guide -**

## FOOD SERVICES AT CAMP EDWARD

### Food Services

Camp Edward serves all meals in the Perry Lodge, our newly updated and appointed dining facility. Meals are prepared for you and served family style. In the spirit of service, cubs from each campsite will be asked to serve as waitstaff, assisting with the preparation of the tables and with cleanup after the meals. Scouts should be clean and wearing scouting appropriate attire consistent with such duties while serving as waitstaff. Proper attire should be worn to all meals by all participants.

### MEAL SCHEDULE

- |             |                                        |                               |
|-------------|----------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| • Breakfast | Arrive at 7:55 AM, served at 8:00 AM   | Waitstaff reports at 7:30AM   |
| • Lunch     | Arrive at 12:25 PM, served at 12:30 PM | Waitstaff reports at 12:00 PM |
| • Dinner    | Arrive at 5:50 PM, served at 6:00 PM   | Waitstaff reports at 5:15 PM  |

NOTE: Leader's Meeting at 1:15 each day following lunch



## FOOD SERVICES AT CAMP EDWARD – CONTINUED

### Modified Diets

The camp kitchen staff serves warm and nutritious meals for all participants. They will also attempt to meet common dietary needs. Modified diets, (i.e., vegetarian, gluten-free, dairy-free, etc.), may be provided upon request for certain circumstances such as food allergies. Our capabilities in this area may be limited. **If you are on a more complex restricted diet, you may find it beneficial to bring along your own foods. The kitchen staff will work with you and prepare your foods for you. Per Snohomish County and State of Washington food service regulations, we cannot permit persons who are not part of the kitchen staff into the food preparation areas of our kitchen. If you must prepare your own foods (i.e., for religious reasons, etc.) you'll need to plan to do this in your campsite and bring along any equipment you'll need for that purpose. We can also set up a microwave area in the dining facility for you to use.** Self-prepared foods may be brought into the dining facility and be self-consumed, but they may not be shared with others outside of the immediate family of the person who has prepared the food. If food is prepared with camp-provided ingredients and the preparation is overseen by staff, it may be shared, such as with the cooking demonstration in the Scoutcraft area.

Specific dietary needs must be requested by completing the **Special Needs** information in your registration. Please submit this information at least 2 weeks prior to camp. **Instructions on how to report special needs follow on the next two pages.**

### Peanut Policy for Camp Kitchen

No peanut products, including peanut oil, will be used in the meals, snacks, cracker barrels, or other food service prepared and served in the kitchen or dining facility of any Chief Seattle Council camp, including Camp Edward.

**While this prohibition is in place in the kitchens and dining facility, those with allergies must be aware that the camp trading posts may contain some peanut products.** It is also important to note that peanut products may be brought to camp by individual scouts or leaders without the knowledge of the camp staff or the Council.

This policy applies to all Chief Seattle Council camps and events held at the council camps including, but not limited to, Cub Scout Resident Camp (Castaway Bay), ScoutsBSA Summer Camp, NYLT, Cub Day at Camp, Winter Camp, Woodbadge, OA Events, Range & Target Day Weekends, and Day Camp.



## REPORTING DIETARY AND OTHER ACCOMMODATION NEEDS

### How to Report –

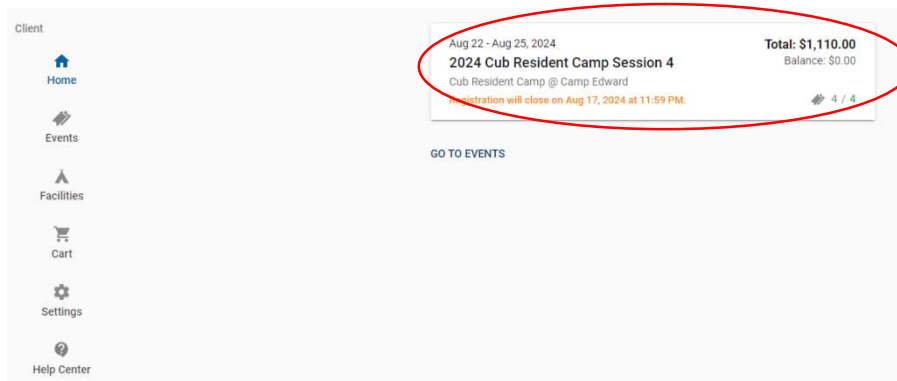
#### REPORTING SPECIAL ACCOMMODATION / DIETARY RESTRICTIONS & NEEDS

It is **ESSENTIAL** that you report your special accommodation requests to camp **AT LEAST TWO WEEKS** prior to your camp session. These needs include:

- Any accommodation required for a physical limitation.
- Requirements for dietary needs such as
  - Severe Food Allergies
  - Dietary requirements prescribed by your health-care provider.
- The requirement to use a CPAP machine while you sleep.

These needs should be reported to us through your registration within Tentaroo. To do this, follow these instructions:

1. Navigate to <https://seattlebsa.tentaroo.com> and log in with your credentials.  
(if a pack coordinator registered you, please have them do this procedure for you.)
2. From the home screen, click on your camp registration:







## REPORTING DIETARY AND OTHER ACCOMMODATION NEEDS - CONTINUED

3. Scroll to the bottom of the page, where you will find the participant section. Youth will be listed first, and underneath that, adults will be listed. If you do not see any names, please call the camp director at (360) 568-6295 for assistance in assigning actual names to reserved spots. Click on the name of the person you wish to enter special needs information for

**Participants** 4 [ADD PARTICIPANT](#)

Youth (Y) ✓ All spots registered

Adult (A) ✓ All spots registered

Johnny Scouter

4. Click the Manage Registration button to the right of the person's name.

Johnny Scouter  
Adult (A)

MANAGE REGISTRATION

5. Click "edit registration" from the drop-down

Johnny Scouter  
Adult (A)

MANAGE REGISTRATION

Edit Registration

Cancel Registration



## REPORTING DIETARY AND OTHER ACCOMMODATION NEEDS - CONTINUED

6. At the bottom of the page is the section about special needs. There are two sliders, one for serious allergies, one for dietary restrictions. If either of these apply, please slide the appropriate slider to the right. In the “additional info” area under the sliders, please enter any info you have about the allergy, dietary need, or any other special accommodation information that is relevant for the individual. Then click next. Click next again on the next page to save the information.

Special Needs

Serious Allergies ☐ Dietary Restrictions ☐

Additional Info optional

Please enter info about any allergies, dietary restrictions, or other needed accommodations.

NEXT >

**-END OF INSTRUCTIONS FOR REPORTING NEEDS-**



## GENERAL CAMP INFORMATION

### Campsite Accommodations

When you register for camp, you are provided the opportunity to request a specific campsite. When assigning campsites, staff DO make an effort to honor these requests when possible but **please be aware that these requests are requests only, and do not guarantee your group a specific site.** Camp attendees are assigned to campsites by the camp staff prior to arrival. These assignments will be made prior to your arrival and are used to assign arrival times for Check-In. **These times, along with your site assignment information, will be communicated with you via e-mail no later than 1 week prior to your arrival. We are unable to change campsite assignments once they have been assigned. Your cooperation and understanding are appreciated.**

Four Campsites feature sixteen 7'x9' canvas tents on plywood platforms, each sleeping two. Those sites are:

- Backus Campsite
- Frederick Campsite
- Hopkins Campsite
- Blue Ox Campsite

Two additional campsites feature three enclosed cabins that sleep 8 persons each, along with four 7'x9' canvas tents on plywood platforms each sleeping two. Those sites are:

- Kuppler Campsite
- Wildcat Campsite

And finally, two more campsites feature four enclosed cabins that sleep 8 persons each, along with four 7'x9' canvas tents on plywood platforms each sleeping two. Those sites are:

- Werner Campsite
- Silver Peak Campsite

All cabins in campsites that have them feature electrical outlets. They do not include sleeping mattresses. Tents are not equipped with cots. You'll need to bring your own sleeping mats/pads or cots should you desire these items.

Each campsite features a large covered picnic shelter with picnic tables, as well as a campfire pit. Firewood is provided by camp, but it's a good idea to bring some along as our supply may still be a bit green.



## GENERAL CAMP INFORMATION – CONTINUED

### **Campsite Accommodations – continued**

According to the Guide to Safe Scouting, a cub scout may share a tent or cabin with other youth of the same gender, provided the gap in age between tent-mates is not more than 2 years (24 months). Youth may also share a tent with their own parent or legal guardian. Same-gendered adults may share a cabin. Youth and adult campers of the same gender may share a cabin if there are at least 4 youth and two registered, YP-trained adults in the cabin at minimum. Married adult campers may share a tent, as may families. Grandparents do not count as “parents” unless they have been granted legal guardianship of the child(ren) by court order. Grandparents wishing to accompany their grandchild(ren) to camp who are NOT the legal guardian must be registered in an adult position with the child(ren)’s pack. Grandparents will also not be able to share a tent with their grandchild(ren). The cub-specific exemption that allows parents to tent with their own child(ren) applies ONLY to parents and legal guardians. This is true EVEN IF the parents are also sharing the tent with the children. Parents/Guardians are the ONLY adults allowed to tent with children and only if they are their own children. Grandparents can not share a tent with the family under Scouting America’s national policies.

All campsites provide enough open space that large families who wish to pitch their own tents will be able to do so. For example, parents attending with several children.

Finally, in a cabin, once the 2:4 minimum ratio mentioned above is met, unregistered adults of the same gender as those already in the cabin may occupy unused space in that cabin provided they, at minimum, have taken and are current with Scouting America’s Youth Protection Training available online for free at <https://my.scouting.org>. For this reason, we ask that ALL adults attending camp at least complete and be current on that training. It makes it much easier to arrange everyone in campsites here at camp.



## GENERAL CAMP INFORMATION - CONTINUED

### **Mail at Camp**

Scouts LOVE to get mail! A letter from home can be one of the greatest cures for homesickness. Mail is delivered at least once per day. It takes 1-3 days for delivery, so plan ahead to ensure your letters arrive before the end of the session. We recommend using FedEx or UPS for parcels. USPS is suitable for letters and postcards but hasn't been the most reliable in getting parcels delivered here in a timely fashion in recent summers. USPS's practice is to leave a pickup notice, which requires a 1-hour round-trip to the post office to complete the pickup. Camp doesn't always have someone readily available each day for this task. Send parcels at least a week in advance and we will hold them and deliver them while your scout is in camp. Our mailing address is:

Camp Edward  
[Scout's Name], [Pack Number], [Session Number]  
25600 Monroe Camp Rd  
Snohomish, WA 98290-9579

### **Visitors**

Day visitors are WELCOME at Camp Edward! We can not accommodate overnight visitors under any circumstances. We ask that you advise all visitors that they will need to check in to the Camp Office upon arrival and that, if they are hoping to join you for a meal, there will be a small charge to do so. Visitor meals are subject to the availability of space in the dining facility and food product in the kitchen.

### **Program Activities and Advancement Opportunities**

Cub Scouts can work on advancement adventures during any open-area time and during rotations. Age specific adventure activities will be provided at camp for Tiger, Wolf, Bear, Webelos, and AOL scouts. Camp Pigott is offering an AOL-specific camp this summer as well, from July 9-12. You may want to consider sending your scout to that program in addition to, or instead of, Castaway Bay. The choice is yours. Information is available in the Outdoor Adventures section of the Council website, at [www.scoutingseattle.org](http://www.scoutingseattle.org). Activities here at Castaway Bay include: swimming and boating, archery, BB guns, nature lessons, arts and crafts, scout skills instruction, advancement, campfire programs, games and much, much more. **This is scouting at it's BEST!!**





## GENERAL CAMP INFORMATION - CONTINUED

### Staff Hosts

Every campsite will have at least two staff members as hosts. They will help answer your questions, direct your scouts to the right areas at the right times, describe the program opportunities, and just be there to give assistance. They will join you for campsite and friendship campfires.

The staff at Camp Edward represent the greatest resource available to your cub scout during their stay at camp. They are selected from older scouts and venturers primarily from the Chief Seattle Council. Their sole purpose is to help you rpack have a successful (and fun!) camp experience.

### Lost & Found

Lost and found items are collected during regular camp sessions and off-season camp use. While at camp, lost items can be claimed at the camp office. **They are not kept at the council service center.** After the session ends, call the camp. If you attend the final session, call the camp ranger at the same camp number. After 30 days, any unclaimed items are contributed to Goodwill or other worthy agencies.

### Trading Post – AND CAMP T-SHIRTS!!!

The Trading Post will open for your convenience. Available for purchase will be things such as memorabilia, snacks, drinks, camping gear, pocket knives, scouting literature, and many other items to choose from. Cash, Check, and Credit Cards are accepted. We have dip, tap, and swipe capability for credit cards. You are welcome to visit the trading post whenever you'd like during it's normal hours. The Trading post has a branch inside the Craftlodge as well that specifically offers craft kits for sale. Plan to bring along about \$60 per scout so that they may purchase snacks, mementos, and/or craft kits. **Cubs must have an adult present with them at the Trading Post to purchase pocket knives.**

### **2025 CAMP T-SHIRT ONLINE PRE-SALE!!**

We are pre-selling Castaway Bay t-shirts online for a discounted price. Get yours EARLY! These will be delivered to camp and handed out while you are here. They will cost more at the Trading Post than they do in the online pre-sale and the availability of extras at camp isn't guaranteed. The store also carries other Camp Edward branded items at a discounted price. There are hats, beanie caps, standard camp Edward tees (non-castaway bay versions), and hooded sweatshirts.

STORE LINK: <https://campedward.secure-decoration.com>

Or scan this QR:





## GENERAL CAMP INFORMATION - CONTINUED

### **Health and Safety**

A well-equipped medical lodge is provided at camp. A trained Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) is on duty at all times. Serious injuries or illness requiring hospitalization are referred to EMS (911). Parents may elect to transport their child for medical care as well. In ANY case involving a suspected head or spinal injury, or in cases that may be life-threatening per the judgement of our EMT, a call to EMS **WILL** be made, no matter how minor or insignificant others may believe the situation is. This is true for scouts as well as for adults. Parents on site may work directly with EMS on medical decisions for their child AFTER EMS ARRIVES in these cases. Your safety and the safety of your scouts is our top priority in all cases, but especially in cases of this nature. Scouting America carries accident and sickness insurance through a national carrier that covers all participants at Camp Edward's summer camp program. You will be provided a claim form should the involvement of EMS or transport to the hospital become necessary.

### **Pets**

**LEAVE YOUR PETS AT HOME!** Camp abounds with natural wildlife such as deer, birds, racoons, and coyotes. For this reason, and for the safety of ALL participants, pets are not allowed. Even pets that can be carried. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**

*Camp does not permit pets to be left in vehicles. Even by day visitors. It is cruel and irresponsible to leave a pet in a vehicle. If you bring a pet to camp, you will be asked to leave and return it home. It can not be on property, under any circumstances, even in the parking lot.*

***Service animals trained to do a specific task for an individual with a disability are permitted. ESA's do not qualify under the ADA as service animals and are therefore not allowed. Documentation of this can be provided upon request. Please contact the Camp Director with questions about, or to arrange to bring a service animal to camp.***



## GENERAL CAMP INFORMATION - CONTINUED

### Internet & Phone Service

The Leader's Lounge, located in the Raven's Nest on the mezzanine level of the Perry Lodge, features Wi-Fi access with tables for your laptop and coffee is available downstairs. There is also a cellular booster and decent coverage from some of the major providers (Verizon, AT&T, and T-Mobile to name a few).

**Please note that while we offer Wi-Fi access, our business operations take priority on the network. In addition, the internet connection our Wi-Fi utilizes is cellular data based and we compete for data bandwidth with others using the tower in our local community. It is our only available option for service because of our location. Please do NOT access streaming music or video over the camp Wi-Fi. Connections are monitored and devices found to be using unreasonable amounts of bandwidth will be automatically blocked by the system. At times, our connection can be very slow and unreliable. If your need for Wi-Fi is critical, please consider bringing your own hotspot or plan on tethering to your phone.** The camp office has a land-line phone available for emergencies should the need arise.

### Special Needs

Specific dietary allergies or physical accommodation needs must be reported at least 2 weeks prior to camp. Please submit this information in the roster section of your registration on Tentaroo as explained earlier in this guide. For facility-specific questions, please contact the camp directly.

### Recycling

Our solid waste disposal provider does not offer recycling services in our area at this time. As scouts ourselves, we find ourselves with a dilemma. We have an obligation to be environmentally aware and be good stewards of our planet, yet there is no readily available way to do so when it comes to the items we discard into the trash. Please consider developing your own campsite recycling program as an opportunity for your scouts to practice front-country leave-no-trace principles. Camp can provide bags to collect the recycling materials, but you'll need to take them home to recycle them. All food packaging materials and utensils provided for meal service are compostable/biodegradable and environmentally friendly.

### Check-Out

Please plan to depart shortly after the closing ceremony on Sunday, at around 11:45AM. On the last day of camp, make sure your campsite is clean and ready for the next session of campers. We will assist in moving your gear to the parking lot. Your staff hosts will make arrangements with you to inspect your campsite, which must be complete before medical forms and awards may be picked up.



## WHAT TO BRING TO CAMP

### SUGGESTED PACKING LIST

#### **Personal Gear**

Annual Health and Medical Record, Parts A & B\*  
Sleeping bag and Sleeping Pad  
Sweatshirt / Jacket / Poncho or Raincoat  
Ball Cap or other style Hat  
Changes of Clothes (and undergarments)  
Hiking Boots  
Tennis Shoes  
Swimsuit (scouting appropriate please)  
Cub Scout or Scouts BSA Field Uniform  
Water Bottle  
Towel & Washcloth  
Personal Hygiene Kit (soap, shampoo, etc.)  
Shower Shoes  
Flashlight and Batteries  
Personal First Aid Kit  
2 oz. Hand Sanitizer  
Paper and Pencil  
\$60 for Trading Post Needs & Wants

#### **Leader Gear**

Alarm Clock (use your phone)  
First Aid Kit for your Pack  
2 oz. Hand Sanitizer  
Program Reference Materials  
Game Ideas  
Lantern (battery powered preferred)  
Rope and Binder's Twine  
Clipboard / Paper / Pens & Pencils

#### **Camp Provides**

Flag Pole & Flag of the United States of America  
Campfire Pit  
Picnic Tables  
Tents (you may also bring your own)  
Fire Tools  
Bulletin Board  
Bathroom Facilities  
Toilet Paper  
Small Quantities of Firewood

\*Parts A & B of the AHMR (medical form) are REQUIRED to attend camp. Part C is highly recommended.

***\*\*Make absolutely sure that your vaccination information on the AHMR form includes the DATES of the vaccinations! Tetanus must be within the last 10 years per national policy. Writing "up-to-date" for any of the vaccination records does not meet the requirement. You may attach a school or doctors office vaccination record to the form to meet the requirement.***

#### **BE PREPARED! (for the weather)**

Weather at Camp Edward can be unpredictable during the summer months. Everything from hot days to quick thunderstorms, to cool rainy days are considered normal. Come to camp PREPARED and bring adequate clothing so that you may dress in layers if needed.

#### **Tools are provided by camp**

Equipment is available for camp beautification and conservation projects, campsite repairs, and improvements as well as for cookouts and more. We have everything from cook kits and dutch ovens to axes, saws, and MORE! Let us know your needs while you are here!



## THE RULES OF CAMP

**The Scout Oath & Law are the Law of Camp Edward!**

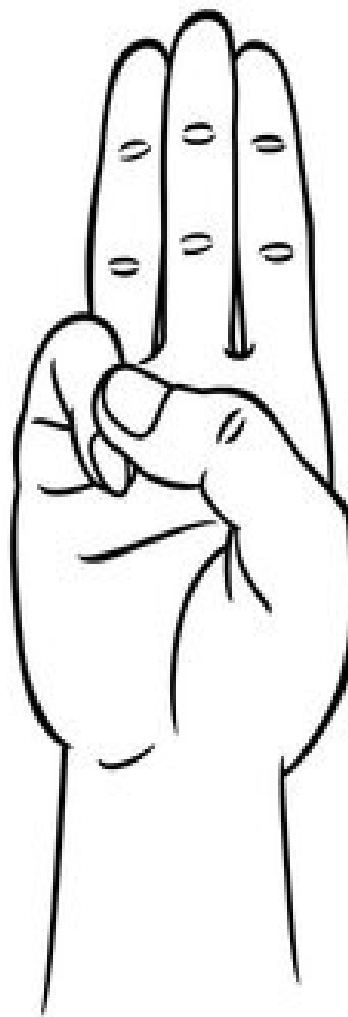
### **The Scout Oath:**

*"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."*

### **The Scout Law:**

A Scout is –

- Trustworthy
- Loyal
- Helpful
- Friendly
- Courteous
- Kind
- Obedient
- Cheerful
- Thrifty
- Brave
- Clean
- and Reverent



**In addition, we ask that you abide by the camp rules listed on the following pages. Your cooperation will help to ensure an enjoyable experience for everyone who attends camp during your session. Thank you for your efforts!**





## THE RULES OF CAMP – CONTINUED

### **Policies that Camp Edward and all CSC Camps Expect Visitors to Abide By:**

1. No scout is allowed to leave camp after check-in without a release from a parent. Leadership must be 2-deep if the scout is not leaving with their own parent or guardian. Anyone leaving must check-out with the office, and adults leaving with children will need to present ID and will need to be listed as authorized on the AHMR form to transport the scout if they are not the scout's parent or guardian.
2. Cut no trees without the permission of the Camp Director or Camp Ranger. Do not disturb local flora or fauna.
3. Cub Scouts must stay out of others' campsites and cabins/tents unless invited. Off-limit areas include the Camp Director's and Ranger's homes and yards, the parking lot (unless accompanied by a parent or leaders), maintenance areas, Range & Target activity areas and the Waterfront when they are closed, the loading area behind the kitchen, and staff housing areas. Being on the Waterfront or a Range & Target activity area when closed may result in being sent home.
4. No open-toed shoes should be worn around camp. They ARE allowed on the Waterfront. Please wear closed-toed shoes while walking to and from the Waterfront and change them there.
5. All fires MUST be tended. A fireguard chart must be posted and followed (hosts will help you with this). Per Washington State DNR Fire Protection Area rules, campfires may be banned in periods of hot, dry weather. We will advise campers of any ban as soon as we receive word.
6. No flames of any kind in any tent or cabin whether it is camp provided or camper-owned. Unused liquid fuels must be locked up and can only be used under adult supervision. A cannister attached to an appliance is considered "in-use" even when the appliance is switched off.
7. **No Fireworks are allowed at Camp.** Those who bring or discharge fireworks will be sent home.
8. No personal BB guns, Archery Equipment, or Slingshots may be brought to camp.
9. No intoxicating beverages, marijuana or it's derivatives, or other illegal substances are allowed on Scouting America properties. No smoking or vaping of tobacco products is allowed outside of designated areas. The only such area is next to the parking lot.



## **THE RULES OF CAMP – CONTINUED**

10. **No dishwashing in the restroom or breezeway sinks. It clogs the drains and drainfields!**
11. **Please do not flush anything other than toilet paper and human waste down the toilets. Absolutely NO wipes or hygiene products get flushed, EVEN IF THEY SAY FLUSHABLE!**
12. Please leave your campsite, cabins, and tents in as good as, or better condition than when you arrived.

**The following pages include directions to Camp Edward as well as Sample program materials**



## DIRECTIONS TO CAMP EDWARD

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- Take Hwy 522 East to its end, merge onto Hwy 2 East (to Wenatchee) in Monroe.
- Drive about ¼ mile. A Safeway and McDonalds will be on your left. (Move into the left turn lane early)
- Turn LEFT onto Woods Creek Road. There is no light at this turn. (If you pass Chinook Lumber, you have gone too far.)
- It is about 10.3 miles to camp. Every time there is a fork in the road, KEEP RIGHT. The first right will be onto Yeager Road.
- The second right (almost straight) will be back onto Woods Creek Road. Oncoming traffic does not stop. Do not take the hard right.
- Turn RIGHT onto S. Lake Roesiger Road. This is at a "T" intersection, no stop sign for your direction of travel.
- Stay right at the "Y" intersection onto Lake Roesiger Road.
- At the Lake Roesiger general store (about 2.5 miles) turn RIGHT onto Monroe Camp Road. Please drive 25 mph or less, this is a narrow road with occasional foot traffic and short sight distances.
- In about 1.5 miles, keep RIGHT at the Camp Edward sign and proceed up the hill, past the maintenance yard to the parking lot on the right. Camp speed limit is 5 mph or less.
- Camp Edward  
25600-B Monroe Camp Rd.  
Snohomish, WA 98290  
Camp phone: 360-568-6295



To Everett

To Seattle



## SAMPLE DAILY SCHEDULE – (subject to minor changes)



# CASTAWAY BAY



	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
7:30 AM	<b>Check-in</b> Rosters/Med Checks T-Shirt Orders Move in to sites Camp Tour Swim Checks	Waiters Report	Waiters Report	Waiters Report
7:55		Breakfast	Breakfast	Breakfast
9:00		Rotation #4	Rotation #7	<b>RELAY RACE</b>
10:00		Rotation #5	Rotation #8	
11:00		Open Areas	Open Areas	
12:00 PM	Swim Checks	Waiters Report	Waiters Report	Pack Up and Pack Out
12:25	Lunch (12:20)	Lunch	Lunch	Closing Ceremony (11:30)
1:15	Leaders' Meeting Cub Quiet Time	Leaders' Meeting Cub Quiet Time	Leaders' Meeting Cub Quiet Time	 Thank You!  Have a safe Journey home!!  See you next Year!
2:00	Rotation #1	Rotation #6	Rotation #9	
3:00	Rotation #2	Advancement	Advancement	
4:00	Rotation #3	Open Areas	<b>CAMPWIDE ACTIVITY</b>	
5:15	Waiters Report	Waiters Report	Waiters Report	
5:50	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	
6:50	Scout's Own Service	Scout's Own Service	Scout's Own Service	
7:00	Skit and Song Training	Games	Games	
8:15	Opening Campfire Crackerbarrel	Campsite Campfire	Friendship Campfire	
9:30	Lights Out	Lights Out	Lights Out	



## SAMPLE ROTATION SCHEDULE – (subject to minor changes)



# CASTAWAY BAY @ CAMP EDWARD



ROTATION	EVENT	LOCATION
A	Cooking	Lashing Landing
B	BB Guns	Parched Pete's Plinking Palace
C	Knot Tying	Lashing Landing
D	Craft Project	The Tool Hut
E	Swimming	Castaway Bay
F	Nature Walk	Wilson's Wilds
G	Archery	Beached Betty's Archery Range
H	Rowing	Castaway Bay
I	Climbing	Lookout Hill

Rotation Number	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Wildcat	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
Kuppler	I	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
Silver Peak	H	I	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Hopkins	G	H	I	A	B	C	D	E	F
Backus	F	G	H	I	A	B	C	D	E
Frederick	E	F	G	H	I	A	B	C	D
Blue Ox	D	E	F	G	H	I	A	B	C
Werner	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	A	B

### Trading Post Hours:

Thursday: 9:00-12:00, 2:00-5:30, 7:00-8:00  
 Friday: 9:00-12:00, 2:00-5:30, 7:00-8:30  
 Saturday: 9:00-12:00, 2:00-5:30, 7:00-8:30  
 Sunday: 9:00-12:00





## **SAMPLE PROGRAM OFFERINGS – (subject to minor changes)**



### **CASTAWAY BAY @ CAMP EDWARD**



<b>Knots</b>	Young Castaways will learn several knots at Lashing Landing and have an opportunity to try tying them in practical situations.
<b>Nature Walk</b>	Every castaway needs to know how to live off the land. Luckily the scientists at Wilson's Wilds have spent years learning about the local wildlife and are offering to show you around and share their knowledge.
<b>Climbing</b>	At the base of Lookout Hill, learn the team building skills needed to reach the top to watch for ships!
<b>Craft Project</b>	At the Tool Hut, you will help build useful things to use while waiting for rescue!
<b>BB Guns</b>	Our range staff will train adventurers in the proper and safe handling of BB guns at Parched Pete's Plinking Palace. Castaways will be able to take their targets home!
<b>Archery</b>	Down at Beached Betty's Archery Range, your adventurer will be instructed in the safe use of bows and arrows and have an opportunity to show their skills with the bow.
<b>Swimming</b>	The dashing and amazing aquatics crew will be hosting your boys for a swimming session at the one and only Castaway Bay!
<b>Rowing</b>	Fearless adventurers will pile into the rowboats for rowing down at Castaway Bay!
<b>Cooking</b>	At Lashing Landing, your adventurers will learn to cook in a Dutch Oven, along with fire safety skills. Come on down for a delicious treat!
<b>Casting</b>	At Fort Foundry, learn how to make an anchor!
<b>Scout Games</b>	Adventurers will head to the games field to play some rousing field games.
<b>Relay Race</b>	A relay race around Camp Edward with 9 stations that will test skills from knot tying and first aid to plant identification and scouting ideals (i.e. scout law). Teams are required to provide their own baton, which will be judged as well.
<b>Advancement</b>	All cubs are able to fulfill requirements for adventures! During rotations and open time, some requirements may be covered. During advancement time, this is the primary focus of program.
	On the anniversary of our landing on the island, join us for a fun time at Castaway Bay applying the skills learned throughout your time with us. Activities may include swimming, wrist rockets, and more!
<b>Scouts own Service</b>	Staff will conduct this non-sectarian service with the help of adventurers and leaders present. A Scout always does his duty to God.
<b>Campfires</b>	An opening campwide campfire will be held at the beginning of the session. Meet at the parade field. You will also have the opportunity to have a campfire in your own site, and be the host or guest at a friendship fire with another group. Cubs are encouraged to prepare their own skits and songs, and to make some new friends!



## MAP OF CAMP EDWARD

