



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

DATE: February 5, 2016

TO: Camp Pioneer 2016 Registrants
Caddo Area Council Scoutmasters, Pack Leaders, and Den Leaders
All Caddo Area Council Staff

FROM: Phillip Jordan, Vice President of Marketing
Caddo Area Council, BSA

RE: Camp Pioneer 2016

Ladies and Gentlemen:

As a part of the process of continuously trying to improve Camp Pioneer, Council staff recently contacted Unit Leaders to solicit their opinions regarding possibly alterations to the structure of Camp Pioneer's program and to solicit feedback. This was an information gathering exercise only, and at the time, no decisions had been made.

Last night, the Council's Camping and Properties committees held a joint meeting, and decided to continue operating Camp Pioneer under the same program structure we have used over the last number of years. Campers will arrive on Sunday and depart on Saturday. Dining hall operations will be continuous throughout the week. The Aquatics Center will be open.

We currently plan to operate for three camper weeks this year. Week 1 is already completely full, and Week 2 is filling fast.

The deadline for troop registration is March 18, 2016. If you haven't registered, please do so as soon as possible. Please contact the Scout office for availability and to make your reservation.

We also plan to host a camp for second year Webelos who will be bridging over into the Boy Scout program in the coming year.

We have launched a new, revamped website for Camp Pioneer this morning. You can view it at www.camppioneer.org

We are excited about the coming summer, and are working hard to make the 100th year of Scout camping at Camp Pioneer a huge success! Please come join us and be part of the excitement!