



Welcomes Scouts Jan. 22 - 24, 2010

Thank you for your interest in the Alafia River Rendezvous Scout Adventure.

What is the Alafia River Rendezvous?

The Alafia River Rendezvous is a pre-1840 living history encampment where participants/reenactors set up and live in camps portraying and demonstrating life skills of various Early American cultures, i.e.; British, Irish, Scottish, Spanish and Native American. At last years gathering, over 1000 lodges were set up housing well over 1600 people. Traders Row was host to well over a hundred traders selling everything from kettle corn to tents to firearms and knives, to beads and rootbeer to skins and period clothing of all sorts.

Costs

The special price for scouts is \$6.00 per person over the age of 3. Ages 3 and under are free. Here is what you get for your money: 2 nights camping (Fri. & Sat.), admission to the Rendezvous Primitive area on Sat., and a patch for each person. The price is the same whether you camp 2 nights or 1 night and each member of your unit will still receive a patch.

Camp fees will be collected on Sat. morning.

Only Groups That Camp Will Get An Alafia Patch.

We strongly recommend that you check the weather forecast before coming out to Alafia so you can make proper clothing and gear choices. One year (2003) it got below freezing.

Also make sure to wear comfortable walking shoes.

Basic Information

Cub Masters / Scout Masters : Please print these rules out and go over them with your group so they will know the rules of our camp. Then sign them and bring them with you when you check in on Saturday morning along with your printed registration form.

Thank you

- Arrival time starts at 5 pm Friday. Please no early arrivals.
- You will be officially checked in on Saturday morning at the White Registration Tent. Please have your registration form printed out and filled out with the number of people attending.
- Scouts will not be admitted to the Primitive Rendezvous area until Sat. morning.
- Please keep your scouts in the scout camping area Friday and Saturday night.
- The patch you receive will be your “ticket” in and out of the Primitive Rendezvous area. All scouts and others with your unit should have their patch displayed on their person, either pinned to their shirt or strung around their neck while in the Primitive Rendezvous area. They may stay in the Primitive Rendezvous Area until 4 pm that is the closing time and all non-participants have to be out of the Primitive area.
- When visiting the Primitive Rendezvous area the scouts must be accompanied by an adult
- When visiting individual camps, remember that this is someone’s home. Do not enter anyone’s tent without being invited.
- Do not touch other people’s things unless you are invited to
- The scout camp sites are primitive with no electric or running water.
- Non-potable water is available, but you must carry it to your campsite.
- There are no showers at this time.
- Port-a-Johns are the only toilet facilities.
- Firewood is available for you to purchase or you can bring your own.
- Each unit depending on its size have at least one or two fire extinguishers in camp.
- Follow basic fire safety, have 5gal. buckets of water around open campfires and keep fires a reasonable size.

- Use your **best outdoor manners** and be **respectful** of the other campers in the area, i.e., not too loud late at night, running through other campsites, etc...
- Please police your area for trash before your unit vacates the camp. Remember “leave no trace”.
- You are responsible for your own garbage. If the dumpsters are full please take your garbage with you
- No youths should leave the scout camp area without adult supervision
- Surrounding properties are off limits!
- Violation of these rules could result in your group being evicted from the property and not being allowed to return in the future.

I, _____ have read and gone over the above rules with all persons attending the 2010 Alafia River Rendezvous in our group.

We hereby agree to comply with the rules of the Alafia River Rendezvous Scout Camp.

Signed,

____ Scout Master ____ Cub Master Trp# ____ Pack# ____

Pre-Registration

Due to limited space you **must** pre-register your scout unit. Please e-mail us with the following information by Dec. 15, 2009 SEND NO MONEY NOW Also print this out and bring it with you when you check into camp on Saturday morning.

There will be a limit of 400 campers, so register early.

Troop/Pack # _____ (check one) Boys _____ Girls _____

Number of people attending: Scouts _____ Adults _____

Number of Tents _____

Contact Info: Name _____

Phone (____) _____ E-mail _____

City _____

Send to Randy Thomas at tthomas52@verizon.net

Any questions can be directed to:

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