

# Auburn Fall Day Camp 2024

## Event Guide

### Veterans Weekend Salute

**November 8-11, 2024**

Chewacla State Park

124 Shell Toomer Parkway

Auburn, AL 36830

Register at <http://www.91bsa.org/AuburnDayCamp>  
Or call the Scout Office at (706) 327-2643 if you have any questions

Thank you for your interest in our Auburn Fall Day Camp, Veterans Weekend Salute!!!

This Veteran's Day weekend, give your child a memorable and impactful experience by enrolling them in our Day Camp program designed to honor and learn about our nation's heroes. Our special event offers a range of exciting adventures including fishing, where youth learn both a cherished skill and patience, and bike riding adventures that promote fitness and fun. We also have hands-on STEM projects that spark curiosity and critical thinking, alongside Champions for Nature Adventures that teach the importance of protecting our environment.

Participate in patriotic games and flag-raising ceremonies that will build team spirit and deepen your appreciation for those who served. Don't miss this unique opportunity to celebrate and give back while earning belt loops and making new friends. Sign up today and be part of this unforgettable event!

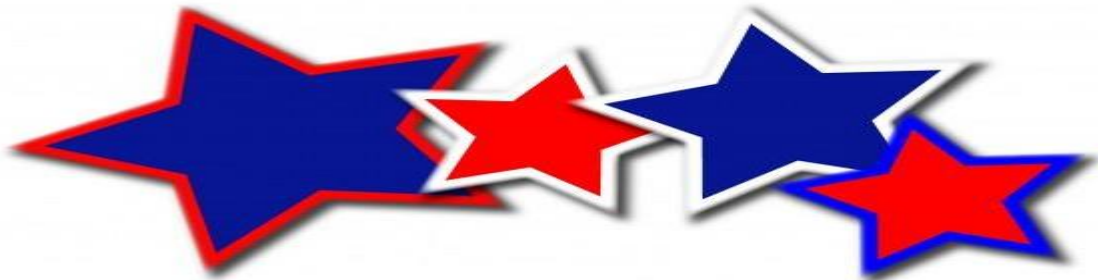
**Contact our team with any questions,**

Miranda Branyon  
Program Director  
mlbranyon@gmail.com  
(205) 394-8333

Brandy Rhoades  
NCAP Day Camp Assessor  
brrhoades2004@yahoo.com

James Gillespie  
District Chair  
gillejw@gmail.com  
(864) 313-4599

Scarlet Guzman  
Council Program Executive  
scarlet.guzman@scouting.org  
(706)341-3343



## Program Basics

**Location:** Chewacla State Park

**Date:** Friday, November 8, 2024, 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

Saturday, November 9, 2024, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Sunday, November 10, 2024, 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Monday, November 11, 2024, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

**Participants:** Day Camp is open to all Kindergarteners/First Graders (with an adult partner) through 5th grade youth.

**Registration Dates:** Registration closes on

**Registration Fee/Early Bird:** Cost: \$150 per youth Early Bird discount of \$25.00 until October 9, 2024, at Midnight

*Price is the same for Scouts and non-Scouts.*

**Food:** not provided - children & adults need to bring a lunch

**Parking:** Friday night drop off and pick up at CCC(Group Camp Area). The remaining days drop off and pick up will be at lower pavilion. (Map located on the last page)

**Check-in Times:** 5:00 PM Friday

9:00 AM Saturday and Monday

1:00 PM Sunday afternoon

## Pre-Camp Preparation

\*Please make sure all items are marked with the camper's name for easy identification. Remember that Chewacla State Park is a popular place and will not be responsible for lost or stolen items.

- **What to wear:** Day Camp shirt, closed toe shoes, any other weather appropriate clothing. This applies to adults and youth. FOOTWEAR POLICY (RULES): All campers, Scouts, staff, parents, and visitors are always required to wear closed toe shoes while attending day camp.

Make sure you and your youth wear clothes/shoes that can get dirty or stained. It would be advisable to bring an extra change of clothes/shoes for after all activities are complete. This will be a fun, colorful, and messy weekend.

- **What to bring:** Camping chairs, picnic blankets, reusable water bottles, lunch, bug spray, Scout Handbook, money for trading post, and day pack.

- **Health Forms:** The BSA Annual Health form parts A & B [Download here](#) are required to attend. This includes all campers, adults and staff. The Health Officer must keep the Medical Forms with them. (Fish on! Requires an Activity Consent Form)

**Do NOT bring:** Pets, pocketknives, matches/fire starters of any kind.

## Check-In Procedures

Check-in on Friday, November 8th will begin at 4:45 at the CCC (Group Camp Area)

On Saturday and Monday check-in will begin at 8:45 at the Lower Pavilion.

Sunday check-in will begin at 12:45 at the Lower Pavilion.

Campers will then be assigned to Dens. Dens will have Scouts from other Packs in the Chattahoochee Council along with many non-Scouting friends. We encourage you to invite friends and will do our best to place “friends” in the same den.

**We want you to be involved in your camper’s life and participate!**

**Don't just drop them off. We are a fun group of people, hang around and see.**

## Identification

Wearing your day camp shirt is important. Each youth and adult at camp will be required to wear the provided T-shirt for the duration of camp. The shirts will be provided during Friday night check-in. Additional T-Shirts are available to purchase during the registration process for \$15.00 each.

## Check-out Procedures

At the end of the day everyone will gather at the flags for announcements and the closing ceremony. After the closing ceremony the Day Camp Staff will ensure every scout leaves with the proper parent/guardian.

## Pack/Camp Activity Volunteers

Volunteers are needed to help run the fun activity stations. This is a great opportunity for Scouts BSA Troops to earn service hours. As you all know it takes a great number of volunteers to run activities and we cannot do it without you! Please consider helping with fun activity stations, afternoon clean up and parking as well. Please click the link to register.

<http://www.91bsa.org/AuburnDayCamp>

Volunteers will receive further instructions via email.

## Program Description

**Friday night**- Campfire kickoff, Astronomy (weather permitting), flag retirement

No Trading Post

**Saturday** - Get to Know Your Den (similar to Bobcat adventure) / Elective Adventures

Rotate Adventures, Lunch, Field Games, playground time, trading post

**Sunday** - Scout service, snack, trading post, and Conservation Project.

**Monday**- Den Time, Elective Adventures, Lunch, Trading Post, Finish Adventures, Rain gutter Regatta Race, Veterans Day Parade, Awards, Closing Ceremony

**At Day Camp we are going to focus on four elective adventures. They are Fishing, Champions for Nature, Race Time, and one STEM adventure. Our objective is for your child to finish these electives at camp but cannot guarantee completion.**

## Sample Den Rotations

Sample Schedule (Weather permitting)

Each den will have 5-7 Scouts led by Den Leaders / Den Chiefs

Activities	Den 1 (Lions/Tigers) K-1st Grade	Den 2 (Wolf) 2nd Grade	Den 3 (Bear) 3rd Grade	Den 4 (Webelos/AOL) 4th/5th Grade
<b>Rotation 1</b>	STEM	Champions for Nature	Fishing (30 min)	Race Time
<b>Rotation 2</b>	Race Time	STEM	Champions for Nature	Fishing (1 hr.)
<b>Rotation 3</b>	Fishing / On Your Mark/ Tiger Tag	Race Time	STEM	Champions for Nature
<b>Rotation 4</b>	Champions for Nature	Fishing / Air of the Wolf	Race Time	STEM



Planned Schedule (weather permitting)

<b>(Central)</b>	<b>Friday, Nov. 8</b>	<b>Saturday, Nov. 9</b>	<b>Sunday, Nov 10</b>	<b>Monday, Nov 11</b>
<b>8:30 AM</b>				Early drop off ??
<b>9:00 AM - 9:30 AM</b>		Check-in / Gathering Activity		Check-in / Gathering Activity
<b>9:30 AM - 10: 00 AM</b>		Den Time Den Flag / Den Doodle / Get to know You		Den Time Make Parade banners?
<b>10:00 AM</b>		Rotation #1		Rotation #1
<b>11:00 AM</b>		Rotation #2		Rotation #2
<b>12:00 PM</b>		Lunch/Play		Lunch/Play
<b>1:00 PM</b>		Fields Games	Check-in	Veterans Day Parade
<b>2:00 PM</b>		Rotation #3	Duty to God	Rotation #3
<b>3:00 PM</b>		Snack / Playground	Snack / Field Games	Snack / Race Time
<b>4:00 PM</b>		Rotation #4	Conservation Project	Rotation #4
<b>5:00 PM</b>	Check-in	Depart	Depart	Depart
<b>5:45 PM</b>	Opening Ceremony Songs / Skits			
<b>7:00 PM - 7:45 PM</b>	Astronomy Intro			
<b>8:00 PM</b>	Flag Retirement			
<b>9:00 PM</b>	Depart			

## Trading Post

A trading post can help a camper learn to manage their money. It will be cash only. Trading post open/closed times will be announced at check-in. Five dollars a day should be plenty. The trading post will mostly carry snack items at this event. We will do our best to carry a variety of items to meet any allergy or dietary restrictions.

## Safety

### Lost/Missing Camper-

1. If, at any time, a youth participant is believed to be missing, the adult participant or Den leader, **MUST** notify Day Camp Leadership with all known information.
2. The front gate at Chewacla State Park will be notified immediately.
3. Camp Staff will confirm last known locations and search all program areas.
4. If a missing person is not found, then search continues to all restrooms, vehicles and Chewacla property.
5. If a missing person has not been located, authorities will be contacted by the Camp Director.
6. The Camp Director will notify the child's parents.
7. Hazardous Weather- If hazardous weather occurs during camp we will seek shelter in the restrooms. See map on last page.

