

Camp Hiawatha Boy Scout Summer Camp Reservation Policy

The following policy is instituted in order to better forecast camp attendance so that planning can be made for staffing and logistics.

1. Schedule:

- Hiawathaland Council Troops and out-of-council troops attending Camp Hiawatha during the summer may make a reservation after the first day of the camp season for the following year.
- Hiawathaland Council Troops attending another camp may make a reservation after the last day of the camp season for the following year.
- Other out-of-council troops may make a reservation after October 15th for the following year.

2. Site Reservations: Reservations will be made for a number of patrol sites in a troop site according to the ratio of one patrol site per 10 or fewer campers (youth & adult).

3. Deposits: Site Deposit: A deposit of \$50 per patrol site for in-council troops and out-of-council troops that have camped at Camp Hiawatha for 3 years or \$100 per patrol site for other out of council troops is required by January 1st for the following summer to hold a site. The deposit can be applied to the total camp fee (including the non-refundable deposit of \$10 per Scout due March 16th or the “Early Bird” due date of May 31st; or it may be carried forward to the following year if a reservation is made. The deposit is forfeited for any sites that fall below the ratio in paragraph 2.

Examples:

1. If you reserve 2 patrol sites and bring 9 campers to camp, you will forfeit the site deposit for one of the sites.
2. If you reserve 1 patrol site and bring 11 campers, there is no penalty. However, if the campsite is at capacity (all sites being used that year are taken), you may be reassigned to another campsite.
3. If you reserve 2 patrol sites and bring 15 campers, you will have \$100 to apply to the total fee or carry forward as a deposit for the following year.

Individual Deposits: A \$10 per camper (youth & adult) non-refundable (but transferable) deposit is required by March 16th. **This deposit must be paid in sufficient amount to equal the reservation for patrol sites in order to hold the patrol site reservation.**

Example: If you reserve 2 patrol sites, you must deposit at least \$110 by March 16th to hold two sites. However, if you make the per person deposit, but then bring less than 11 campers, \$10 per person not attending is forfeited. If you do not meet the minimum per person deposit on March 16th to cover the number of sites reserved, that patrol site may be assigned to another troop if needed.