

Coastal Carolina Council 2016 Cub Haunted Weekend



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Welcome to Cub Haunted Fright Night & Harvest Festival At Camp Ho Non Wah



Greetings from the Shores of the Bohicket where little ghosts and goblins come to camp and play! This year's Cub Haunted Fright Night & Harvest Festival is being hosted by Order of the Arrow, Unali'Yi Lodge 236. The Order of the Arrow is Scouting's National Honor Society. The Order of the Arrow honors scout campers; teach leadership skills and provide cheerful service to Camp Ho Non Wah and Coastal Carolina Council. One of our primary purposes is to promote camping and we are excited about working with our future OA members this year at Cub Haunted Weekend.

The members of Unali'Yi Lodge and I have been hard at work for the past few months getting ready for this event. We have made several changes to this program to make this experience memorable for your scouts. We are honored to have the opportunity to host this event for you this year!

Please read through this entire document carefully, for it contains all of the information about the event that you need to know. Feel free to contact at chief@site236.com should you have additional questions.

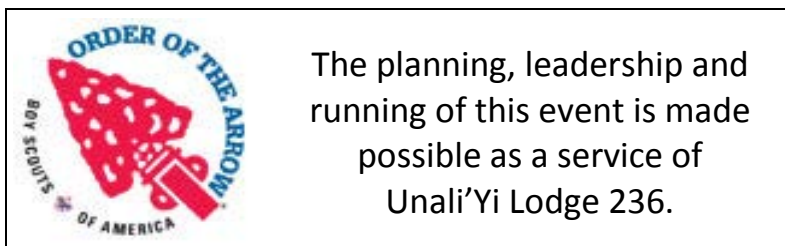
I look forward to seeing you all at camp!

Yours in Scouting,

Ethan Spence
Unali'Yi Lodge Chief

James Barton
Lodge Adviser

Lew Howard
Staff Advisor



The planning, leadership and running of this event is made possible as a service of Unali'Yi Lodge 236.

Event Dates and Registration

The dates for Cub Haunted Fright Night are Saturday October 22-23 at Camp Ho Non Wah. Located at 2609 Boy Scout Road, Wadmalaw Island, SC.

Registration for Cub Haunted begins August 20th and will continue until October 6th. Registration fee for Cub Ghost, parent, sibling or leader is \$35 per person. This year we are offering an Early Ghost Discount if paid by September 23 of \$29/ per participant. We anticipate this being a sold out event so register early. Once we reach full GHOST capacity we will have to add you to the Ghostly Waiting List. Registration will close on Thursday, October 6. **NO ONSITE REGISTRATION WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

This year we offer electronic registration through our council website www.coastalcarolinacouncilbsa.com. Registration can be completed in person at the council office. All credit card payments are subject to a 5% surcharge. To help keep the cost of this activity low, please mail CHECK payable to Coastal Carolina Council to:

Coastal Carolina Council
Attn: Cub Haunted
1025 Sam Rittenberg Blvd.
Charleston, SC 29407

Refund Policy

All refund requests should be submitted to the council service center in writing by the family. Any refund request received after the Monday prior to the event will be subject to a \$10.00 retained program fee. Requests for refunds received after the event will not be considered.

Example circumstances under which refunds will be granted are listed below. Other requests may be honored with explanation:

- Illness of scout preventing attendance
- Illness or death in the camper's immediate family prevents his attendance

Cancellation and refunds will be handled on a case by case basis.

Important Dates to Remember

August 20	Registration Opens
September 23	Early Ghost Registration Deadline
October 6	Registration Closes
October 22-23	Cub Haunted at Camp Ho Non Wah

What to Bring for a Ghostly Good TIME!

Other than some basic camping items, different families and units will bring different items with them. A good exercise is to think about your perfect week at camp and bring the items that you see in your mental picture.

What you bring to camp is what will keep you comfortable. You need enough changes of clothing to keep you clean. We'll have changes in weather ... hot, cold, and rainy!

To help keep you from forgetting those all-important items, we have a list below to help you when you are packing for camp.

The Basics

Tent (3 person tent is recommended for an Adult Partner and Cub with gear/ 6-8 person tent is recommended for a family with gear)

Personal sleeping items - Sleeping bag, pillow, or bed roll

Personal hygiene items - Soap, toothbrush, etc.

Medical Form – Part A & B only

Medication

Complete change of clothes

Rain gear

Extra pair of shoes

Camera

Bug Spray

Flashlight and Lantern

Scout Uniform – for Scout's Own Service on Sunday morning

Cell phone

Water bottle

Closed Toe Shoes – to be worn at all times around camp

Money for Trading Post (See info on trading post below)

Optional Items

Halloween Costume

Camp Chair for use in campsite

Cooler for waters or drinks. Remember BSA Policy does not permit alcoholic beverages at scouting functions.

Wagon to help get gear to your site

Items to leave in the car or at home - While you are camping, unplug and enjoy the outdoors.

MP3 players

Video Games

iPods

Other electronic devices

Campsites

All campsites are equipped with a picnic shelter, flush toilets and hot water showers. There is NO electricity in any of our sites. If you require electricity for C-pap machines please plan accordingly and bring a battery operated unit.

Camp Trading Post

Our camp trading post is fully stocked with t-shirts, camp souvenirs, camping supplies, snacks, drinks and much, much more. With the holiday season quickly approaching Santa's helpers have found some great ideas for holiday gifts at the Trading post. Stop in and see us during the weekend. The trading post is equipped to take all forms of payment.

Camp Rules & Regulations

We are all, first and foremost, members of the Boy Scouts of America. The basic rules governing Camp Ho Non Wah are the scout oath and scout law. We also ask that you follow the Outdoor Code. Rules are for your scout's safety, the protection of equipment, and the preservation of fairness to everyone.

1. No personal vehicles are permitted in camp – all cars must be parked in designated parking areas outside the camp gate.
2. No pyrotechnics of any kind are permitted on camp property.
3. No alcoholic beverages or other unlawful drugs or substances are allowed in camp.
4. Closed-toed shoes must be worn at all times in camp.
5. No transporting passengers in the back of pick-up trucks is allowed.
6. Sheath knives are not allowed in camp. Bring approved folding pocket knives only.
7. Only refrigerated and injectable medications need to be stored in the Health Lodge.
8. The camp speed limit begins where the pavement ends. The speed limit in camp is 10 mph.
9. LEAVING CAMP – Anyone leaving camp must first check out at the camp office.
10. WILDLIFE – Ho Non Wah is blessed with a wide variety of wild creatures. Under no circumstances should anyone touch or disturb snakes or other animals. Please educate Scouts on the identification of poisonous plants and animals indigenous to the South Eastern United States and review the Outdoor Code.
11. RESPECT OF PRIVACY – Adult leaders must respect the privacy of youth members in situations such as changing into swimming suits or taking showers. Adults must also protect their own privacy in similar situations.
12. Groups camping as a unit MUST HAVE TWO-DEEP LEADERSHIP – One-on- one counseling sessions between leaders and scouts are not allowed.
13. SEPARATE ACCOMODATIONS – Scouts are not permitted to sleep in a tent or cabin of an adult other than a parent or guardian.
14. CAMPFIRE – are permitted only in designated fire pits in each campsite with the approval of the camp office or camp ranger prior to burning. Campfires are NOT to be left unattended at any times.
15. All Scouts are responsible for the cleanliness of their campsite and for assisting in keeping the camp clean for others to enjoy. Practice Leave No Trace.
16. Running after dark is not permitted.

Directions to Camp

From Charleston, take US 17 South to Main Road. Turn left on Main Road and follow Main Road down to the 3rd traffic light. This is Maybank Highway. Turn right onto Maybank Highway and go over the bridge onto Wadmalaw Island. At the fork in the road, veer left. Once you pass the elementary school on your left you will have one more curve before the turn off to camp. Make a left turn onto Boy Scout Road and follow until you see the entrance to Camp Ho Non Wah. See you soon!!

Transportation

Cub Scout Camping Events at Ho Non Wah are a family camping event. Each family is responsible for the safe transportation of its members to and from camp and to make sure that all vehicles meet national insurance standards. Please remember that transporting scouts or adults in the bed of an open pick-up truck or trailer – whether covered or uncovered – is against the policy of the Boy Scouts of America. If you are traveling as a unit, please be sure to submit a tour permit prior to leaving for this event.

Parking

Upon arrival to camp, immediately park all vehicles in the parking lot in front of the camp office. Do not block the road. This road serves as a vital artery for camp logistics and two-way through passage must be maintained at all times. No exceptions. Overflow parking is across the road from our TRIBE Weekend Camping Area (Ecology Field)

The camp has multiple handcarts for hauling gear from the parking lot to the campsites. To help facilitate the hauling of gear to your site you may want to bring your own wagon.

Annual Health and Medical Record

BSA Annual Health and Medical Record (2014 printing) are required for all attendees (including: cub scout, parent, sibling and leaders) at Cub Scout Camping Events of Coastal Carolina Council. **Only Parts A and B are required for events lasting less than 72 hours.** Medical forms must be turned in at registration and can be picked up at check out. Any unclaimed forms at the conclusion of the event will be destroyed.

Copies of this form can be downloaded from the BSA website at www.scouting.org.

Check In Procedures

Parents and/or units should plan to arrive at camp between 9:00-11:00 am on Saturday. **Please do not arrive before 9:00 am as we will not be ready to check in your family or unit.**

Upon arrival at Camp Ho Non Wah you will need to check in on the porch of Newbery Lodge located across from the parking lot. Finalized schedules and campsite assignments will be given out during registration. BSA Annual Health and Medical Record will need to be turned in at check in. **Please complete these forms before coming to camp.**

Tips for Campers

The following are some tips that will help you in while participating in a Cub Scout Family Camp Program.

- Be courteous to your other campers – do not cut through others campsites.
- Costumes are encouraged! Please select **Scouting Friendly** (age appropriate) attire when wearing your costumes!
- Practice setting up and taking down your tent before coming to camp.
- Bring only what you need to spend the night. You will need to hike-in and hike-out your gear. Some families find it easier to bring a small wagon to help transport gear to your campsite.
- Follow your schedule to ensure all groups have the opportunity to do each activity.
- Camp wildlife likes your snacks. Please do not feed them or leave food in your tent. By doing so you are sending an open invitation for wildlife to come visit you.

Meals

Balanced, nutritional meals are served cafeteria style in the dining hall. If you or your scout has special dietary concerns please let us know prior to coming to camp. Each year we have individuals who have Diabetes, Celiac Disease, Peanut allergies, milk and egg allergies and a host of other special dietary needs. These individuals are encouraged to bring any specialty foods that they may need to supplement our regular meals. Such foods should be labeled with the individual's name, and unit number.

A Word about Our Staff

The Staff for Cub Haunted and other Cub Scout Camping Events hosted by Coastal Carolina Council are volunteers just like you. We strive to put on a quality event and rely on individual youth and adult scouters to volunteer their time before, during and after the event to ensure you have a memorable experience. Our staff members are not paid rather they have also paid money to attend. "A Scout is Friendly, Courteous & Kind." Please show appreciation to our staff by following the Scout Oath and Law while at camp.

Check Out Procedures

Please practice Leave No Trace by cleaning up your campsite before departing. After breaking down your campsite please carry any trash to our dumpster located behind the dining hall. Once you have loaded your gear, stop by the Camp Office to pick up your event patch and health forms. All campers must check out of camp before departing.

Health Lodge

The camp provides a trained medical officer on the premises and a physician on call 24 hours a day for emergencies. Please note that the adult leader/parent should provide basic first aid (band aids, mole skin, etc.) to campers.

Arrangements are made with St. Francis Hospital to treat emergency patients from camp. Transportation to St. Francis Hospital will be made on an emergency basis by Charleston County EMS. For injuries of non-emergency nature, transportation should be provided by one of the unit leaders to St. Francis as determined by the medic.

Emergency Procedures

Written procedures are established for fires, lost scouts, lost bathers and severe storms or other emergencies. The Red Bell on our Parade Field is our Emergency signal and will only be rung in the event of an emergency. Scouts, leaders and parents need to report to the council ring when the Emergency Activation System is activated.

Camp Ho Hon Wah has a lightning detections system mounted on the top of the Dining Hall and Central Showers which will sound when the conditions are favorable for lightening around our camp. We refer to this as our “Be Prepared” alarm. One large blast of a horn accompanied by a blinking light on the sensors in both locations helps us know that there is a possibility of lightening in a 3 mile radius of our dining hall. Our staff will monitor the weather and will do everything possible to continue program.

The camp director should be notified immediately of all emergencies that occur while at camp.

Insurance

All families and units must provide accident insurance for scouts and leaders attending camp. It is the responsibility of the parent and/or unit leader to apply for accident insurance before coming to camp. Parents/leaders must have their insurance information in the case of an emergency.

Medical expenses incurred by scouts and leaders while in camp will be paid by the parent/guardian's insurance and then the unit's insurance. No fees will be billed to camp. The health officer will notify the parent in the event that a scout has to be taken to the doctor or an emergency visit to the hospital.

Medication

Medications may be kept with the parent/partner of the scout and dispensed as prescribed. Only refrigerated and injectable medications must be stored at the health lodge with the medical officer. Scouts and parents should bring their epi-pins and asthma inhalers.

Schedule of Events

Saturday

9:00-11:00	Check in & Set Up
11:00	Opening Ceremony
11:30-1:00	Lunch (A & B)
1:10-1:40	Activity Session 1 (10 min change)
1:50-2:20	Activity Session 2 (10 min change)
2:30-3:00	Activity Session 3 (10 min change)
3:10-3:40	Activity Session 4 (10 min change)
3:50-4:20	Activity Session 5 (10 min change)
4:30-5:00	Activity Session 6 (10 min change)
5:15-6:45	Dinner (A & B)
7:00	Campfire/Costume Contest
Following Campfire	Hayride/Haunted Trail/Games in Parade Field/Haunted House/Sling Shots
9:00	Crackerbarrel

Sunday

7:00	Breakfast in Sites
8:30	Chapel
9:30	All Campers Clean Up and Depart Camp Staff Clean Up

Program Features

During the afternoon, your family/pack will be assigned groups to rotate through 5 activities periods with a scheduled free periods. These activities include:

- BB Guns
- Archery
- Cub Haunted Crafts
- Mad Scientist Laboratory

Costume contest will take place during our Campfire at the council ring. Following campfire, evening activities will open and will continue to run throughout the evening. You may participate in as many of these activities as you would like. These activities include:

- Haunted Pool House
- Maze
- Haunted Trail
- Sling Shots
- Hayride
- Carnival Games
- Movie

A Scout is Reverent – Sunday morning we will hold a Scout Own-Interfaith Worship Service at our chapel. All are encourage to participate.

Map of Camp

