

# **BSA Troop 113 Summer Camp Guide Parents & Boys**



**July 17 - 23, 2011**

**WINNEBAGO SCOUT RESERVATION  
CHIPPEWA CAMPSITE**

# Summer Camp Roster

Last	First	Patrol
Andreini	Domenick	BF
Chari	Nathan	BF
Lance	Michael	BF
Thompson	Anthony	BF
Conley	Brendan	DP
Coudriet	Carter	DP
Lesky	Joey	DP
McCann	Danny	DP
von Ohlen	Michael	DP
Coudriet	Carson	HK
Jones	Tyler	HK
Murset	Steven	HK
Hauck	Jimmy	PG
Miller	Isaiah	PG
Seamon	Andrew	PG
Chari	Prithvi	PN
Earley	David	PN
Rieman	Kyle	PN
DiStefano	Jason	PX
Hauck	David	PX
Byrne	Ciaran	PX
Criscione	Brian	WF
Horvath	William	WF
Sanghvi	Ryan	WF

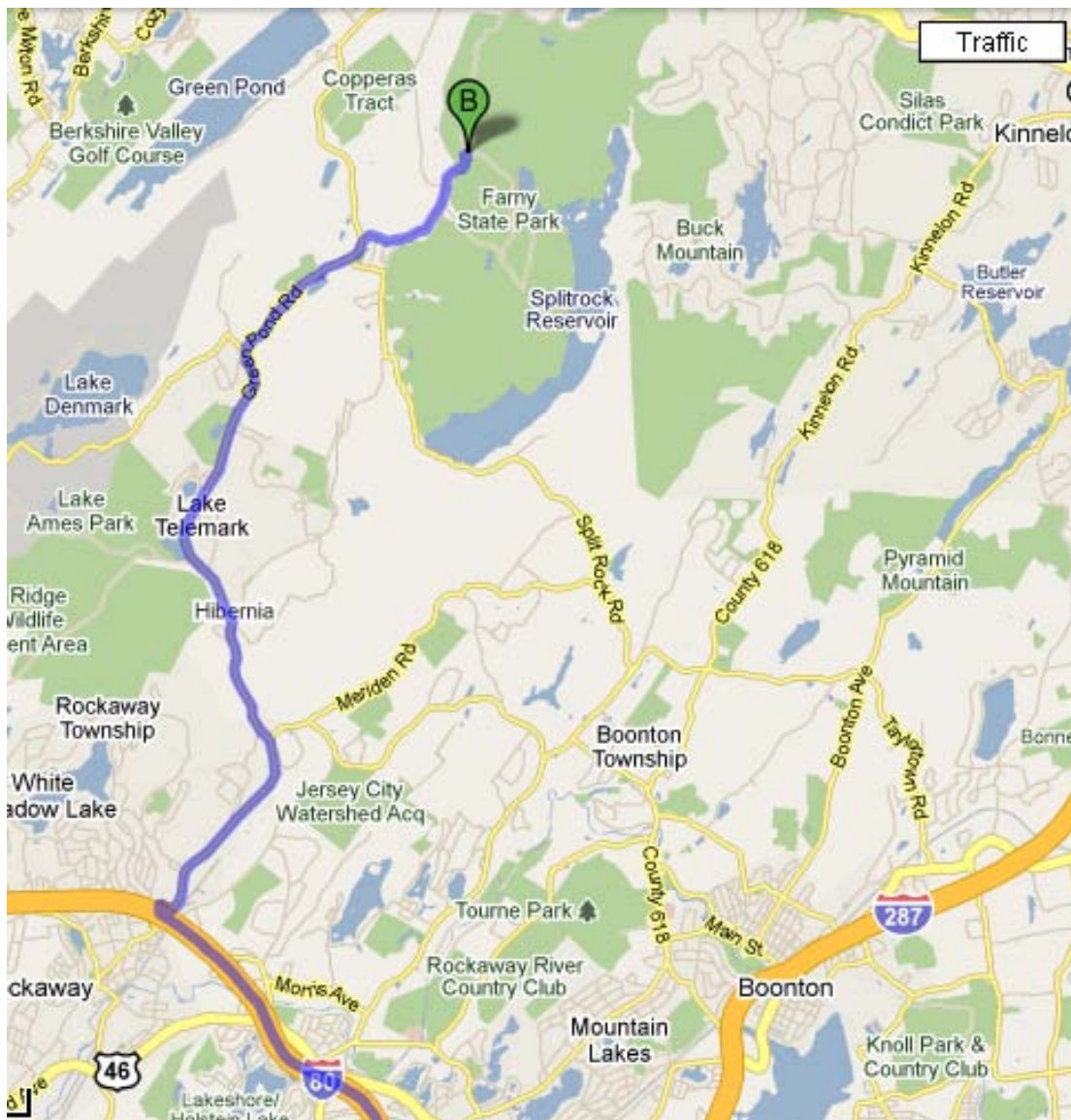
**David Earley**            732-309-5291  
**Tom Hauck**              732-619-5518  
**Doug Hutt**               908-642-6413  
**Hugh McCann**         732-309-7605  
**Pat Dillon**                732-859-7953

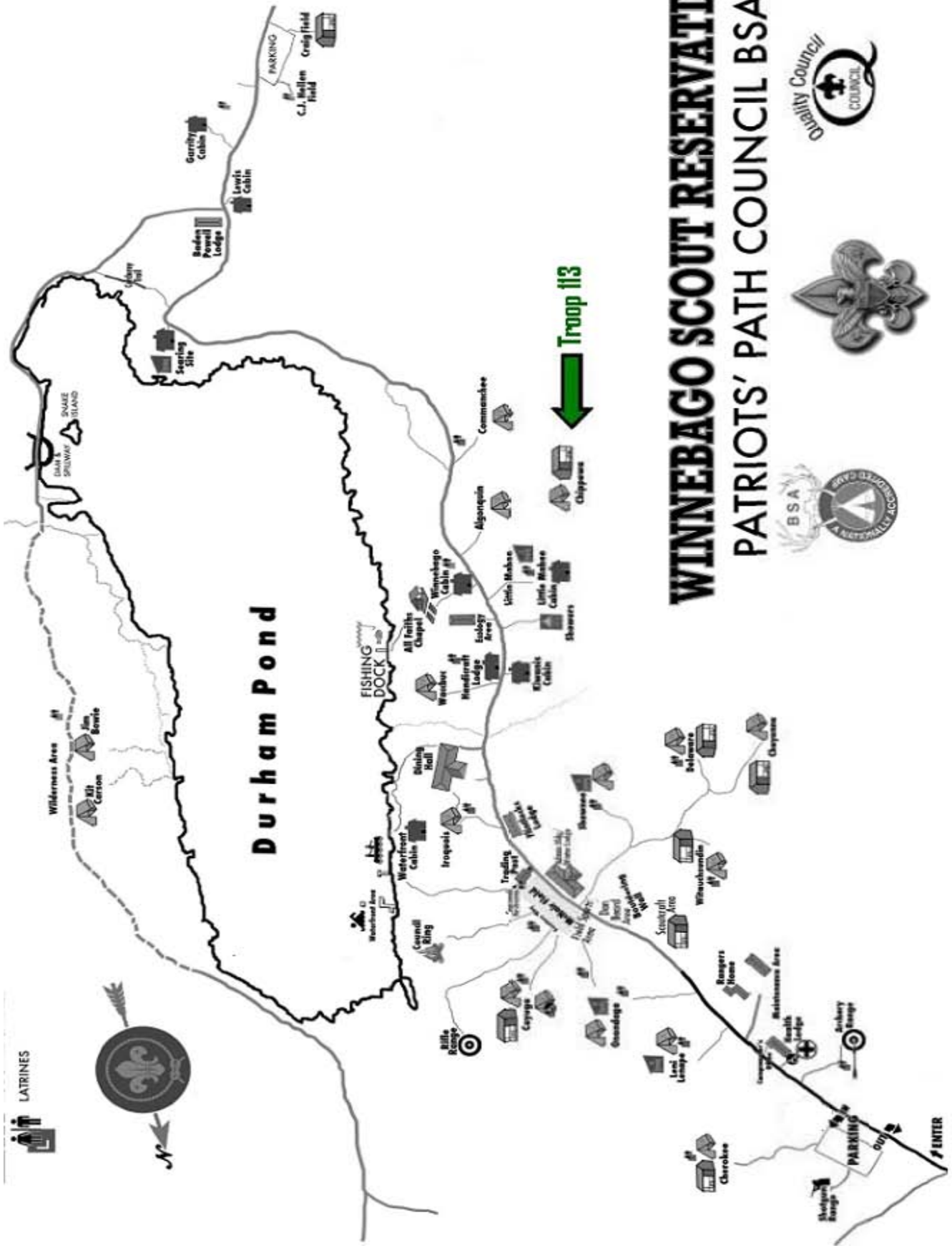
# Driving Directions to Winnebago

102 TIMBERBROOK RD, ROCKAWAY

About 50 Miles, One Hour

- Take I-287 North for 31.7 mi
- Take exit #41B DEL WATER GAP onto I-80 W, go 6.4 mi
- Take exit #37 HIBERNIA/ROCKAWAY
- Turn Left on HIBERNIA AVE (CR-513)
- Continue on GREEN POND RD (CR-513) - go 6.6 mi
- Bear Right on TIMBERBROOK RD - go 1.1 mi





LATRINES



# WINNEBAGO SCOUT RESERVATION

## PATRIOTS' PATH COUNCIL BSA



ENTER

PARKING

OUT

## **GENERAL INFORMATION**

### **Telephones & Mailing Address**

In case of emergency, you may call camp at 973-983-9075. Please be prepared to give your Son's Name, Troop and Campsite (Chippewa).

Incoming mail will be given only to Scoutmasters. Scouts enjoy receiving mail from home. It is important for you to remind parents to refrain from comments as "we miss you very much", "it's lonely without you", etc. to help prevent homesickness. Mail to camp should be sent at least four days in advance.

The camp's mailing address is:

Scout's Name, Troop 113 Chippewa  
Winnebago Scout Reservation  
102 Timberbrook Road  
Rockaway, New Jersey 07866

### **WSR Staff**

Curt Haak, [curt.haak@scouting.org](mailto:curt.haak@scouting.org) 973-983-9075  
Camp Director

Chauncey Phillips [chauncey.phillips@scouting.org](mailto:chauncey.phillips@scouting.org) (973) 765-9322 ext 225  
Program Specialist

Bob Morris [robert.morris@scouting.org](mailto:robert.morris@scouting.org) (973) 765-9322 ext 223  
Assistant Scout Executive

Carl Moritz [carl.moritz@scouting.org](mailto:carl.moritz@scouting.org) 973-983-9075 or 973-945-7404  
Winnebago Scout Reservation Director

### **Visitors:**

All visitors must follow signs and check in at the Camp Office and receive wristbands. All Scouts, leaders and guests must wear camp wristbands at all times. One is provided to each person upon check-in.

### **Parent & Guest Meals**

All visitors must pay at Camp Office for any meals they will be sharing with their Scout (\$6.00 for breakfast, \$7.00 for lunch, and \$8.00 for dinner). Use meal receipt for presentation to the Steward at Dining Hall.

### **Special Needs**

Any Scout or Leader with special needs must inform the camp staff prior to their arrival. Be sure to inform Camping Services of the type of need, i.e. physical, medical, dietary, food allergies, etc. Special requests and needs should be turned in as soon as possible so the camp staff can work with you.

## **The Buddy System:**

The Buddy System must be used by all scouts at all times. This means that any time a Scout is going anywhere; he must have a buddy with him. Remember – safety first!

## **MEDICAL INFORMATION**

### **Medical Examination**

A medical examination is required of all Scouts and Leaders prior to arrival at camp. Admission to camp is contingent upon satisfactory and current (within one year) medical examination. The same medical form that is required by the troop will be used for summer camp. **Scouts without a current medical form will be sent home.** All fields should be filled in, no field left blank as that raises questions.

**All Scouts' medication must be in a zip lock bag in their original containers. This is the law.** The bag should be labeled with the Scout's name and Troop 113. All medication must be turned in at the Health Lodge upon check in. All prescription and non-prescription medications must be stored under lock and key during camp attendance. Medications must be controlled and administered by the camp Health Officer or the unit leader.

### **Health Lodge**

A qualified medical staff officer is on duty 24 hours a day at the Health Lodge. Arrangements are also in effect with a local physician and hospital should conditions warrant such services.

## **PERSONAL & CONDUCT**

### **Uniforms**

The Scout uniform, correctly worn, is required for retreat, the evening meals and campfires. Shorts and T-shirts are acceptable daytime wear. Footgear is mandatory at all times. **Open toe shoes are not allowed in camp – don't even bring them.**

### **Personal audio equipment**

A week in the woods is a long time to be away from your favorite music, but campers who tune out from their surroundings can get hurt, and obsessive audiophiles are unlikely to fully enjoy the outdoors experience. It is difficult to communicate with campers wearing headphones, and the camper who spends most of the week with his ears covered is missing the fellowship of the Troop. Music with headphones will be restricted to use within the tent only.

### **Cell Phones**

Please carefully consider whether or not your son really needs a cell phone. They can be very disruptive to the camping experience and they seem to contribute to homesickness.

### **Campsites**

During summer camp, all Scouts will stay in 2-man platform wall tents, equipped with cots. Each unit is provided with picnic tables and benches, dining fly, fire ring, and flag pole for campsite ceremonies. A bulletin board is provided as well. Adults will stay in separate tents.

## **Cleanliness**

Campers are expected to observe good personal hygiene, and to maintain their tents and personal gear in good order while in camp. There is no need for other food in camp, and in the interest of cleanliness and to discourage raccoon visits, no snacks or soda cans will be allowed in our campsite. **Please do not send food with the Scouts. Food in tents presents a safety hazard as it attracts skunks, raccoon and bears.**

## **Showers**

Outdoor hot showers are located near each campsite. We make an effort to be sure that every camper stays clean. Separate central shower facilities are available for scouts, male and female leaders. They have complete privacy.

## **Privacy**

No youth may stay in the tent of an adult other than his parent/guardian. Adult leadership will respect the privacy of youth members in situations such as changing into swimsuits and taking showers, and intrude only to the extent that health and safety require. Adult Leaders must also protect their own privacy in similar situations.

## **Trading Post**

The Trading Post has a myriad of items for your convenience. Everything from T-shirts, sodas, ice cream, fishing equipment to handicraft materials are available. The Trading Post also carries many items of equipment, pamphlets, booklets, and other Scout related merchandise. It also carries materials needed for merit badges.

## **Aquatics Tests**

Scouts and leaders will take a swimming test to determine their aquatic classification. Everyone will be classified into one of three ability groups: 1) Non-Swimmer 2) Beginner 3) Swimmer. Everyone must take the swim test to use the lake or other aquatic facilities. To qualify as a Beginner Swimmer a Scout or leader must: jump feet first into water over his head, surface, level off and swim at least 50 feet. To qualify as a Swimmer a Scout or leader must: jump feet first into water over his head, surface, level off and swim at least 75 yards in a strong manner using strokes indicated by the instructor, swim an additional 25 yards using the elementary backstroke and rest in the water for one minute using minimum of motion.

No Scout is required to take the swim test but will not be allowed in the water without it. This includes all water related Merit Badge classes.

## **CHECK-IN AND CHECK-OUT**

### **Check-In**

Each Scout will provide his own transportation to camp. **We will be meeting in the WSR parking lot at 12:00 PM on Sunday.** This will allow time for equipment inspection and have us ready for check-in which is 1:00 PM. **Coming late delays the whole troop and makes everyone cranky!**

## **Equipment Inspection**

All personal gear will be inspected in the parking lot before we go up to the camp site. There will be no exceptions. We expect parents to take the lead in this by inspecting all personal equipment before leaving for Summer Camp. Anyone found in possession of anything inappropriate will be sent home and will not be allowed to participate in Troop from that point on.

## **Check-Out**

Each Scout will provide his own transportation from camp. We will hold a Court of Honor where all Scouts will be recognized for their awards, badges, ranks, and special accomplishments. The ceremony will be on Saturday; starting shortly after 10:30 AM once we have completed successfully exiting the camp site. **Please be patient as we will be putting the final touches on the Merit Badge awards just before the ceremony.**

## **CODE OF CONDUCT**

**No pranks will be permitted. None at all.** All Scouts are adults are expected to abide by the Troop 113 Code of Conduct or will be sent home. All rules of WSR are to be observed at all times, especially those that deal with safety. Violation of these rules will result in the individual being sent home.

## **WSR Rules**

Alcoholic beverages are not allowed in camp. No smoking will be permitted in camp. Campers are not permitted to bring firearms, ammunition or archery equipment to WSR. Fireworks are also not permitted. Campers found to be in violation of these rules will be sent home immediately. Any camper whose conduct endangers the safety of others will be sent home immediately. Any camper whose behavior in camp is not consistent with the Scout Law should expect that his parent's will receive a telephone call from the Camp Leader, who will take very seriously his responsibility to ensure a safe enjoyable week for the Troop.

## SUGGESTED SCOUT EQUIPMENT

- All Scouts should bring their Scout handbooks
- No open-toed shoes are permitted in camp. **Don't even bring them.**
- A second pair of shoes is recommended
- Suggestion: put the day's clothing (shirt, pants, underwear, sox) in a single zip lock bag, one bag for each day of the week

Foot Locker  
Day Pack  
Sleeping Bag  
Sleeping Pad  
Pillow  
Camp Chair  
Poncho (**absolute must!**)  
Scout Approved Knife  
Flashlight  
Extra Bulb & Batteries  
Sun Screen  
Bug Repellent  
Hand Sanitizer  
Notebook & Pen  
Nalgene-like bottle  
Personal First Aid Kit

Distress Whistle  
Clothes Hangers (2)  
Small Roll Duct Tape  
Baseball Cap  
Sun Glasses  
Sneakers  
Hiking Shoes  
Water Shoes  
Swim Shorts (2)  
Towel (2)  
Sleeping Cloths  
T-shirts / Troop T's  
Shorts (any kind)  
Wind Pants  
Underwear  
Sox

Uniform Shirt  
Uniform Pants  
Uniform Belt  
OA Sashes  
Neckerchief & Slide  
Fleece  
Toothbrush & Paste  
Soap & Shampoo  
Comb & Brush  
Scout Handbook  
Camera  
Watch  
Laundry Bag  
Money  
Medications

# Troop 113 Code of Conduct

Each Scout in Troop 113 shall practice living by the Scout Oath and Scout Law in every day life, as well as, at all Scouting functions. All Scouts and adults will observe the Guide to Safe Scouting as defined by the Boy Scouts of America.

## **The Code of Conduct is as follows:**

- Each Scout and adult will treat other Scouts and adults with respect at all times.
- Foul language (cursing) or obscenity will not be tolerated at any time.
- Physical or verbal abuse, hazing or pranks against other Scouts or adults will not be tolerated.
- Roughhousing, fighting or "threats" to Scouts or adults will not be allowed.
- Personal and Troop property will be respected at all times and nothing will be taken or used that belongs to another Scout without that Scout's permission.
- If you break or lose another Scout's property, you will replace it - if you had permission to use it or not.
- During meetings, campouts and other Scout activities, Scouts will not be allowed to leave the meeting or program area for any reason, unless an Adult Leader has granted permission, and ensured the proper supervision. This includes leaving with a parent.
- The meeting area will be kept neat and left clean including the bathroom area. Scouts will clean up after themselves and at the end of each meeting, as assigned.

## **Non-compliance with any of the above Code will result in the Scout facing one or more of the following actions, with right to appeal to the Troop Committee Chair:**

- Peer to Peer Meeting with another Scout, Patrol Leader or Junior Leader
- A meeting with the Scoutmaster or adult leader as designated
- A parent being called and the boy being sent home from an event
- Letter of apology prepared by the Scout
- Scout's parent(s) requested to begin attending troop events or
- Scout and parent(s) present themselves before the Troop Committee
- Temporary suspension from troop activities
- Non-renewal of Scout's registration with Troop 113