



WELCOME TO SUMMER CAMP!

Sunday Night Campfire Opens Another Year at Camp Eastman

Another summer week at Camp Eastman was kicked off yesterday as old timers and first year campers arrived anticipating six days of excitement and adventure in the outdoors.

After check-ins, swim checks, and campsite setups were finished, scouts were treated to dinner in the dining hall. Following the meal, the traditional Sunday night campfire welcomed all to what will surely be a fun-filled week.

Troops from 12 cities and 4 different states are represented at camp this week. Mississippi Valley Council units from Illinois include Troops 56 from Nauvoo, Troop 51 of Dallas City, Troop 75 from Hamilton, Troop 35 from Rushville, and Troop 62 from Warsaw. Iowa Troops include Troop 43 from Keokuk, and Troop 30 from Montrose. Troop 145 from Kahoka, and Troop 147 from Wayland are Missouri's MVC representatives this week.

Camp Eastman would like to especially welcome scouts from Troop 31 of Lincoln, Nebraska from the Cornhusker Council and Mid-Iowa Council Troop 77 from Oskaloosa, Iowa. From Missouri, greetings to Troop 702 of Columbia



Troop 77 from Oskaloosa checks into the dining hall

Camp Commissioners Present New Programs In 2010

This summer will see the launch of a new program at Camp Eastman designed to give 1st year campers a chance to experience and enjoy camp in a whole new way. Each afternoon 1st year campers will be able to participate in a fun program that lets them explore new areas of camp and new activities. Interested scouts will meet at the T-2-1- area at 1:30 PM.

Be sure to stop by the Trading Post to see your troop photo that was taken yesterday in front of Eastman Lodge. Scouts and leaders will be able to purchase souvenir copies that will be delivered later this week.

There is still time to sign up for the Commissioners Campsite Coffee Service. For \$5.00, a 12 cup carafe of hot coffee will be delivered to your campsite by a cheerfully smiling Camp Commissioner, along with the morning edition of the C.E. Current. See Bill Dorrell or another Commissioner to sign up.

1st year camper program 3:00 to 5:00

- Mon: Blacksmithing**
- Tues: Geode hunt**
- Wed Shave horse**
- Thurs: Rope making**
- Fri: Finger printing merit badge
and camp-wide water carnival**



2010 Camp Eastman Merit Badge and Activity Schedule

	9-950	10-1050	11-1150	130-220	230-320	330-420	430-520
Waterfront	Lifesaving		Swimming	Lifesaving		OPEN SWIM	
		Mile Swim	Instruc. Swim	Swimming	Instr. Swim		
Boating	BSA Lifeguard		Motorboat	BSA Lifeguard		Guard Open Swim	
	Rowing	Canoeing		Smallboat Sailing		BSA Kayak	OPEN BOAT
COPE/Climbing	COPE			Canoeing	Rowing	Motorboat	
Ecology/ Cons.	Env. Science	Mammal Study	Fishing	Fishing	Env. Science	Fish & Wildlife	
	Nature	Rep. & Amp.	Soil & Water	Nature	Rep. & Amp.	Mammal Study	
Handicrafts	Leatherwork	Woodcarving	Art	Leatherwork	Indian Lore	Sculpture	
	Basketry	Indian Lore	Space Ex.	Woodcarving	Basketry	Art	
Health Lodge		Scalature		Geocaching		OPEN HANDICRAFT	
Shooting Sports	Archery	Archery	Emer. Prep.	First Aid	Emer. Prep.		
	Rifle	OPEN RIFLE	Shogun	Archery	Archery	OPEN ARCHERY	
Outdoor Skills	Camping	Pioneering		Rifle	Shogun	OPEN RIFLE/ SHOTGUN T, TH	
	Orienteering	Wild. Survival	OPEN OS	Orienteering	Wild. Survival	Advanced Outdoor Skills	
Mountain Man	Tracking	Pathfinding	Training	Pioneering		Camping	
				Daily Activity			

- 1 Lifesaving MB generally requires more than one hour per class period. Morning class should release around 10:30, and afternoon class around 3:00.
- 1 BSA Lifeguard is a physically challenging course. Course will be all day, each day and guarding at Open Swim times is required.
- 1 Handicraft Merit Badges may require project purchases from Camp Trading Post.
- 1 Priority during Open Shooting times goes to those campers enrolled in a class.
- 1 The Wilderness Survival Merit Badge requires one overnight stay away from the main camp. Night TBA
- 1 Unit COPE will be offered to those who wish to experience a challenging program that builds leadership and friendship within the unit. Offered as a first come first serve basis. Minimum 7 members required.

All Aquatics courses require that every participant receive CPR training; CPR will not be offered at camp this year. Safe Swim Defense and Safety Afloat courses will be offered for adult leaders if requested.




Evening Activities

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7:30 Camp Tour/ Scoutmaster/ SPL Meeting in @ Eastman Lodge	7:00 Chapel	7:30 SM/ Staff Shoot	Family Night	7:30 Camp Wide Games	7:00 OPEN CAMP
8:30 Opening Campfire	7:30 Staff Vs. Camp Volleyball	7:30 Troop COPE Outpost	7:30 Flags	8:00 Night Swim	8:30 Closing Campfire
OA Call-Outs	8:00 Safe Swim Defense/ Safety Afloat	7:30 Night Swim	8:00 Campfire	8:00 Campfire	
OA Root Beer Float Party	7:30 Night Swim		Silver Tomahawk Honor Society Call-Outs	9:00 Movie in Berg Hall	
	7:30 Troop COPE Outpost				

Quote of the day:

“A foolish consistency is the hobgoblin of little minds”
Ralph Waldo Emerson

Weather Forecast—Monday July 12th

Today	Tonight	Tomorrow
 High 85° F	 Low 65° F	 High 85° F
Partly Sunny Precip: 20%	Mostly Cloudy Precip: 20%	Mostly Sunny Precip: 20%
Wind NW 5 to 10	Winds N 5 to 10	Winds E 5 to 10
Sunrise: 5:43 AM	Sunset: 8:37 PM	Sunrise: 5:43 AM

Weekly Schedule

- 7:50 Flags
- 8:00 Breakfast
- 9:00-11:50 Merit Badges
- 11:45 Scoutmaster Mtg @ Eastman Lodge
- 12:15 Lunch
- 1:00 Sr. Patrol Leader Mtg @ Eastman Lodge
- 1:30-5:20 Merit Badges and Open Activities
- 6:00 Flags
- 6:20 Dinner
- 7:30 Evening Activities

Monday's Activities:

- 7:00 Chapel
- 7:30 Staff Volleyball
- 7:30 Night Swim
- 7:30 Troop COPE Outpost
- 8:00 Safe Swim

Today in History:

1914 - Babe Ruth makes his baseball debut pitching for the Boston Red Sox

Quote: *Never use a large word when a diminutive one will suffice*

Today's Menu*

Breakfast
 Pancakes
 Sausage

Lunch
 Sloppy Joes
 Potato wedges

Dinner
 Ham
 AuGraten Potatoes
 Mixed Veg.
 Roll
 Desert

*Menu subject to change