

# GARDNER DAM

*White Lake, WI*

CUB SCOUT

# SUMMER CAMP 2024



**2024 LEADER GUIDEBOOK**

**GardnerDam.Camp**

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## What's Unique About Camp

### information for new parents & leaders

- Camp helps develop character, introduce new friends, teaches valuable life skills, and helps Scouts discover new interests.
- Missing home can sometimes happen but is rare because the program is packed full of Scouting fun. If it does happen, the staff is trained and ready to give extra individual attention.
- If parents cannot take the entire time off from work, their child can still attend. Scouts want to come! Parents are encouraged to rotate their stay with other parents in this case.
- We encourage lots of enthusiasm in the Dining Hall during meals, so please join in on the fun!
- Campers stay in tents. See page 6 for details.
- **The health forms you will turn in at camp will remain at camp after you leave, so please provide us with copies and retain the originals.**



# Welcome to Gardner Dam 2024

a message from the camp leadership

PREPARATION

## Camp Leaders

Gardner Dam Adventure Base provides a great program full of adventures and great memories.

It is our duty to provide the best experience for you and your Scouts. In an effort to help you prepare for your summer adventure, this guidebook has been compiled to convey the details about our programs, procedures, and services that will be important for the success of your experience. Please take the time to read this document and familiarize yourself with Gardner Dam and its features.

We know our audience! If it's a safe activity that Webelos will enjoy, then it's going to be a welcome part of the program. The staff thinks of summer camp as a controlled adventure. Campers play and grow, all the while learning from a team of dedicated experts..

Not just a great camping destination for Webelos, Gardner Dam is a place where adventure, fun, and the values of Scouting all come together. We will see you at camp this summer!



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*Bay-Lakes Council Camps are dedicated to providing customers and guests with adventures beyond the expected! We are committed to providing the facilities, programs, services, and camp staff that will consistently exceed the expectations of our visitors. Our Scout Camps will be safe havens for experiencing the best of the adventures and values of the Boy Scouts of America.*

# Preparation Timeline

## a schedule for proper unit planning

### Right Now

- If you haven't already, submit your unit reservation and deposit to secure space (see page 8).
- Inform all Scouts and their parents about your unit's summer plans.
- Recruit at least two adult Leaders (both at least 21 or older) to be in camp at all times during your stay. Have one additional leader, 18 or older, for every five Scouts.
- Schedule a promotional presentation for your pack with Bay-Lakes Camping 920-734-5705.
- Take note of the payment plan and be sure to stay on target with the due date (page 8).

### March

- Visit [gardnerdam.camp](http://gardnerdam.camp) often to find the latest forms and camp specific information referenced in this guide. Recommended for the Cubmaster and/or Camp Coordinator, continue to read this guidebook to learn about our program. Email [camp@baylakescamps.org](mailto:camp@baylakescamps.org) to have any questions answered. Visit [baylakescamps.org/youtube](http://baylakescamps.org/youtube) to find camp promotional videos and other resources.
- Turn in all Campership Applications to the Bay-Lakes office no later than April 1.
- **Camper Deposits are due March 31. All remaining fees are due May 17 to the Bay-Lakes Office.**

### April

- If desired, complete a pre-camp swim test (page 6).

### May

- Send out final camp notices to all parents including a list of what to bring (page 5).
- Have committee members visit parents of Scouts not registered to encourage their attendance with your unit, with another unit, or as an individual.
- Ensure that all Scouts and Leaders will have their medical forms completed before coming to camp.
- Complete special dietary requests for all Scouts requiring special meals (page 10).
- Add additional campers to your registration and submit your final payment (due May 17). If paying with a credit or debit card, a convenience fee of 3.5% will be added. To avoid paying a convenience fee, consider paying by Bank ACH or by sending payment by mail to the Bay-Lakes office.

### Two Weeks Before Camp

- Collect all Scout & Leader medical forms (ensure we will be able to keep a copy) and Scout medication forms. You may send copies of all these to camp two weeks prior to your arrival.
- Hold an inspection of personal packs and equipment.
- Prepare multiple copies of your unit roster for camp and other leaders.

### Several Days Before Camp

- Complete the final check on transportation to ensure everyone has a ride to and from camp.
- Remind the Scouts of the behavior standards necessary for a Scouting trip.
- Plan to arrive at your assigned check-in time, see page 13.

### Right Before You Depart

- Collect any remaining medical forms and ensure everyone has their medications in their original containers with a label containing the Scout's name and unit number.
- Ensure everyone has a ride home from camp.



**Many units hold a parents' meeting or camp promotion night. This allows parents a chance to ask questions and learn about your unit's summer camping plans.**

# What to Bring

a suggested packing list of items

## What Campers Should Bring

Sneakers/Hiking Shoes	Official Scout Uniform	Pocket Knife
Extra pair of Shoes	Scout Handbook	Hat & Sunglasses
T-Shirts	Swimsuit	Sunscreen
Underwear & Socks	Rain Gear	Insect Repellent (non-aerosol)
Jeans/Pants	Towel	Flashlight
Shorts	Personal Hygiene items	Spending Money
Long-Sleeve Shirts	Small Pillow	Camera
Pajamas	Sleeping Bag/Blankets	
Sweatshirt or Jacket	First Aid Kit	

Label clothes & valuables with name and unit number. Scouts will be getting wet so please allow for extra clothing and footwear.

## Materials We Provide in Your Campsite

Tents with wooden platforms	Fire Ring & Wood
Picnic Tables	

## What Not to Bring

Shooting Equipment	Pornography	Knives with blades over 3.5"
Fireworks	Tobacco products	Aerosol cans
Alcohol	Drugs of any kind	Laser pointers
Valuables	Excessive jewelry	Firewood (see page 12)
Inappropriate T-Shirts	Sheath or Fixed-Blade Knives	



# Camp Tents

## what to expect at your home while at camp

The following campsites will be subject to an additional \$10.00 per participant assigned, platform tent rental fee; Hrubecky, Kreif, Milbauer, Schubert, Seaborne, & Skagway campsites. A limited number of platform tents will be available per site. Units may still need to provide their own tents if tent capacity limits are exceeded.

Cost will be calculated on the number of participants assigned to each platform tent used by the unit & applied to the overall camp registration once a unit has been assigned to the campsite/tents based on a first come first serve basis.

Ambush, Big Rock, Howe, Smith, & Riverbluff campsites will be available for units to provide their own tents at no additional cost. For Ambush & Big Rock campsites, preference will be given to units which have participants with mobility issues.

- Campers should bring their own mattress and bedding.
- Wall tents are 6.5 feet tall in the middle
- Tent are assigned as follows: 4 Youth (same gender) per tent and 2 adults (same gender) per tent.



# Pre-Camp Swim Tests

## information on taking your swim test before camp

Units have the option to complete a swim test prior to their arrival. By participating, you will save program time at camp. This will also make it easier to do individual unit activities before you come to camp.

- Each unit schedules and completes the swim tests prior to camp on their own. A BSA Lifeguard, Red Cross Lifeguard, or equivalent must administer the tests and certify the results.
- Forms and procedures for unit run swim tests are available at [gardnerdam.camp](http://gardnerdam.camp).
- For questions contact Bay-Lakes Camping at (920) 734-5705 or [camp@baylakescamps.org](mailto:camp@baylakescamps.org).

Swim Classification Record				
<small>(Changes and/or corrections to the following chart should be initialed and dated by the test supervisor.)</small>				
Unit Number	Full Name (Print) <small>(Please list through third grade)</small>	Student Residence State A-B	Date of Swim Test	
			Non-Summer	Summer
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				
8				
9				
10				
11				
12				
13				
14				
15				

The swim classification test performed at a unit level should be conducted by one of the following council-approved resource people: Aquatics Instructor, BSA, BSA Lifeguard, BSA Swimming & Water Rescue, or other lifeguard, swimming instructor, etc. Test administrators should utilize chapter 5 of the [BSA Aquatics Supervision Guide](#).

NAME OF PERSON SUPERVISING & FACILITATING THE SWIM TEST:

Print Name \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Authorization/Training \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date if applicable \_\_\_\_\_  
(attach a copy of certificate if applicable to your process)

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# Forms and Resources

all the resources, forms and information to make your preparation easy

Below is a list of resources available online at [GardnerDam.camp](http://GardnerDam.camp). All registration updates can be made online or through email: [camp@baylakescamps.org](mailto:camp@baylakescamps.org). You can request copies of any resources by calling the Bay-Lakes Scout Center at (920) 734-5705.

## Information

- Camp Map - complete with campsites, program areas, and building locations.
- Camp Menus - detailed list for each meal. Menus are released in May and posted online.
- Promotional Video - show at a pack meeting to get everyone excited about the experience!
- Pre-camp Swim Test - record results and mail to Bay-Lakes Council office or email to [camp@baylakescamps.org](mailto:camp@baylakescamps.org).

## Registration

- Campership Application - complete for campers with financial need and submit no later than April 1st. Camp scholarships are only available for Bay-Lakes Council Scouts.
- The online How to Login to Registration Help File - provides details for registering and making changes online.
- Refund Request - Written request must be completed to receive a refund (Page 8).

## Medical

- Annual Health and Medical Form - complete for all campers.
- Scout Medication - complete for campers with medication and bring to camp.
- Special Diet Request - complete for campers with dietary needs at least 3 weeks in advance.



Stay informed and prepared for camp with all these resources and more at [GardnerDam.camp](http://GardnerDam.camp).

Please visit our youtube channel to view our promotional video.

[BayLakesCamps.org/youtube](http://BayLakesCamps.org/youtube)

Contact Bay-Lakes Camping for additional promotional materials.



# Registration & Fees

## procedures for registering campers

### 2024 Camper Fees

- Youth - \$245
- Adult - \$150

### Unit Reservation Deposit

- A non-refundable deposit of \$200 per unit is due to hold space. These fees will be applied toward your 2024 camp balance.

### How to Register Scout/Leader Campers

- Register online or mail your unit roster to the Bay-Lakes office with the camper deposits of \$75 (due March 31).
- The first \$75 deposits for each Scout/Leader is his/her reservation deposit and is nonrefundable, but transferable to another Scout/Leader in the same unit as a new reservation.
- Remaining balances are due May 17.
- Campers registered and/or paid in full after May 17 will be subject to a \$25 late fee.

### Payment Schedule

	Youth Amount Due	Adult Amount Due	Due By
Deposit 1	\$25.00	\$25.00	1/1/24 - 1/31/24
Deposit 2	\$25.00	\$25.00	2/1/24 - 2/29/24
Deposit 3	\$25.00	\$25.00	3/1/2024 - 3/31/24
Payment 1	\$75.00	\$0.00	4/1/24 - 4/30/24
Balance	\$95.00	\$75.00	5/1/24 - 5/17/24

### How to Pay

- Online payment may be made through our online reservation system using a credit/debit card or Bank ACH. If paying by credit or debit card, a 3.5% convenience fee will be added. To avoid paying a convenience fee, send payment by mail or in-person to the Bay-Lakes office.
- Unit checks can be sent payable to: Bay-Lakes Council BSA, 2555 Northern Road, P.O. Box 267, Appleton, Wisconsin 54912.

### Camperships

- Camp scholarship (camperships) are made available to assist any Bay-Lakes Council Scout with financial need the opportunity to receive a Bay-Lakes Council summer camp experience.
- Request must be made using the campership application for each person in need no later than April 1. Go to: [baylakescamps.org/campership](http://baylakescamps.org/campership) to complete the 2024 campership request form.

### Refunds

- Camp fees are nonrefundable. We encourage units to transfer fees to another Scout from within the unit attending camp. Should a written refund request be received, the Bay-Lakes Council will consider each situation and endeavor to be as fair as possible. All refunds are calculated after the \$75 nonrefundable deposit.



**If you have questions about the Black Pug registration system, please contact Bay-Lakes Camping at 920-734-5705 or email [camp@baylakescamps.org](mailto:camp@baylakescamps.org).**

### Registration Timeline

#### June 1, 2023:

Reserve space for 2024, \$200.00 per unit.

#### January 1 - March 31, 2024:

Register campers with a \$75 non-refundable deposit.

#### May 17:

Final Camp Balance Due.



# Policies and Procedures

## things to help prepare your unit for camp

### MEDICAL POLICIES

- Every participant must provide a copy of their health form to be kept on file after they leave.
- To speed up check-in, you may send copies (NOT originals) of all health forms to camp two weeks prior to your arrival.
- Units can keep medication in a locked container at their site and distribute to their scouts. Units choosing to do so will be provided with a medication log sheet to fill out and turn in at the end of the week. Units are welcome to turn their medications into the health office for us to distribute.
- Please ask your Scouts not to bring over-the-counter medications such as Tylenol or cough syrup. The camp stocks these medications.
- Bee sting medication, inhalers, an insulin syringe, or other medication or device used in the event of life-threatening situations may be carried by a camper.
- The above requirements are those of the State of Wisconsin and the Boy Scouts of America.

The image shows a form titled "Part A: Informed Consent, Release Agreement, and Authorization". It includes fields for "Full name" and "Date of Birth". There are checkboxes for "High adventure team participant" and "I authorize the BSA to use my name and likeness for promotional purposes". A section titled "Complete this section for youth participants only" has fields for "Name" and "Parent/Guardian Name". The form also contains a "Presented For Life" logo.

### Health & Medical Record Form

- In order to provide better care for its members and to assist them in better understanding their own physical capabilities, the BSA recommends that everyone who participates in Scouting events have an annual medical evaluation by a certified and licensed health-care provider.
- **Parts A & B are required for all Scouts and adults attending camp.**

### Insurance

- When surgical treatment or hospital care is needed for Bay-Lakes Council Scouts/Scouters, benefits in excess of \$300.00 will be paid only if they are unrecoverable from any other insurance policy or service contract (i.e. family insurance policy). Therefore, it is imperative that you come prepared with the pertinent insurance policy information for every Scout/Adult.

### YOUTH PROTECTION POLICIES

Nothing is more important to the BSA than the safety of our youth members. We believe that even one instance of child abuse is unacceptable. The BSA is committed to providing a safe and secure environment for all. Youth protection requires sustained vigilance, and we work every day to protect children through mandatory policies.

- One-on-one contact between adults and youth members is prohibited.
- Privacy of youth is respected. Adult leaders and youth must respect each other's privacy, especially in situations such as changing clothes and taking showers at camp.
- The use of smartphones, cameras, mirrors, drones, etc., in places or situations where privacy is expected is prohibited.
- Separate tenting must be provided for male and female adults as well as for male and female youth. Youth sharing tents must be no more than two years apart in age. Spouses may share tents.
- The buddy system must be used at all times. Buddies should know and be comfortable with each other. Buddies should select each other, the same level of maturity, and the same gender.
- Hazing and initiations are prohibited and have no part during any Scouting activity.
- No bullying. Verbal, physical, and cyber bullying are prohibited in Scouting.
- Appropriate attire is required for all activities.

## FACILITY POLICIES

### Camp Grace

For the winding river bend,  
For the stars shown overhead,  
For our bridges and our trails,  
For our songs and for our tales,  
And for our friends both old and new,  
We ask you bless them and this food.

### Dining Hall

- Meals will consist of the main entrées, sides, cereal at breakfast, fruit or vegetables, sun butter and jelly at all meals, and a salad bar at dinner.
- All meals will be served cafeteria style at the Dining hall and seconds will be available when announced.
- Grace will be said prior to each meal.
- Everyone is asked to wear the official Scouts BSA Field Uniform to all evening meals and the flag lowering ceremony.
- Adults will be asked to assist the camp staff with setting, serving, and cleanup after meals.

**Please notify us of any special dietary needs or restrictions three weeks before your arrival using the “Special Dietary Request Form” available at GardnerDam.Camp.**

### Trading Post

- The Trading Post will be open at various times throughout the day. Look for hours when you arrive.
- Here you will find all the merchandise you need, including everything from hats and shirts to collectibles. You will also be able to purchase additional toiletries, cooking supplies, and other camping necessities.
- You will be able to purchase candy, soda, slushies, and any other food items.
- A camp patch will be given to each camper registered in camp.
- We recommend that each person brings an extra \$25-50 for purchases in the Trading Post.

### Showers

- Located across the river near the campsites. The shower building has individual stalls for easy accessibility by all.

### Camp Office (Strayer Building)

- Staff is generally available to answer questions in this building from 8:00 AM - 8:00 PM (except during meal times).
- If late at night or early in the morning, staff may be found in the health office.
- Lost & found is located in the camp office.

### Health Office

- Available 24 hours a day in the parking lot side of the Strayer Building. If the Health Officer is not in the Health Office, report to the camp office for assistance.
- We recommend that one Leader be responsible for ensuring the Scouts receive their medication. Otherwise the Health office can take control and distribute medication.



## OTHER POLICIES

### Leadership

- Two registered adult leaders 21 years of age or over are required at all Scouting activities.
- The leaders who will be staying at camp should have some camping and Scouting experience.
- **Youth Protection Training is recommend for any adult attending camp.**
- Have one additional Leader, 18 or older (male or female) for every 4 Scouts.
- If your unit has any female youth, you must have at least one female adult.
- One-on-one contact between adult leaders and youth members is prohibited.

### Vehicles

- For the safety of the Scouts and Scouters, the speed limit on all camp roads is 10 mph.
- No one is permitted to ride on a trailer or in the back of a truck bed. Remember, it is only a seat if it has a seat belt. Please see the Guide to Safe Scouting for additional information.

### Mail Service

- All mail is distributed daily to the campers. We suggest that mail is sent with the unit instead of mailing it as our service is sometimes slow.
- Please indicate if you would like the mail delivered on a particular day while at camp.
- If there is an emergency family issue, please call (715) 882-2941 and the Camp Director will ensure that the camper receives the message.

#### Mailing Address

Gardner Dam  
Scout Name, Unit #,  
N2940 Gardner Dam Road  
White Lake, WI 54491

### Leaving Camp Early

- Any Scouts leaving camp during their stay must have a release signed by their parent or guardian and approved by the Scout Leader. We recommend having this form (online at [gardnerdam.camp](http://gardnerdam.camp)) completed before a Scout attends camp.
- When checking out, a member of the camp leadership must give the final approval signature.

### Tobacco/Vaping

The use or possession of tobacco and/or vaping products by anyone under the age of 21 is not legal and will not be tolerated. BSA requires that adults use only the designated area in the parking lot, away and out of sight from any youth.

### Initiations, Hazing, & Bullying

Older Scouts sometimes feel that new Scouts should be “initiated into the unit” with a physical activity or another embarrassing stunt. Leaders should be alert to this possibility and direct the Scouts efforts into meaningful programs. Behavior such as snipe hunts, running the gauntlet, belt line, or similar activities have no place in Scouting and are not permitted.

### Alcohol and Drugs

The use of alcoholic beverages and controlled substances is prohibited on any property that is owned or operated by the Boy Scouts of America. This policy will be strictly enforced for all those who use or visit our camp facilities. Violations will result in expulsion from camp and may be reported to authorities.

### Privacy

By participating in Bay-Lakes Council activities, you agree to allow Bay-Lakes Council to use your image in camp and council promotional materials.

## Visitors

- All visitors must check in and out at the camp office
- Visitors should not bring pets.
- Persons with disabilities should notify camp prior to their arrival if accommodations are needed.
- Guest meal tickets may be purchased for \$8 per meal in the camp office.



## Emergencies

- In the event of a camp-wide emergency, the camp siren may sound. At which time, all campers should report immediately to their campsite. A member of the camp staff will come to your site with further instruction. The camp staff undergoes training in handling common types of emergencies.
- A camp-wide emergency situation will consist of any severe weather, wildfire, lost or missing campers, lost or missing swimmers, and any possible severe medical emergency. Anyone who becomes aware of an emergency situation or danger should notify the nearest staff member who will contact the appropriate camp leadership.
- Any information in regards to a bomb threat or unauthorized visitor should be reported to the camp office or health office immediately.

## Damaged Camp Equipment

- Any damage to camp-owned equipment through abuse will be the responsibility of the unit
- Replacement costs will be assessed to the unit based on the retail costs of the damaged item. Units will be responsible for paying for damaged equipment before leaving camp.

## Shoes

- Footwear is required everywhere in camp, except at the Waterfront.
- No open toed (flip flops, sandals, etc) are allowed outside of the shower houses or your tent.

## Fires & Firewood

- Units are prohibited from bringing firewood into camp because it can harbor many different kinds of invasive pests and diseases harmful to our trees. The emerald ash borer is a direct threat to our ash trees at camp. Units are encouraged to gather downed wood at camp.
- Fireguard charts are furnished for each building and must be filled out upon check-in. Fireguard charts are to be hung on the building bulletin board for the duration of the session.

## Pets

- No animals are allowed on camp properties except for guide dogs for the visually impaired or animals which are for a program/demonstration with the approval of the Camping Department
- Please do not bring your pet from home. Be sure to inform any visitors, parent drivers or guests that they should also leave their pet at home.

# Arrival and Departure

## how to check in and out of camp on your first and last days

With many Scouts and Leaders arriving and checking in at the same time, we need your help. We want to make this the easiest, fastest, and most efficient check in process you've ever experienced. Staff will be available at various check-in points to assist wherever needed.

### Check-In Process

1. Arrive with your entire group using the site check in times below. If you will not be able to check-in during this period, please notify us in advance (715-882-2941). A staff member will greet you in the parking lot and guide you through the check in process.

Provided Tent Sites:	Bring Your Own Tent Sites:
Hrubecky: 1:20 PM	Ambush: 2:40 PM
Krief: 1:40 PM	Big Rock: 2:40 PM
Milbauer: 2:00 PM	Howe: 2:20 PM
Schubert: 1:00 PM	Skagway: 1:40 PM
Seaborn: 1:20 PM	Riverbluff: 2:00 PM
Smith: 1:00 PM	
2. Have your health forms accessible. Remember, we must keep copies on file after you depart.
3. Staff will show you which trailer to store your gear. Unpack your gear into the trailer loading in the front first, as multiple groups will be in the same trailer
4. Your staff guide will gather your pack together to start the rest of the check-in process. One adult from each pack will be asked to report to the office to review your roster and make any final payments. The rest of the group will rotate through the following stations: Swim Checks, Dining Hall Orientation, and Trading Post Orientation. You will then have time to get settled into your campsite.
5. Your first activity will be flag lowering at 5:50, followed by dinner at 6:00 PM.

**Swim Checks will be completed on your first day as part of the check-in process.  
Campers may wear swimsuits to camp.**

### Check-Out Process

1. Following breakfast (8:00 AM), campers will return to their campsite to finish packing up. Gear should be loaded into the campsite trailer. An adult leader from your campsite may be asked to pull the trailer (requires a 2" ball) back to the main parking lot.
2. Your campsite guide will return to your site after breakfast to make sure it is clean. Once all gear is loaded and your site is cleaned, campers will walk toward the parking lot, stopping at the trading post one last time.
3. One adult leader from each pack should stop at the office to pickup patches and advancement reports.
4. Say goodbye to the staff and don't forget to sign up for summer camp 2025.



**Any Scout leaving camp early must have a completed Scout release form on file (requires a parent's signature). This form is available online or at the camp office.**



# While at Gardner Dam

all the basics on the program for your stay at camp

## DAILY PROGRAM SCHEDULE

7:00.....	Rise and Shine!
7:50.....	Flag Raising Ceremony
8:00.....	Breakfast
9:00-12:00....	Webelos/Arrow of Light Adventures
12:15-1:00....	Lunch
1:00-2:00.....	Kon Wapos Service Project (Day 2) and Unit Time (Day 3)
2:00-3:00.....	Open Program Block 1
3:00-4:00.....	Open Program Block 2
4:00-5:00.....	Open Program Block 3
5:50.....	Flag Lowering Ceremony
6:00.....	Dinner
6:45-9:00.....	Evening Programs
10:00.....	Quiet Time



## EVENING PROGRAMS

### Day One

**Den Activities on the Parade Grounds, 6:45 PM:** Come join us for some low-key organized fun, and camp tours.

**Leaders Meeting, Eagle Room, 6:45 PM:** Please send one adult leader from each unit to attend this meeting which will include any important additions to schedule.

**Opening Campfire, Meet at Parade Grounds, 8:00 PM:** Following dinner, sit back and enjoy the staff welcoming you home with skits, songs, and special messages.

### Day Two

**Scouts Own Service, 7:00 PM, Chapel:** Join us for some readings, prayers, reflections, and music.

**Friendship Fires in Sites, 8:00 PM:** S'mores provided by the Kon Wapos Lodge of Order of the Arrow, Scouting's National Honor Society.

### Day Three

**Campwide Games, 6:45 PM, Meet at Parade Grounds:** Space-themed series of fun and games designed to challenge yours Scouts in their knowledge of camp and in their Scouting expertise!

**Closing Campfire, Meet at Parade Grounds, 8:00 PM:** Following dinner enjoy the closing campfire. Packs may be asked to help with this program.


# Adventures & Pins


helping you on your way to your next rank







## 2024 Cub Scout Program Changes

Due to changes in Cub Scout programs by national for 2024, we will provide all registration contacts with more information once we have full access to new requirements from National.

**ATTENTION! Current 4<sup>th</sup> grade Webelos**

 Current 4<sup>th</sup> grade Webelos should NOT begin work on Arrow of Light.

 Current 4<sup>th</sup> grade Webelos should work on elective Adventures which will not be available next year as an Arrow of Light elective.

 Aquanaut     Art Explosion     Aware and Care     Build It!     Earth Rocks!     Modular Design  
Preview Adventure

## Knife Safety

 3<sup>rd</sup> Grade     4<sup>th</sup> Grade     5<sup>th</sup> Grade

Whittling	Chef's Knife	Knife Safety
		

Whittlin' Chip is retired

To use a knife a Cub Scout must complete the Adventure for their rank even if they completed a knife safety Adventure previously

The Adventure pocket card can be used as proof of completing the Adventure.



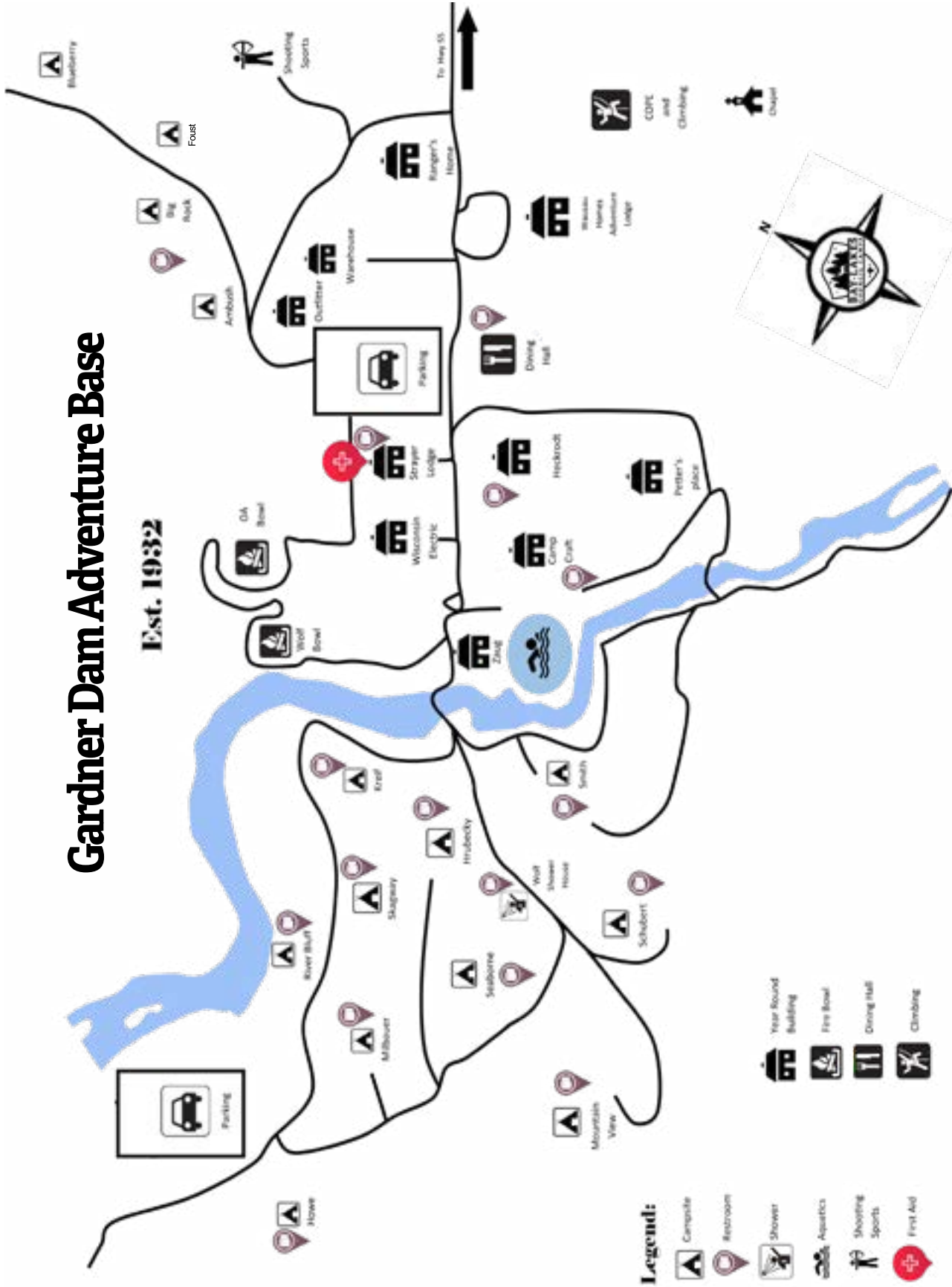
If you have questions about the Black Pug registration system, please contact Bay-Lakes Camping at 920-734-5705 or email [camp@baylakescamps.org](mailto:camp@baylakescamps.org).

# Map of Gardner Dam

showing the way around this special place

## Gardner Dam Adventure Base

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MAPS & MORE



## BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA BAY-LAKES COUNCIL

### **Bay-Lakes Council, BSA**

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920-734-1991 (fax)  
[www.BayLakesBSA.org](http://www.BayLakesBSA.org)

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