

A MESSAGE TO PARENTS:

Summer camp is where your Scout puts into practice the skills gained through Scouting. Nowhere else in Scouting is the trait of self-reliance so successfully instilled as in a well-rounded camping program like that offered at Camp C.S. Klaus. As Scouts have fun, they develop traits that lead to responsible adulthood. Please encourage your Scout to participate in this great adventure.

2018 CAMP SCHEDULE

Week 1: June 17–23, 2018

Week 2: June 24–30, 2018

Week 3: July 8–14, 2018

Week 4: July 15–21, 2018

2018 SUMMER CAMP FEES

NE Iowa Council Troops

\$245 per Scout by April 30, 2018

\$265 per Scout after April 30, 2018

\$100 per Leader

Out of Council Troops

\$260 per Scout by April 30, 2018

\$280 per Scout after April 30, 2018

\$100 per Leader

*New Scouts or Webelos transfers will be charged the reduced rate up to two weeks prior to their troop's arrival at camp.

***Troops will need to preregister BASE Camp participants at the Council Service Center by paying a **\$10 materials surcharge** with their registration.

HOW TO SIGN UP

Talk to your Scoutmaster or contact the Northeast Iowa Council to sign up. Please make checks payable to "Northeast Iowa Council".

Northeast Iowa Council 563-556-4343 (local)
P.O. Box 732 800-866-2721 (toll free)
Dubuque, IA 52004-0732 563-556-4344 (fax)

**Not a Scout? Call 1-800-866-2721
to find out how to become one!**

FINANCIAL AID

No Scout should miss out on the opportunity to attend camp because of his financial circumstances. Campership assistance is available for Northeast Iowa Scouts. Camperships are available for up to one-half of the camp fee. Scout Leaders may contact the Council Service Center for more information. All campership information is kept confidential. Funds are limited for camperships, and are distributed on a first-come-first-serve basis.

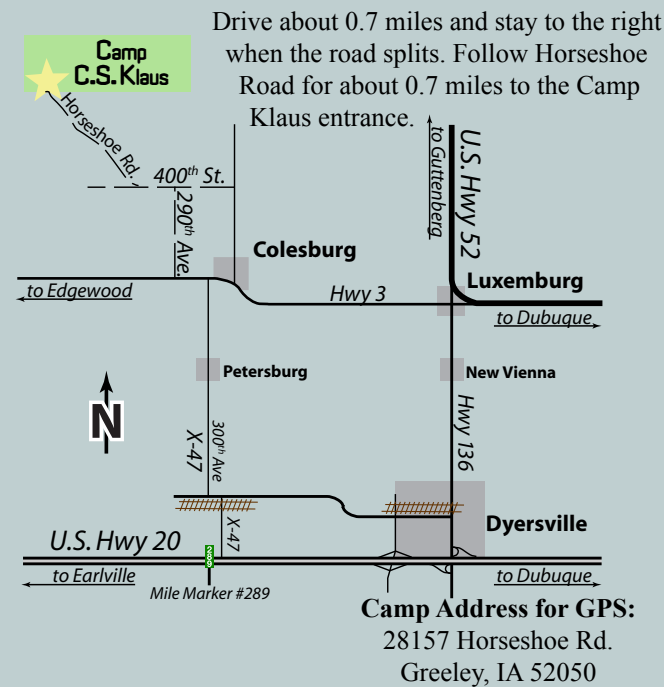
PACKING LIST

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Scout Uniform | <input type="checkbox"/> Insect Repellent
(No aerosol cans) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jacket & Rain Gear | <input type="checkbox"/> Suntan Lotion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping Bag
(or a Blanket & Sheet) | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal First-Aid Kit |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sleepwear | <input type="checkbox"/> Fishing Gear |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sweatshirt | <input type="checkbox"/> Wristwatch |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rugged Pants | <input type="checkbox"/> Folding Pocket Knife
(No sheath knives) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Socks | <input type="checkbox"/> Flashlight or Headlamp |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extra Underwear | <input type="checkbox"/> Scout Handbook |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tennis Shoes
(No open toes) | <input type="checkbox"/> Pen, Paper, Pencil |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hiking Boots & Socks | <input type="checkbox"/> Spending Money |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Swimsuit & Towel | <input type="checkbox"/> Clothes line / pins |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Backpack or Duffle Bag | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Toothbrush & Toothpaste | Important: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Comb or Brush | <input type="checkbox"/> Signed Physical Form
(Within last 12 months.
Chiropractor not accepted.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hand Soap & Container | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal medication
(with written instructions) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bath Towel & Wash Cloth | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Deodorant | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dirty Clothes Bag | |

HOW TO GET TO CAMP

One mile west of Colesburg, IA on Hwy. 3, turn north onto 290th Ave (gravel road) and drive 0.9 miles.

Turn left (west) at the stop sign onto 400th St.



CAMP PHONE NUMBERS

Non-Emergency (563) 556-4343

Emergency (563) 856-3845

TO WRITE: Camp C.S. Klaus

(Scout Name / Troop #)

P.O. Box 236

Colesburg, IA 52035-0236



Parents and Scouts, keep up with weekly activities and daily photos of everything happening at camp! Follow us at www.facebook.com/CampKlaus



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CURRENT RESIDENT

Dubuque, IA 52004-0732
P.O. Box 732

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CAMP C.S. KLAUS

Camp C.S. Klaus is situated in a 200 acre wooded valley, located near Colesburg in the countryside of Northeastern Iowa. The camp is situated in a beautiful wooded valley, 14 acre lake, and scenic waterfall area. With eight camp sites, platform tents, private showers, forty-foot climbing tower, COPE course and the beautiful Munter Lodge Dining Center, Camp Klaus provides a comfortable yet adventurous camping experience.

Whether you're looking to earn merit badges, participate in high adventure-like experiences, or just relax in the outdoors, Camp Klaus has it all. Our program areas include Aquatics, Ecology, Handicraft, Field Sports, BASE Camp, Climbing, Low and High COPE ropes course, Scoutcraft, Eagle Quest, Sports and PEAK. Additionally, we offer activities during the afternoon and evening, such as our Ironman Competition, Water-follies, Patrol Games and a twilight activity that will keep you having fun all day.

Campsites & Shower Facilities

Wooded campsites feature spacious wall tents on wooden platforms with two canvas cots. Located in each campsite are wash stands with running water, camp fire pits with firewood, picnic tables and a latrine. Hot, private showers are available at a centrally located shower house.

Dining & Meals in the Munter Lodge Dining Center

Meals are served in the modern Munter Lodge Dining Center. Delicious meals always include great food and fellowship. All meals are approved by a dietician and served family style for dinner. Lunch and breakfast is served buffet style. Troops will also prepare three meals during the week in their campsite from sufficient supplies that will be delivered right to the campsite.

Camp C.S. Klaus Trading Post

The new larger camp trading post is fully stocked with everything you might need while at camp. Merit badge books, craft supplies, souvenirs, a basic assortment of camping gear, camp t-shirts, patches and a wide range of snack items. Stop in for a soda, a candy bar or indulge in a delicious ice cream treat on a hot summer day. The Choco-Taco has been the camp favorite since 1995! (We can accept cash, debit or credit card.)

Program Materials

Our program areas have everything you will need to have a great time... canoes, sail-boats, row boats, paddleboards, life jackets, bows, arrows, rifles and shotguns, climbing gear, crafts, critters, bugs, reptiles, frisbee golf, gaga pit and whatever else you feel like doing!

Camp Staff

All of our summer camp programs are staffed with a fantastic and the most "wildly-energetic" group of trained adults, young men and women who conduct each of the program activities. By the time you leave, you will surely have a favorite staff member (or a group of them) that you will remember for years to come!

Health & Safety

Our health lodge is staffed 24 hours a day by a qualified medical officer. If you need any special medication, please have written directions prepared for check-in. Medication will be dispensed by the medic.

Food allergies: please notify the Council Service Center by calling (563) 556-4343 so we can make accommodations prior to your arrival.

Visitor's Night

Thursday evening is Visitor's Night beginning at 5 p.m. and ending by 10 p.m. All visitors are welcome to visit campsites, the waterfalls and of course all of the program areas. Delicious meals are available for purchase for everyone in your family.

Accessibility & Special Accommodations

A handicapped accessible "Lakeview" patrol tent site, shower facility, and dining hall are a few of the physical features that help to ensure a user-friendly environment throughout camp for campers with physical challenges.

In addition, special accommodations for campers can be made by contacting the Northeast Iowa Council Service Center prior to camp.

C.S.K. SUMMER CAMP 2018!

Camp is waiting for you! With so many opportunities to earn merit badges and experience the great outdoors, summer can't come quick enough! When you get here, check out Lake John Deere by swimming, rowing, canoeing, kayaking, sailing or paddle boating, test your skills at the climbing tower, or set out on a new adventure with your friends. Get ready, 'cause we're waiting!

BASE Camp Program

Beginning Advancement Skills for Eagle

Our highly rated program returns for our first year Scouts.

- Boy Scout Rank Advancement
- Hiking, Aquatics Activities
- Scouting Heritage Merit Badge

C.O.P.E. and Climbing

Challenging Outdoor Personal Experience

This awesome program designed for older Scouts that seek a challenge and opportunities for adventure.

- Low COPE Challenge Course
- High COPE Ropes Course
- Climbing Tower

ACTIVITIES & MERIT BADGES

Ecology

- ◆ Bird Study †
- ◆ Environmental Science*†
- ◆ Insect Study †
- ◆ Nature †
- ◆ Plant Science †
- ◆ Reptile & Amphibian Study †
- ◆ Soil & Water Conservation †

Eagle Quest

- ◆ Citizenship in the World*
- ◆ Communications*
- ◆ Emergency Preparedness*
- ◆ First Aid*

Sports

- ◆ Athletics
- ◆ Chess
- ◆ Cycling*
- ◆ Personal Fitness*
- Gaga Pit
- Sports Tournaments

Alternative Merit Badges & Activities

- ◆ Model Design & Building
- ◆ Personal Management*
- ◆ Salesmanship
- ◆ Surveying
- ◆ Scouting Heritage
- ◆ Theater
- Mountainboarding
- Mountain Biking
- Twilight Activities
- Patrol Activities
- William D. Boyce Award

Note: Some merit badges can only be partially completed at summer camp. See leader's guide for complete details.

List of merit badge offerings and activities subject to change.

- * = Required for the rank of Eagle Scout
- ◆ = Merit badge
- = Activity
- † = STEM program offering

Aquatics

- ◆ Canoeing
- ◆ Kayaking
- ◆ Lifesaving*
- ◆ Rowing
- ◆ Small Boat Sailing
- ◆ Swimming*
- Mile Swim
- Paddleboarding
- Snorkeling
- Swimming Lessons

Field Sports

- ◆ Archery
- ◆ Fishing
- ◆ Rifle Shooting
- ◆ Shotgun Shooting
- Black Powder Rifles

Scoutcraft

- ◆ Camping*
- ◆ Pioneering †
- ◆ Wilderness Survival

Climbing & COPE

- ◆ Climbing
- ◆ High COPE Challenge Course
- ◆ Low COPE Team Challenge Course

Handicraft

- ◆ Art
- ◆ Basketry
- ◆ Fingerprinting
- ◆ Leatherworking
- ◆ Sculpture
- ◆ Wood Carving



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