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GREATER NIAGARA FRONTIER COUNCIL
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA (716-891-4073)

2004 – 2005 SHORT TERM CAMPING RESERVATION PROCEDURES

DATES/FEES EFFECTIVE AUGUST 27, 2004 – MAY 23, 2005

****Schoellkopf Scout Reservation and Camp Scouthaven are available for use from August 27, 2004 to May 23, 2005. Camp Stonehaven is available for use year round with the exception of the dates below.**

***** If your Boy Scout Troop or Cub Scout Pack attended Summer Resident Camp at Camp Scouthaven or Camp Schoellkopf in 2003 or 2004; your unit will qualify for a 10% discount on all Cabin / Lean-To Rentals through May 2005.***

1. **Cabin reservations** will be accepted by mail only, postmarked no earlier than **August 23, 2004**. **Beginning September 20, 2004, walk-in reservations** will be accepted at the Council Service Center office. **Phone reservations** will be accepted only with the full fee charged to the Unit account or to a credit card.

No reservations will be honored without the total rental fee(s).

2. Each unit may **INITIALLY** request **only two (2) overnight camp-outs** with 3 choices for each campout.
3. **After October 4th, unlimited reservations** may be made with payment in full for any opening on a first come first served basis.
4. **The total reservation fee for the cabin/lean-to must accompany the Weekend Camping Application.** If a Unit cancels 4 weeks prior to the campout, 50% of the fee is refundable. If a Unit cancels with less than 4 weeks notice, the fee is non-refundable unless the cabin/lean-to is rented to another unit. If we close the camp(s) due to emergencies, weather, power failures etc., refunds will be issued or fees can be transferred to another weekend. The Council Camping Director makes the final decision on camp closings.
5. **A camping permit is issued only after the full fee is paid.** Fees may be deducted from the unit account upon request if there are sufficient funds
6. **Fire wood** (seasonal) is \$40.00 per ½ face cord or you may bring your own. **Fire wood must be ordered and paid for prior to your arrival at camp.**
7. **All out-of council units** must present evidence of sickness and accident insurance. Non-Scout groups must present evidence of \$1 Million current liability and accident insurance for a permit to be issued.
8. **All damages will be billed directly to units.** Examples include broken window= \$50, graffiti= \$25 and up.

SHORT TERM TENT CAMPING POLICY: For registered Scout Units, a \$1.00 fee per person per evening stay at each camp for Tent Camping is required, with a minimum of 5 people attending each campout. (i.e. If your unit is camping both Friday and Saturday evening, a charge of \$2.00 per person is what you owe.) A Tent Camping Season Permit will no longer be required. All fees must be paid 2 weeks prior to your campout. Arrangements for tent camping at Camp Stonehaven from June 1st through August 30th must be made at the Council Service Center. A roster of all attending participants **MUST** be presented to the Camp Ranger when you arrive for camp.

*******GNFC Camps are closed:*******

Labor Day
SSR & Scouthaven Hunting Season / Thanksgiving
Christmas/New Year's
Good Friday – Easter

September 3, 2004 – September 6, 2004
November 22 – December 6, 2004
Dec. 24-26, 2004 & Dec. 31, 2004 – Jan. 2, 2005
March 25 – 27, 2005