



Ransburg Scout Reservation



Ransburg Scout Reservation is the premier Scout camp in the Midwest. Nestled in the rolling hills of southern Indiana, the camp has several miles of shoreline on Indiana's largest freshwater lake, Lake Monroe. The beauty of the hardwood trees and lakefront create one of Scouting's most beautiful settings. Ransburg has 624 acres of secluded land and is surrounded by the Hoosier National Forest.

Camp Fees (Early Bird by May 6th)

Program	In Council		Out of Council	
	Early	Regular	Early	Regular
Main Campsites	\$205	\$215	\$230	\$245
Provisional Scout	\$170	\$185	\$195	\$205
Second Week of Camp	\$215	\$225	\$240	\$250
Required Adults	\$70	\$70	\$80	\$80
Additional Adults	\$90	\$90	\$100	\$100



Camp Sessions

Session 1	June 5 - June 11
Session 2	June 12 - June 18
Session 3	June 19 - June 25
Session 4	June 26 - July 2
Session 5	July 3 - July 9
Session 6	July 10 - July 16
Session 7	July 17 - July 23
Session 8	July 24 - July 30
Session 9	July 31 - August 5

Camp Living

The camp consists of 38 campsites, each with its own unique character. Many troops have their favorite site that they return to each year. Some enjoy changing each year. Most campsites are furnished with 8 spacious tents setup on permanent platforms. Additional tents and platforms are provided as needed. Each Scout and adult will be provided with a mattress and cot. Each campsite has 3 picnic tables, and a permanent dining shelter. A primitive outdoor latrine, a washstand, flagpole, camp tools and a propane lamp provides Scouts with their own home for the week. Three shower houses are conveniently located around camp within close proximity of campsites.

MARCH 11, 2011 -- 50% Payment due to retain campsite.

MAY 6, 2011 -- Full payment due to qualify for Early Bird fee.

Phone and Address

(Scout's name)
(Campsite)
(Troop number)
Ransburg Scout Reservation
7599 E. Waldrip Creek Rd.
Bloomington, IN 47401

Food Service

Our dining hall serves great food in a family style setting. Seconds are served at most meals. A salad bar is available for lunch and supper. Breakfast will have hot food along with cold cereal. Six Scouts, an adult leader, and a staff member will fill most tables. Special mealtime programs will round out your dining experience. Believe it or not, many kids come to camp just for our great food.

Camp Program

Ransburg has a tremendous variety of programs so that the brand new Scout and the most experienced Scout will each find some neat challenges to try.

New Scouts – will want to participate in Eagle Quest, our program that helps new Scouts learn skills to earn Tenderfoot, 2nd class, and 1st class ranks. A merit badge in handicraft, scoutcraft, or aquatics will round out your experience. An instructional swim time is available daily from 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. Eagle Quest has a different emphasis each day, so Scouts can choose which days they want to come.

Older Scouts – try Project COPE and our climbing tower, or sailing on one of our Sunfish sailboats, each named after a point of the Scout Law. Or how about horseback riding; or water skiing; or mountain biking; or earning your Firecrafter rank? There is lots of stuff for you to do. The Venture Program is a weeklong program that gives older Scouts a taste of it all. The popular Ransburg Rendezvous (a black powder shoot) and the Continental Tie and Lumber program will be offered for older Scouts this year.

Venturers – We offer a separate camp on the reservation just for venturers. Currently you can sign up for one of two weeks of Venture Camp – July 26th through August 1st and August 2nd through August 8th.

Merit Badges – are offered in the Nature Center, Handicraft area, Scoutcraft area, Ransburg Ranch, Archery and Rifle Ranges, Climbing Tower, Sports area and the Waterfront. See the Activity Schedule. Scouts are encouraged to consider walking distances when planning their schedule.

Open Program Times – We desire for a Scout to experience new things at camp, even if it doesn't earn him a badge. Just for fun try rifle shooting, archery, free swim, free boating, mountain biking, horse trail rides, crafts – just for the fun of it! Camp is more than just advancement.

Evening Program – From our opening to our closing campfire, the evenings are packed with special fun games, ceremonies and action to "WOW" any Scout. Be ready for something different – it will be here for you.

