

Akelaland Cub Scout Resident Camp

Covid-19 Safety Procedures

Please note that COVID-19 Safety Procedures will be evolving in response to new information, policies and guidelines. This information is the best available as of 3/1/2021



To provide the best experience for campers in the safest manner possible, Akelaland will implement the following guiding principles in protecting campers, families, leaders and staff from COVID-19.

- 1) Screening & Prevention
- 2) Cohort Scheduling & Activities
- 3) Cleaning & Engineering Controls

Screening & Prevention

All campers and anyone staying at our camp for anything other than the immediate drop off or pick up of a camper will need to **complete and submit on arrival** the Pre-Event Medical Screening Checklist. This is a paper form that describes the signs, symptoms and conditions that exclude a person from participating. If anyone is not able to meet all of the guidelines on the Pre-Event Medical Screening Checklist, they are not permitted on the camp property. If someone at camp develops the symptoms listed on this form they will need to be transported home.

Cohort Scheduling & Activities

All campers will have a limited amount of contact with other campers outside of their pack or cohort. Scheduling of all activities will be devised to limit the total number of individuals that you will contact. Activities that typically include large gatherings will be modified to reduce the total number of people each individual is exposed to.

For example, two small packs might be partnered up for activities (since some activities require a minimum number of participants). These same packs would always be partnered up with the same other pack when partnering was necessary.

Cleaning & Engineering Controls

Common use areas will be subject to frequent cleaning and sanitation using proper equipment and trained personnel. Scouts should plan to bring a mask for each day, and mask use will follow the current state guidelines at the time of camp.

Campsites will be sanitized on weekends before use. Campsites and tents may be divided by units based on the relationships within their unit in any method permissible under the Guide to Safe Scouting. You may use our tents, bring your own tents or use a combination of both. If unrelated persons are sharing a canvas tent, they should tent head to foot (each person's head facing a different direction), with a physical barrier such as a canvas curtain in between the cots. Specifics on tenting with an unrelated person and materials on how to do so safely will be provided closer to camp.

Meals will be set up to provide adequate spacing between campers. Some units may be offered the chance to eat under a nearby pavilion or the dining hall porch to maintain social distancing when needed. If necessary, meals may be served in shifts to provide adequate social distancing while eating.