

2014 Summer Camping Trip Information

Dates: Friday, June 27 – Sunday, June 29, 2014

Location: Appletree Campground
Topton, North Carolina, 28781

<https://maps.google.com/maps?q=35.226480,+83.658224>



Cost: \$40 per family

Registration/Payment Due: Register and pay at <http://www.pack29auburn.com/PackNews/2014SummerTrip>
Register and pay no later than 10 pm CDT, Monday, June 23, 2014.
***No exceptions.**

Beat the heat for a couple of days and join Pack 29 for a summer family camping trip at Appletree Campground in the cool mountains of western North Carolina. The campground is next to the Nantahala River where a refreshing splash awaits as well the opportunity to catch rainbow, brook, and brown trout. There are over 32 miles of hiking trails within access of the campground. Downriver, the [Nantahala Outdoor Center](#) (NOC) is a popular destination for more high adventure activities and is only a half hour away (there are various minimum and maximum age and weight restrictions for many of their activities). The campground has restrooms with showers and flush toilets, a fire pit area, and a picnic shelter. There is NO ELECTRICITY available in the campground. This campout will be relaxed and mostly unstructured. The only planned activities will be our meals.

You may arrive at the camp anytime on Friday, June 27th (or come on Saturday if you like, just let us know when you register). Meals will be provided on Saturday and Sunday morning – **Friday meals are own your own**. We will have hot water and a couple of camp stoves available for your use on Friday evening. There will be some snacks provided by the pack throughout the weekend but bring your own too. A duty roster will be prepared to help with camp chores.

Often this time of year, the temperatures only reach into the low 70's during the day and fall into the low 50's at night. Brief, intense afternoon thunderstorms are common as well. So heed the Boy Scout motto and Be Prepared!

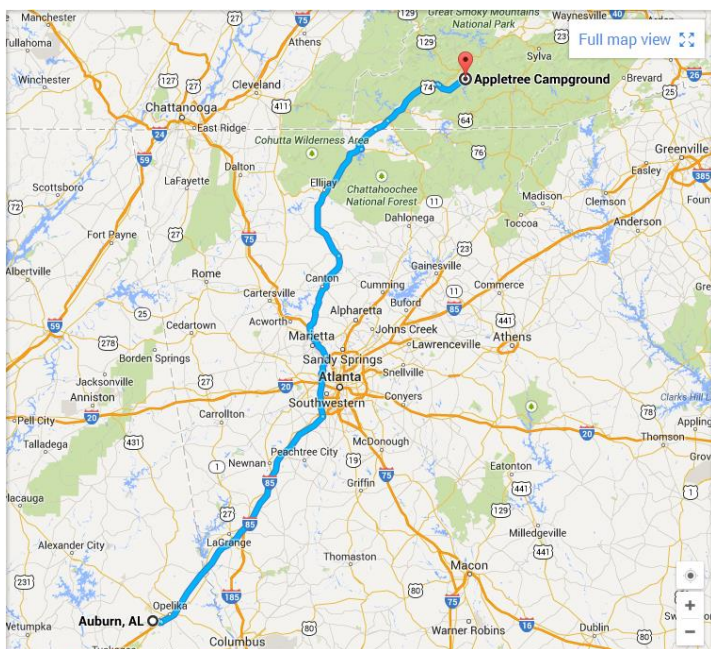
Don't hesitate to register because the trip is **limited to the first 50 people** to sign up.

If you have any questions, or need to borrow any equipment, contact Clyde Wikle at outings@pack29auburn.com or 334-329-8547.

Driving Directions:

The campground is located in Topton, North Carolina, just outside of Andrews NC. The driving distance is approximately 250 miles (~4.5 hours).

- Follow I-85 N toward Atlanta to I-285 N (91 miles)
- Take exit 68 to merge onto I-285 N. Follow I-285 N to I-75 N (20 miles)
- Take exit 20 for I-75 N toward Chattanooga. Follow I-75 N to I-575 N (10 miles)
- Take I-575 N toward Canton. Follow I-575 N (31 miles)
- I-575 N ends. Continue on GA-515 E through Blue Ridge (45 miles)
- Turn left onto GA-60 N. Follow GA-60 N to GA-60 Spur (2 miles)
- Turn right onto GA-60 Spur toward Murphy, NC. Follow GA-60 Spur (8 miles)
- Enter North Carolina. Continue on NC-60 N (5 miles)
- Turn right onto US-64 E/US-74 E. Follow **US-74 E** to Andrews, NC (21 miles)
- Turn right onto US-19 BUS N. Follow US-19 BUS N to Junaluska Rd (2 miles)
- Bear right onto Junaluska Rd. Follow Junaluska Rd to Appletree Campground Rd (10 miles)
- Turn left onto Appletree Campground Rd. Follow to campsite (0.5 mile)



What To Bring:Clothes

Scout Uniform (class B)
t-shirts
shorts/pants
swimsuit
extra socks
good walking shoes
shoes for bath house (crocs, flip flops)
underwear
pajamas
raingear or poncho
light jacket or sweatshirt
hat

Toiletries

soap in container
comb
toothbrush
toothpaste
shampoo
hand towel
bath towel
beach towel

Other items

tent
tarp
day pack
sleeping bag or blankets/sheets or both
pillow
air mattress or bedroll
duffel bag
back pack or bag (for clothes)
laundry bag
flashlight (with extra batteries)
lantern
canteen or water bottle
insect repellent
sunscreen
snacks
chairs
first aid kit
fishing tackle & bait

DO NOT Bring:

intoxicants (alcohol or drugs)
archery equipment
firearms (including BB guns)
sheath knives
sling shots
fireworks
pets
valuables
electronics (game boys, etc)



Some of these items are available for loan,

Contact Clyde Wikle, outings@pack29auburn.com