



2018
Wallwood
Winter Camp
Leader's Guide

Wallwood Boy Scout Reservation

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Dear Leaders,

Thank you for considering Wallwood Winter Camp as part of your scouting program. We have strived to assemble a quality program of new and unique merit badge offerings, many of which are not found at other camps. We hope you will join us. We can't always promise it but if you have a single scout & adult wanting to attend sometimes arrangements can be made to temporally merge with other troops attending. Any questions can be answered by contacting the Council Service Center at 850-576-4146 or visit us online at www.suwanneeriver.net. Thanks again for considering our program.

Camp Directors

Chris Brockmeier

Bob Norwillo

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Dates of Camp

December 27-30, 2018

Check in: 2:00 pm – 4:00 pm Thursday, December 27, 2018

Check out: 9:00 am Sunday, December 30, 2018

Camp Fees

\$130 per scout

\$30 per adult

Registration ends on Friday, December 7, 2018 to allow the instructors time to prepare.

Merit badge class sizes are often limited, and many classes are expected to fill quickly. Selections will be based on a first-come, first-served basis, so get your registrations in early.

Refund Policy

Camp fees, minus the non-refundable \$50.00 per youth deposits, are refundable if the Scout Office is notified of the cancellation **in writing by December 14, 2018 and are due to one of the reasons listed below**. Requests made on or after December 15, 2018 will be handled on an individual basis. **No refund requests will be accepted after January 2, 2019**. All Scout fees are transferable within your unit. Refunds, if approved, will be issued 30-60 days after the request is received in the scout office. **WRITTEN REQUESTS FOR REFUNDS MUST BE FILED BY THE UNIT LEADER FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS:** 1). Illness of Scout prevents attendance at camp. 2). Illness or death in the family of Scout prevents attendance at winter camp. 3). Family removal from council area makes it impractical for Scout to attend. **CHANGING YOUR MIND DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A REASON FOR A REFUND.**

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Check-in Procedure

Your troop should plan to arrive at camp between 2:00 and 4:00 pm on December 27. No one will be allowed into camp prior to 2:00 pm. When you arrive at camp, all vehicles should park in the main parking lot. The Scoutmaster or his/her designees and the Senior Patrol Leader should then go to the Administration Building to begin the check-in process.

At check-in be prepared to:

Present a final troop roster of all boys and adults in attendance with the troop. Also, be prepared to make any necessary merit badge changes. Please bring no more than 2 people to check in. Campsites will be shared between units and assigned at check-in on a first-come first-served basis.

From the Administration Building proceed to the Health Lodge to turn in all health forms and medication. Remember **EVERYBODY MUST HAVE A CURRENT AND SIGNED MEDICAL FORM.**

After visiting the Administration Building and the Health Lodge you will be permitted to drive into camp to unload all gear. Vehicles must return to the main parking lot. No scouts may be transported. The Ranger will take a survey of your campsite to identify any damages present at your check-in.

You are then free until evening flags, which is at 5:50 pm followed by dinner.

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Facilities

Screened 8-bunk cabins are available for scouts and leaders to use as space permits. Each cabin will be either all youth or all adult to follow safe scouting policies. No heaters are allowed in the cabins however you may cover the windows with plastic to stop the wind and preserve heat.

Check-Out Procedure

Check-out will begin following breakfast at the dining hall. **If your troop needs an earlier check-out time please let us know by noon Saturday** Please send your SPL to Admin when ready for final check-out.

The Camp Ranger or other staff member will then come by your campsite to inspect for any cleanliness and damages. If any are noted it can be settled at the Administration Building.

Once cleared to leave, you will need to send a representative from your troop by the Health Lodge to collect your medical forms and any medication.

You will then be allowed to drive into camp to collect all gear and pick up your patches and advancement records from the Administration Building. Please take the time to look over your records and ask any and all questions you may have. It will be much more difficult to answer questions regarding advancements after camp.

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Camp Policies & Procedures

- Every troop must maintain two-deep leadership at all times.
- Personal firearms, ammunition and archery are not to be brought to camp.
- No fireworks, alcoholic beverages or illegal drugs are allowed in camp. Possession of these will be grounds for dismissal from camp without a refund.
- The proper BSA uniform is to be worn at all times. This means the Field Uniform is to be worn at evening flags and dinner. The activity uniform should be worn the rest of the time.
- Vehicles must be left in the parking lot at all times. The only vehicles allowed in camp are the Ranger's Vehicle, Health Officer's and the Camp Director's vehicle.
- Everyone coming in to or leaving camp must check in and out at the Administration Building.
- No open toe shoes are to be worn at camp.
- The parking lot is the designated smoking area. Smoking is not allowed in camp.
- The camp phone is only for emergency use. It is not to be used by campers.
- All scouts and leaders MUST have a current BSA health form to participate in camp.
- Radio frequencies 1 and 2 are for camp staff use only. Please stay off these frequencies.
- Scouts and leaders should abide by the Scout Oath and Law
- If you ride a bike at camp YOU MUST WEAR A HELMET at all times.
- Staff areas are off limits to all campers and leaders, please respect their privacy

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Merit Badge Schedule

Program Schedule

	Period Start Time End Time	B'fast	Morning		Lunch	Afternoon		Dinner	Evening
			1	2		3	4		5
			7:30 8:00	8:45 10:15	10:30 12:00	12:30 1:15	1:30 3:00	3:15 4:45	5:50 6:45
Archaeology & Indian Lore						<----X----->			
Camping*			X						
Citizenship in the Community*						X			
Citizenship in the Nation*				X					
Citizenship in the World*						X			
Coin Collecting			X						
Communication*									X + Thur
Cooking*			<----X----->						
Crime Prevention									X
Digital Technology						X			
Entrepreneurship									X + Thur
Environmental Science*						<----X----->			
Fingerprinting									Thur only
Graphic Arts			X						
Orienteering				X					
Plant Science						<----X----->			
Plumbing						X			
Rifle Shooting – Muzzleloader			<----X----->						Thur only
Sculpture				X					
Welding			X						
Cit in Universe (spoofer merit badge)						X			
Duct Tape (spoofer merit badge)									X

7 Eagle Required* Merit Badges

Classes are Friday & Saturday, unless otherwise noted

Merit Badge	Limit	Schedule	Complete at Camp?
Archaeology & Indian Lore	20	Periods 3&4	Possible
Camping*	20	Period 1	No - #8d, 9ab
Citizenship in the Community*	10	Period 3	Possible
Citizenship in the Nation*	none	Period 2	No - #2, 6, 8
Citizenship in the World*	none	Period 4	Possible
Coin Collecting (\$5.00)	none	Period 1	Possible
Communication*	none	Period 5 + Thursday Period 5	Possible
Cooking*	12	Period 1&2	Possible
Crime Prevention	none	Period 5	No - #2, 4b
Digital Technology	5	Period 4	No - #5b&c
Entrepreneurship (12+ years old)	12	Period 5 + Thursday Period 5	Possible
Environmental Science*	none	Periods 3&4	Possible
Fingerprinting	none	Thursday Period 5 only	Possible
Graphic Arts	15	Period 1	Possible
Orienteering	12	Period 2	Possible
Plant Science	12	Period 3 & 4	Possible
Plumbing	12	Period 3	Possible
Rifle Shooting – Muzzleloading (14+)	8	Periods 1&2 + Thursday Period 5	Possible
Sculpture	15	Period 2	Possible
Welding	10	Period 1	Possible
Cit in Universe (not a MB)	none	Period 3	N/A
Duct Tape (not a MB)	none	Period 5	N/A

New this year – SPL and Leader meeting Friday and Saturday at 12:15 in the Admin/SM Lounge!

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Program Notes

Coin Collecting Merit Badge -

Do not bring coin collections to camp due to security concerns. If you have a coin collection, please bring a few general pictures. **\$5.00 cost for additional program supplies.**

Communications and Entrepreneurship Merit Badges -

These classes meet Thursday, Friday, and Saturday - Period 5.

Plant Science and Fishing Merit Badges –

Will include field trips out of camp during the class periods on Saturday. We will need adult volunteers to help provide transportation.

Due to the nature of the material or the limited time to master the skills, some merit badges and activities are limited to older scouts. Those merit badges and activities are:

Rifle Shooting (Muzzleloader Option) Merit Badge –

Scouts are required to submit a completed and signed shooting sports release form to participate. This is a Florida law. All shooting merit badges will conduct safety briefings during Period 5 on Thursday. **Limited to scouts age 14 and older.**

Entrepreneurship Merit Badge –

Limited to scouts age 12 and older.

Please Note: Duct Tape and Cit. in Universe are Not Merit Badges

In addition to official merit badges, we are offering two unofficial spoof merit badges – Citizenship in the Universe and Duct Tape. Scouts earning the spoof merit badges will receive the spoof patch at check out.

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Evening Programs –

In keeping with a winter camp tradition, movies (G or PG rated) will be shown at night in the dining hall at 8:45pm. Please bring your favorite DVDs to share and please don't enter the dining hall until the evening merit badge class has finished.

Adult Training –

We will be offering Scoutmaster Basic Leader Training and Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills, so Scoutmasters and Assistants can become fully trained. Please note if you plan to take this training by returning the attached Training registration form. For the training schedule, please contact Tim Strickland.

Trading Post -

The Trading Post will be open periodically during Winter Camp. Please inquire at Winter Camp for hours.

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Personal Equipment List

Tent (in case cabin space not available)
Sleeping Bag/Sheets & Blankets (expect cold temperatures)
Raingear
Jackets/Vests/Sweaters (layered as needed)
Scout Uniform
Shirts (3)
Long Pants (3)
Socks (4)
Underwear (at least 3 + thermal underwear)
Hat
Sleepwear
Comfortable Shoes (2 pair)
Towel & Washcloth
Toiletries (soap, toothbrush & paste, floss, deodorant, etc.)
Shower Shoes
Pillow
Laundry Bag
Medical Form and any prescriptions with physician's instructions
Personal First Aid Kit
Flashlight
Notebook, Pens, & Pencils
Water Bottle
Wristwatch
Alarm Clock (battery)
Camp Chair

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General Information

Contact Information - SRAC

Phone: (850) 576-4146

Fax: (850) 575-6991

Address:

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23 Wallwood BSA Dr.

Quincy, FL 32351

If sending mail to a camper please be sure to send it to his attention. Camp mail will be given out at the lunch time assembly.

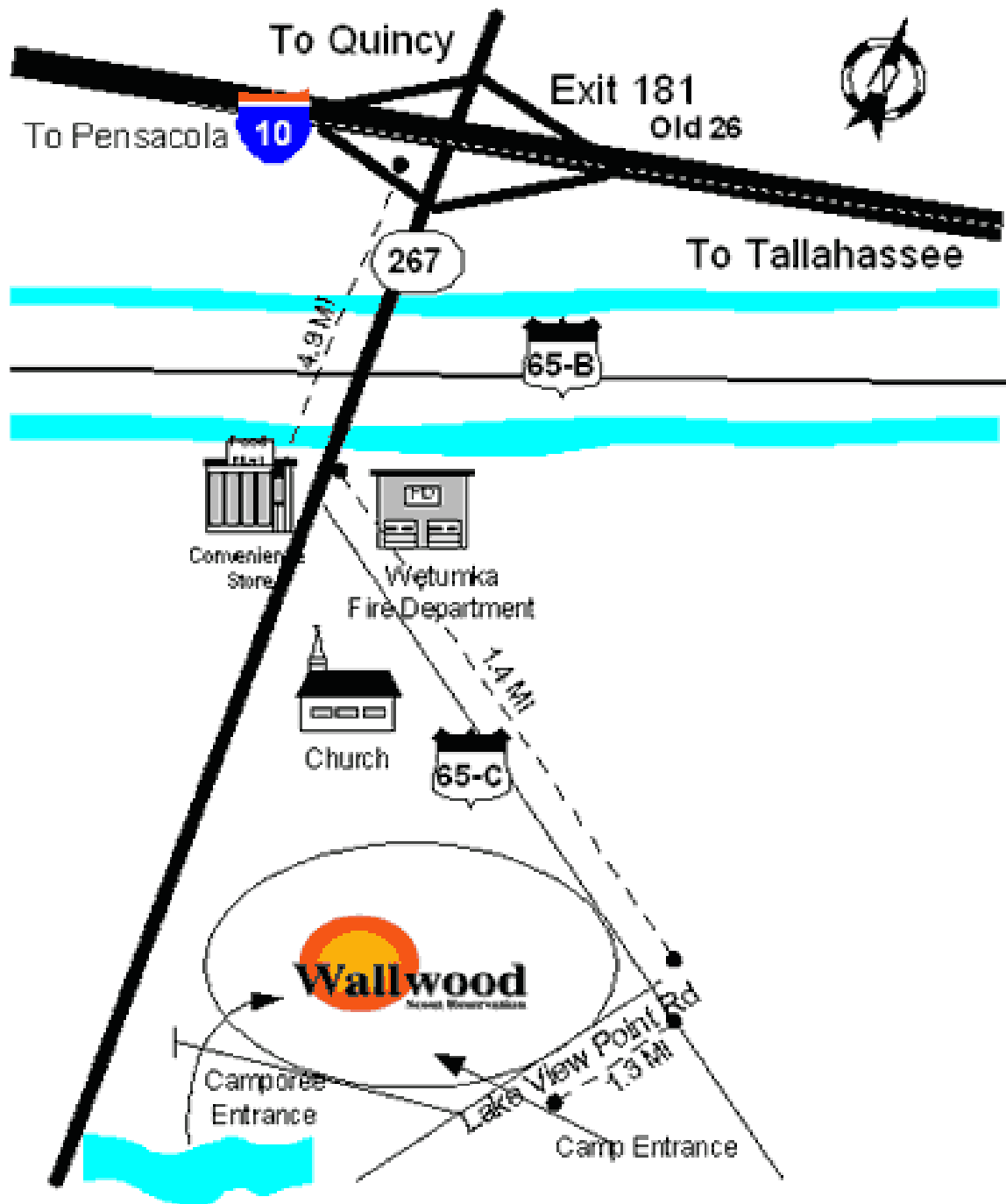
Health Lodge

Wallwood operates a 24-hour health lodge for all medical emergencies. Please remember to check in all medications with the Health Officer. It is their responsibility to track and administer all medications. Please DO NOT let your campers keep their own medications, with the exception of inhalers. Units can maintain custody of medications if kept under lock and key – confirm with Health Officer upon check-in.

Wallwood History

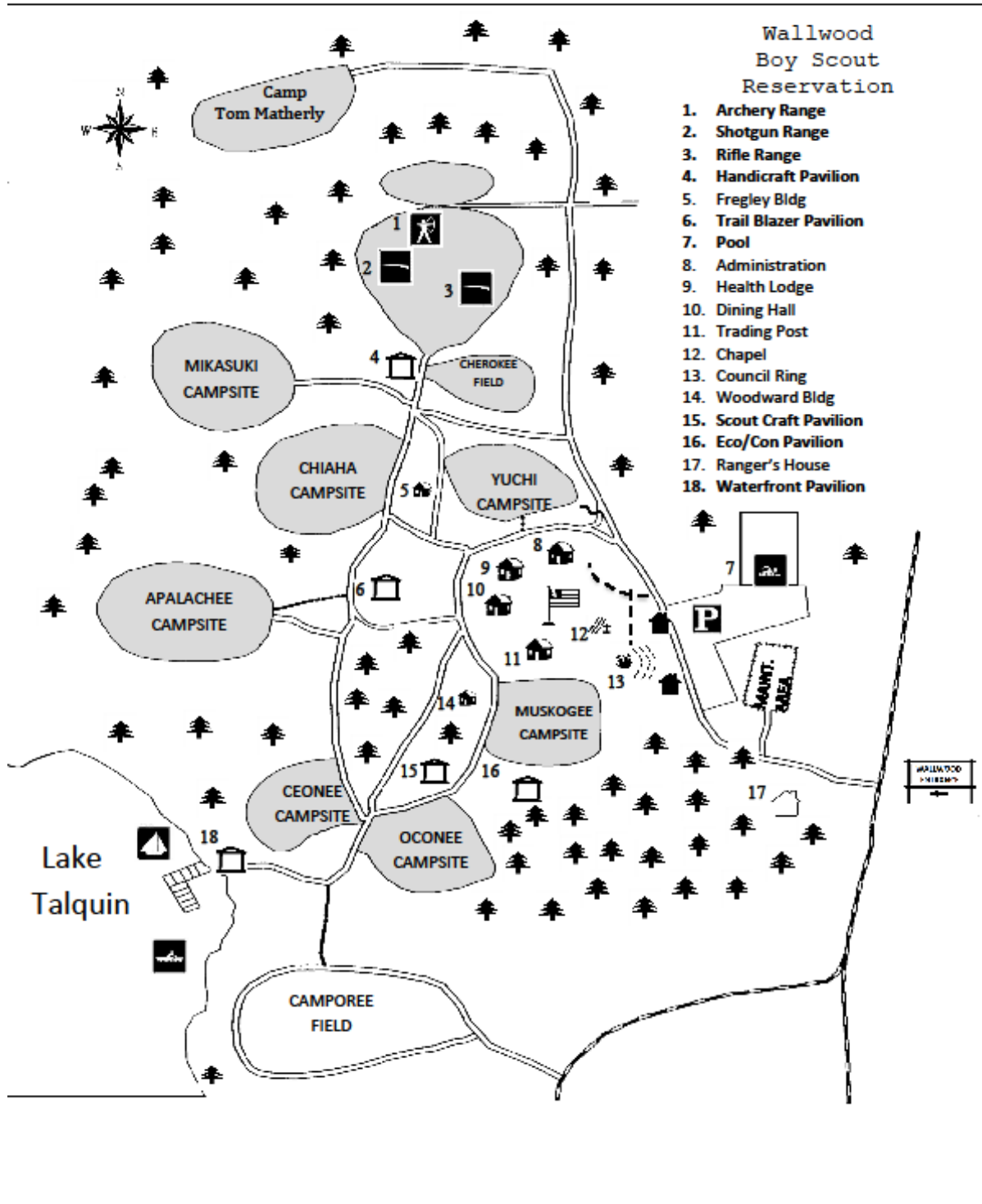
The property was given to the Boy Scouts of America in the late 1950s by Dr. Charles Wall and his wife Margaret of Thomasville, Georgia. In 1962 the Suwannee River Area Council voted to develop the property in to primary camping facility of the council. Wallwood Boy Scout Reservation was then dedicated on July 17, 1966. The camp has undergone numerous improvements since then and is continuing to change and improve to meet the needs of today's scouts and leaders.

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SHOOTING SPORTS RELEASE

Please fill out this form and bring it with you to camp. Every Scout/Venturer that is participating in shooting sports will need to have this release completed. This is a requirement of the State of Florida.

I hereby give my son/daughter, who is less than the age of eighteen or due to disability or other special circumstances, has the undersigned as legal guardian give him/her permission to participate in a shooting activity while at Wallwood Scout Reservation function.

I hereby waive any claim or cause of action of any nature whatsoever arising as a result of participating in a shooting sport, or in connection with the use of the aforementioned equipment or facilities by my child, or arising from his or her presence on or about the property or facilities of the sponsoring organization, or his or her association with their instructors or representatives.

Suwannee River Area Council Phone: (850)-576-4146
2032 Thomasville Road Fax: (850)-575-6991
Tallahassee, FL 32308
<http://www.suwanneeriver.net>

Youth Name:

Parent/Guardian Name:

Relationship: _____

Parent/Guardian

Signature: _____

Date: _____

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Registration Form **December 27 – 30, 2018**

Winter Camp 2018 promises to be one of the best, with 20 merit badges offered (7 required for Eagle). Please note: Duct Tape and Cit. in Universe are not official BSA Merit Badges; but instead fun, hands-on experiences. Please submit one form per participant; make copies as needed. All registration forms should be turned in to the Council Service Center with payment no later than December 7, 2018. Due to the popularity of this event, there will not be any lone (provisional) scouts, we need leaders from each troop to be there. Any questions should be submitted to Bob Norwillo at (850)-576-4146 or by email at Bob.Norwillo@scouting.org

Name: _____ Adult/Youth: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ St: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Troop/Crew No. _____

Parent Name: _____ Work Phone: _____

Total Cost: \$130.00 Per Youth \$30.00 per adult (Food Cost)

If adult, will you be taking Scoutmaster Basic Leader Training? Yes _____ No _____

If adult, will you be taking Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills? Yes _____ No _____

Payment Method (circle one): Cash Check Credit (Visa/MasterCard/Amex and Discover)

Card #: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Name (as it appears on the card): _____

Signature: _____

Billing Address (if different from above): _____

City: _____ St: _____ Zip: _____

This form must be submitted with payment in person, by mail, or by fax on or before December 7, 2018.

Suwannee River Area Council

Attn: Winter Camp

2032 Thomasville Rd. Fax: (850)-575-6991

Tallahassee, FL 32308 Phone: (850)-576-4146

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Class Registration Form

Please fill out 1 form per Scout

Due to the fact that some of the classes have a limited space, they will be filled on a first come first serve basis. Please look at the class schedule and pick up to 6 classes that fit into a schedule and 6 or more alternates.

Name _____ Troop _____

First Pick

Alternate

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____

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Training Flyer