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**12th Richmond Scout Group
CAMP BYNG PERMISSION SLIP
Fri Apr 20 – Sun Apr 22, 2012**



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**12th Richmond Scout Group
Link Camp @ Camp Byng, April 20-22, 2012**

WHO: Beavers [*& their parents as helpers*], Cubs, Scouts, Venturers, Rovers, Leaders & Families
All family members welcome.

WHERE: - Camp Byng is located on the Sunshine Coast [Close to Gibson's.]
Due to limited parking and to minimize ferry costs, try to arrange carpooling with parents. Check with your leaders. If carpooling, ensure youth contributes to gas and carries their ferry fare. Ferry is one charge for both ways. Check fares on BC Ferries website: http://www.bcferries.com/files/fares/pdf_format/BCF_Fares.pdf

THEME & ACTIVITIES: Outdoor fun

CAMP COST: - \$40.00 per Scouting Youth
- \$50.00 (non Scouting youth)
- \$35 per parent (Non Scouting Adult)

OTHER COSTS: (Ferry & Dinner Friday Night)
Travel costs: Check BC Ferry website for charges (\$6.30 youth, \$12.60 Adults, \$42.35
Vehicles up to 20', plus \$5.60 over 20' per ft.
Ferry costs: Families pay for themselves and their vehicles on the ferry.
Dinner: Youth must have eaten before leaving for camp or carry money for ferry food

Travel Arrangements:
- We need to leave from Horseshoe Bay to catch the Langdale Ferry @ 7:25 pm on Friday evening. (You are welcome to leave on an earlier ferry and avoid rush hour traffic. Catch the 3:30 or 5:30 ferry, however you won't have access to 'Haida Lodge' without a leader present). It is a 40 minute ferry ride. The majority of the group should arrive at camp by 8:30 – 9:00 pm, *if there are no ferry delays*. Enjoy dinner at Gibson's Landing while waiting for the Group.

Camp Location:

- Once you exit the ferry in Langdale, follow traffic and turn left at the top of the steep hill.
- Follow Highway 101 through Gibson's. (Just follow the road always staying to the right).
- This is the main road of Gibson's is at the first 'T' intersection (& first traffic light). Turn right and follow the road out of the little town of Gibsons.

-Note: There's a small mall If you need anything to eat and fast food places along the way. Also gas stations, banks and IGA for any last minute items

- Just outside of Gibson's (don't blink as you'll have passed it), look for LOWER ROAD (you will see a Camp Byng sign by the roadside)
- Turn left onto LOWER ROAD
- Please drive at the specified speed as this is a residential area
- Follow LOWER ROAD about 3 km until you reach Camp Byng's gate on the left side of the road. (see image)
- Total Travel time from langdale about 15 minutes.



UNIFORM:

- Full uniform required
- All youth travel to and from site in full uniform.
- Casual clothes/group scarf on site.
- **Group Scarf must be worn at all times.**

ACCOMMODATION:

- Parents must accompany Beavers to camp. All age levels.
- Sleeping Bag accommodations
- Beavers: Cabin indoor floor accommodation. Sleeping Bag & Foamie or air mattress required
- Cubs: Outdoor Cub Hulls. Need warm gear as these hulls are not insulated. Sleeping Bag, warm blanket, No Foamie Required as mattresses provided in Cub Hulls
- Scouts: Tents - full sleeping gear required, including warm blankets.
- Parents: Cabin bunk beds available (Youth are not permitted in adult accommodation area)

Washrooms and showers available: boys one side, girls other side of outdoor washrooms. Parents can use either or Cabin washrooms. (Youth are not permitted in cabin washrooms)

Cubs and Scouts are encouraged to sleep with their packs/troops

Parents sleep in separate accommodations. Separate Hull or in Cabin

We understand if your youth wants you close for their first year.

Please know Leaders keep watch all night long on youth sleeping outdoors.

- No Food in the sleeping areas at any time. (Any food must be transferred to the kitchen)

FYI:

1. Haida Lodge has a large kitchen, dining area and fireplace.
2. We use the outdoor campfire pit for our campfire. Campfire held indoors in wet weather.
3. There's a side room - off the dining area which is allocated the Beavers 'sleeping room' as it can be too cold in the hulls outside for Beavers. The Beavers sleeping room has a cement floor; and air mattresses are encouraged to raise Beavers off the cement floor or spread a blanket under foamie to further insulate Beavers from the cold flooring. **Parent sleep with their Beavers (unless your Beaver is fine with his Beaver pals).**
4. Beavers and parents are welcome to sleep in an outdoor hull as the preparations in the dining area and the leaders meetings can be loud and keep Beavers awake. (We are prepping the next day's event). **Your option is to take a hull or bring ear plugs.**
5. Parent bunks are down the hallway (off limits to youth). Men's on the right, women on the left.
6. Men's washrooms on the right and womens on the left. (off limits to youth).
7. Sleeping bag accommodation: Sleeping bag, Pillow, CAMPFIRE BLANKET (for that extra blanket?), flashlight to light your path to the washrooms inside or outside the cabin.

WASHROOM FACILITIES: - all flush, warm water available and showers too.

1. Cubs Outside – the washrooms are directly by the Cub Hulls

2. Beavers use the same washrooms as the Cubs (during the night, parents are welcome to use the inside washroom for the Beavers to avoid the cold trip outside). During the day, Beavers use the outside washrooms.
3. Scouts have their own washrooms in the top field.

GEAR LIST AND WHAT TO BRING:

Backpack
Uniform
Sleeping bag
Ground sheet
Sleeping pad (Foamie or air mattress)
waterproof rain jacket, pants, hats and hiking boots
2 changes of clothing (3 T-shirts, 2 pants, sweat pants and swear shirt, 2 – 3 underwear, and 4 pairs of socks)
Cold at night: gloves, long johns
Indoors shoes
Sleepwear (Flannel nightclothes, night socks)
Toque for nightwear outside
Toiletry kit (toothbrush, toothpaste, small towel, dispenser soap, Hairbrush)
Sunglasses, sunscreen
Ball cap or brim cap
Large Garbage bag for wet clothes and bag
Campfire blanket
Camera
Flashlight and Lip Balm

Scouts carry personal First Aid kits

Please LABEL your name on everything!!!

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KITCHEN GEAR LIST:

- Dippy bag (mesh bag to hold your dishes) containing plate, bowl, cup, knife, fork, spoon
- Clothes pegs (to clip your dippy bag up and hang up your wet clothing to dry)
- Extra tinfoil.
- Water Bottle (keep it full)

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WHAT NOT TO BRING

- Electronic games and gear (this is camp for outdoor fun)
- Cell phones (no exceptions - youth to ask leaders to use a phone)
- Medication – must be handed to a leader/First Aider
- No Drinking or smoking at Youth Camps (at least don't smoke where youth can see you)
- **No Drinking - you will be asked to leave.**

*Check with your CONTACT LEADER as it varies with each Section

Deadline: Tues Apr 3, 2012

Please cut here and return the bottom portion to your leaders with your cheque)



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Amount Attached: ** \$_____ Camp fees:**

- \$40.00 per Scouting Youth
- \$50.00 (Non Scouting youth). Must fill out a non-member health form
- \$35 per parent (Non Scouting Adult) Must fill out a non-member health form
- Exception Leaders & Cooks

[Please make cheque payable to **12th RICHMOND SCOUT GROUP**]

FULL UNIFORM MANDATORY while traveling – scarves worn on site.

Y/N - I am able/unable to drive and can have _____ seats available

_____ **Medical** Information has not changed

_____ **Medical** Information has change if changes

Please advice Contact Leader for new health form

_____ Alternate contact phone number. (Not home phone number)

***** I give permission for _____ to participate in the event as indicated above**

Parent or Guardian

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