WELCOME TO WEHINAHPAY MOUNTAIN CAMP!

Our staff has been working year round to ensure that we continue to offer the best program in the Southwest. With 38 merit badges, an ATV program, Mountain Man experiences, Cowboy Action Shooting, beautiful mountain views, and cool temperatures, this summer is shaping up to be amazing!

Now is the time to start preparing for your 2020 experience. The information in this guide and on our website will be your key to an exciting and meaningful summer camp experience. Digital copies of this guide can be found at our website for your convenience. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us directly. Our motto at Wehinahpay is "Camping Simplified". We want to do everything we can to make your stay at camp as easy for you as possible.

On behalf of the Conquistador Council and Wehinahpay Mountain Camp staff, we look forward to seeing you in 2020!

our history

We-Hin-Ah-Pay's location is rich with history. It is an old phrase that means "The Place Where The Morning Sun Gathers." Come walk the trails of prehistoric man, of the Apaches, the Spanish Conquistadors, mountain men, Buffalo Soldiers, cowboys, and outlaws. Humans have been camping in the Sacramento Mountains for thousands of years. Spanish Conquistadors explored these canyons and mountains looking for riches. Apache Indians lived nearby before Columbus sailed to the new world. The famous medicine man Geronimo is said to have camped in this area as well.

Now it is your turn to walk these trails of mountain adventure!
2020 DATES

Week 1: June 14-20
Week 2: June 21-27
Week 3: June 28-July 4
Week 4: July 5-11
Week 5 July 12-18

PURICING

One of our biggest goals is to make camp easier for your Troop. One of the ways we do that is by including the cost of merit badges and activity fees into the initial cost. Yeah, you heard us right. At our camp, you don’t have to calculate class fees on top of everything else. We’ve got your back.

IN COUNCIL-
$340 PER YOUTH (EARLY BIRD)
$350 PER YOUTH (REGULAR)
$370 PER YOUTH (LATE)

OUT OF COUNCIL-
$365 PER YOUTH (EARLY BIRD)
$375 PER YOUTH (REGULAR)
$395 PER YOUTH (LATE)

$125 PER ADULT

FREE T-SHIRT INCLUDED
CLASS FEES
NO KIT AND ACTIVITY COSTS

01
Fill out the Camp Application at www.wmc-boyscouts.org to reserve a spot. Costs $200.

02
March 1- Early Bird pricing ends.

03
Half payment due by March 1. When this is in, we will send you an email that will give you access to class scheduling.

04
Final payment due by May 1. Late Fee begins.

REFUND POLICY

The initial Application Fee will be fully refundable until January 1. No refunds will be given for no shows or those who leave early. Requests for refunds can be sent to Dianne.Conde@scouting. Payments for camp are transferable. Refund Requests will not be accepted after September 1, 2020.
HAVE A GIRL TROOP?

We've got you covered!

Here at WEHINAHPAY we are excited for the opportunity to host female troops. Whether you are travelling with a linked troop or on your own, staying with us will be easy.

- Bathrooms and showers are single stall rooms with locks. The Tech Center showers are also reserved for females.

- If you let us know, we can put you either in the same campsite or in adjoining campsites with boy troops you may be linked with.
When you come into camp, you will pass the gate, the ranger's station, the lake, and a few buildings. The Office is a large building with a porch across the front of it. Staff will be on hand to help direct you. All vehicles and large trailers must stay in the parking lot, backed in.

Check-in starts at 1:00 PM on Sunday afternoon. We recommend arriving as early as possible to beat the rush that happens around 3:30. Leaders meeting will be held at 4:30 PM at the Maddox Office Building. We will be going over tricks and skills that will help you through your week at Wehinahpay. **ATV waivers will be turned in at class.**

Check-in at the Maddox Building

- BSA Health Forms (both youth and adults)
- Any remaining account balance
- Names and payment for Friday visitors
- Order of the Arrow Call out names (if needed)
- Any class changes

If you have anyone arriving at camp after initial check in, please have them check in at the Maddox. They will sign the check-in book, receive camper wristbands, and will be pointed to where your group is. If they will be joining us for any meals, it will cost $10 a meal.

If you or any of your group needs to leave camp at any time during the week, we ask that they stop in at the office to check out. That way, if there are any emergencies in camp, we will have an accurate head count of those who are in camp.

We thank you for keeping these policies. We feel the security of the youth is paramount. Our staff has been trained to watch for those without wristbands and to bring them to the office. Thank you for your support on this.
When you arrive at camp, you will be assigned to a campsite. Depending on the size of your troop and how many of each gender you have you may be sharing some of your campsite with another troop.

Each campsite has tents and cots for all campers. These tents are more like 9x9 rooms than regular tents though. They have wooden floors surrounded by a metal frame. The cots are army-type cots and sit about 2.5 feet off the ground.

Picnic tables are about 8x3 feet and seat 8 each. Every campsite has at least one of these if not more.

Bathrooms are located in or near each campsite. We ask that each troop be responsible for keeping these facilities clean. Clean running water is available in every campsite. New shower/bathroom facilities will be located near Chism and Palo Verde Campsites.

HAVE A CPAP MACHINE?

We currently have 2 campsites available that can be given access to power. Let us know if you have anyone with health issues that require they be near power and we’ll try to assign you to one of those.
SHOWERS AND BATHROOMS

Most campsites share a bathroom between two sites. These are pit toilets. They are each pumped during the summer to keep the smell and fill down. If you notice that the sewage is getting high or the smell too intense, just let us know. Each stall is fully enclosed and has a slide lock.

We have three shower facilities near campsite areas. One near Chism campsite, one near Palo Verde, and another near Geronimo. Each of these buildings have multiple stalls inside and have large enough water heaters that hot water is not an issue.

On the outside of the doors of the old shower houses are wooden signs that states which age group and gender is inside at the time. Remember to change it to reflect who you are before entering. Also make sure you knock before going inside in order to avoid awkward situations. We do have another set of showers in the Maddox office building for leader use. There is also a set in the Tech Center, which is reserved for use by females and adult leaders only. These showers are single stall with a locking door.

The new showers, going up near Palo Verde and Chism are single-room stalls that have locking doors, showers, and a flush toilet. If the weather holds, these will be finished in May of 2020.

PHONE RECEPTION?

Be aware that phone reception is nonexistent for all carriers up at camp. If you need to make a reliable call, we have a couple options. You can go up to the ridge above camp, but it's a five mile hike, round-trip. There is also reception in the nearby city of Cloudcroft. However, we do have WiFi in camp that you can use. When you check in, we will give you the password but ask that you do not share it with the Scouts, as internet is not part of the camp experience. Please be conservative with wifi bandwidth as we need it to input merit badges and to keep camp running.

LEADERS LOUNGE

Sometimes you just have to have a place where you can get away from the Scouts for a second to enjoy a cup of coffee. That's where our Leaders lounge in the Maddox comes in. It has power, offers trainings, and has WiFi. We will give out the internet password to the leaders at the Sunday leaders meeting but ask that you don't share it with the Scouts.
GENERAL INFORMATION
SOME TIPS TO HELP YOU ON YOUR WAY

TEMPERATURE

Wehinahpay will be a temperature change from almost anywhere you come from. Temperatures range from 45 - 80 degrees. Make sure that your troop packs accordingly. Even if you have a warm sleeping bag, it is not a bad idea to bring an extra blanket just in case. Jackets are a must.

With all that said, you won't find any better place than Wehinahpay for a comfortable weather camping experience.

ELEVATION

Wehinahpay is located in a narrow canyon high in the mountains. We sit somewhere around 8,500 feet above sea level and some of our hikes will take you well above that. One of the main issues with elevation gain is altitude sickness. Make sure that your Scouts drink plenty of water to help counteract this. Be aware- our campsites are all located on the side of a mountain. It would be best for those with health issues to factor that in when deciding whether or not to join their troop at camp. As much as we’d like to, we are not able to drive these leaders around camp.

MAIL

Got some family that wants to send some love to the Scouts while they are at camp? That’s great! We go out to the post office every day around lunch. Expect all mail to take a day longer than it normally would due to the remote location. Mail will be distributed at meal times.

Hugh Glass, Troop 1823
Wehinahpay Mountain Camp
319 Potato Canyon Road
Sacramento, NM 88347
The Order of the Arrow is the Boy Scouts of America's national honor society. Members dedicate their lives to the principles of cheerful service. If any of your group would like to join this great organization, speak with an Order of the Arrow Lodge representative from your Council to organize an election. After you are elected, you can opt to have your Call-out ceremony here at camp, as long as your home Lodge gives you written permission to do so. If this is the case, let us know when you check in on Sunday.

Because we are in the wilderness, we ask that no food be kept in your campsite. The smell from food can attract animals looking for an easy meal. We have worked hard to keep our camp from being a source of food for large critters. You may notice our dumpster is near the camp entrance, far from campsites. We ask that you empty your trash every night and that you store all smellables in your car for safety.

Trash left by the Maddox building will be taken to the dumpster by our ranger.

We do have a large variety of wildlife near camp. Most of these are harmless if you give them their space. However, bears and mountain lions have been seen near camp. Luckily they don't like the noise that 300 Scouts produce. As long we keep food from campsites, we shouldn't have any trouble.

**In brighter news, Wehinahpay doesn't usually have mosquitoes, ticks or chiggers.**

Many troops like to give back to whatever campsite they visit by doing a service project. While these are not required at Wehinahpay, they are welcome. Being a camp of our size, there is always something to do. From gathering dead wood to building trails, whatever your troops need or desire, we can help you with that. Just get with our friendly camp ranger to set up a project.
LEADERS MEETINGS

A Leader’s Orientation Meeting will be held on Sunday at 4:30 at the Maddox Building in the Leader’s Lounge. All leaders, including Senior Patrol Leaders are invited to attend. We will be going over the overall schedule, camp rules, and tips for making your camp experience the best it camp be.

At 9:30 every morning, we will be holding additional meetings for adult leaders to keep you up to date on events. S.P.L. Meetings will take place during lunch on Tuesday and Thursday.

At these meetings we will do sign ups for the following:

- Mountain Man Dinner
- Flag Ceremonies
- Friday Campfire
- Service
- Check-out times

FLAG CEREMONIES

We will be holding flag ceremonies each morning and night before meals at the dining hall. While we have staff do the flag ceremony on Sunday, we open up flags for the rest of the week to the troops. If you would like to participate, you can sign up at the Leader’s meeting on Monday.

If you are from another state and would like to raise your colors when you are doing the flag ceremony, that is fine as long as you provide the flag.

When you arrive at the parade grounds in front of the dining hall, you will see signs laid on the ground with troop numbers on them. We ask that you line up here before meals and wait to be dismissed. We will be doing a song, prayer, and some notifications. We try to give everyone a turn to be first to be dismissed. If you notice you are always last, let the Program Director know.
We ask that each troop assign 2 Scouts to serve as "hoppers" for each meal. They will arrive 15 minutes before flag to set up your table and will help clean it afterwards. We suggest you rotate this every meal.

Remember, we meet for each meal in the parade grounds in front of the dining hall. There we will sing a song, say grace, do some announcements, and play a game to dismiss everyone. When we dismiss, those troops on the South side of the parade grounds will go to the South doors of the dining hall and those to the North will use the North door. (As shown below) This keeps the line moving faster.

Once you enter the dining hall, just follow the arrows on the floor. They will show you the best way to get your food and back to your table. This keeps the line wait shorter. There will be a table with your troop number on it for you to sit at. Seconds are generally called at each meal.
**EVENING PROGRAMS**

At 7:30 on Monday and Tuesday, we offer our evening programs. We have designed it so that it is not possible for your group to be able to hit all the evening activities. That way, they don't run out of things to do. Pick an activity and go. We will also be holding these activities on Friday morning as well.

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<td>Race down the path on your mountain skateboard and show off your true skills! Meet at Maddox.</td>
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<td>Ziplines and challenges high up in the air. This is a must for people looking for something different!</td>
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<td>Ever wanted to try flying a drone? We got you covered! At the Tech Center we will be teaching the not so ancient art of drone flying!</td>
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<td><strong>04</strong> ARCHERY</td>
<td>Show your troop who is the best shot out there at the Archery Range. Best shot wins the respect of everyone there.</td>
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<td><strong>05</strong> SPORTING ARROWS</td>
<td>Mastered target archery? Try this. We shoot a foam disk in the air and you shoot it with an arrow, just like you would shooting clays with a shotgun. Think you're up to the challenge?</td>
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<td><strong>06</strong> RIFLE SHOOTING</td>
<td>Love shooting but already have the badge? That's fine. Come join us here in the evening.</td>
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<td><strong>06</strong> SHOTGUN SHOOTING</td>
<td>Come shoot some clay pigeons with us in this free shoot. It will be a ton of fun.</td>
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<td><strong>06</strong> FISHING</td>
<td>Grab a pole and join us down at the lake. Our fishing instructor will be on hand to help you out. Fishing Licenses not required.</td>
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<td><strong>06</strong> CLIMBING</td>
<td>Give our massive climbing tower a try. Feel the adrenaline course through your veins!</td>
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<td><strong>06</strong> MOUNTAIN MAN DINNER</td>
<td>Come throw some tomahawks and eat an old time-y mountain man stew while our staff tells stories of the woods. Sign up at Leaders Meeting.</td>
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## EVENING PROGRAMS

### MONDAY
- Mountain Man Dinner
- Rifle Shooting
- Target Archery
- Mountain Boarding
- Drones
- High Adventure Park

### TUESDAY
- Mountain Man Dinner
- Shotgun Shooting
- Sporting Arrows
- Mountain Boarding
- Drones
- Climbing Tower

### WEDNESDAY
- Troop Night

### THURSDAY
- Meadow Games
- Staff Open House

### TROOP NIGHT
In order to give your troop some time around the campfire, we have set aside Wednesday as a night for troops to relax together without staff. Feel free to go hiking, fishing, or roasting marshmallows. Some troops like to leave before dinner and grab food in Cloudcroft or Alamogordo. If you plan on leaving property, please check out and be careful of elk on the roads.

### MEADOW GAMES
It's staff versus Scouts in this battle royale! We have invented our own Calvinball game where we play baseball with a football. There is also an end-zone in the outfield. If nothing else, it's fun to watch! This event will be located in the field in front of the trading post at 7:30 on Thursday. No equipment or experience is needed.

### STAFF OPEN HOUSE
Wonder what life on staff is like? Come on out. We'll give you a tour of our housing and let you talk with staff members about their experiences. Ice Cream will be provided. This takes place directly following Meadow Games. Meet on the Trading Post porch.
ADULT LEADER ACTIVITIES

There is still plenty for adult leaders to do at Wehinahpay. We promise that you won't be sitting around in your campsite. (Unless, of course, that is what you want to do!) The following are leader opportunities that we have to offer at camp.

"Success in training the boy depends largely on the Scoutmaster's own personal example." –Baden-Powell

SCOUTMASTER COOKOFF

Bring your dutch oven and best cooking supplies and show who is the true master of camp cooking! The rules are simple. Create a dish on Wednesday at camp and share it with everyone else competing. Staff will decide who wins and will award an apron to the winner. Refrigeration available in Maddox. After we have finished, all leaders are welcome to join us for our Scoutmaster Ice Cream Social. Our camp director makes homemade ice cream as a thank you for all leaders.

TRAININGS

Though it varies from week to week, we generally are able to offer Scoutmaster Specific Training and Intro to Outdoor Leader Skills each week through volunteer Scoutmasters. Sign ups will be available in the Maddox building during camp. If you or anyone in your group would be interested in teaching one of these courses, please contact the camp director as soon as possible.

SCOUTMASTER SHOOT-OFF

Here is the time for you to back up your big talk to your Scouts. On Fridays we hold a competition between Scoutmasters on who can do the best at shooting .22 rifles. We will be shooting the standard targets that the youth use for the merit badge. Winner gets eternal glory and an awesome prize.
### WEDNESDAY ACTIVITIES

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<td>2:00 - 5:00 PM</td>
<td>JOHN COLTER RACE CAMP-WIDE GAMES</td>
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<td>3:00 - 5:00 PM</td>
<td>COWBOY ACTION SHOOT LEADER SHOOTOUT</td>
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<td>7:00 PM</td>
<td>TROOP NIGHT</td>
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#### TWILIGHT IN THE MORNING

All the activities offered in the evenings will be offered Wednesday morning—with the exception of shooting sports. (Which will be open for those needing to qualify)

#### JOHN COLTER RACE

Does your troop have what it takes to become the champions? Join us for our epic relay race through camp where your Scout Skills will be put to the test at a number of stations on the trail. Those wishing to be involved in the race will need to be at their positions at 2:00 PM. The race will start at the Maddox porch and will end up near the Trading Post.

#### CAMP WIDE GAMES

Right as the race ends, the camp-wide games begin. Troops can challenge others (including staff) to classic Scouting games like tug-of-war, leaky barrels, and more!
During the Leaders Meeting on Thursday, we will be scheduling pick-up times for Saturday. Our ranger staff will be available to move your gear to the parking lot anytime after 5:00 AM. If you need to leave earlier, or would just like to beat the rush, our ranger will also be willing to move gear on Friday afternoon as well. For those who have single axle trailers in their campistes, this can be a good option.

CHECK OUT

Before you leave, we ask that you check in with the office. There, we will give you your medical forms and will have the final merit badge listings for each troop. We also ask that each troop completes a survey to let us know how we’ve done.

PACKING UP

To help you get on the road in good time, we will be sending Troop Friends up to your campsite a half an hour before your pick up time. They can help you with moving and cleaning. When you are ready to go, they will do a campsite trash sweep with you.

PICK UP AND DEPARTURE

When all the rest is done, our ranger staff will help you load up your gear and will take it down to the parking lot. After that, you are free to be on your way. Safe driving!

CHECK OUT

We will do our best to make it as painless as possible for your group. We ask that before you go, you drop by the office and check out with us. We’ll get you our medical forms and merit badge lists. If you could do a evaluation as well that would be great.

MERIT BADGE LISTINGS

Merit badge listings will be available to check after Friday campfire in the Maddox building. We will be giving you a print off of the merit badges earned. They will have a spot that lists all the badges completed as well as spot for those that are partial. Before you get too worried, the requirements under the Partial section are the requirements that have been finished. To show what I mean here is an example of what the merit badge lists look like:

**Troop 1823 (Registration No#11111)**
**Glass, Hugh**
**Completed**
- Wilderness Survival (2-hour session)
- Mountain Man (3-hour session)
**Partial**
- Camping (2-hour session)
  - 1a,1b,1c,2,3a,3b,3c,5a,5b,5c,6a,6b,6c,6d,6e,8a1,8a2,8a3,8b,8c,9a

As you can see, Hugh completed Wilderness Survival and Mountain Man but didn't finish Camping. Before you panic, remember that this is a list of the requirements he has done. To find out what he still needs to do, you'll need to either go to the merit badge book or to the section of this guide where we list what isn't completed. If you have any questions, feel free to email or call our Camp Director.
The Apache lived and camped in the Sacramento Mountains and so did Geronimo. "Wehinahpay" is the Apache word for "The place where the morning sun gathers". This half-day week long experience will let older Scouts and Venturers experience the 19th Century lifestyle of the mountain man and Native American.

Scouts in this program will get to enjoy dutch oven cooking, tomahawk and knife throwing, black powder rifle, archery, flint and steel fire building, knife making, blacksmith forging, sweat lodge, and much more! Leaders may sign up for this class if space allows.
C.O.P.E.

The Challenging Outdoor Physical Experience or COPE is a week long half day program for older Scouts. Scouts will work as a group to navigate advanced team building and problem solving based challenges on the Low COPE Course. Later in the week, they will travel to the High Adventure Park to experience High COPE.

In this challenge, they will go almost 30 feet in the air and navigate their way around obstacles while being held up by wires. This challenge is meant to help show Scouts what they are truly capable of as well as giving them a fun blast of adrenaline. Shorter Scouts or those in poorer physical condition will have a harder time with this activity.
ATV ADVENTURE

Our ATV Adventure is the perfect blend of the outdoors and modern equipment! The All-Terrain Vehicle Adventure is available for every level of rider and is based on the curriculum developed by the ATV Safety Institute. All participants will be certified as "Riders" through that organization after this course.

Scouts will learn safe riding, emergency stops, quick turns, active hill rider skills, and how to ride over obstacles.

**Scouts are required to wear long pants, long sleeved shirts, and boots to this class.** We will provide all other safety equipment. An ATV waiver, signed by a parent, is needed to participate in this activity. This is available on the website.
TRAIL TO FIRST CLASS

This class is created primarily for those who are coming to camp for the first time. The purpose behind the program is to give new Scouts a jump start by teaching them basic outdoor skills needed for their Scouting career.

Because of this, we will work on Rank Advancements, focusing on the lower ranks first. We ask that if you have more than five youth in this program that you send an adult with them to help with crowd control and demonstrations.
HAY CANYON OUTPOST

Been there, done that? Got all the merit badges you want in camp but are looking for more of a challenge? Then look no further.

You’ll start off at camp, grab your backpack, and head off into the depths of the forest. Very few have wandered the paths that we will be taking. There will be stunning views, amazing vistas, and rugged landscapes.

When you arrive at the Outpost, the adventure is just getting started. When you’re at Outpost, your activities are up to you. You can do some more hiking, do some mountain biking on our custom-made trail, swing a hammer at the forge, weave a sweet Native American belt, and a ton of other things!

If you’re looking for something different, you found it.

BACKPACKING

MOUNTAIN BIKING

FLEXIBLE SCHEDULE
| Time  | Indian Lore | Art and Sculpture | Leatherwork | Basketry | Wood Carving | Trail to First Class | Emergency Preparedness | Geocaching | Orienteering | First Aid | Camping | Wilderness Survival | Environmental Science | Fly Fishing/Fishing | Fish & Wildlife/Mammal Study | Plant Study | Geology/Soil and Water | Chemistry | Electricity | Photography | Robotics | Space Exploration | Automotive Maintenance | Welding | Citizenship in the World | Civics in Nation/American Heritage | Chess | Communication/Public Speaking | Archery | Rifle Shooting | Shotgun Shooting | Climbing Merit Badge | Horsemanship Merit Badge | COPE | Mountain Man | ATV Adventure |
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- **Art:** Req 6
- **Req 1, 2c, 8b**
- **Req 7**
- **Req 9a, 9b**
- **Req 5**
- **Must catch a fish at camp**
- **Req 2, 8, 9a**
- **Req 7a**
- **Req 2d, 3**
- **Communication Req 5, 8**
- Wear heavy clothes
- **Communication**

- **Indian Lore**
- **Art and Sculpture**
- **Leatherwork**
- **Basketry**
- **Wood Carving**
- **Trail to First Class**
- **Emergency Preparedness**
- **Geocaching**
- **Orienteering**
- **First Aid**
- **Camping**
- **Wilderness Survival**
- **Environmental Science**
- **Fly Fishing/Fishing**
- **Fish & Wildlife/Mammal Study**
- **Plant Study**
- **Geology/Soil and Water**
- **Chemistry**
- **Electricity**
- **Photography**
- **Robotics**
- **Space Exploration**
- **Automotive Maintenance**
- **Welding**
- **Citizenship in the World**
- **Civics in Nation/American Heritage**
- **Chess**
- **Communication/Public Speaking**
- **Archery**
- **Rifle Shooting**
- **Shotgun Shooting**
- **Climbing Merit Badge**
- **Horsemanship Merit Badge**
- **COPE**
- **Mountain Man**
- **ATV Adventure**
NEED A PLACE TO STAY ON THE WAY?

Dowling Aquatics Base, located in Carlsbad, NM, is a convenient place for your troop to stop on the way to camp. It is located 20 minutes away from Carlsbad Caverns and only 2 hours away from Wehinahpay. To reserve a spot, contact our Council office at 575-622-3461 at least 45 days before your estimated arrival.
WINTER CAMPING

Wehinahpay Mountain Camp not only provides excellent summer temperatures but also unique winter camping experiences.

The Sacramento Mountains will typically have snowfall from December thru April. This is an excellent time to hone your troops winter camping skills. Wehinahpay does have a limited number of snowshoes and skis available for Scout usage. The gentle hillsides create the perfect environment for snow sledding. We recommend sledding down the hill from the Eco Lodge down to the Lake.

Remember, if you plan to attend Wehinahpay Mountain Camp during the winter months, the use of four wheel drive vehicles is advisable.

LARGE GROUP CAMPING

If you have any large group activities or troop camp outs after our camp season is ended, consider using our facilities. We have Family Camping Cabins near the gate, big gathering rooms, and great spots for indoor and outdoor camping. Over the years, we have hosted conferences, trainings, family reunions, company retreats, and Troop campouts. We also welcome those who are hunting in the area to reserve spots in our cabins.

Be advised, the cost of any activity requiring certified instructors will include the cost of paying someone to run that activity. This includes the use of our commercial kitchen.

To reserve any of camp, please call our Council Offices at 575-622-3462
Every year Wehinahpay Mountain Camp hires nearly 50 staff members in a variety of program and support staff positions. It takes this highly dedicated group of Scouters make it happen

Is Wehinahpay Mountain Camp Staff right for you? As a member of the Staff, you will be living and working closely with other staff members as you deliver the program of Scouting to youth. You will have the opportunity to change the lives of Scouts who come through our gates and leave a lasting impact.

Staff typically work for 5-6 weeks during the summer and room and board are provided. In addition, a salary is provided based on the position responsibilities and the applicant’s experience.

Our staff stay in cabins located near the kitchen. Each cabin houses four people and includes electricity. Beds and mattresses are provided. Staff only laundry, shower, and bathroom facilities are located next to the cabins.

In addition to pay, we provide our staff with staff shirts and hats. We also provide food and lodging. If time and materials allow, we offer staff the chance to participate in any of the activities we offer free of charge.

"YOU REALLY GET CLOSE TO PEOPLE UP HERE. I’VE MADE A LOT OF GOOD FRIENDS UP HERE AND I LOOK FORWARD TO HANGING OUT WITH THEM AT HOME."

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