## **Boy Scout Troop 39 ~ Summer Camp 2018**

J. N. Webster Scout Reservation in Ashford, CT ~ Sunday, June 24 - Friday, June 30

## **Important Dates:**

March 6 Summer camp forms and details available at Parent-Camper Meeting
May 8 Last troop meeting for registration form and payment before late fee\*

Health forms are appreciated by this date to allow time for review

**June 12** (7pm) Pre-camp Meeting for all attending summer camp plus a parent

\*Bring any revised health forms so they can be handed in prior to camp!

**June 24-30** Summer camp with Troop 39!

\*Camp Cost: Troop 39 will pay deposits to hold spaces at an early bird rate: \$415 this year. Payment in full and paperwork must be received by 5/8 meeting to secure a spot. After 5/15, the camp fee cost charged by Council is \$465 (additional fee does not pertain to new Crossover scouts). Camperships are available for anyone for whom this cost presents a difficulty.

Individual Scout Account (ISA) funds earned by wreath sales can be used, please note on registration form. If you would like to pay for camp using a credit card, follow the link on the troop site. Important: PayPal charges a 2.9% credit card plus \$ .30 transaction fee so your credit card will be charged accordingly.

Current	ISA	balance:	

**Camp Information:** See our troop website <a href="www.ct-troop39.org">www.ct-troop39.org</a> for information and documents pertaining to summer camp, including a link to JN Webster's site, program info, descriptions of merit badges, and more! Check out all the specialty camps offered! \$100 discount on additional week of camp.

**Merit Badges:** Read the requirements *before* signing up for badges <u>www.meritbadge.org</u>. Pay particular attention to any age restrictions. **Pre-requisites for many of the badges are listed online (JNW and troop site).** Once merit badge decisions are made, reserve the merit badge pamphlets with the Troop Librarian (Conor MacCluggage), purchase them at the Scout Store or download online.

## **Required Forms:**

- 1. Troop Registration Form, handed in with payment due no later than 5/8 (CRC has \$50 late fee)
- 2. BSA Annual Health and Medical Record
  - Part A, B, C and D are required
  - ➤ Part C physician *signature only* may be substituted by a SIGNED State of Connecticut blue form dated after 6/24/17
  - ➤ ALL signatures on all forms must be dated after 6/24/17
  - Copy of front and back of insurance card required
- 3. Medications and Allergy Treatment Plan: Medications can be listed on Part B; form **MUST** be signed by physician. Alternately, a separate use Medication and Allergy Treatment Plan form is available on the troop or camp site (submit one per medication).
- 4. Merit Badge Sign-Up form

**Questions:** If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask!

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## **VOLUNTEER!!!!**

Years of experience have proven that it is crucial that we maintain a 1 adult: 5 scouts ratio for a positive, safe and productive camp experience -- which means we need minimum 3-4 adults at camp at all times. Please consider volunteering a day, night or more to support our scouts – and have a great time enjoying summer, the great outdoors, and camp food! The troop covers the camp cost of adult volunteers.

Please note that health forms are required for any adult staying overnight.

As with scouts, physician signature must be dated after 6/24/17

If you are able to help, or have questions about volunteering, please see Mike or Ray. Thank you!