

APPENDIX 24 TO
THE HISTORY OF SCOUTING IN SOUTH GEORGIA

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Camp Nochaway Brochure for 1923

Camp Nochaway



A SUMMER CAMP

For all Scouts of Nochaway Council who are in
good standing

June 8th to June 15th, 1923

Each troop stays seven days for \$5.00 per scout.

Each Scoutmaster must let Executive know by
May 15 how many boys from his troop will attend.

Every Scout must register with his Scoutmaster
by May 10, and pay \$3 on his Camp fee by that time.



WE NEVER HAVE TO SOUND THE MESS CALL TWICE

A Word to The Parents

It is the purpose of the Camp Committee representing the Nochaway Council Boy Scouts of America in making possible this camp, in the selection of site, equipment and leadership, to provide for the boys in this District an opportunity to live under ideal Scout conditions.

Every provision will be made for their safety and instruction. Those in charge will keep constantly before them the fact that a half million boys now enrolled as members of the Scout Organization are entrusted to their care by parents because of the good name of the Boy Scouts of America and the high principles of conduct which it represents.

The Scout's pledge to keep "physically strong, mentally alert and morally straight" is the desire of every true Scout and of the intention of the Camp Committee in conducting this Camp to help Scouts live the Scout Oath and Law and at the same time make them more proficient in outdoor activities, to help them enjoy a worthwhile vacation, and to provide an attractive program.

W. M. BAGBY, Scout Executive

Members of the Camp Committee:

T. M. TICKNOR, Chairman.
S. K. SIMON, Quarter Master.
J. J. WEST.
W. MORROW
W. E. CARTER.

THE SCOUTMASTERS

No Troop will be allowed to go on this Camp unless the Scoutmaster, Assistant Scoutmaster or some adult leader is in charge of it. None should be picked up at the last moment and placed in charge of a Troop on this Camp. This would demoralize the morale of the Troop. Plans should be made now for a registered Scoutmaster or Assistant to have charge of each Troop.

The success of this Camp depends largely upon the support given it by Troop Committeemen, Scoutmasters and Assistants.

TO EVERY SCOUT OF NOCHAWAY COUNCIL

Every Boy Scout in the District should arrange to go on this Camp. There will be fun galore and good systematic instruction in Woodcraft, Scoutercraft and Campercraft. Put enthusiasm into this Camp and see that every Scout of each Patrol and every Patrol of each Troop gets the benefit of it.

Sign up with your Scoutmaster today. Don't wait until the last moment.



SOME OF THE LEADING SPIRITS IN THE 1922 CAMP ACTIVITIES

The Program

It is not possible to give in advance all the interesting things connected with this Camp, but the following is a general outline of the program. The various events will be different however each day.

6:30 a. m. Reveille.	12:00 m. Dinner.
6:45 a. m. Exercise. Morning Dip (Optional).	1:00 p. m. Rest Period.
7:30 a. m. Breakfast.	2:30 p. m. Games, Stunts, etc.
8:15 a. m. Clean up.	4:15 p. m. Afternoon Swim.
8:45 a. m. Inspection of Quarters.	5:30 p. m. Retreat and Flag Ceremony.
9:00 a. m. Scoutcraft.	6:00 p. m. Supper.
11:15 a. m. Morning Swim. (Swimming Instructions.)	7:00 p. m. Campus Games.
	8:30 p. m. Campfire.
	10:00 p. m. Taps.

Camp will be run on Central Time.

LEADERSHIP

A permanent staff of camp officials will be in charge of Camp Noehaway. In addition other Scout Leaders will from time to time spend one or more days in Camp helping with the leadership. Scouts will be placed with members of their own Troop and grouped in patrols, each under an experienced camper. There will always be enough competent leaders in camp to insure efficiency and safety. First-class cooks will have direction of the kitchen. The swimming periods will be closely supervised by experienced swimmers so as to insure safety. Lessons in swimming will be given daily.

The District Court of Honor will meet twice during the week.

Three Eagle Scouts will help out with the program. They are Wheeler Johnson, of Macon; George Johnson, of Albany, and Jack Bierman, of Albany.

CAMP PERIOD

The Camp will open on Friday, June 8, and will extend through Friday, June 15. If you want to go to Camp, you must let your Scoutmaster know by May 10, so adequate arrangements can be made for all.

Troop Committeemen, Deputy Commissioners, County Chairmen, Scoutmasters, Assistants, and Patrol Leaders must make sufficient arrangements to take their particular Troop to Camp and get the Troop back home.

CAMP FEE.

The Camp fee is \$5 for seven days. \$3 for this must be paid by May 10 and the balance by June 1. No one will be permitted to go who does not meet this requirement. The Camp Committee has made this fee as low as possible. The deposits of \$3 and also the additional \$2 should be turned over to S. K. Simon, Albany, Georgia, on May 15 and June 1 respectively by the Scoutmasters. Checks should be made out to S. K. Simon, and mailed to W. M. Bagby, Scout Executive, Albany, Georgia.

A limit of \$1.50 is set for spending money to be brought by any Scout. This will be more than sufficient for anything he may need. Scouts will be expected to observe this rule.



A SCOUT MUST BE "CLEAN"—IT'S EASY WITH A SWIMMING HOLE NEAR.

What to Bring

The following articles will be required:

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| 1 bed tick 2½ ft. by 6 ft with opening left for stuffing straw. | 1 spoon |
| 1 pair blankets (wool preferred). | 1 cup. |
| 1 Scout Uniform, if you have it (to be worn to camp, but only on dress occasions during the stay at camp). | 1 extra pair shoes. |
| 1 pair old pants. | 1 bathing suit. |
| 1 old cap or hat. | 1 comb, toothbrush, soap. |
| 2 old shirts. | 2 towels. |
| 1 fork. | 6 handkerchiefs. |
| | 3 changes underwear and stockings. |
| | 1 Scout Handbook. |
| | 1 Signal flag or pair. |
| | 1 note book and pencil. |
| | 1 knife. |
| | 1 plate. |

The following articles are optional and desired but not required: Kodak, fishing tackle, scout axe, knife, baseball outfits, sewing outfit, and Bible or Prayer Book.

MERIT SYSTEM

There will be a point system in Woodcraft, Scoutcraft and Campcraft. The ten Scouts securing the largest number of points will be given a trip down the Flint River to the Gulf immediately after Camp.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Camp is located on a site known as Rhodes Ferry and is fifteen miles southwest of Bainbridge. It is situated on Spring Creek.

Mail should be addressed to Camp Nochaway, Bainbridge, Georgia.

Visitors' days are Sunday and Wednesday, and parents are requested to confine their visits to these days except in cases of real emergency. The Camp Committee will appreciate co-operation in this respect. Parents are requested NOT to send cakes, candy, etc., to camp. The food that will be provided by the Camp will be plentiful and much more wholesome for camp life than sweets and fancy eats.

A physician will hold regular sick calls at camp, and will always be in immediate touch with the Camp Director in cases of emergency.

A thorough health survey will be made by Dr. L. W. Willis, and a clean bill of health obtained.

DON'T MISS THIS CAMP

Camp furnished with tents, cots and mosquito bars for all Scouts.