

# Webelos Campout 2009 “Medieval Times”

Heart Butte

Session I: June 5-7<sup>th</sup>

Session II: June 12-14<sup>th</sup>

Webelos Camp at Heart Butte, just 15 miles south of Glen Ullin on Lake Tschida, is an outdoor camping experience for Cub Scouts that have completed 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, or 5<sup>th</sup> grades, their leaders, and parents.



Boys will have an opportunity to go hiking, fishing, canoeing, and swimming, shoot BB guns, do archery, crafts, and physical challenge courses, and participate in nature activities, ceremonies, and campfires.

**Medieval Times** theme songs and activities will be part of the fun for everyone who attends this camp.



The Northern Lights Council and Heart Butte camp and their staff provide the meals and all program supplies and activities. All you have to do is register, so sign up today and reserve your spot at Heart Butte Camp and prepare to sit at **Medieval Times!**



# Medieval Times at Heart Butte

## Shooting Sports

What Scout Camp would be complete without BB guns and archery? At Webelos Camp, qualified staff will teach Scouts how to shoot safely.



## Waterfront Activities

Swimming and canoeing are always a favorite at Webelos Camp. BSA water safety guidelines apply including advance swim testing for each Scout and adult participating in camp water sports. Fishing on the shores of the bay is another favorite of the boys and adults attending.

## Hiking & Nature Exploration

Scouts will have time to hike around Heart Butte and look for fossils, petrified wood, and other nature specimens. Who knows what prehistoric treasures you might find!

## Fitness

Scouts will get plenty of exercise and have lots of fun on the physical challenge course at Heart Butte. The new low ropes course and team-building activities were a great new addition to last year's camp, and boys returning this year, will have the opportunity to try new challenges.

## Scout Crafts

Whether it's made out of wood, leather, or sticks and stones, Scouts will complete a project to take home and keep as a souvenir of the 2009 Medieval Times Webelos Camp.

## Campfire Programs

All campers are invited to Campfire both nights of Webelos Camp for songs and skit fun. Boys from each pack and camp patrol will have an opportunity to put on their own performances during Saturday night's Campfire. **Plan a skit or song beforehand** or use one from the resource books that will be available. Campers also have an opportunity to meet around the outdoor Chapel on Sunday morning for an all-faith Scout service overlooking the lake.

## Trading Post

Webelos Camp has its own Trading Post centrally located in Camp where all campers can buy a *Medieval Times* T-shirt to wear during camp as well as Scout supplies, theme items, pop, water, candy, and much more, so bring an adequate amount of money from home and come check out the Trading Post. This year's Trading Post will stock requested items like disposable cameras and other convenience items.

## Climbing Tower

Scouts will be able to climb to new heights with the addition of the portable tower to the program at Heart Butte this year!

# Important Things to Remember About Webelos Camp at Heart Butte

## **Pack Insurance & Health Information**

All units participating in Council activities or programs must have some form of medical insurance. **If you are a Northern Lights Council Pack, you purchased this insurance when you re-chartered.** All Scouts and adult campers and staff are required to have a Health History on file. Forms will be sent out in camp confirmation packets. Doctor's physicals are not required for attendance at Webelos Camp.

## **Leadership Requirements**

Parents are encouraged to attend Webelos Camp with their sons. The Boy Scouts of America policy on leadership requires a minimum of two adults on all outings. At least one registered adult (male or female) at least 21 years of age and an assistant at least 18 years of age are required. Contact the Bismarck Service Center with any leadership concerns.

## **Camping Facilities at Webelos Camp**

Packs will stay in tents at pre-assigned campsites, so plan ahead to bring along camping equipment and enough tents for all your Scouts and adult leaders. (Note: Scouts may not share a tent with an adult other than their own parent as per Boy Scout policy.) Separate latrines and shower facilities for adults and boys are centrally located at camp.

## **Dining Hall**

Chow is prepared in the camp dining hall. Campers receive a hot breakfast, lunch, and dinner on Saturday and Sunday breakfast. There will be a light meal on Friday night when you arrive to camp.

## **Program Staff**

We are constantly in need of adult volunteers to help staff our Council programs, and Webelos Camp is no exception. If you have a special skill in a program areas that you are willing to share, or just have a real desire to help bring the boys some fun, adventure, and achievement, please let us know by contacting your local Scout Office or District Executive. There is a spot for volunteer staff to sign up on this year's registration form. Camp staff attend Webelos Camp free of charge and will receive a Camp Staff T-shirt for helping.

A limited number of youth are needed to help on staff. Scouts must be a minimum of 14 years old to help staff activities and 16 years old to help as a lifeguard. Outdoor skill and leadership experience are important. Contact the Bismarck Service Center for an application.

## **Requirements for Scouts at camp**

Below are the requirements that we will work on while the Scouts are in camp: Webelos will work on the Archery, Swimming, and BB Gun Belt Loops. They will also work on two Activity Pins. They are the Aquanaut req. #1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, & 8 and the Outdoorsman req. #1, 2, & 3. It is up to the leaders to sign off on these requirements once the Scouts complete them.

# HEART BUTTE WEBELOS CAMP

## Pack Registration Procedure

### Pack Camp Registrars:

- (1) Collect all fees from boys and adults attending camp.
- (2) Go to [www.nlcbsa.org](http://www.nlcbsa.org) to sign up online for this event.
- (3) Pack registration will be confirmed online with all information and forms needed to complete the registration process.
- (4) Fill out a tour permit and submit to the Bismarck Scout Office no later than 2 weeks prior to attending camp. This is available online too.
- (5) Check your group in upon arrival at Webelos Camp.
- (6) Have a medical form for all Scouts mailed to the Bismarck Service Center 2 weeks before the start of camp.

**Note:** Webelos Camp at Heart Butte is limited to 120 boys, so register early with full payment to ensure receiving your choice of dates!

### FEES

#### Scout Fees:

If paid in full by May 1st	\$ 90.00
If paid after May 1st	\$ 97.00
Campership (form must accompany registration)	\$ 45.00

#### Adult Fees:

Adults attending	\$25.00
Adult staff volunteers	Free

### Cancellation/Refund Policies:

Two weeks advance notice of cancellation must be received in order to allow other units the opportunity to fill the vacancy and adequately prepare for camp. All requests for refund of money must be made in writing to the Bismarck Office, Northern Lights Council within 30 days after the date of camp. Specify the method of refund preferred – unit account credit or check made payable to non-participant. Partial refunds are not made for late arrivals or early departures.

### Camperships

Camperships are camp scholarships available up to one half of the total camp fee for Scouts who are financially unable to attend camp. All Scouts are encouraged to work with their packs on fund-raising projects to earn money to attend camp. See enclosed Campership Form.

# HEART BUTTE WEBELOS CAMP RESERVATION FORM

Maximum 120 boys \* Early registration deadline May 1st, 2009

**NEW IN 2009!! You can go to [www.nlcbsa.org](http://www.nlcbsa.org) to register online for camp or fill this form out and mail it back.**

Pack Number: \_\_\_\_\_ District Name/Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Pack Camp Registrar/Contact Person Information (please print):

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

1<sup>st</sup> Choice: \_\_\_\_\_ Session I, June 5-7th \_\_\_\_\_ Session II, June 12-14th

If session is full, would you attend the other session? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

## Fees Enclosed (one pack check, please):

_____ Scouts @ \$90 (payment in full by 5/1)	\$ _____
_____ Camperships@ \$45 (form attached)	\$ _____
_____ Scouts @ \$97 (payment in full after 5/1)	\$ _____
_____ Adults @ \$25	\$ _____
_____ Adult camp staff attending with group (please list names on enclosed roster)	\$ 0
_____ Total Enclosed	\$ _____

For Office Use:

_____ Additional Scout fees paid/date	\$ _____ / _____
_____ Additional Adult fees paid/date	\$ _____ / _____

MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_ (1) This registration form  
\_\_\_\_\_ (2) Pack check for all fees paid in full  
\_\_\_\_\_ (3) Pack roster listing all boys and adults attending  
\_\_\_\_\_ (4) Any completed campership forms

TO: ATTENTION: BRENDA, NORTHERN LIGHTS COUNCIL—BSA  
1720 Burnt Boat Drive Suite 103, Bismarck, ND 58503

## CONTACT:

email: bismarck.nlc@midconetwork.com  
Phone: (701) 223-7204  
Fax: (701) 223-7205



## Camp staff wanted Sign up today

*The Northern Lights Council is looking for adult and youth Staff to help with local summer camps beginning with Webelos Camp in June. There is no cost to help, and all staff members receive meals and a free staff t-shirt.*

*Youth staff must be registered members of a Boy Scout troop or Venturer Crew, be at least 14 years of age, and accompanied by an adult. A limited number of youth staff will be selected from applications received.*

*Please fill out and return this form indicating any individual activities that you'd like to help with (these are still in the planning stages).*

Name \_\_\_\_\_ (print) \_\_\_\_\_ (sign)

Contact information (phone/address/email)

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Special Skills, Training, and Experience you have to offer:

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“King Arthurs Court” Webelos Camp – at Heart Butte Camp on Lake Tschida

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\_\_\_\_\_ canoeing\*\*

\_\_\_\_\_ fishing

\_\_\_\_\_ nature

\_\_\_\_\_ crafts

\_\_\_\_\_ archery\*\*

\_\_\_\_\_ sports/games

\_\_\_\_\_ BB guns\*\*

\_\_\_\_\_ theme activity

\_\_\_\_\_ low ropes\*\*

*\*\*requires advance training and/or experience*

**Return to: Bill Anderson—Camp Director**  
1720 Burnt Boat Drive, Bismarck, ND 58501  
Fax: (701) 223-7205

# *Medieval Times Roster*

## *2009 CUB CAMPS*

*(Submit this form at least 2 weeks prior to camp to the local service center)*

Name	1 <sup>st</sup> Year Camper	2 <sup>nd</sup> Year Camper	Grade (end of May)		Address	Emergency Contact #
1						
2						
3						
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5						
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20						
			Adults			
1						
2						
3						
4						

**Please be sure to complete the grade for each Scout. This information is not needed for the adult leaders attending camp.**

## ***BRING ALONG LIST***

Important: Mark all equipment and clothing with names!

### **RECOMMENDED**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Knights of the Roundtable Clothing
- \_\_\_\_\_ Swim Trunks (these will be needed immediately upon arrival)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Pack, Duffel Bag, Old Suitcase for carrying and storing gear
- \_\_\_\_\_ Sleeping bag, blankets, and pillow
- \_\_\_\_\_ Uniform
- \_\_\_\_\_ Extra quantity of clothing for fresh change, as necessary for camp
- \_\_\_\_\_ Sweater or Jacket
- \_\_\_\_\_ Underwear, socks & handkerchief
- \_\_\_\_\_ Shoes suitable for hiking
- \_\_\_\_\_ Raincoat or poncho
- \_\_\_\_\_ Towels/Washcloths
- \_\_\_\_\_ Comb or brush
- \_\_\_\_\_ Flashlight with extra batteries
- \_\_\_\_\_ Pen or pencil
- \_\_\_\_\_ Cub Scout Handbook

### **OPTIONAL**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Moccasins or slippers
- \_\_\_\_\_ Camera with extra film
- \_\_\_\_\_ Spare set of shoes
- \_\_\_\_\_ Tent & Equipment
- \_\_\_\_\_ Canteen
- \_\_\_\_\_ Spending money for the Trading Post
- \_\_\_\_\_ Insect Repellent
- \_\_\_\_\_ Sheets & pillow case
- \_\_\_\_\_ Foam pad
- \_\_\_\_\_ Camp Chair for adults

**A SCOUT IS WELCOMED TO CAMP WHETHER OR NOT  
HE POSSESSES THE OFFICIAL UNIFORM!**

# *Questions?*

## *General Camp Questions:*

Brad Olson, Northern Lights Council Program Director  
301 7th Street South, Fargo ND 58103. (701) 293-5011.

## *Camp Wilderness Reservations and Fee Payments:*

Holly Pherson, Fargo Service Center  
301 7th Street South, Fargo, ND 58103. (701) 293-5011.

## *Heart Butte Webelos Camp Reservations and Fee Payments:*

*Brenda Heitkamp, Bismarck Service Center*  
1720 Burnt Boat Dr, Bismarck, ND 58501. (701) 223-7204

## *Camp Promotions and Troop Visitations:*

Dale Sandstrom, Pa-Hin Lodge #27 Lodge Advisor  
301 7th Street South, Fargo, ND 58103. (701) 293-5011

Brad Olson, Pa-Hin Lodge #27 Staff Advisor  
301 7th Street South, Fargo, ND 58103. (701) 293-5011.

## *Camp Wilderness Ranger*

Andy Kietzman  
29984 Journey Trail., Park Rapids, MN 56470. (218) 732-4674.

## *How Can We Improve This Guide?*

This Leader's Guide is the result of the input of many pack leaders, Staff members, and other concerned volunteers. We hope that you have found it to be a useful and informative resource in making your summer camp plans. We are always interested in ideas of how we can improve the quality and usefulness of this guide. If you have suggestions, please write them down and bring them to Camp with you this summer. The Camp Director will be happy to review your suggestions and pass them on. If you like, you may also mail suggestions about the Leader's Guide or anything else to: Northern Lights Council Camping Committee, 301 7th Street South, Fargo, ND 58103.

# **nlcbsa.org**

# Planning Checklist

**Register Pack** - Choose a camp to attend!

**Read the Leader's Guide!** - Review information on different camps

**Recruit** - Two leaders for camp. One must be 21 years of age and the other must be at least 18.

## March

- Have a parents information night to inform parents about summer camp opportunities and troop goals including:
  - Completed Health History forms Things to Pack
  - Adults who will be staying at camp
  - Cost
  - Camp address and phone
  - Drivers
  - Money for the Trading Post

## May 1

- All fees are due to the either the Fargo Service Center or Bismarck Service Center. Check to make sure your registration is accurate
- Confirm the following with your Pack: Secure adequate leadership, plan transportation, & make sure the Pack has unit accident insurance.

## Two Weeks Before Camp

- Does Pack have adequate leadership?
- Make sure parents have information on leave time, return time, and telephone number for emergencies
- Make sure Scouts have necessary equipment
- Each Scout and Leader should has in a proper health history exam form.
- Tour permit filed and approved by the Northern Lights Council Office
- All fees collected
- Transportation arrangements completed
- All Scouts are officially registered in your unit before you leave for camp
- Scouts have adequate rain gear to take along
- Call camp or the Fargo Service Center or the Bismarck Service Center at least a week in advance if you expect any problems

## The Day You Leave

- All receipts for fees already paid are with you
- Have adequate money to pay additional and unpaid fees at Camp secured.
- We recommend that you bring at least two blank Unit checks. Be prepared.
- Bring along a copy of each Scout's and adults health history forms.
- Have Pack accident insurance certificate and claim packed with you.
- Map on how to get to Camp Wilderness or Heart Butte.
- Depart so your unit will arrive during the check-in times

## "What to Expect When You Arrive at Camp"

- Check-in with Camp Director
- Have receipts and money ready for the business manager and health forms for medical officer
- Be prepared to take the swim check as soon as possible after arriving at camp and then set up campsite or your cabin.