



**Webelos and Arrow of Light Adventure  
Camp 2026  
Leaders Guide**

**Salmen Scout Reservation**

**Camp V-Bar**

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Welcome to Webelos and AOL Adventure Camp. Thank you for taking the time to be an amazing part of our Cub Scouting Program to ensure our youth have the greatest adventures. Below is a guide to assist you in preparing for a great camping weekend. The following items will be covered:

1. General Information
2. Schedule
3. Meals
4. Code of Conduct

## General Information

Webelos and AOL Adventure Camp will be held August 21<sup>st</sup> through 23<sup>rd</sup> 2026 at Camp V-Bar. This camp is designed with our older Cub Scouts in mind and siblings are not allowed to attend. This will give them the opportunity to focus on advancement while working in a patrol setting with scouts at the same level. This camp also allows these scouts to follow Safeguarding Youth Standards in their den and pack to

attend without a parent attending for each scout as long as adequate leadership is provided with two deep leadership for the event. If you have any questions please contact the Camp Director Jonathan Bridier.

All campers will need to bring a filled out Health History Form. While camp is running we will have medical staff available at the Health Lodge to assist with any medical needs that may arise.

Camp and gates will open at 3pm on August 21<sup>st</sup>.

Campsites are assigned to units and will be sent out prior to the start of camp. Please be mindful that more than one unit may be assigned to a campsite at one time to accommodate everyone.

### Preparation for Webelos and AOL Camp

1. An extremely important function of your planning is informing parents of camp plans. Prior to camp, set a date and hold a parent information meeting. You will need to make copies of the guidebook or download a

copy from our website and e-mail it to all your parents/guardians who will be attending.

REGISTRATION FOR THIS EVENT ONLY MAY BE DONE ONLINE. This guide includes a list of what to bring to camp, Salmen Scout Reservation/Camp V-Bar policies and procedures, and a map on how to get there.

2. Arrange for transportation to and from camp. We recommend having everyone going to camp meet at a central location and carpool, if possible. Be sure every driver has a map to camp and the camp phone number. Share cell phone numbers in case someone becomes separated from the group or get walkie-talkies and use them on the road and at camp. Cell phone coverage is very limited on camp property. AT&T coverage is limited but Verizon and Sprint work fairly well.
3. Campsite assignments will be assigned by the Camp Program Director based on size of groups. If you have a need for power for a medical device please indicate it on registration and let the director know prior to camp assignments. We have limited availability of site with power and they are ONLY assigned to persons with medical necessities.

4. Annual Health & Medical Forms – Everyone attending camp must fill out and bring the Annual Health & Medical Form with them to camp. These forms will remain with the medical staff during camp. These forms are necessary in the case of a medical emergency to provide additional information about medical conditions and medication to our Camp Health Officer or other emergency responders. They will be returned at the end of camp.
5. Please leave all electronics in your cars in the parking lot. The kids should be enjoying nature, not sitting in their tents on their devices. Also, stress to your parents that they are there to help supervise the kids and to ensure their safety. If they are always on their phones, they are of no help to the pack. We understand that sometimes it is necessary to look at one's phone for work, family, etc., but encourage them to keep it in their pockets. Camp V-Bar and the Southeast Louisiana Council are not responsible for lost, or damaged phones or other electronic devices.
6. Closed-toe shoes **MUST** be worn by all individuals camping at Camp V-Bar. Sandals may **ONLY** be worn in the showers and may not be worn walking to and from the showers. This reminder is for your safety and

the sanity of our health officer. Shoes MUST be worn in camp. NO BARE OR JUST SOCKED FEET ALLOWED

## Schedule

The full schedule will be posted closer to camp as campers are separated into groups. Events will be based on advancements needed for the Webelos and AOL Ranks. The patrols will also have some events that will be competition style based on Scouting skills and awards will be given out at closing campfire for them.

Some of the competition events will include:

1. Fire Building/ Rope Burning
2. Shooting Sports Competition
3. Bowline Knot Tying

Other events will be announced in the schedule.

## Meals

As part of this program meals will be included in this program and served in the dining hall.

# Code of Conduct

Please remember this is a Scouting event and we should act accordingly. With that below are a few of the rules that need to be looked after while at camp.

NO ALCOHOL, FIREARMS, or FIREWORKS are allowed on camp property.

Smoking or Vaping should be done in designated places away from youth campers.

Scouts and adults should be conservative minded at all times. This should include picking up their trash and treating nature with respect. No one should be caught destroying vegetation or trees at any point. Anyone caught doing these actions may be asked to fix their actions first and or asked to leave camp. Adults should supervise youth and make sure they are following scout standards.

Any scout carrying a pocket knife on their person must have a whittling chit at all time. A scout using a knife in an unsafe manner may have it taken, turned into the program director, and returned to them at the end of camp.

Fires should only be built in designated fire rings. No one should play with fire at anytime. No fires should ever be left

unattended for any reason. Never use Gas or other volatile liquids to start fires for safety reasons.

Youth Protection standards should always be followed. If you have questions pertaining to this please contact the Program Director or Admin Staff for clarification.

**Clarification on Restrooms- the restrooms at the dining hall are YOUTH ONLY now. ADULT ONLY Restrooms can be found at the administration building and the pool house. This is to help prevent having youth in adult spaces and the opposite. All campsite restrooms and shower houses are single use stalls with locking doors to prevent the crossing of these boundaries.**

If there are any question pertaining to these items above please contact the Program Director Jonathan Bridier at 985-227-3284.

We look forward to seeing you at Camp V-Bar for a wonderful weekend and some great scouting experiences.