

Sweetwater District Fall Family Camping

Oct. 21-23 2011

Camp Rainey Mountain



Camp under the Moon

A Family Fun Festival in the
Mountains of Northeast
Georgia.

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Subject to revision, see www.sweetwater-bsa.org

BSA and the Northeast Georgia Council Campground policies prohibit the following*:

- No smoking in campsites, please use only designated areas.
- No pets are allowed
- Build campfires in established fire rings only. Please do not build fires on field. Do not leave fires unattended and put fires out cold before bed. You must have a fire bucket with water and a shovel available at each fire ring.
- No fire arms or fireworks in campground.
- All liquid fuels must be handled by adults. Do not use liquid fuels on fires.
- Promptly remove all vehicles from the campground, no unauthorized vehicles will be allowed in the campground after designated times. Failure to move a vehicle may result in its being towed at the owner's expense.

*See your Guide to Safe Scouting for additional policies. Guide to Safe Scouting (34416D) is available at your local Scout Shop or at www.nega-bsa.org.



Keep Camp Rainey Mountain clean . Please remove all trash from the campground. *Please don't litter. Scouts don't litter and we are counting on you to keep the campgrounds clean.*

Please do not use compressed or liquid-gas stoves, lanterns or heaters inside your tent. Use of compressed or liquid-gas or the use of charcoal inside of a tent is a fire hazard and can result in the build-up of toxic gases inside the tent that can lead to death.



ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT WILDFIRES.

Do not leave fires unattended and put out all fires before you go to bed!

Camping Questions & Answers:

- * **What should I bring?** You will need a tent, sleeping bag or blankets, insect repellents, extra shoes & clothing, toiletries, raincoat or poncho, flashlight, eating utensils and plate, food (cooler for food) , cooking utensils, bag of candy to share & your **Scout Spirit!**
- * **Where will we camp?** Families will be grouped by pack into campsites. Each campsite has a fire ring. Please only make campfires in established fire rings. If necessary, campers may be placed in an overflow field.
- * **What is an Adirondack and can I reserve one?** An Adirondack is a 3-sided structure with a roof. They cannot be reserved, but are available in some campsites.
- * **Will the summer camp tents be up? No**
- * **When can I check-in?** You can check-in Friday night from 6:00-10:00 p.m. or Saturday from 8:00 a.m. until 11 a.m.
- * **How do I get my gear to the campsite?** At registration, there will be a limited number of vehicle passes available for check-out. **No vehicle is allowed in camp without a pass.** The pass may be checked out by the driver. Keep in mind that there are only a limited number of passes, so unload your gear quickly and return your car to the parking lot. No vehicles are allowed in camp after 11:30 a.m. on Saturday. Only approved vehicles will be allowed in the campsite after 11: 30 a.m.
- * **Are there restrooms at the campsites?** Latrines are located near all sites. Please bring your own toilet paper. Bathroom and shower buildings are available in walking distance from each campsite.
- * **Will meals be provided?** An optional dinner in our dining hall will be available on Saturday. However, **you must reserve your meals by Thursday, October 6, 2011.** After this date no additional dinners will be available. You must provide all other meals. Fire pits are available at each group campsite. Please only build fires in existing pits.
- * **Can I fish at the lake?** The waterfront is closed to all activities except fishing. Please do not fish from the swimming docks! A fishing license is not required in our lake. Crappie, catfish, bass, and lake trout are commonly caught in the lake. Please catch & release.

Sweetwater District Fall Family Camping Weekend

Rain or shine!
October 21-23, 2011



Come join us at scenic Camp Rainey Mountain during the height of the fall color season for a beautiful, relaxing Scout Campout.

Activities will include:

- Crafts
- Bingo
- BB Guns & Archery
- Guided hikes to BIG ROCK
- Cubbie Hikes to Akela Falls
- Campfire

Optional activities (on your own)

- Stargazing
- Hiking/exploring
- Fishing (Bring your own gear)
- Relaxing (Rocking chairs provided!)

A nonsectarian worship service (Scout's Own) will be offered on Sunday morning. Sorry, but the beach will be closed.

For more information:

Activity Chairperson: Scott Dippel @
sweetwaterfallfamily@yahoo.com
BSA Membership Services 770-962-2105
www.nega-bsa.org

This is a family event—all scout families are invited to attend. Scouts must attend with a parent or legal guardian.

Directions to Camp Rainey Mountain:

- * Take I-985 N to US 441N in Clayton
- * Turn right in Clayton at the stop light onto US 76E (you will see a McDonalds on the left).
- * Go 4.2 miles and turn left onto Rainey Mountain Road,
- * Follow the road into camp.

Schedule (subject to change):

Friday

- 6:00 p.m. Check in begins
- 10:00 p.m. Gates to campground close—all vehicles must be out of campground.
- 11:00 p.m. Taps (quite time)

Saturday

- 8:00 a.m. Check in begins
- 11:30 a.m. Gates to campground close—all vehicles must be out of campground.
- 1:00 p.m. Opening at Administration Building
Activities begin.
- 5:30 p.m. Activities end
- 6:00 p.m. Dinner at dining hall for families who purchased meals (you must purchase meals by 10/6/11.)
- 8:00 p.m. Campfire
- 11:00 p.m. Taps (quite time)

Sunday

- 8:00 a.m. Gates to campground open
- 9:00 a.m. Scouts Own non-denominational service location to be announced.
- 11:00 a.m. All families must be out of the campground.

See back of flyer for additional information about Fall Family Camping.

Registration Form

Detach and mail to:

Sweetwater District Family Camping
Northeast Georgia Council, BSA
203 Swanson Drive, Lawrenceville, GA 30043
Please make checks payable to B.S.A.
Visa, MasterCard, & Discover accepted

Sorry no refunds

Registration by fax with charge card 770-962-8004
Sorry no registration by phone for this event.
Registration will not be accepted in the office after Wed. 10/20

Name of Scout _____
(First) (Last)

Pack Number _____ District _____

Phone Number: _____

E-mail address: _____

Scouts attending in family _____

Non-Scouts attending in family _____

Adults attending in family _____

Family Camping fee:

- On or before Sept 22 \$17.00
- After Sept 22 until 5 p.m. Oct. 16 \$27.00
- After Oct 19 register at Campground \$35.00

Family camping fee includes 1 participation patch

Extra patches _____ x \$3.00 = _____

Saturday dinners _____ x \$7.00 = _____

Dinner is available on Saturday, 10/22 for \$7.00 per person. All other meals are the responsibility of the attending families. You must register by 10/6 for dinners.

Total paid = _____

Charge Card Visa, MasterCard, Discover _____ Exp. date _____