

# Camp Barnard – Camp Rules

Please distribute to all leaders and adults attending camp

All shared areas should be booked with Camp Ranger upon arrival at Camp. This applies to the waterfront, amphitheatre, playing fields and chapel. Use of equipment such as canoes or archery can be pre booked with Camp Registrar or with Camp Ranger on arrival at camp.

A public telephone is located at the turn-around by the office.

## **Check-in time is 3 pm. Check-out time is 1pm.**

Contact person must check in with Camp Ranger upon arrival at camp and must check-out before departure. Camp Barnard In/Out Form (yellow) must be completed IN FULL and available for the Camp Ranger at time of Check-out. Contact person must ensure that the Ranger checks all facilities and that all members of their group are off the premises before they leave.

## **General Rules-Camp Barnard:**

All campers are expected to observe Scouts Canada's **By Laws Policies & Procedures (BP&P)** while on Scout property. This document is available at [www.scouts.ca](http://www.scouts.ca) on the 'For Volunteers' page. The pertinent information is in sections 7000-Duty of Care and 10000- Camping and Outdoor Activities.

**Recreational Drugs, Alcohol & Smoking:** Alcoholic beverages or recreational drugs are **not** allowed in camp or while travelling to or returning from camp. Smoking is only permitted outdoors and away from youth.

**Pets:** Absolutely **NO PETS** of any kind are allowed on site. (ie. no cats, dogs etc.)

**First Aid:** Each group is responsible to provide their own First Aid suitable for risk level of activities planned.

**Fire Danger:** Camp lanterns, stoves and heaters are **not** allowed in any cabin or tent. Fires may be lit only in designated fire-pits. During hot dry weather, fire restrictions may be applied by the Camp Ranger.

**Parking:** Parking is allowed in designated parking areas only. Temporary parking (up to 15 min) is allowed on main road and next to Mor and Keego Kitchens **for drop-off and pick-up only-NO EXCEPTIONS.**

**Designated Parking Areas:** 1) main parking lot, 2) open area at the beginning of the trail to Mount Bluff 3) across from the Ranger's house in Lower 40 field or as designated by the Camp Ranger.

**Back Country traffic** is restricted to service vehicles only or as approved by the Camp Ranger.

**Swimming, Canoeing:** All water sport regulations in B P & P are to be observed. These regulations are posted in the camp office and in the boathouse. Appropriate adult on-water supervision is required for all water activities.

**Emergencies:** The camp office must be notified within 20 minutes if someone is missing, injured or ill. If no one is available at the camp office, the RCMP in Sooke should be notified as soon as possible (dial 911).

**Food Preparation:** Menus for residential camps must be submitted to Camp Registrar at least one week prior to camp. When cooking for a group we recommend that at least one cook be Food Safe trained.

**Garbage:** Garbage must be placed in garbage bags, tied at the top and placed in dumpster located in parking lot.

**Recycling:** Recyclables must be cleaned, sorted and placed in proper receptacles in Recycling Shed near camp turn-around.

**Cleaning:** Groups are responsible for clean up of lodges, cabins, campsite, kitchen and washroom as used. A \$25/hour fee will be charged if additional cleaning is required by Camp Ranger.

Please practise LEAVE NO TRACE Camping while at Camp Barnard.

Trees must not be cut down unless with permission of the Camp Ranger.

Firearms and fireworks are **not** allowed in camp.

Bow & arrows and slingshots are allowed only as per B P & P regulations in areas as designated by Camp Ranger.

Drinking water must be obtained only from designated sources. Lake and stream water is unsafe.

No nails, tacks or staples are to be used on any building (inside or out) or any tree or post.

The Chapel is for the use of all faiths and is not a play area.

Raiding of tents, lodges and camp sites is forbidden.

Power tools eg. chainsaws may not to be used by camping groups.

Any group in violation of these guidelines may be assessed replacement or clean-up costs.

All camper groups are encouraged to do a camp Good Turn while at camp; a list of these is available from the Camp Ranger.

I have read and understand the above Camp Rules and agree to have my group adhere to all rules.

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*signed by group contact person*

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*date*

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