

# Scout Resident Camp 2019

# Camp Noyo

# Leader's Guide



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**Camp Noyo**

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## Welcome Letter

Dear Camp Leaders,

Welcome to Noyo's ninth season as a Nationally Accredited Scout Resident Camp. This property was used as a summer camp from 1933 until 1955. It was first known as Camp Silverado, becoming Camp Noyo when Santa Rosa joined with the Petaluma Area Council to form the Sonoma-Mendocino Area Council. It was used as a wilderness outpost camp for 3 years in the 1970's. Redwood Empire Council re-opened the camp in the summer of 2008. The summer camp experience should be the highlight of every Scout's year, and camp Noyo is just that.

Camp Noyo's programs support the aims and methods of Scouting as appropriate to the youth being served. The camp works with leaders, staff and scouts to meet the overall goals for each participant. The true value of Camp Noyo comes when the individual gains greater values in leadership and the patrol method, and is demonstrated with greater confidence and improved team work. This applies to our scouts, leaders, and staff.

In addition to some unique opportunities, we are offering many of the traditional camp merit badges. Our American Heritage selection of merit badges including railroading is an area that we are particularly proud. (This year, the *Redwood to Waves Adventure Trek* for older scouts will not be offered due to lack of sign-ups.) We hope that you and your Scouts take advantage of all we have to offer and that you have the best Scouting week possible.

This year's staff is made up of youth and adults, all of whom are of volunteers, each one a multi-year veteran of our council camping programs and of Scouting. Each staff member is here to provide top-notch instruction and guidance, as well as providing a quality Scout summer camp to the Scouts of the Redwood Empire Council and beyond. Our summer camp takes no more than 75 Scouts in each session and our program provides for individualization to meet each Scout's needs. Proximity to the historic Skunk Train line makes for an unforgettable summer camp experience. Due to tunnel and trestle repairs, we will not be able to take the train into Camp Noyo, but we have made arrangements with the train for a special ride during our out of camp experience during the week.

We'll see you at the train station in Willits! Campers, please do not drive directly to camp without checking in at the train station – we want to minimize car trips - especially simultaneous two-way traffic on the camp road.

We thank you for choosing Camp Noyo this summer and look forward to the best season yet.  
Yours In Scouting,

*Rick Marson*

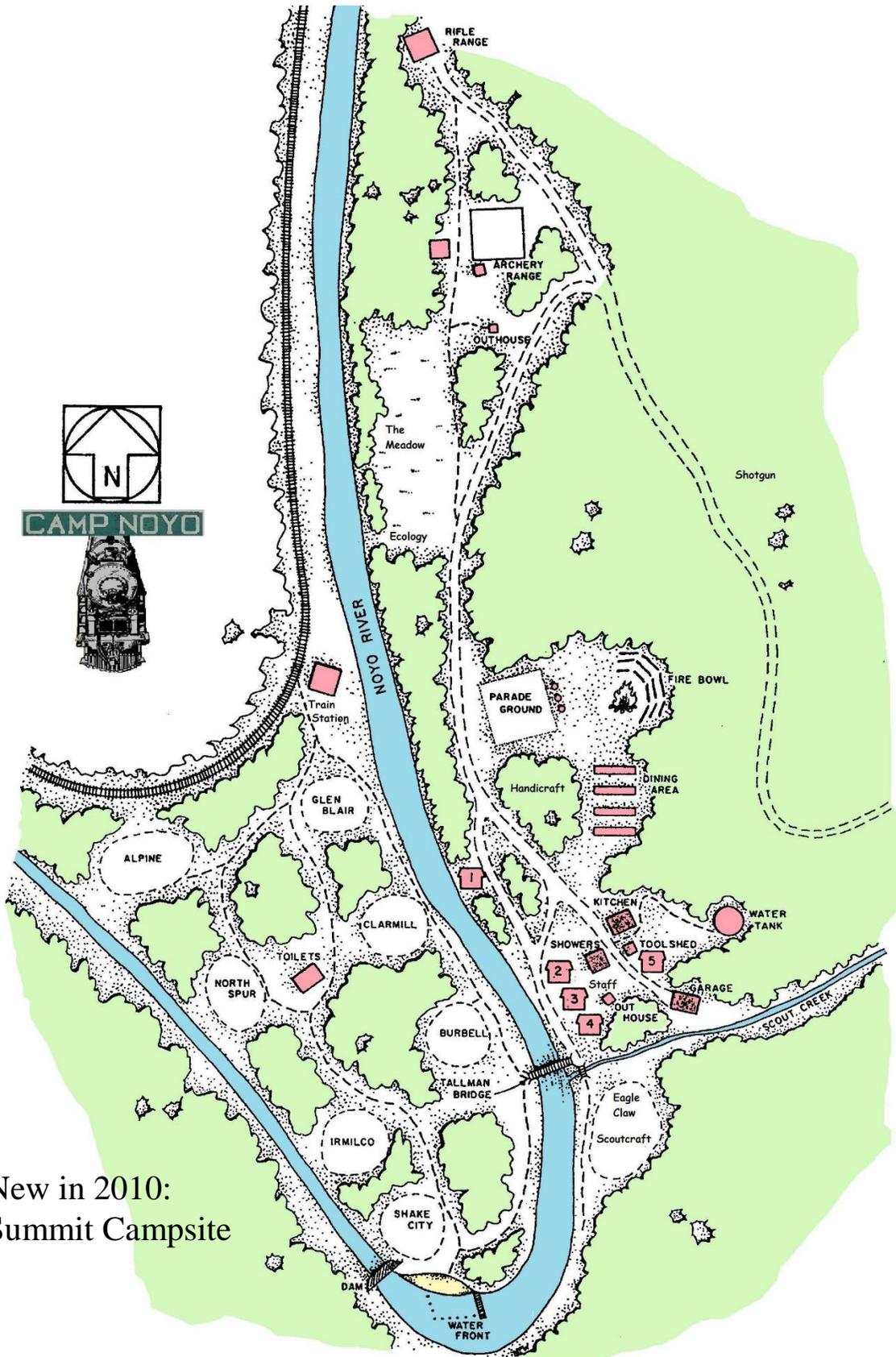
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# Camp Noyo Map



New in 2010:  
Summit Campsite

## Your Timetable Before Camp

By now your unit should have completed its basic plans for camp. Your camp reservation is in and you have selected your camp leadership.

### PRESENT TO TWO MONTHS BEFORE DEPARTURE

- 1. Physical examination forms are distributed to Scouts and Leaders. Be sure you are using the current form "Parts A, B, and C" 2014 Printing.**
2. Leaders and committee review camp guide.
3. Commitments are secured from other adult leaders assisting in camp.
4. Individual commitments for camp participation are secured from each Scout family.
5. Unit leadership begins the program planning procedure for camp.
  - a. Transportation plans are started.
  - b. The troop's equipment needs are reviewed.
  - c. Advancement needs are reviewed including taking inventory of potential merit badge sign-ups.
  - d. Have scouts bring verification of completion of requirements that must be done at home or with Unit.
  - e. Consider bringing partials that could be completed at camp.
6. Apply for campership needs beyond the troop and chartering organization's ability to support. *REC units, only.*
7. Have a family camp promotion night. **If possible, members of our camp staff will visit your unit and fill you in on what is going on at camp.**
8. Help Webelos parents who may join your troop to prepare financially and equipment-wise for going to camp.
9. Pay camp fees. *Early Bird Payment Date: April 15, 2019. All fees due by June 1, 2019. Late fees will be invoiced after June 1.*
10. Verify that your troop's insurance coverage is in force.

### FOUR WEEKS BEFORE DEPARTURE

- 1. Check to see if all medical examination and permission forms have been completed and SIGNED.** The troop's adult who will handle the medical forms for camp must look over each health and consent form. In regard to questions about activity restrictions and health conditions, parents and physicians need to be consulted and clarification must be made to the leader's satisfaction prior to camp. Be as knowledgeable as possible regarding medications and conditions of each scout.
2. Complete a camp roster including adults and youth, separated by patrol.
3. Inventory troop and patrol equipment.
4. Update each Scout's personal advancement records.
5. Counsel the Scouts on their personal goals for fun and adventure at camp.

### 15 DAYS BEFORE LEAVING FOR CAMP

- 1. Check to see that youth and adult medical forms are completed, and that medical histories are received and signed by the doctor & parents, and are in the troop leader's hands.**
2. Hold a final troop leaders council. *It's a good idea to have back-up adults ready.*
3. Hold a unit committee meeting to tie up loose ends.
  - a. Finalize transportation arrangements. *It's a good idea to have back-up drivers ready.*
  - b. Finalize troop equipment needs.
4. Update the troop roster.
5. Turn in all pre-camp paperwork requested: merit badge sign-ups, troop roster, payments, etc.
6. Conduct a parent-Scout troop meeting to share information and answer last-minute questions.
7. Prepare a "Duty Roster" that shares the duties between all patrols and assign adults who will ensure the duties are completed. Be sure to include cooking and clean-up for breakfast and Dinner!

## Planning Your Troop's Camp Program

Going to camp is like filling your plate at a potluck dinner, or spending a day in an amusement park; there are too many choices available to do it all in one visit. But if you select carefully, keeping balance in mind, every Scout and leader will get all the fun, excitement, adventure and growth he came for. You, your adult leaders and your patrol leaders council can guarantee your Scouts the best camping experience possible by doing some pre-planning. You cannot predict the events of every moment in camp, but you can give your Scouts a peek at the feast of opportunities and then help them plan what they "put on their plates."

### Scouts' Planning

It starts with the Scout. Help him set goals for fun, advancement and adventure that are realistic and achievable but will also "Fill him up." Use this guide to show each Scout what is available and then help him set his own goals and create his own program. This will help him during the sign up time and will help him keep track of his goals all through the week.

#### My Goals - For Each Scout:

I am working toward the rank of:

I plan to earn these Merit Badges: (put extras on the list)

I plan to do these free time activities:

### Leaders' Planning

Use your leader's guide to help plan the troop's overall week at camp. Familiarize yourself with all the camp has to offer. Here are some tips:

- ✓ Assign an adult leader to support the first year scouts with extra support at camp and in camp planning. Remember the emotional, academic, and physical differences of your 11 year-old-scouts is very different than your 13 or 14 year-old-scout. You may need extra meetings to help parents prepare for a first time at summer camp as much as for the new Scouts.
- ✓ Assign another adult to "spot-check" merit badge progress and session attendance through-out the week. Not all Scouts have the goal of attending every session or completing all his merit badges, but adult leaders do need to know where Scouts are spending their days and supporting them in meeting their personal goals at camp, as best they can.
- ✓ First timers at a Jamboree cooking should spend some time thinking about how to divide the cooking, preparation, and clean-up duties. Bring a Duty Roster (KP Chart) so all Scouts know what their responsibilities are. Also, consider the capabilities of your Scouts and of each patrol. Overall, breakfasts will be simpler with minimal clean-up. All meals will come with directions with mostly pre-measured ingredients. Dinners will become progressively more involved as the week goes on. Dinners may utilize cooking over a fire and using a Dutch Oven. Be sure to ASK for assistance from staff if you need any extra support.

# What to Bring To Camp

## *SCOUTS and LEADERS:*

### **REQUIRED PAPERWORK (for each adult and youth to attend)**

- Camp Noyo Consent Form**
- Current/Complete BSA Annual Health and Medical Record (AHMR) Form, Parts A, B, and C**
- Required medication in original bottles with patient's name

### **CLOTHING, BEDDING**

- |  |  |   |
|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> At least 1 complete Scout Uniform | <input type="checkbox"/> Sweater or Jacket           | <input type="checkbox"/> Swimming Trunks                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> T-Shirts (3 minimum)              | <input type="checkbox"/> Socks (6 pairs)             | <input type="checkbox"/> Sturdy Pants (Jeans – 2 pairs) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Underwear (6 minimum)             | <input type="checkbox"/> Shoes (Tennis& Hiking)      | <input type="checkbox"/> Pajamas                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping Bag & Small Pillow       | <input type="checkbox"/> Shorts                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Rainwear or Poncho             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Belt                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Scout Hat or other headgear | <input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping pad or air mattress   |

### **TOILETRY ARTICLES**

- |  |   |                                  |
|--|---|----------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>MESS KIT</b>         | <input type="checkbox"/> Wash Cloth     | <input type="checkbox"/> Soap    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flip flops              | <input type="checkbox"/> Antiperspirant | <input type="checkbox"/> Towel   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Comb & Brush for shower | <input type="checkbox"/> Sunscreen      | <input type="checkbox"/> Shampoo |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Toothbrush & Toothpaste | ( ) Girls - Feminine hygiene            |                                  |

### **ADVANCEMENT MATERIALS**

- |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b>Scout Handbook</b>  | <input type="checkbox"/> Documentation of Merit badge req. done |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pen & Paper / Notebook | <input type="checkbox"/> Blue cards for merit badges            | <input type="checkbox"/> Scout's individual plan for camp |

### **OTHER USEFUL ITEMS**

- |   |   |  |
|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flashlight & Fresh Batteries | <input type="checkbox"/> Camera & Film          | <input type="checkbox"/> Pocket Knife (No Sheath Knives) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Compass                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal First Aid Kit | <input type="checkbox"/> Canteen                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sunglasses                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Watch                  | <input type="checkbox"/> O.A. Sash                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bug spray                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Water Shoes            |  |
- Trading Post Money for Program Materials, snacks, forgotten gear, camp t-shirt or other goods. (\$30-\$50)

### **Scouts in Swimming or Lifesaving Merit badges & Lifeguard BSA will also need these items:**

- |  |                                     |  |
|--|-------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Long Sleeve Button Down Shirt | <input type="checkbox"/> Long Pants | <input type="checkbox"/> Mask, Snorkel, Fins |
|--|-------------------------------------|--|

### **WHAT NOT TO BRING**

- |   |   |  |
|---|---|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Firearms/Weapons</b></li><li>• <b>Fireworks</b></li><li>• <b>Rocket Engines</b></li><li>• <b>Ammunition</b></li><li>• <b>Large Sheath Knives</b></li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Climbing Gear</b></li><li>• <b>AM/FM Radios</b></li><li>• <b>Personal Electronics</b></li><li>• <b>Cell Phones/Smart Phones</b></li><li>• <b>Video Games</b></li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Walkie Talkies</b> (FRS OK with unit leader oversight)</li><li>• <b>Girls – make-up</b></li></ul> |
|---|---|--|

Some of these items are provided as part of merit badge program but are not allowed to be furnished by the individual. If you have a question or special need, please contact the camp director at alexander.chavez@scouting.org. Electronic items brought for the car ride must stay locked in the vehicles. Adults may choose to leave camp or go to designated areas to utilize a cell phone if necessary. There is no coverage in the Noyo River canyon

## ***TROOPS & PATROLS GEAR***

### **WHAT THE TROOP SHOULD BRING**

- American Flag
- Troop & Patrol Flags
- Troop First Aid Kit
- Lantern (Not allowed in tents)
- Tents for each Scout and leader
- Scoutmaster's Handbook & Advancement Record book & Troop Library Books for youth checkout

- Items to improve campsite & make your stay more enjoyable at camp
- Critter bag for "smellable" items
- Field book (Recommended)
- BSA Requirement Book
- Patrol Leader's Handbook
- Accident Insurance Policy #

### **WHAT CAMP PROVIDES**

- Patrol Box
- Cook Kit
- Chef Kit
- Propane
- Lanterns and Stove
- Garbage Bags and Bucket
- Picnic Table
- Wood for fire
- Axe to chop wood and for Eagle Claw requirements
- High BTU burner to boil water fast
- Fire tools

# Camp Schedule

## *Arrival*

9:00 AM – We will meet at the Willits Skunk Train Depot. Please have your medical and consent forms ready so they can be checked before heading to camp. [Your camp wrist-band is your ticket to Camp Noyo.](#)

9:45 AM – First car convoy leaves for camp. The drive includes 10 miles on dirt road. It's dusty, narrow and curvy, but does not require particularly high clearance (RAV4/small 2WD pick-ups make it OK as long as it's not wet.) Please consolidate scouts and gear into a minimal number of vehicles to provide passage to camp. We want to minimize trips on the camp road, especially simultaneous two-way traffic

Upon Arrival at Camp Noyo, you will take your belongings out of the cars and your staff guide will lead you to your troop's campsite so you can eat the lunch you packed. You will drop off your belongings and receive a guided tour of Camp Noyo. Your tour will end back at your campsite, where you will set up your tents and change into swimsuits. You will head to the waterfront on Lake Noyo. Everyone will have the opportunity to take swim checks at this time. Swim checks must be passed in order to go on any boats or to swim in the beginner or swimmers area. (The First Class requirement 9b can be completed during the swim checks.) Following the swim checks, you will have time to settle into your camp site.

## *Departure*

After breakfast, you will pack your equipment, clean and check out of your campsite and load your cars so after lunch your unit can be escorted to Hyw 20 and your way home. Please inform your parent drivers who may be arriving at the train station that we should be at the Willits train station between 12:00 and 1:00. If your drivers are driving into camp to pick up scouts arrangements will need to be made in advance to be sure we can meet them at HWY 20 and escort them into camp.



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## Daily Schedule

	Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	Day 6
06:30 07:00		(Tuesday's breakfast at dining area)	Pick up food from commissary reveille	Pick up food from commissary reveille	Pick up food from commissary reveille	reveille
08:00		Breakfast at dining Area	breakfast - campsites	breakfast – outpost	breakfast – Campsite	Breakfast - dining area
08:45		flag raising	flag raising	flag raising	flag raising	flag raising
09:00	Arrival & registration starts at 9:00	Merit Badges &	Eagle Claw	Out of Camp scheduled Train ride out of Ft Bragg Beach TBD	Merit Badges & Eagle Claw	Clean up camp campsite inspections
10:00	<b>Cars depart</b> Arrive at Camp	Eagle Claw				Make sack lunch
11:10	Set up camp, eat sack lunch	Lunch – Dining Area	lunch - dining area		lunch - dining area	Prepare to board the train
12:10	Prepare for camp tour and swim check		Open program area Merit Badges		camp-wide games	Leave for Home
02:00						
03:30	Camp exploration					
04:00						
04:30	Camp exploration		4:00 Pick up food at commissary Prepare for the	free swim/open shoot Pick up food from commissary	Prepare Chili for Cook off	
05:00			Get out of Camp Experience			
06:00	Scoutmaster and SPL meeting	Dinner at campsite	dinner at outpost campsite location	Dinner at campsite	dinner at dining area (chili cook-off)	
06:30	Flag lowering Dinner in dining area	flag lowering	flag lowering	flag lowering	flag lowering	
07:30	Activity and merit badge confirmation					
08:00						
08:30	Council campfire			Inter troop campfire	Council campfire	
10:00	lights out	lights out	lights out	lights out	lights out	



## Advancement in Camp

We would like to become **a resource** for the advancement program you already have in operation. In fact, we are going to try to give your troop's advancement program the biggest "shot of energy" it will get all year. Do not treat camp as a one week event that begins on Sunday and ends on Saturday. Instead, treat it as a supermarket stop on your Scouts' continuing road to advancement. Start your stay at camp weeks ahead of time. Get the Scouts preparing for and working on the merit badge programs they plan to utilize at camp. Do not end your camp experience until the last of your partial merit badges are completed. **Please be aware that merit badge classes end Friday morning, so we can have camp-wide games on Friday afternoon. If you have a Scout who needs additional time and help, please plan accordingly and let us know so we can work with you.**

**Rank Advancement in Camp...** A week at camp can help each Scout reach, or get within reach, of his next rank. Help Scouts set goals for the week with their next rank in mind. Camp is a good place to hold Scoutmaster Conferences and progress review boards. Work with other Scoutmasters to hold boards of review while at camp.

## Experience Tells Us...

Over the years, one of the comments made by Scoutmasters in their evaluations suggested the need for a section telling about "Experience Tells Us." This is a collection of what experience has taught us regarding merit badges and advancement:

1. **Summer Camp is a place to have fun** not somewhere you pay a fee and get four badges automatically. Instead camp offers merit badges as one portion of the overall program.
2. Scouts should have the merit badge pamphlet and have read it prior to coming to camp.
3. Any work done on a merit badge that is completed and signed off prior to camp (a partial) must be done with a registered merit badge counselor for that merit badge.
4. **For the new Scout in your troop, we want to encourage the use of the Eagle Claw program.** A three hour morning program is offered for new Scouts to work on as many Scout to First Class rank requirements as possible at camp. If the Scout also wants to work on merit badges, we suggest no more than two. (We leave these to your discretion.)
5. For any Scout beyond First Class, we suggest **a maximum of four merit badges** per week and participation in activity areas.
6. The **most difficult badges** to earn are those requiring a great deal of physical skill, coordination and stamina: **lifesaving, rifle, shotgun, and archery.**
7. Many badges have advanced work that could be done at home ahead of time and not at camp. In some cases they must be done at home. Experience shows us that camp is not an ideal classroom for written work and the prepared Scout is the one who comes to camp with all the written work already done.
8. **Boys should try doing something new at camp** and get a well-rounded experience. Try a Handicraft badge making a basket, identifying all the trees in the camp forest and participating in the canoe tug of war or be the fastest time on the two man saw.
9. **Come to camp prepared!** Have patrols already organized. Elect patrol leaders before camp. Work on ideas as patrols and have the patrol leaders represent the group at camp. Each Scout should plan to bring the necessary merit badge books they need, you will need them.
10. **DON'T FORGET TO SCHEDULE A REST!** That's right! Too often you don't take the time to sit and enjoy the beauty at camp around you. Don't keep up such a pace that you miss the trees, the nature, and the clean fresh air.



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11. **Be spirited!** The troop that comes to camp with ideas, spirit and challenges makes the rest of camp come alive. Bring you troop spirit to camp and show everyone that you're number one.
11. **Be flexible.** Each week many boys attend camp and while staff is there to meet everyone's needs, a Scout is friendly, cheerful, and courteous. We need to practice the Scout Law in camp when dealing with others.
12. **Communicate.** If you have a special need or want to do something spectacular, tell us about it and we'll help you plan it.
13. One last thing, we want to make this the best camp in the WEST. If you have any suggestions, we'll gladly listen to you and your ideas and **feedback!**

### The SPL's Role

**The Senior Patrol leader is the most important Leader that each troop will have at camp.** They are the person who will lead the troop to make the most out of their time at Camp Noyo. **The Second SPL meeting will be at 6:00 PM on the first day of camp,** and then we will have daily meetings as determined by the SPL leaders council. The first SPL/Leaders meeting will be in late May at the Redwood Empire Service Center. The SPL council plan both troop and camp-wide program, and learn more about leadership and Scouting opportunities. Here at Camp Noyo, we try to give as much responsibility to the SPL as is possible. We also listen to there feedback on camp improvements during the SPL lunch offered at the end of the week.



## Merit Badges and Program Opportunities

Scout Skills (AKA: Scoutcraft)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Backpacking</li> <li>Camping (partial - all except requirement 9 [experience])</li> <li>Cooking (partial – all except requirements 5 and 7 [home cooking])</li> <li>Emergency Preparedness (partial – all except requirement 2c [family preparedness])</li> <li>First Aid</li> <li>Orienteering</li> <li>Pioneering</li> <li>Wilderness Survival</li> </ul>
Ecology/Conservation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Astronomy (partial – all except requirement 6 [planetary positions])</li> <li>Environmental Science</li> <li>Weather</li> <li>Fish &amp; Wildlife Management</li> <li>Forestry (partial - all except requirement 5 [field trip])</li> <li>Geology</li> <li>Mammal Study</li> <li>Reptile and Amphibian Study (partial - all except requirement 8 [observation])</li> <li>Soil &amp; Water Conservation</li> </ul>
Shooting Sports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Archery</li> <li>Rifle Shooting</li> <li>Shotgun</li> </ul>
Waterfront	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Canoeing</li> <li>Lifesaving</li> <li>Rowing</li> <li>Swimming</li> <li>Kayak</li> <li>Snorkeling BSA (certification)</li> </ul>
Handicraft	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Basketry</li> <li>Leatherwork</li> <li>Plumbing</li> <li>Wood Carving</li> <li>Metalworking (dependent on material availability)</li> </ul>
Other	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Scouting Heritage</li> <li>Chess</li> <li>Energy</li> <li>Game Design</li> <li>Indian Lore</li> <li>Railroading (Limited to pre sign-ups) Max. round house tour is 20</li> <li>Plubming</li> </ul>
Eagle Claw	(1/2 day program) <i>See "Eagle Claw Schedule"</i>



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### Non-Merit-Badge Program Events and Opportunities

#### *Leave no Trace*

LNT is now a Second Class and First Class requirement, it's an advanced outdoor ethic required for all scout units to follow. Leave No Trace training will be a major asset to your troop program as you plan future outings in wilderness areas and our National Parks. Trainings are available to all youth and adults. Based on the principles of the **Outdoor Code**; this training, either the one hour summary course or the three hour LNT 101, will provide you guide lines to travel as a unit and **Leave No Trace**.

#### *Chili Cook-off*

This is an opportunity for Scoutmasters, scouts and Staff to compete. Meals are prepared in the campfire area, patrol boxes supplied along with basic ingredients. If you have a secret ingredient (non perishable) you may bring it to make your Chili a Super Surprise. No food is stored in campsites, so all other ingredients need to be checked in at the Cookhouse upon arrival. Judging and eating take place in the Campfire Bowl. Bring mess kits & a refillable water bottle per camper.

#### *Paddle Craft Safety and Water Rescue and Supervision*

Paddle Craft Safety and Water Rescue and Supervision are two adult training programs, which focus on providing the skill training for "qualified supervision" of **BSA** unit aquatics activities **May be offered during the year at select Redwood Empire Council Location in lieu of being offered at Camp**

#### *BSA Lifeguard*

BSA Lifeguard is an advanced aquatics program available to youth & adult campers. Swimming, First Aid, Canoeing, Rowing and Lifesaving merit badges are prerequisites. A BSA Lifeguard is a major asset to your troop. Troops will be able to do all aquatic programming throughout the year safely under direction of your BSA Lifeguard. BSA Lifeguard requires dedication. **You will not have time to take any merit badges. Your mornings and afternoons will be spent on the waterfront.** National Lifeguard certification is awarded upon completion. **May be offered during the year at select Redwood Empire Council Location in lieu of being offered at Camp**

#### *Mile Swim*

The Mile Swim is an award that you can earn and get a patch for your swim trunks. The requirements consist of 4 days of training and preparation for the mile-long swim and then a fifth day where you will be doing the mile-long swim. This is an event for Swimmers Only. We strongly recommend anyone wanting to attempt this to bring a wetsuit as the water is quite cold and have a strong swimming background.



### ***Snorkeling BSA/Snorkeling Swim***

Snorkeling BSA is an award that you can earn and get a patch for your swim trunks. The class is 5 days long in all. In the first 4 days you will learn all about the different strokes, kicks, dives and other various techniques involved with snorkeling as well as how to use the equipment. The fifth day we will go on a snorkeling swim up the river utilizing all the various skills we learned in the days before. This is for Swimmers only and we also highly recommend that anyone wanting to participate bring a wetsuit as the water is quite cold.

### ***Demonstrations***

We will have alternative Scouting and early railroading, logging-era demonstrations on each evening during the week.

### **Patrol and Troop Activities**

Summer camp is about much more than personal growth and individual fun. We want your whole unit to benefit from your time with us. To this end, we have a variety of programs and awards designed to build group spirit and teamwork in your unit.

### ***Noyo Games***

We encourage you to bring troop and patrol flags to all events you attend as a group. Throughout the week, there will be opportunities to highlight your teamwork and special awards will be given during evening flags. We will also have camp-wide games to challenge your teamwork and Scout skills in the evening during the week.

### ***Get out of Camp Adventures***

On the first full day of camp following open program Camp Noyo offers different options to leave camp on an overnight experience. All of your meals from Dinner to Lunch are planned as trail meals, and whether you stay at your destination or return to camp the same day the program time is set for you to spend with you troop and enjoy the great outdoors. Pre camp signups are recommended

**Kayak Camp** paddle up River and enjoy the beauty of camping at the rivers edge.

**Hobo Hike** down the tracks to the Alpine outpost camp and enjoy the great swimming hole for a troop swim.

**Foresters Camp** climb through the forest to the top of the ridge and sleep under the stars observe the forest change.

**Camp 8** Hike the logging roads 8 – 10 miles to camp 8. Build strength to accomplish future 50 mile hikes.



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**Redwood to Waves Trek-** A high-adventure trek along the north coast of California (See Trek Personal Guide)

## Order of the Arrow

### Overview

The Order of the Arrow (OA) is a movement within the Boy Scouts of America that recognizes Scout and Scouters who practice the Scout Oath and Law in their daily lives and serve as examples to others. The OA works to promote Scout camping, cheerful service and leadership within its members and the BSA as a whole.

### At Camp

The Redwood Empire Council's Orca Lodge, Order of the Arrow is an active presence at camp. The lodge conducts a variety of service and social activities throughout the week for OA members of your troop to participate in. At the mid week campfire at the Scout Resident camp, the Lodge will conduct a Call-out Ceremony. All scouts, scouters, family friends are welcome to observe the proceedings. All current OA members are asked to wear their sashes during the call out ceremony.

Day and nights spent at camp count towards the required time needed for a scout to become eligible for elections as a candidate for membership. If you are unfamiliar with OA election procedures, or need to schedule an election, contact your District OA chapter Chief.

## A Note on Unit Leadership

You may not think of yourself as a "method". Yet your role as a friend, coach, and counselor to Scouts is one of the most valuable parts of the program. In his quest for a role model, every scout needs contact with adults they can emulate. Scouts copy whatever models are available to them. Not all of these are really good ones. Just by your example, you are carrying out one of the methods of Scouting.

**What you do and what you are will be worth a thousand lectures and sermons.**

**Adults:** The person in charge of your troop must be at least 21 years of age. There is absolutely no exception. A second leader, at least 18 years of age must also accompany your unit and need to be "Youth Protection Trained". Obviously, a mature, responsible Scouter is necessary. Many troops have found it advantageous to "back up" their leadership with more assistants and National BSA policy mandates at least two adults in camp at all times who again, is "Youth Protection Trained". Also, remember your person in charge must be a registered member of the Boy Scouts of America.

## General Information

### *Parents and Siblings at Camp*

There is no parent/family night at Camp Noyo. Due to the remote location at Camp Noyo, we can not adequately facilitate visitors. If someone would like to schedule a visit for a particular reason, please

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contact the Camp Director about a month prior to your session and the request will be considered. Please remind parents to leave their pets at home.

### ***Bathrooms***

Leaders, visitors, and handicapped persons are encouraged to use the bathrooms across from the kitchen area. Scouts are to use the bathroom facilities in the campsite area. Scout leaders are encouraged to use the staff shower house, as long as they honor the posted schedule.

### ***National Guidelines***

The following policies have been adopted to provide additional security for youths in the program. In addition, they serve to protect adult leadership from situations in which they are vulnerable to allegations of abuse.

**Two-deep leadership.** Two registered and "Youth Protection Trained" adult leaders or one registered adult leader and a parent of a participant, one of whom must be 21 years of age or older, are required on all trips and outings. The chartered organization is responsible for ensuring that sufficient leadership is provided for all activities.

**No one-on-one contact.** One-on-one contact between adults and youth members is not permitted. In situations that require a personal conference, such as a Scoutmaster conference, the meeting is to be conducted in view of other adults and youth.

**Proper preparation for high-endurance activities.** Activities with elements of risk should not be undertaken without proper preparation, supervision, and safety measures.

**Respect of privacy.** Adult leaders must respect the privacy of youth members in situations such as changing into swimming suits or taking showers at camp and intrude only to the extent that health and safety requires. They must also protect their own safety in similar situations.

**Boy Scouts of America Smoke-Free Policy.** It is policy to provide a smoke-free environment for all Scouting participants. Therefore, smoking is not allowed at Camp Noyo in the presence of youth or in buildings. **Leaders may smoke only in the designated smoking area.** Thank you for your assistance!

### ***Mail Service***

Mail arrives and leaves Camp Noyo only on days that we are out of camp on camp business 2-3 days during your visit. Mail to Scouts should be addressed as follows. Please mail items early to ensure delivery during camp.

Scout's Name/**Troop Number**  
Camp Noyo  
c/o Skunk Train  
100 W Laurel Street  
Fort Bragg, CA 95437



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### Emergency Services:

Be aware that at Camp Noyo, the nearest emergency response for a serious medical situation is by CALSTAR medical helicopter transport. The average cost for assistance is \$500+. You may obtain a CALSTAR membership to cover your family for the year by going to [www.calstar.org](http://www.calstar.org). This is recommended for Camp Staff Members and Volunteers. See the [Calstar Brochure](#) for more information.

### Phone Service

There is no regular phone service. Please pre-arrange call times between your unit leaders and a designated contact person. **A fire radio will be used for emergencies. If you need to contact us at camp please call the Council Service Center at (707) 546-8137 and ask for Terri Forrest.** Please note to the receptionist that the message is for "CAMP NOYO" and if it is an emergency or of an urgent nature.

### Food Service

The camp provides all of your meals for the week from first evening's dinner through last morning's lunch. Of course, the camp will provide all the ingredients for your campsite cooking experience, but you will need to bring your own personal **mess kits and flatware**. We'll do our best to meet the needs of any Scouts and Scouters with special dietary requirements. Troops must provide information regarding special needs in advance. Patrols will cook most of their own meals on a daily basis. Lunches and a few dinners and breakfasts will be served buffet style in the central dining area. No more than two selected staff will be eating with your troop during the evening meals. You are encouraged to invite them as your guest to eat with you.

### Camp 4 Company Store

The Camp Noyo Trading Post stocks souvenirs, Scouting and camping supplies, merit badge materials and pamphlets, T-shirts, patches, craft supplies and snacks. The average Scout spends about \$50.00 during a week at camp. Many troops have an adult in camp serve as "banker". This discourages "sticky fingers" and "butter fingers" alike.

### Campsite

Each campsite contains a picnic table, fire pit with grate, a water faucet with bubbler fountain storage locker. Fire buckets, fire rake, shovel, clean five gallon bucket, (patrol box, two burner stove, cook kit, chef kit (1) per patrol), lantern, Mega burner for quicker hot water boiling. Camp site are not equipped with electric service.

### Shower

Camp is pleased to provide a wood fired hot water shower facility for campers' and leaders' use. It is located in the center of camp.

**Good Turns** Keeping the fires going to heat the water for the kitchen is an ongoing task. We ask staff, leaders and scouts to assist our efforts to keep our wood supply in top

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shape by assisting in cutting, collecting, splitting and stacking wood for the kitchen boiler.

### **Restrooms**

Camp is pleased to provide the comfort of indoor flush toilets for the camper's and leaders' use. Facilities are located in the center of camp. Flush toilets are available on the program side of the camp.

### **Commissioner**

The camp provides full time commissioners as part of the administrative staff. The commissioners will visit your troop site daily to meet with you and your troop. The Commissioners should be your first point of contact should you troop have any program or advancement needs, problems with your campsite and facilities or any general questions or concerns regarding camp. While at your campsite, the Commissioner will conduct a daily health and safety inspection to ensure that BSA standards are maintained. The commissioner's Visitation form can be found in the Appendix.

### **Chapel**

The camp's facilities also includes a small outdoor chapel with bench seating. The chapel is located in a quiet corner of camp on the river side of the meadow along the nature trail. It is available at all times for any scout who wishes to have time to worship, pray or reflect. Every Sunday morning after breakfast an organized non denominational service will be offered for those wishing to attend. The exact time will be announced at evening color.

## **Equal Opportunity**

Acceptance and participation in the program are the same for everyone without regard to race, color, national origin or handicap.

## **Registration / Insurance**

In accordance with National Policy, every Scout and Scouter that attends summer camp **must be registered with the Boy Scouts of America and certified on the troop roster.**

## **BSA Annual Health and Medical Record Forms**

**Each Scout and leader must submit a completed & signed BSA Annual Health and Medical Record form upon arrival at camp.** Bring copies, not originals to camp, as you may not be getting them back. There will be no exceptions regardless of amount or degree of camp activity. Please secure a current official BSA AHMR form for youth and adults and camp permission forms from our council office or council website. Scouts and Adults must have a new form completed annually.

**IN CASE OF EMERGENCY** the medical form should be specific about whom to contact, where, business and home telephone numbers. **ALL** medications **MUST** be turned in to and administered by the Camp Medic or someone designated by the Scoutmaster, and they must be in a locked container. Scoutmasters are encouraged to pick up all medication from the Health Officer at time of departure.



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## Camp Rules

At Camp Noyo, the Scout Law, Oath, Motto, Slogan, and Outdoor Code are the basic rules.

### In addition:

1. **No Scout is allowed to leave camp after check-in without special release from parents or his Scout leader.** He must be accompanied by unit leadership members or an authorized adults while out of camp.
2. No cutting of any trees at any time without the Camp Ranger's permission.
3. **Pets are not allowed.** All animals are pets, and as such need to stay home. Our local wildlife (including raccoons) should be entertaining enough.
4. Under no circumstances is any troop allowed to set up its own waterfront until authorized to do so.
5. Scouts are expected to stay out of other troops' campsites unless invited. Other off-limit areas include: storage areas, workshop, all camp staff living quarters, and program areas when a staff member is not present.
6. **All fires must be tended.** A troop fireguard chart must be posted and followed.
7. **No equipment (including lanterns), which burn with a flame, may be used in tents.**
8. All liquid fuels must be stored in the camp fuel locker. See Camp Ranger or Camp Director for storage.
9. **NO FIREWORKS** of any type may be kept or used in camp. **STRICTLY ENFORCED.** They will be confiscated upon discovery. We need your help to enforce this. If your Scouts bring them, they will be taken and returned at end of camp.
10. No firearms or bows will be allowed in the troop site. **No personal firearms or ammunition are allowed.** All **personal archery equipment must be checked in with the Archery Director** upon arrival at camp and used only under supervision at the archery range.
11. National policy mandates that intoxicating liquors will not be used in connection with Scouting events. This is very clear and is BSA policy.
12. The use of illegal drugs, of any kind, is not allowed in camp.
13. Dish washing in the washstands or disposal of garbage in the latrines is not allowed. It clogs the drain fields. Bring towels for dry washing.
14. Your responsibility is to leave your campsite, cabin and latrine area in better shape than when you found it.
15. No radios or tape decks. No electronic toys, etc.
16. Camp curfew is 10:00 PM. After that time, Scouts are to be in their campsites unless taking part in an organized activity (a Night Owl hike or inter-troop campfire, for example). After 10:00 PM campsite activity must be quiet enough that it cannot be heard beyond the site.
17. Scouts must stay away from the train tracks and must not put **anything** on the tracks.
18. **No laundry facilities for campers.**

**Please work with us to camp the best experience possible for all. THANK YOU!**

## Wildlife in Camp

Camp Noyo, which covers 45 acres, offers a wide range of exciting adventures including the opportunity to observe many types of birds, fish and other wildlife. Throughout camp you will see numerous animals, especially squirrels, chipmunks, and stellar jays. Undoubtedly the chance to observe a raccoon, a turkey, or maybe an eagle will provide lifelong memories. Animals often will be

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an exciting part of your adventures. Seeing them in their natural habitat is always a pleasure, but it is wise to remember that they are permanent residents of the camp while you are a visitor. Treat them with respect, give them enough space so they'll not feel threatened by your presence, and they'll seldom present a threat to your safety. When an animal feels frightened, threatened, or trapped, it may fight for its life by attacking, scratching, and biting. If an animal injures you, seek treatment quickly. A doctor must determine whether rabies treatments will be necessary.

## **Appendix:**

### **CAMP NOYO HONOR UNIT FORM**

Scoutmaster Merit Badge

Eagle Claws First Year Camper Program Daily Schedule - Camp Noyo

### **REGISTRATION CHECKLIST - AT CAMP**

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## CAMP NOYO HONOR UNIT FORM

### REQUIREMENTS

To qualify for the Camp Noyo Honor Unit Award, your troop must complete the following list of requirements. As your troop completes each requirement, have the program director initial and date the appropriate item. Item 9 and 10 must be pre-approved by the program director. All completed forms must be submitted to the Program Director by the Senior Patrol Leader's meeting after Friday's lunch of your week of resident's camp.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 1. Troop attends Safe Swim Defense Program.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Troop attends opening campfire.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 3. Troop attends a Vesper or Chapel Service.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Troop attends the OA Call Out Ceremony
  
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 5. Troop participates in intra troop night camp fire.  
     Song of Skit \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 6. Troop Serves as service troop at least once during its stay at camp.  
     Service preformed \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 7. Troop is represented by at least one youth leader at all Camp Senior Patrol leaders Meeting.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 8. Each Scout in the troop either earns at least one merit badge at camp, completes the Eagle Claw (First year camping program) or participates in the Outdoor Adventure Program.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Troop participates in an inter-troop activity such as a campfire, rifle shoot, camp wide. (camp land and/or water) etc. *(Pre-approval required)*
  - Guest troop# \_\_\_\_\_ Activity \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 10. Troop initiates some camp improvement project such as trails maintenance or conservation project. *(Pre-approval required.)* Project description \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 11. Troop participates in one water conservation project.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 12. Troop participates in meal time waste reduction project
- Troop # \_\_\_\_\_ Campsite \_\_\_\_\_ Session \_\_\_\_\_
- Senior Patrol Leader \_\_\_\_\_
- Scoutmaster \_\_\_\_\_
- Program Director \_\_\_\_\_



## Scoutmaster Merit Badge

- 1a. \_\_\_\_\_ Participate in a Campsite inspection      1b. \_\_\_\_\_ Participate in a Uniform inspection
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Attend 5 Merit Badge sessions with your Scouts OR teach a merit badge  
1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Lead one song before/during/after meal in Dining Area or at flags. This can be done as a “group effort” between several people-staff members also may be “urged” into the fray.
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Spend ten minutes suggesting improvements to, complimenting, or otherwise occupying an adult staff member.  
NOTE: This may be done immediately following any meal so as to curb into staff nap time, but a really good adult leader should be able to finish this requirement **before** breakfast so as to keep the adult staff member from reaching and thereby emptying the Scoutmaster coffee pot.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ Compliment two meals cooked in Dining Area
6. \_\_\_\_\_ Pick up 10 pieces of litter.
7. \_\_\_\_\_ Teach knots required for First Class to a young Scout. This can be done with a “First Year” Scout, but not while he is attending the Eagle Claw Program – unless you teach a class to help with the program.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ Help your troop work on a Camp Improvement project.
9. \_\_\_\_\_ Spend 3 nights/days in camp with your troop.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ Participate in two adult leader competitions – or – act as referee (amiable dispute settler) at one Scout competition. (Horseshoes are suggested...)
11. \_\_\_\_\_ Participate in 2 evening activities.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ Take one nap in the afternoon heat – sometimes a few days of practice are required before this requirement can be completed correctly.
13. \_\_\_\_\_ ONCE while having breakfast, convince any adult staff member to re-fill your coffee or other beverage. NOTE: experienced adult leaders will encourage adult staff members to “taste-test” returned beverages.
- 14a. \_\_\_\_\_ Serve as a lookout during either a troop swim or free swim.
- 14b. \_\_\_\_\_ Attend free swim as a participant (if unable to comply for any reason, a second term as lookout may be substituted.)
15. \_\_\_\_\_ Encourage your troop, either alone or with another troop to participate in a Campfire.
16. \_\_\_\_\_ Attend Safety Afloat and Safe Swim Defense course offered at waterfront. NOTE: Prior and “Current” certification will be accepted for completion of this requirement.



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## Eagle Claws First Year Camper Program

### *Eagle Claw Daily Schedule - Camp Noyo*

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Day & Time	Activities	Requirements
	During the week, the Eagle Claw Director will act as the SPL and Camp Staff members will act as a Patrol Leaders for the Eagle Claw participants (6-8 per Patrol) Each morning will begin with a Flag Ceremony, outline for the days events and announcements. Some group instruction will be given and then they will break into Patrols for individual and small group learning. Games and competitions will be conducted through out the week and an award will be given to the winning Patrol at the end of the Eagle Claw Program	We will be covering all aspects outlined below in accordance with the requirements described in the 2013 Boy Scout Requirements manual. Some cooking and camping requirements (ie.. Tenderfoot - #2, 3, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Class - 3b, 3g, and 1 <sup>st</sup> Class - 4a) will also be covered in your Troop campsite by virtue of being at Camp Noyo.
<b>Day 1 –</b>	<b>Patrol Method &amp; Scout Skills</b>	
9:00 am	Flag Ceremony - Scout Oath & Law, Scout sign, handshake, salute, motto and slogan. Describe the Scout Badge. Discuss proper uniform at flags. (should have a t-shirt underneath for activities) Explain the importance of proper respect for the flag. (Raising, saluting, Pledge of Allegiance)	Scout - # 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 Tenderfoot - # 1, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10a (partial) (requirement 2 <sup>nd</sup> Class #4 will be complete throughout the week)
9:15 am	Form Patrols; elect an Assistant Patrol leader to act when the Staff member/Patrol leader is involved in instruction. Review Scout Oath & Law, Scout sign, handshake, salute, motto and slogan with Patrol leader (Camp staff member) Discuss living by the Scout Oath & Law and their meanings and importance. Scouts will also learn how to fold and show respect for the American flag.	
9:30 am	Patrol members will work together to come up with a Patrol name, yell and some kind of flag or emblem for the week. Patrol leaders will discuss the buddy system and the importance of working together as a Patrol for the week. Some Patrol games and Patrol vs. Patrol competitions will also be discussed and included through out the week. Decide on a Patrol vs. Patrol competition, explain the rules and conduct the competition.	
11:00 am	Patrols will Round-Robin through push-ups, pull-ups, sit-ups, standing long jump and ¼ mile walk/run. Patrol leader to record scores for Scouts for comparison in 30 days back with Troop.	
11:45 am	Closing Assembly – Show off Patrol yells and Patrol flags/emblems. Review Scout Oath & Law. SPL to recognize Patrol with most Scout Spirit. Review flag lowering, have winner of Patrol competition practice lowering the flag.	
12:00 noon	Dismiss	



Day 2 –	Knots, Totin' Chip, Camping Skills	Requirements
9:00 am	Flags- Pledge of Allegiance, Scout Oath & Law; Patrol yells. One Patrol act as color guard. Review topics - buddy system, Scout motto, slogan, handshake, etc. Go over the plan for the morning; Knots, Totin' Chip, Camping Skills. SPL to discuss the EDGE method and remind Scouts with skills to help and teach other Scouts. Patrol Leaders demonstrate, in a skit, improper packing techniques and then show proper ways to pack for an outing. Break into Patrols	Tenderfoot - # 2, 4a, 4b, 4c, 11 2 <sup>nd</sup> Class – # 2, 3b, 3c, 6 1 <sup>st</sup> Class - #6, 8a Totin' Chip certification
9:15 am	Patrol leaders, using the EDGE method, show and teach square knot, two half hitches, taut-line hitch, and bowline. Discuss their uses and where to best use them. Learn additional knots, time permitting. Whip the ends of a natural rope and learn how to fuse a synthetic rope. Set up a back pack station and demonstrate proper packing techniques. Scouts that are proficient in knots can cycle through this packing station.	(Some Scouts may need special knots instruction outside of schedule. Offer afternoon and/or evening knot sessions with staff members, Troop, or adult leaders.)
10:00 am	Assemble – SPL to discuss Totin' Chip safety. Demonstrate proper care, sharpening techniques, and proper uses of knives, saws and axes. Briefly discuss the proper place and way to pitch a tent. Demonstrate with a camp tent using correct knots.	
10:15 am	Round-Robin Patrols thru 1) Totin' Chip, 2) tent pitching, 3) local plants and animals including poisonous species, and 4) Leave no Trace principals. (20 min. for each) Time tent pitching as a Patrol competition.	
11:45 am	Closing assembly – Review day's topics and remind Scouts about Firem'n Chit class at 7:00 pm and to bring their First-Aid kit for next day. Patrol competition winner to lower flag and fold (or next patrol).	
12:00 noon	Dismiss	
7:00 pm	Firem'n Chit training will be conducted for general camp scouts as well as Eagle Claw participants.	Firem'n Chit certification



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Day 3 –	First Aid & Camp Cooking Skills	Requirements
9:00 am	Flags- Pledge of Allegiance, Scout Oath & Law; Patrol yells. Scouting Spirit anecdote. Review previous day topics and ask questions of the group. Introduce daily topics and schedule. Determine whether First Aid instruction should be discussed as a group (expert instructor) or in Patrols. Some quiet group instruction time will be necessary for the First Aid topics but Scouts should be able to practice and discuss methods in their Patrols.	Tenderfoot - # 3,12a, 12b 2 <sup>nd</sup> Class – # 3e, 7a, 7b, 7c, 9b 1 <sup>st</sup> Class – # 4a, 4b, 4c, 4d, 8b, 8c, 8d  (requirements 2 <sup>nd</sup> Class - # 3b, 3g and 1 <sup>st</sup> Class - 4a, 4c, 4e are also fulfilled during the week in the Troop campsite.)
9:15 am	The following topics should be covered: choking, cuts, scrapes, blisters, minor burns, nosebleeds, frostbite, sun burn, insect bites, stings and tick treatments, venomous snake bites, ‘hurry” stop bleeding/breathing, poisoning, objects in the eye, rabies, puncture wounds from splinter, nails, fish hooks, what to do for serious burns, shock, CPR, heat exhaustion/stroke, dehydration, hypothermia, hyperventilation, and signs of a heart attack. Demonstrate bandages for a sprained ankle, foot injuries, head, upper arm and collarbone. Show how to transport a victim from a smoke-filled room, by yourself and with the help of another. Discuss the three R’s of personal safety. Review individual Scout’s first aid kits	. (Additional afternoon or evening time may be required to cover all the first aid information. Arrange time with expert instructor, Scout leaders and/or Camp staff.)
10:45 am	Patrol competition – stretcher carry. Each Patrol should have at least three runs so all members are involved. Add times together at the end and give results to the SPL.	
11:00 am	Patrols reconvene and discuss cooking methods, cooking fire vs. light-weight stoves, proper food handling procedures and menu topics. Discuss proper pans, utensils and other gear that will be needed. to cook and serve these meals Discuss proper sanitation, dish washing techniques, garbage disposal and what to do with cans, bottles, etc. (Leave No Trace review) Hand out mock grocery store lists and assign individual written “homework” of a Patrol menu for a breakfast, lunch, and dinner. Menu should plan for amounts of food and cost for the Patrol (6-8).	
11:45 am	Closing assembly – Review First Aid and talk about review test on Friday. Remind to practice practical information. Review cooking topics, remind about “homework” for next day and Eagle Claw will run to 1:30 pm next day including lunch. Patrol lowers and folds flag.	
12:00 noon	Dismiss	



Day 4 -	Compass, Hiking Safety, Lashings, and Cooking	Requirements
9:00 am	Flags- Pledge of Allegiance, Scout Oath & Law; Patrol yells. Scouting Spirit anecdote. Review previous day topics and ask questions of the group. SPL to discuss the rules of safe hiking for highway and cross-country hiking, during the day and at night. Also discuss what to do if you are lost. Break into Patrols.	Tenderfoot - #5, 9. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Class - # 1a, 3d, 3f, 3g. 1 <sup>st</sup> Class - #1, 2, 4e, 7a, 7b, 11.
9:15 am	In each Patrol discuss how to properly use a map and compass. Demonstrate how a compass works and orient a map. Demonstrate how to find directions during the day and at night without the use of a compass.	
10:00 am	Large group or by Patrol, teach the timber hitch, clove hitch, square, shear & diagonal lashings. Discuss when and how to use these knots and lashings and when they are not recommended. Each patrol should have poles and rope to teach and demonstrate.	
10:30 am	Round Robin – 1) pioneering, 2) fire-starting demonstration, 3) lunch meal preparation, or 4) orienteering course. Have Patrols split up to work on a lashed camp gadgets or fire-starting demonstration following guidelines on preparing tinder, kindling and fuel, while other Patrols prepare foil lunches or work on orienteering course.	
11:15 am	Foil lunches on the fire. Continue with Round Robin events while food is cooking.	
12:00 pm	Lunch break- Begin with Scout Grace. During lunch, review the proper cooking utensils and gear. Employ proper sanitation and dish clean-up procedures.	
12:45 pm	Closing assembly – Review daily activities, remind Scouts about 7:00 pm water front meeting for safe swim instruction and to bring a bathing suit for next morning’s activities. Also remind them of First Aid review and knots and lashing review. (9:00 – 10:30 am at Eagle Claw, 10:30 – 12:00 at the waterfront.) A Patrol lowers and folds flag.	
1:00 pm	Dismiss.	
7:00 pm	Safe swim, water rescue, safe trip afloat lecture. No water activities, only demonstration and instruction. Scoutmaster/adult leaders invited.	Tenderfoot - # 9, Safe Swim Defense, Safety Afloat guidelines and Reach, Throw and Go techniques.



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Day 5 -	Skills review, Scout Spirit, & Taking it back Home	Requirements
9:00 am	Flags- Pledge of Allegiance, Scout Oath & Law; Patrol yells. Scouting Spirit anecdote. SPL will outline morning schedule. First Aid testing, knots and lashings review, Patrol method used throughout the week. Question group about Leave No Trace, the Outdoor Code and proper Scout behavior in their communities and back in their Troops.	2 <sup>nd</sup> Class - # 4, 8a, 8b, 8c, 9b 1 <sup>st</sup> Class - #9a, 9b, 9c, 11  (requirements 2 <sup>nd</sup> Class 8b. & 1 <sup>st</sup> Class 9b are covered by taking the swim test upon arrival or during the week)
9:10 am	First Aid review using questions and demonstration of the skills learned. Make sure they have a good knowledge of basic First Aid procedures.	
9:45 am	Knots and lashings review and practical application. Using knot boards tie the knots learned and ask how and when they should be used. Construct small lashed tri-pods, ladders, and other small gadgets.	
10:15 am	Assemble, SPL discusses Scout Spirit including what the Scout Oath and Law should mean in their daily lives and back in their Troops. Also discuss the use of the internet in daily lives and what you should avoid doing. Talk about bullies both in life and in cyberspace and how you should respond to bullies. Remind Scouts about evening Flag Ceremonies and proper uniform. Lower Flags at Eagle Claw and dismiss to change into swimsuits	
10:30 am	Water-front practical application. Meet at the Water-front to review buddy system, safe swim defense precautions, water rescue methods Reach-Throw-and-Go practices, and line rescue techniques.	
12:00 noon	Dismiss	
5:30 pm	Eagle Claw participants to conduct evening flag ceremony for entire camp. Announce winning Eagle Claw Patrol for the week and acknowledge Eagle Claw participants at Camp assembly.	(req. 2 <sup>nd</sup> Class - #4)



## REGISTRATION CHECKLIST - AT CAMP

- \_\_\_ 1. Arrive as a troop at the train station an hour to an hour and a half before departure.
  - Have troop roster, activity permission consents and medical form in alphabetical order available for the Medic to review.
  - When the whole troop arrives unload gear at the end of the parking lot as requested by your staff contact. Tag all gear with the troop designated duct tape provided by camp.
  - When your troop is called for the medical screening line up in alphabetical order.
  - Any adults remaining after the train leave may assist in loading the gear on to the side care for transport which will follow the train.
- \_\_\_ 2. Load train at the conductor's request.
  - The train requests that scouts keep their lunches for when you arrive at camp.
- \_\_\_ 3. Arrival at camp.
  - Meet Staff guide at NOYO DEPOT and takes troop to assigned campsite
  - Once equipment arrives staff will unload. Some adult assistance may be necessary.
  - Staff guild will let troop know when they can pick up equipment
  - Eat lunch
  - Change into swimming suit.
  - Complete site check-in inspection Senior Patrol Leader and Staff Guild
- \_\_\_ 4. Tour of camp (Order of tour is dependent on availability at waterfront and Medic).
  - Waterfront Safe Swim Defense and swim check
  - Medical Prescription medication review
  - Trading post
  - Visit program areas
  - Visit dining area for table assignment and orientation.
- \_\_\_ 5. Set up troop site
- \_\_\_ 6. Leaders Scoutmaster and the Senior Patrol Leader of each troop in dining area.

### First Day Evening Schedule

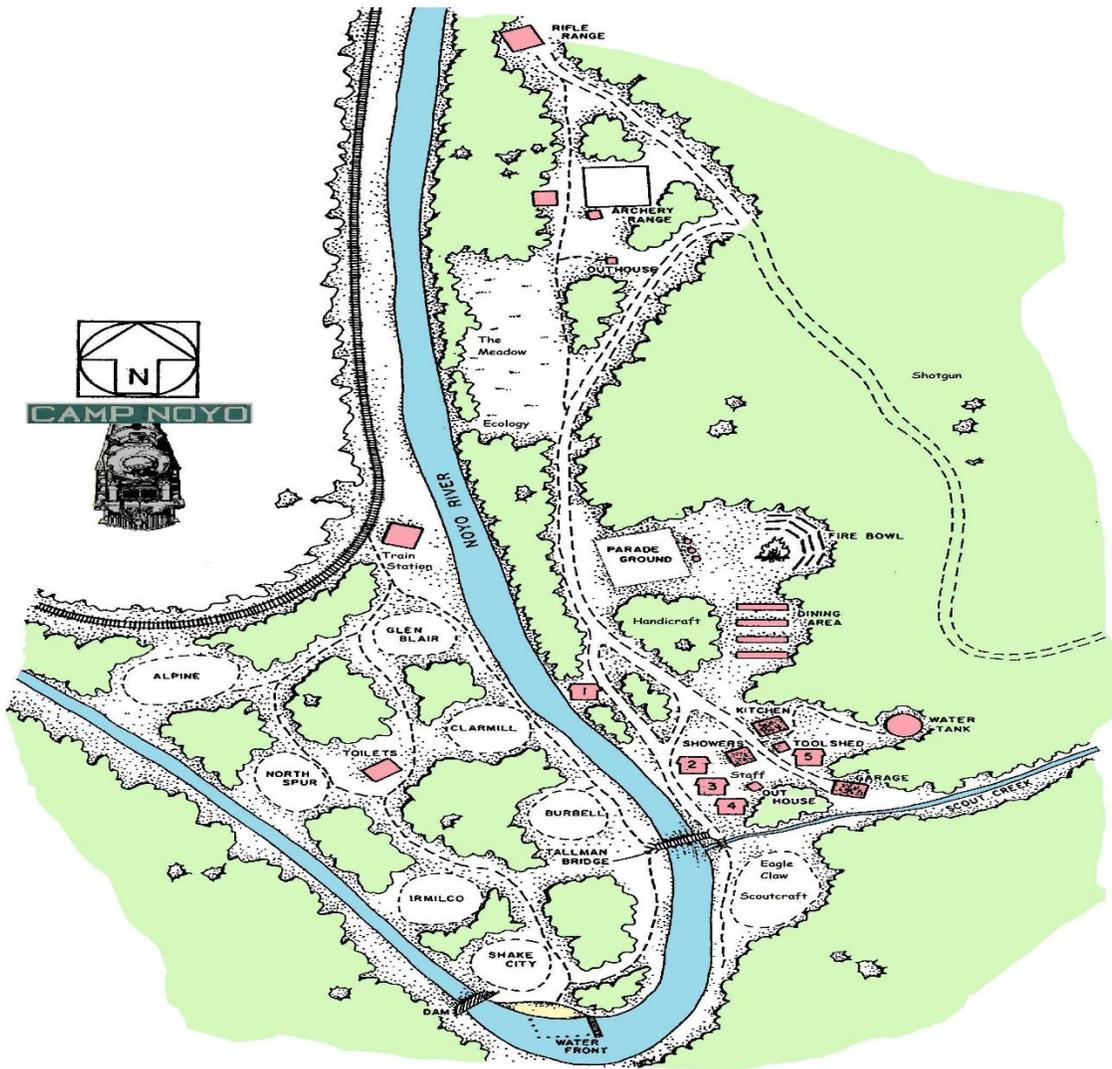
5:00 pm Leaders meeting	7:00 pm Merit Badge confirmation
5:45 pm Camp assembly at parade field Retreat Ceremony-Uniform	8:30 pm Campfire Staff guild will meet you at your site
6:00 pm Dinner	10:00pm TAPS – all quiet

*\*Exact times are subject to change at camp*



# MAPS

## Camp Noyo Map



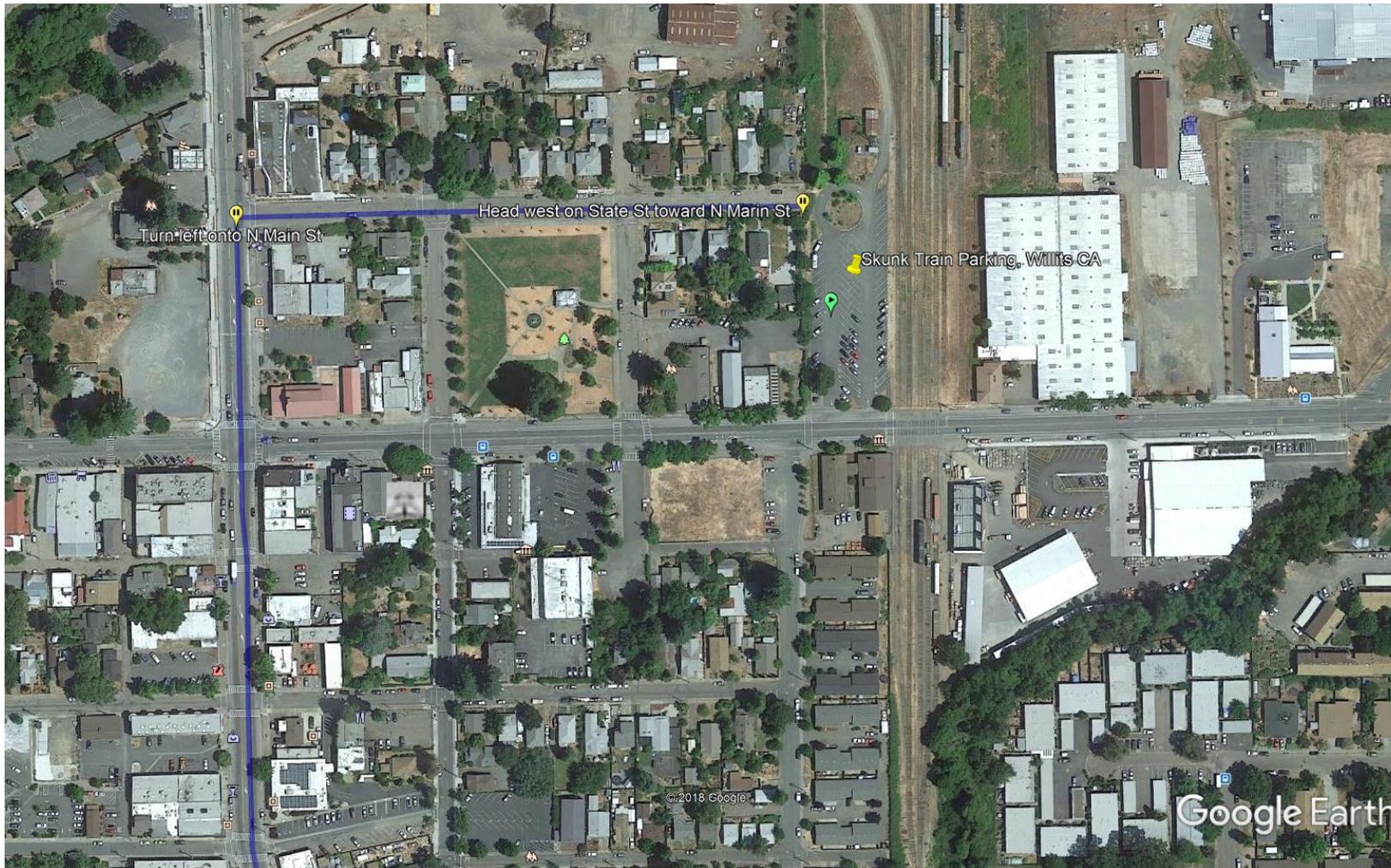
New in 2010: Summit Campsite



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*Muster point, Willits train depot parking*



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# Directions, train station to Highway 20, Willits CA

Willits Station to Rd 200, California

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Willits Station, California Western Railroad  
Rd 200, California

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via State Hwy 20 W/Fort Bragg - Willits Rd 31 min 17.1 miles  
Fastest route  
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## Directions, Willits to Highway 20 x Road 200, 16.7 miles

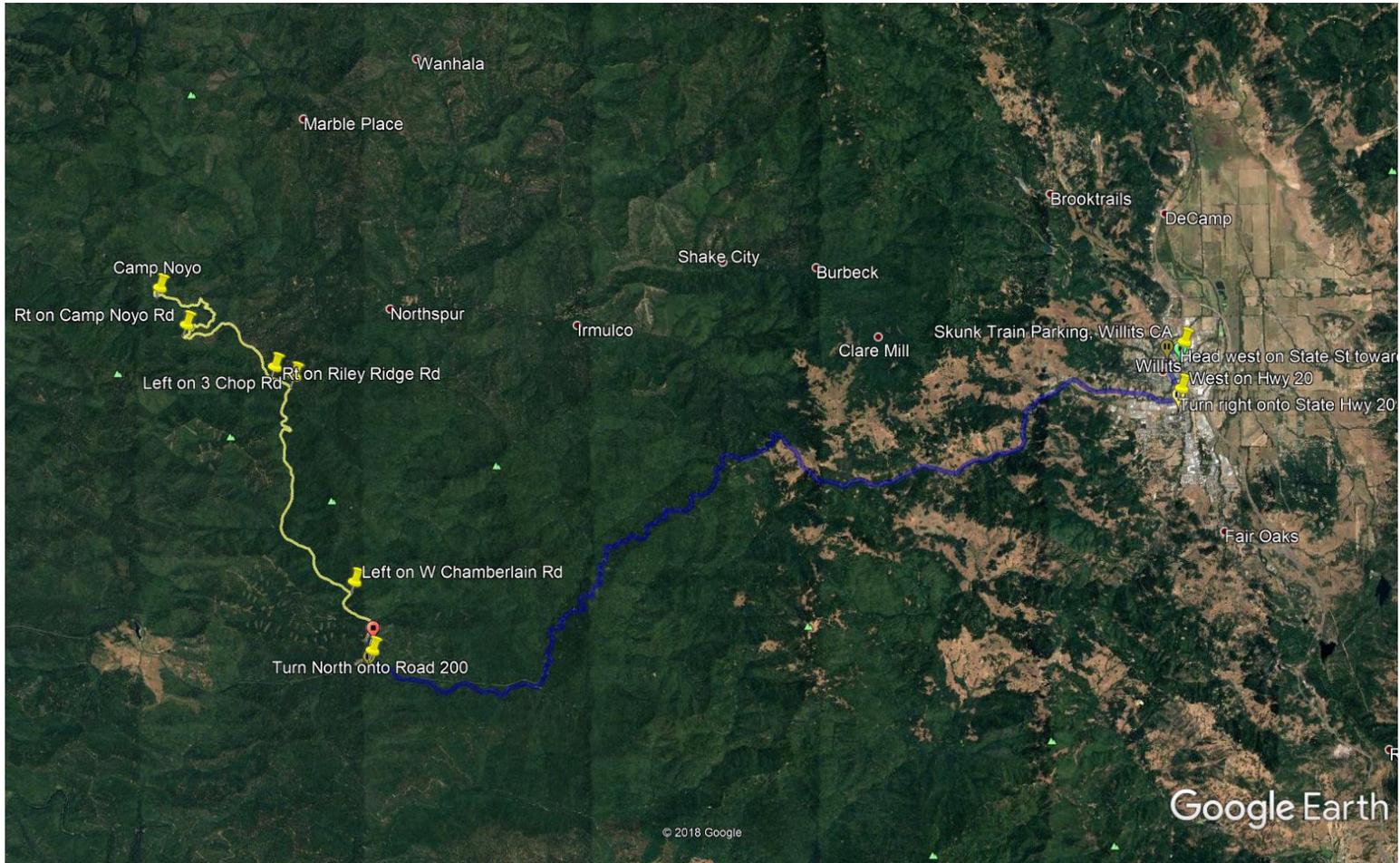
Willits Station to Rd 200, Willits, CA

Willits Station, California Western Railroad  
Rd 200, Willits, CA 95490

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***Directions, Willits Skunk Train Depot to Camp Noyo, overview***





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## *Directions, Hwy 20 to Camp Noyo*



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		<b>Camp Attending <u>Choose One:</u></b> _____ # 1 July 6- July 11 _____ # 2 July 12 - July 17		
		All adults attending camp should be listed on the Adult Roster Form - not this one		
		<b>Scout's name</b>	<b>Emergency Contact Person</b>	<b>Telephone</b>
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		All adults attending camp should be listed on the Adult Roster Form - not this one		
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