

APPENDIX 98 TO
THE HISTORY OF CHEHAW COUNCIL

**Camp Osborn 50th
Anniversary Program
and
Other Items**

1998 was not the correct year for the 50th Anniversary
but the Council celebrated it in that year.

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CAMP REDEDICATION
&
1998/99 PROGRAM REVIEW



JUNE 11, 1998
CAMP CHASE S. OSBORN



CAMP OSBORN REDEDICATION
AND
1998/1999 PROGRAM REVIEW

- 5:30 ARRIVAL AT CAMP, CAMP TOURS AND MEET
SCOUTING FRIENDS
- 6:30 DINNER IN THE NEWLY RENOVATED DINING
HALL
- 7:30 REDEDICATION OF CAMP OSBORN
-INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS
-PROCLAMATIONS AND ACKNOWLEDGMENTS
-REDEDICATION
-RECOGNITION OF CAMP BENEFACTORS
-CLOSING OF ANNIVERSARY PROGRAM
- 8:00 DISTRICT PROGRAM REVIEW
MEETING
-AGUILA DISTRICT
-THRONATEESKA
-ACHEWON DISTRICT

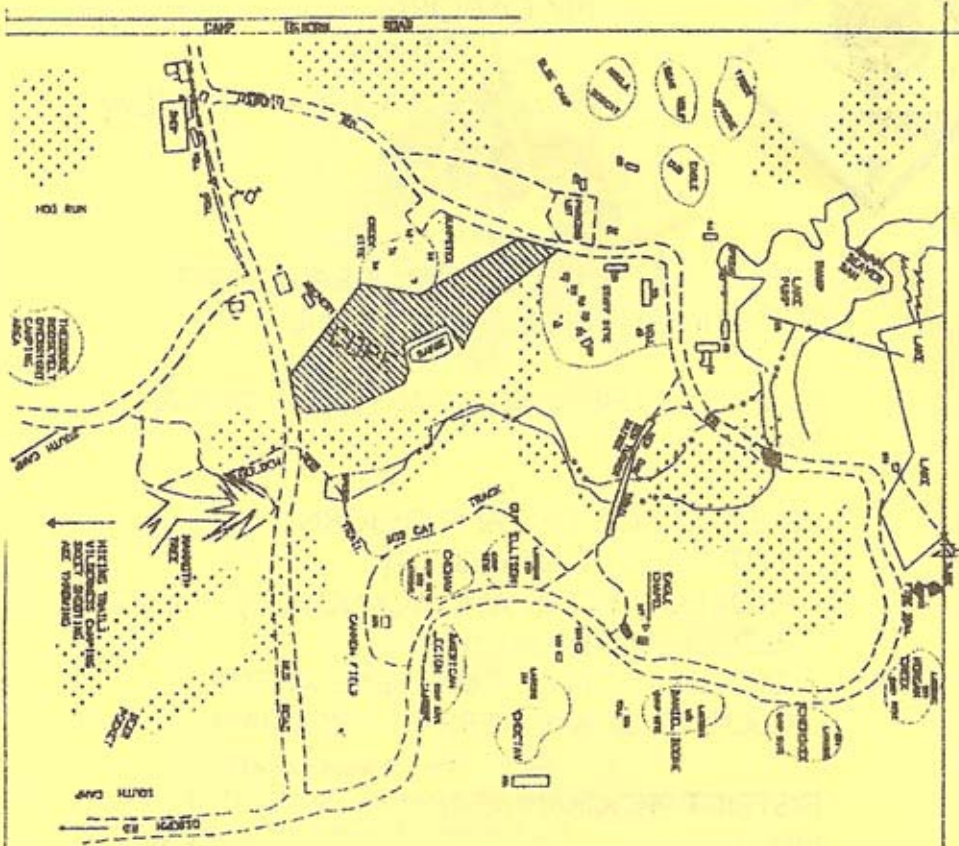


THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING AND BEING A
PART OF CAMP OSBORN HISTORY

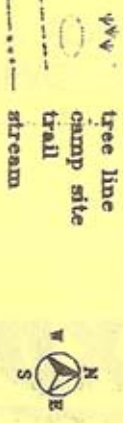
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CAMP OSBORN — Southwest Georgia Council B.S.A.

(Jasmine Springs, Georgia)



Legend



Guide to Facilities

1. Ranger's House
4. Brushbear's Lodge
5. Future Meeting Facility (60 X 60)
7. Future Blacksmith Shop
8. Rifle Range
57. Staff Program Shelter
58. Administration H. Q. Building
59. H. Q. Program Shelter
61. First Aid
62. A & C Program Shelter
63. Central Shower
64. Trading Post
65. Swimming Pool
66. Dining Hall
102. Stephen C. Lovelace Fire Bowl
106. Commissioners Site Program Shelter
109. Central Shower
151. Storage
153. Commissioners Site Program Shelter

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SCOUT OATH

On my honor I will do my best
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To help other people at all times;
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Camp Osborne celebrates half century

by Michelle Boudin

Boy Scouts have been getting back to nature for 50 years at Camp Osborne, set in the pine woods of Worth County.

Harold Hudgins, Albany's oldest scout, shakes a hand at Camp Osborne



Eric Stern / WALB

Michigan Governor Chase S. Osborne donated the land to the Boy Scouts of America on which the camp now stands. Thursday night a new generation of Scouts joined an older generation in re-dedicating the camp. Among them was one of Albany's oldest Scouts - 92 year old Harold Hudgins - who first became a Scout back in 1917.

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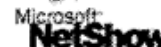
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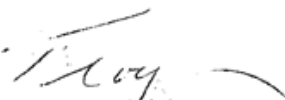
Nineteen Ninety Eight is a milestone year for Southwest Georgia Council and Camp Osborn. Fifty years ago in 1948, Chase S. Osborn prior to his death gave 810 acres of property to the Boy Scout program in Southwest Georgia.

Over the years Camp Osborn has seen many things, swimming in the bluehole, Iva Adams cooking and caring for the Scouts and Adults, and Eva Mae Nelson taking up where Iva left off and making cinnamon rolls for the hungry Scouts who attended Camp. Today Camp Osborn is used nearly every weekend by more than 2,000 Cubs and 1,100 Boy Scouts. We have four sessions of summer camp scheduled this year and have invested more than \$200,000 of materials and labor into Camp over the past three years.

We are writing to you today to be a part of this once in a lifetime event. On June 11, 1998, we will honor Chase Osborn's significant gift with a 50th Anniversary Celebration and Rededication at Camp Osborn. The celebration will start with a tour of camp at 5:30, then dinner and the rededication ceremony.

Please join us and be a part of Camp Osborn history. Tickets are available from all of our Anniversary Committee Members as well as at the Scout Office. (\$15.00 per person includes a steak dinner, a 50th anniversary shoulder strip, and a great program. Any excess funds will go to help pay for an air-conditioning unit for the dining hall).

Our reservation deadline is June 5. Due to the fact that we must order the steaks in advance, anyone who arrives without a ticket is welcome to enjoy the evening, but we will be unable to guarantee a steak dinner.


Dr. Troy Bishop
Anniversary Chairman



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May 6, 1998

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Hon. Governor Zell Miller
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Dear Gov. Miller:

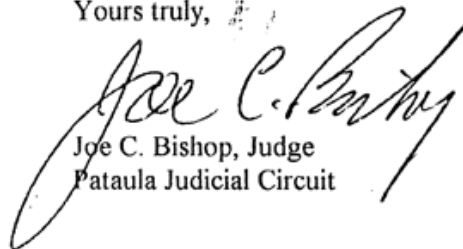
Fifty years ago, a progressive visionary leader, Gov. Chase S. Osborn, of Michigan, gave 810 acres of land in Worth County to the Southwest Georgia Council of the Boy Scouts of America. Camp Osborn was originally and officially dedicated by Gov. Herman Talmadge in 1950. The scouts, scouters and friends of scouting in Southwest Georgia extend this invitation to you to officially celebrate and rededicate Camp Osborn on the 50th anniversary of Gov. Osborn's gift.

We believe that it would be very appropriate for a leader of your integrity and foresight who promotes twelve corp values to rededicate this scout camp where the twelve points of the scout law have been and will be taught.

The 50th anniversary celebration and rededication is scheduled for Thursday, June 11, 1998, beginning at 5:00 p.m. There will be a tour of the camp and the newly air conditioned dining hall followed by a steak supper at 6:00 p.m. If you are not too full from the delicious meal, we would like for you to be the keynote rededication speaker at 7:00 p.m.

Thank you for giving this invitation your utmost, sincere attention.

Yours truly,



Joe C. Bishop, Judge
Pataula Judicial Circuit

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cc: Sen. Mark Taylor