

Spring 2006 Advance-A-Rama
Directions for Life Through Scouting

Program Notes

Subject	Discussion
Access to the Navy School	<p>The driver of all vehicles entering the Navy School will be required to show their Driver's License, Vehicle Registration, and current Proof of Insurance. Passenger adults will be required to show picture identification, i.e. Driver's License.</p> <p>Be prepared – have the required documents out and ready for the Guard when you enter the Base.</p>
Troop On-site Contact	<p>Each Troop is required to designate a single, on-site point of contact (POC). The POC will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Register the Troop at the Registration Table before Morning Colors. • Sign-out the Troop when all Scouts are in vehicles and prepared to leave the base at the conclusion of the AAR. • Should have in their possession a telephone listing with emergency contacts for all Scouts attending the AAR.
Sign-out at Conclusion of the AAR	<p>The safety and accountability of all Scouts attending the AAR is our most important responsibility.</p> <p>Any Scout not signed out by the Troop On-site Contact at the conclusion of the AAR will not receive credit for the completion of any merit badge or merit badge requirements.</p>
On-site Sign-in	<p>Sign in for the AAR, i.e. registration, class confirmations, class changes, final payments, etc. will be held at the entrance to Russell Hall (the main classroom building – under the big gold E).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This area is restricted to either the Troop On-site Contact or the Troop's Senior Patrol Leader. <p>Pizza orders will be taken at the entrance to George Auditorium, 50 yards directly opposite from Russell Hall. Orders should be placed for the entire Troop by either the Troop On-site Contact or the Troop's Senior Patrol Leader.</p>
Registration	<p>Registration for the AAR is a two step process – 1. Submit registration and receive class confirmation, and 2. Submission of fees to Kelvin Williams, Cherokee Executive, NEGA Council, P.O. Box 399, Jefferson, GA 30549</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registration for the AAR will be via Email only. Registrations are not to be submitted to either of the NEGA Scout Offices. • Troops should email their registrations to June Starkey at cherokeear@yahoo.com Troops needing to make special arrangements, please call June Starkey at 706-795-5084. • Multiple registrations may be submitted by each Troop. After the initial registration, please identify the action being requested, i.e. add new Scout, change class, delete Scout, etc on subsequent emails. (Please be sure to include the contact name and Troop with each correspondence.) • Registrations will be confirmed by email within 48 hours of submission. • Only Cherokee District Troops may register prior to Wednesday, February 1.

Fees	<p>The fee schedule for participation is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registration by Wednesday, March 1 = \$ 5 • Registration the day of the event - \$15 <p>Troops are obligated to pay for the total number of Scouts registered as of Friday, March 3 plus additional registrations the day of the AAR.</p>									
Off-site classes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The following classes will be taught at locations other than the Navy School. <table border="1" data-bbox="509 436 1461 531"> <tr> <td>Art</td> <td>Electricity / Energy</td> <td>Pulp and Paper</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Crime Prevention</td> <td>Orienteering</td> <td>Sculpture</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Bird Study</td> <td>Pottery</td> <td>Swimming</td> </tr> </table> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Assistance is needed from adults willing to attend the class for the entire period and serve as chaperons. What a great chance to watch your Scouts in action! • Assistance is also needed to provide transportation to and from the class location. • If you can help in either area, please call John Doyle at 706-714-8139. 	Art	Electricity / Energy	Pulp and Paper	Crime Prevention	Orienteering	Sculpture	Bird Study	Pottery	Swimming
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Merit Badge Requirements	<p>The AAR Program lists the most current requirements for all Merit Badges offered at the AAR.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prerequisites are show in UPPER CASE and 14 pt. type • In order to have the opportunity to earn the Merit Badge at the AAR, prerequisites much be completed prior to the AAR. • Web sites with information that may assist in the completion of the prerequisites are listed along with each Merit Badge requirements page 									
Class for High School Age Scouts	<p>Scouts must be currently enrolled in high school to take the Electricity/Energy class.</p>									
Personal Management / Life to Eagle	<p>The Personal Management class is the second half day session for this badge. Only requirements 8, 9, and 10 will be covered at the Spring 2006 AAR. Requirement 9 will focus on planning the Eagle Project.</p>									
Photo Release	<p>As part of the Program Notes, a Talent Release form is provided.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This will allow photographs to be taken of all Scouts and Adult Leaders attending the AAR. • A separate Talent Release is required for each Scout and Adult Leader • It is the Troop's responsibility to ensure that the Talent Release is obtained prior to the AAR. • Talent Releases will not be collected at the AAR. • By submitting the Troop Registration, the Troop Leader certifies that a Talent Release has been obtained for all Scouts being registered. 									
Directions to the Navy School	<p>Directions are provided in the next section of the AAR Program.</p>									
The Food Court	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pizza and soda are available for purchase on the day of the AAR. • In order to serve everyone in a timely manner, Troops are requested to place pizza orders for the entire Troop rather than allowing individual Scouts to place orders. • Please use the order form on the inside back cover of the AAR Program to plan you Troops pizza order. • Troops are requested to pay for pizza by either cash or a separate check from that used for registration 									
Additional copies of AAR Program	<p>The easiest way for Troops or Scouts needing additional copies of the AAR Program is to download it at:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Cherokee District Web site www.cherokee-bsa.org or the Northeast Georgia Council Web site (www.nega-bsa.org) by clicking District Resources, then Cherokee District, then Cherokee District Calendar, then double click on AAR listed on March 4. 									
Contact Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • John Doyle at (706) 714-8139 if you have questions. • Registration questions can best be answered by June Starkey at (706) 795-5084. • Both June and John will return telephone calls in the evenings. 									

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Directions

1. **General.** The Forrestal Gate on Oglethorpe Avenue in Athens is the only entrance to the Navy School.
2. **In Athens, coming from the intersection of Prince and Oglethorpe streets.** The Forrestal Gate is on Oglethorpe Avenue. This gate is the second on your right, 400 yards from the intersection of Prince and Oglethorpe.
3. **In Athens coming from the intersection of Hawthorne and Oglethorpe streets,** cross the intersection of Sunset (there is a stoplight) and continue .3 mile. The Forrestal Gate will be on your left.
4. **On the grounds of the Navy School,** you will immediately come to a Security Station. The vehicle's driver will be required to show picture identification, i.e. driver's license, vehicle registration and current proof of insurance. Be prepared – have the required documents out and ready to show the guard. Parking for the AAR will be in the lot on the left immediately past the Security Station. Staying on the sidewalks, please follow the signs to the Registration Station for the AAR
5. **From Atlanta,** take Georgia 316 East to Athens. Be advised that GA 316 is heavily patrolled for speeders. Approaching Athens, you will cross GA 10 Loop. Reference after crossing GA 10 Loop will be a Home Depot on your right and a Lowe's on your left. Cross Timothy Road (there is a stoplight). GA 316 merges right into Atlanta Highway. Reference point will be Peking restaurant on your right, Hobby Lobby on your left. Go to the third stoplight and turn left onto Hawthorne (there is a stoplight). Reference points will be MacDonald's and Hampton Inn on your left. Continue on Hawthorne until intersection with Oglethorpe. Reference points will be a Salvation Army on your right followed by BP gas station on your right at the Hawthorne intersection. Turn right, cross the intersection of Sunset (there is a stoplight) and continue .3 mile. The Forrestal Gate will be on your left
6. **From Jefferson.** Approaching Athens on 129 South, pass Athens Country Club on your left. Cross 10 Loop. Cross Sunset – there is a stoplight. Reference point will be Texaco on your left. Turn right onto Oglethorpe at the next light. The Forrestal Gate is on Oglethorpe Avenue. This gate is the second on your right, 400 yards from the intersection of Prince and Oglethorpe.
7. **From Commerce.** Approaching Athens on US 441 South, pass Country Rock Café on left, Sandy Creek Nature Center on right, and Bulldog Inn on right. Exit right onto North 129, 10 Loop, US 441 South. Look for NSCS sign on your right – take Exit 14 – sign indicates 129 North, Prince Avenue, Jefferson. At end of exit ramp turn left at the stoplight. Cross Sunset – there is a stoplight. Reference point will be Texaco on your left. Turn right onto Oglethorpe at the next light. The Forrestal Gate is on Oglethorpe Avenue. This gate is the second on your right, 400 yards from the intersection of Prince and Oglethorpe.
8. **From Athens Technical College on US 29 South.** Reference point is Mclane Southeast on your left. Cross Athena Drive (there is a stoplight). Take Exit 108 – sign indicates North 129, North 441, 10 Loop. Look for NSCS sign on your right – take Exit 14 – sign indicates 129 North, Prince Avenue, Jefferson. At end of exit ramp turn left at the stoplight. Cross Sunset – there is a stoplight. Reference point will be Texaco on your left. Turn right onto Oglethorpe at the next light. The Forrestal Gate is on Oglethorpe Avenue. This gate is the second on your right, 400 yards from the intersection of Prince and Oglethorpe.

9. **From Winder.** Approaching Athens on US 29, reference points will be Sam's Club on the right, Outback Steaks on the right, Hobby Lobby on the left, MacDonald's and Hampton Inn on the left. Turn left onto Hawthorne at the next left, there is a stoplight. Continue on Hawthorne until intersection with Oglethorpe. Reference points will be a Salvation Army on your right followed by BP gas station on your right at the Hawthorne intersection. Turn right, cross the intersection of Sunset (there is a stoplight) and continue .3 mile. The Forrestal Gate will be on your left

10. **From Madison/Greensboro.** Approaching Athens on North US 129/North US 441/GA 15, reference points will be Racetrac on left, cross Spartan Lane at stoplight, cross White Oak Drive at stoplight. Turn right at stoplight onto 441 North/129 North/15 North/78 East/10 Loop. Exit right at Exit 6, Milledge Avenue. Turn left at the stoplight at the end of the exit onto Milledge. Reference points will be Fire Station Number 3 on the left at Lumpkin Street, cross Broad Street, there is a stoplight. When Milledge dead-ends at Prince, turn left. Reference point will be Athens Regional Medical Center on the left. Turn left onto Oglethorpe at stoplight. There is a sign for the Navy Supply Corps School on the left. The Forrestal Gate is on Oglethorpe Avenue. This gate is the second on your right, 400 yards from the intersection of Prince and Oglethorpe.

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Talent Release

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PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____

Troop #: _____ Troop City: _____

Signed: _____

Guardian: _____

(if under the age of 18)

Witness: _____

Session Date: March 4, 2006