



# BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA TROOP 337

## INFORMATION FORM

### *“Fish & Chill Campout”*

October 23<sup>rd</sup>– 25<sup>th</sup> 2020

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- EVENT LOCATION:** The Bayside Marina inside of the Sebastian Inlet State Park on A1A. Headquarters are The B&G Surfside Grill and Adventures, 9502 S Hwy A1A, Melbourne Beach. We will be camping in their beautiful primitive area adjacent to the marina.
- PROGRAM/THEME:** Our home base will be the marina. Then, on Saturday, we will head a few miles South to the Sebastian Inlet for swimming, hanging at the beach, enjoying a picnic lunch and fishing on the pier, catwalk, South jetty, the beach, and the inlet shore. Saturday evening we'll do some night fishing and have dinner on the beach. Even if you're not much of a fisherman, you'll have fun on this campout.
- COST PER PERSON:** **\$32 per person** – Covers: \$15 Camping fees (Marina charges), \$17 for food (4 meals + 2 Snacks/Drinks). The troop will cover community rigging & bait, gas, charcoal, etc. (thanks troop)
- REGISTRATION/PAYMENT:** Registration form will be **ONLINE**. Payment may be either online, or you may hand in cash or check by the **Monday, October 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020 Deadline**.
- DEPARTURE/ARRIVAL:** There are two options for transportation:  
1. **Drive Yourself** – Be at the Marina at 6:40 PM on Friday and pick up at 11:15 AM on Sunday.  
2. **Ride in the Van** – Be at the Scoutpost at 6:00 PM on Friday and ride the van (masks required and we'll have the windows down). Pick up at the Scoutpost at 12:30 PM on Sunday
- UNIFORM/CLOTHING:** Wear a Class-A uniform on arrival (dress shirt w/ Troop shirt under, pants or shorts, green or black socks, earth-toned shoes). Have multiple Class-B Troop Shirts for the weekend. For bathing suits, please have a BSA bathing suit or BSA shorts that work as a bathing suit. Optionally you may wear earth-toned BSA-Type colors for a bathing suit. Close-toed shoes or close-toed sandals are required at all times.
- WHAT TO BRING:** For departure, be sure you've packed the following:  
1. Your Tent (*if you signed up to bring one*)  
2. Camp Cup, Water Bottle & Mess Kit – AND CHAIR  
3. Fishing Gear – (see below)  
4. Everything you decide you need need on the [Personal Packing List – \(editable version here\)](#). Note: You can find this and other lists on the Troop Website under Scouts -> Documents & Links.
- FISHING** Although you're not "required" to fish on this campout, you'd be missing out on a lot of fun if you didn't. Here's info about fishing gear:  
  - **Pole** - Bring a larger stout pole. This is fast moving water and surf, with strong saltwater fish. A small lake pole won't cut it. You need a bridge or surf rod.
  - **Tackle** - The Troop will have limited tackle to share. A variety of heavier sinkers would be helpful. Pre-made leaders are good too.
  - **Lures** - Consider bringing some larger saltwater lures, feathers, mirrors.
  - **Bait** - The Troop will have limited live and cut bait to share. You may want to bring your own live bait bucket (and bubbler) and plan on buying your own if desired.

**Bait Shop:** We will be stopping at a Bait Shop on Saturday morning on the way to the inlet. So, if you want to buy anything, be prepared.

**Note:** We will send out more information about fishing & equipment via email.

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**MEALS:**

**EAT DINNER PRIOR TO ARRIVAL.** Meals included are Friday cracker barrel, 3 meals Saturday, Sunday breakfast. Note: Sunday lunch is not provided (just a small snack to hold you over)

**STANDING RULES:**

Please review these standing Troop Rules:

- Close Toed Shoes or Sandals Only – No open toed sandals
- No Electronics or Cell Phones at Campground.
- Cell Phones by Parent Permission only while traveling in car and are subject to the following rules:
  - No social Media o No Texting (even home)
  - Videos/YouTube by leader permission BEFORE WATCHING!
  - All music/video/games must be appropriate

**SAFETY:**

As always, well trained leaders following the Guide to Safe Scouting will be overseeing everything. See Troop Website for Leader Contact Info. Social Distancing will be practiced.

**LEADERSHIP:**

See Troop Website for contact info.