

Troop 828 Summer Camp 2008

SEA BASE SCUBA ADVENTURE

This year we have selected **Florida National High Adventure Sea Base** in Florida Keys **June 11-18** as our summer HA camp 2008 destination! Troop 828 will have 2 crews of scouts and adults participating in Scuba Adventure. A crew consists of 5-8 people with a minimum of 2 adults per crew. Scout must be at least 14 at time of trip. Please study and review the **SPECIAL MEDICAL CONSTRAINTS** from the leaders' guide concerning chronic illnesses and weight height restrictions.

Camp	Cost Per Person
Sea Base Camp	\$755
Transportation (Air & airport shuttle)	Approximately \$300
Scuba Certification complete prior to March 1st	Approximately \$200-250
Recommended Spending Money (meals during travel, charts, side trip to Key West, souvenirs, emergencies)	\$100-125
ID Requirements for Youth. Proof of age is required when arriving at Sea Base.	Cost depends on the option you choose. Appropriate ID includes one of the following: 1. school photo ID & copy of birth certificate 2. passport 3. valid government issued ID (driver's license or DVM Texas State ID)
ESTIMATED TOTAL COST PER PERSON	\$1400-1600

Cancellation Policy

Cancellation of individual participants will result in forfeiture of their deposit fee and all fees paid to date for that individual if a troop certified scuba alternative cannot be found to fill the spot.

Registration & Payments Contact: Vickie Bolen (all5bolens@yahoo.com or 281.265.0951)

Important Dates:

July 30	Deadline for signup
Sept 5	Deposit \$100 Due in order to stay on participate list. After this date those that have not paid deposit will be removed from list and replaced with those on the wait list in sign up order.
Sept 17	First ½ payment due \$300 + \$100 deposit if not previously paid
Nov 26	Scuba Certification class payment (Cost TBD)
Jan/Feb	Mandatory Scuba Certification Classes Schedule TBD - Every Sunday + one weekend trip in San Marcos
Feb 18	Remaining camp fee balance due \$355
Feb 18	Due to Jim Collins <ul style="list-style-type: none"> § Florida Sea Base Class III Medical form (doctor signature) § Florida Sea Base Scuba Waiver § Troop 828 "Informed Consent to Participate" form § Copy of front and back of insurance card § Copy of Scuba paperwork § Adult training certification YPT, Virtus, CPR/First Aid, Safety Afloat § If participating in PADI Specialty Certification course, then additional paperwork required <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PADI/RSTC Medical • PADI Standard Safe Diving Practices & Statement of Understanding • PADI Adventures in Diving & Correlating Specialty Diver Pgm Liability Release
Apr 21	Final payment for all transportation
Early May	BSA Swim Test if not completed during scuba certification; <i>must be strong swimmers</i>
June 11	Travel date & time TBD
June 11-18	At Camp
June 18	Travel date & time TBD

Transportation:

The troop will arrange for transportation to Sea Base as one. Those not traveling with the troop will be expected to be at the camp upon the troop's arrival and notify Vickie Bolen of your plans by February 18th. The final transportation arrangements cost still needs to be determined!

Adults:

All adults attending camp are required to complete Boy Scout Youth Protection Training (YPT) and Virtus Training. Please submit all training certification dates to Jim Collins! At least one adult per crew is required to have current First Aid & CPR certification plus Safety Afloat. The crews require a minimum of 2 adults for troop participation. Each crew limits the number of adults to half of the number of scouts participating.

Program Guides have valuable additional information!

See Troop 828 website for up to date information & links to Sea Base website! www.bsatrop828.org