

Application for Operating a Resident Camp or Program Facility for 2010

Complete one application for each separate facility or location. Off-site rock climbing or high-adventure programs that are tied to a Boy Scout summer camp program need not be on another form, just include below. Rappelling towers and COPE programs not used during summer camp must still be inspected at least annually by an appraisal team.

I. Council Name _____ No. _____ Scout Executive _____
 Council HQ City/ST _____ Program Staff Contact _____
 Camp Name _____ Location _____
 Camp Director _____ Contact information _____

Please indicate below **all program types at this facility** and list your requested visitation date.

(Check all that apply at this location.)	Begin Date	End Date	Requested Visitation Date
<input type="checkbox"/> Cub Scout Resident Camp	_____	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Boy Scout Resident Camp	_____	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Venturing Resident Camp	_____	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> High-Adventure Base/Facility	_____	_____	_____
<small>(Check this box only if you have reviewed <i>National Standards for Council High Adventure Programs</i>, No. 20-120; if your camp is qualified; and if you are requesting a separate visitation for a separate nationally sanctioned high adventure camp.)</small>			
<input type="checkbox"/> Project COPE	_____	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Climbing/Rappelling Tower or Wall	_____	_____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Climbing on rock or boulders	_____	_____	_____

NOTE: Climbing and COPE programs **MUST** be appraised by a COPE/Climbing Visitation Team.

If the council adds any program requiring accreditation after this form is submitted for approval, the new program MUST be submitted on another copy of this form, and approved by Outdoor Programs BEFORE the program begins operation.

III. We, the undersigned, have completed, on the date indicated below, the following items related to or required in the 2010 national camping standards that apply to the operation of these camps and/or programs, and do hereby make application to operate the camps and/or programs described above:

- We have conducted a postcamp/precamp, on-site inspection of the camp facilities on (date): _____. Form 430-310 is attached.
- The area or region required us to conduct a council pre-camp meeting with a regional representative because we are applying to operate a camp or program that is new, or was closed or conditionally accredited last year.
 - New camp or program
 - In 2009 this camp or program was rated an accredited camp rated a conditionally accredited camp Closed
 - In 2008 this camp or program was rated an accredited camp rated a conditionally accredited camp Closed

NOTE: If the camp or program was closed or conditionally accredited in 2009, a copy of the 2009 score sheet will be shared with the 2010 appraisal team.

IV. Required attachments to this application:

1. A copy of the postcamp/precamp inspection results on form No. 430-310 with notation of action to be taken prior to the opening of the camp or program.
2. A written request for exemption from, or exception to, any standard not applicable to this camp. (An exemption is *not* needed for standards that *do not apply*.)
3. Attached are names and contact information of 4 volunteers approved by the council to serve as camp visitation specialists.

_____ Council president _____ Scout executive _____ Camping chairman

Area Recommendation: These camps and/or programs are recommended for 2010 Yes No

Outdoor Programs comments:

Authorization: These camps and/or programs are authorized to operate in 2010. Yes No

By _____ Date _____

Comments:

MAIL THIS APPLICATION ALONG WITH ATTACHMENTS IN SECTION IV TO OUTDOOR PROGRAMS BY MARCH 1.

Council retains a copy for its records.



INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING APPLICATION TO OPERATE A RESIDENT CAMP OR PROGRAM FACILITY IN 2010

1. Complete section I, including council name, etc.
2. Check all programs in section II that apply to ONE location per application. If your council operates more than one location, use a separate application for each location.
3. Definitions of programs:
 - a. A Cub Scout or Webelos Scout resident camp is a council-organized **overnight camp** of at least two consecutive nights duration that operates under trained leadership for camp positions as defined in the 2010 National Standards for Cub Scout/Boy Scouts/Venturing Resident Camps, No. 430-111.
 - b. A Boy Scout resident camp is a council-organized **overnight camp** of at least five consecutive nights duration that operates under trained leadership for camp positions as defined in the 2010 National Standards for Cub Scout/Boy Scouts/Venturing Resident Camps, No. 430-111.
 - c. A Venturing resident camp is a council-organized **overnight camp** of at least three consecutive nights duration that operates under trained leadership for camp positions as defined in the 2010 National Standards for Cub Scout/Boy Scouts/Venturing Resident Camps, No. 430-111.
 - d. A high-adventure program or specialty adventure program is limited to Boy Scouts, Varsity Scouts who are at least 13 years old, or Venturers. The program should be an outdoor trek, or trek-like program, that is a council-organized **overnight camp** of at least five consecutive nights duration and includes adventure, challenge, a risk factor for excitement, and vigorous activity. The program does not need to be conducted on council property; however, national resident camp standards apply in addition to high-adventure standards. **A static outpost camp program does not qualify and is not inspected as a high-adventure program.**
 - e. Project COPE is defined as any activity listed in the high-course events or low-course activities portions of the *Project COPE* manual, No. 34371. COPE courses **MUST** be inspected annually even if they are not used in the summer camp program.
 - f. Climbing/rappelling towers or walls and natural rock or boulders **MUST** be inspected annually by the regional visitation team.
4. Complete section III.
5. Secure all required signatures in section IV. Submit this form, a copy of Postcamp/Precamp Inspection Checklist, No. 430-310, and a roster of approved camp visitation specialists by March 1.