



DAN BEARD COUNCIL

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA



DATE: NOVEMBER 21, 2022
TO: NCS Participant
Course Location: **Camp Friedlander**
581 Ibold Road
Loveland, OH 45140

Course Dates: **May 13-19, 2023**

FROM: Mic Mullins – National Camping School Course Director
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Welcome to National Camping School at **Camp Friedlander in Loveland, Ohio!** On behalf of the camping school faculty, we eagerly look forward to having you with us at **Camp Friedlander**. The course liaison for this school is Shelby Nuckolls, who can be contacted at shelby.nuckolls@scouting.org. Please do not hesitate to contact either Shelby or myself if you have any questions prior to the school. The following information will help you prepare for NCS.

Please bring a copy of your current Youth Protection Training Certificate with you to Camp School. Your training must be current and last through the end of the Camp School.

A BSA Annual Health and Medical Record (Parts A, B & C) completed within the past 12 months, is required and must be completed prior to your arrival. Please bring the completed form with you. If you do not have this required form, you will need to obtain a physical at your own expense prior to beginning class. The cost will likely be a **MINIMUM** of \$100.

Please plan to arrive between **9:00 a.m.** and **11:00 a.m.** (Eastern Time) on Saturday, **May 13, 2023**. Check-in at the Camp Office – a map of Camp Friedlander is included in this letter. Departure will be after graduation on Friday, **May 19th**. If your travel schedule requires you to arrive early, Camp Friedlander has accommodations beginning on Friday afternoon and includes lodging and two meals (dinner on Friday and breakfast on Saturday) for an additional \$45. Your council will be billed if you arrive early so be sure to consult with them prior to arriving early. Camp Friedlander has made arrangements for shuttle service from the Cincinnati/Northern Kentucky International Airport (CVG) for \$65.00 roundtrip. Prior payment for shuttle service is requested. Rental cars and rideshare services such as Uber or Lyft are also available to individuals wishing to utilize those options. Driving directions to Camp Friedlander are attached.



Shooting Sports, COPE, Climbing, Resident Camp Director and Resident Program Director - Please note that there are pre-requisite trainings which you **MUST** have before you attend your sections of NCS. Please ensure you have these trainings and bring support materials with you as proof. Persons who attend without these trainings complete will be sent back to their home councils.

Shooting Sports: NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Certification

COPE: COPE Level I Instructor

Climbing: Climbing Level I Instructor

Resident Camp Director and Program Director: Online NCAP training is available at on the NCS page @ <https://www.scouting.org/outdoor-programs/national-camping-school/>

Complete, correct BSA uniforms are required. The BSA Field Uniform (Scout shorts or long trousers, Scout shirts, Venturing shirts, Scout socks) or the BSA Activity Uniform (Scout shorts or pants with Scouting golf or t-shirts) will be worn at national camping school. Complete field uniform is required for evening meals, worship services, campfires, and other formal activities. The weather in Loveland ranges from mid-70s to high-40s during the time that the course will be happening. Please make sure to be ready for the swings in temperature – coats and/or jackets are recommended.

Additional Housing Details

NCS participants will be housed in 2-person canvas wall tents. Each tent is on a wooden platform and includes a metal spring cot and mattress for each person. Blankets, sheets, pillows, etc. are not provided. Please plan to bring your own sleeping bag or blankets. Temperatures range from mid-70s to high-40s. KYBOs (latrines) are available near each Campsite. Shower facilities are shared between each campsite and some walking may be required.

Meals at Camp Friedlander

Meals will be provided at the Camp Friedlander dining hall. 3 Meals a day and a Cracker Barrel in the evening. We can accommodate most dietary restrictions with prior notice of your needs. If you have dietary needs or have questions about what we can accommodate, please contact Shelby Nuckolls at Shelby.nuckolls@scouting.org so she can connect you with the Dining Service as soon as possible to best guarantee we can meet your needs during your time at camp.

Medical Needs

If you have any medical needs, such as requiring access to electricity for a CPAP machine, let us know before your arrival at camp. We will do our best to accommodate any needs you have that we are aware of in advance.

Trading Post

The Camp Friedlander Trading Post will be open at certain times, offering snacks, drinks, Camp Friedlander SWAG. It will also stock some necessities if you forgot something like a toothbrush, soap, etc. If you cannot find something you need in the Trading Post, camp is conveniently located close to several stores.

Location

Camp Friedlander is 1 of 3 camp properties on the Dan Beard Scout Reservation. Check-In will be at the Camp Friedlander Administration building. Facilities at Camp Craig and Cub World may be used for instruction. There are trails connecting the 3 properties, as well as the road. The loop around the lake is approximately 1.2 miles.

Nearest Kroger and Walgreens are 1.8 miles away; 5-minute drive.

Phone and Wi-Fi

The telephone number at Camp Friedlander is **513-831-8311** and is to be used in emergencies only. Wi-Fi will be available in some indoor locations at camp, and cell coverage is available throughout the camp property.



DIRECTIONS TO CAMP

Follow this link to view in Google Maps: <https://goo.gl/maps/yFMF8>

DAN BEARD COUNCIL CAMPS

Dan Beard Scout Reservation:
Conveniently located northeast of Cincinnati, off I-275 between Loveland and Milford, Ohio (45140).
There are three entrances to the reservation:

- **Camp Friedlander** – 581 Ibold Road
- **Camp Craig** – 6113 Price Road
- **Cub Scout Adventure World** – 6035 Price Road

Camp Phone: (513) 831-8311
Camp Fax: (513) 831-8475
Scout Achievement Center Phone: (513) 577-7700
Scout Achievement Center Fax: (513) 577-7738

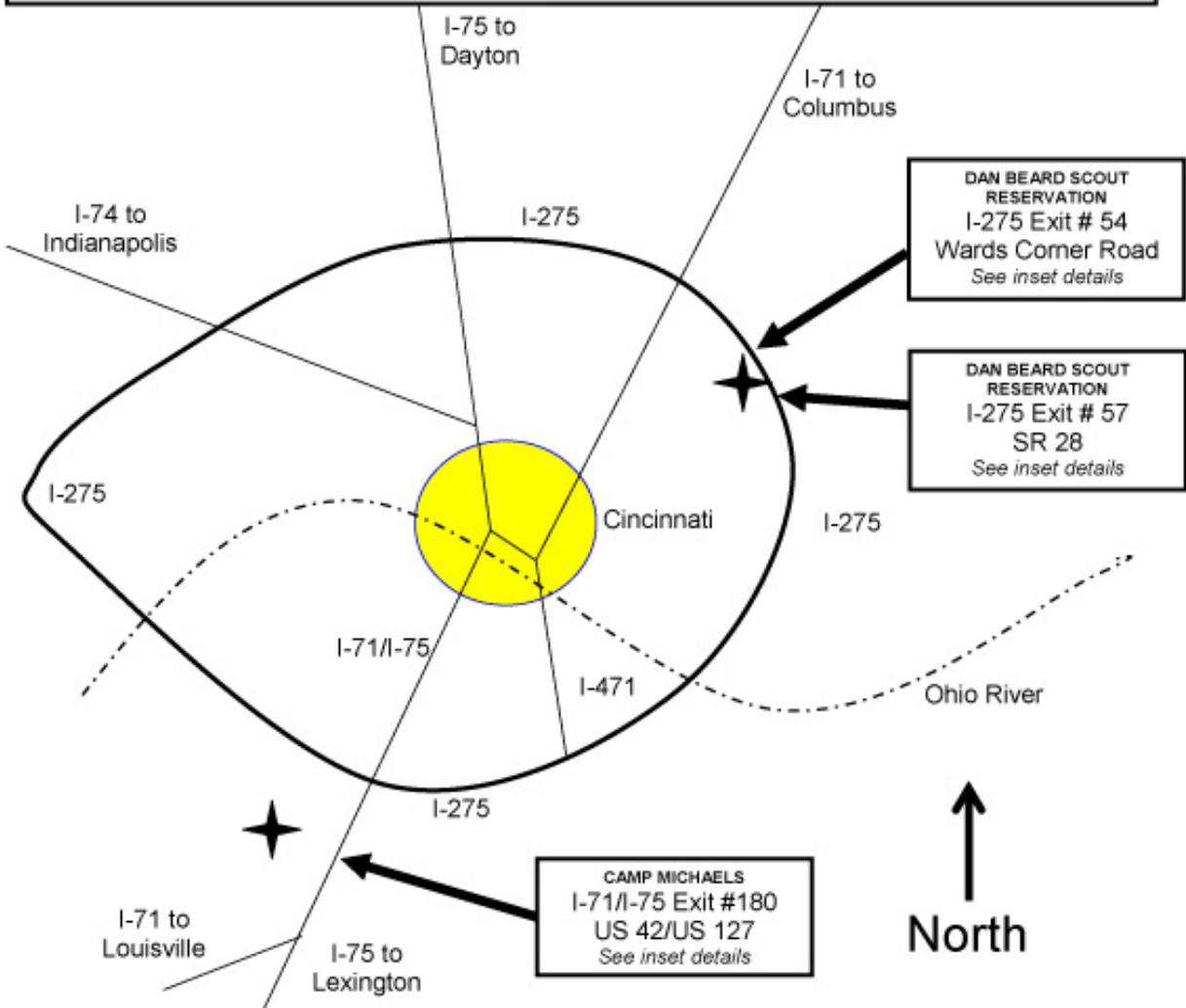
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Camp Michaels:
A primitive and beautiful camp located in Union, Kentucky off I-71 (41091):

- **Camp Michaels** -- 3486 Hathaway Rd.

Camp Phone: (859) 384-3689

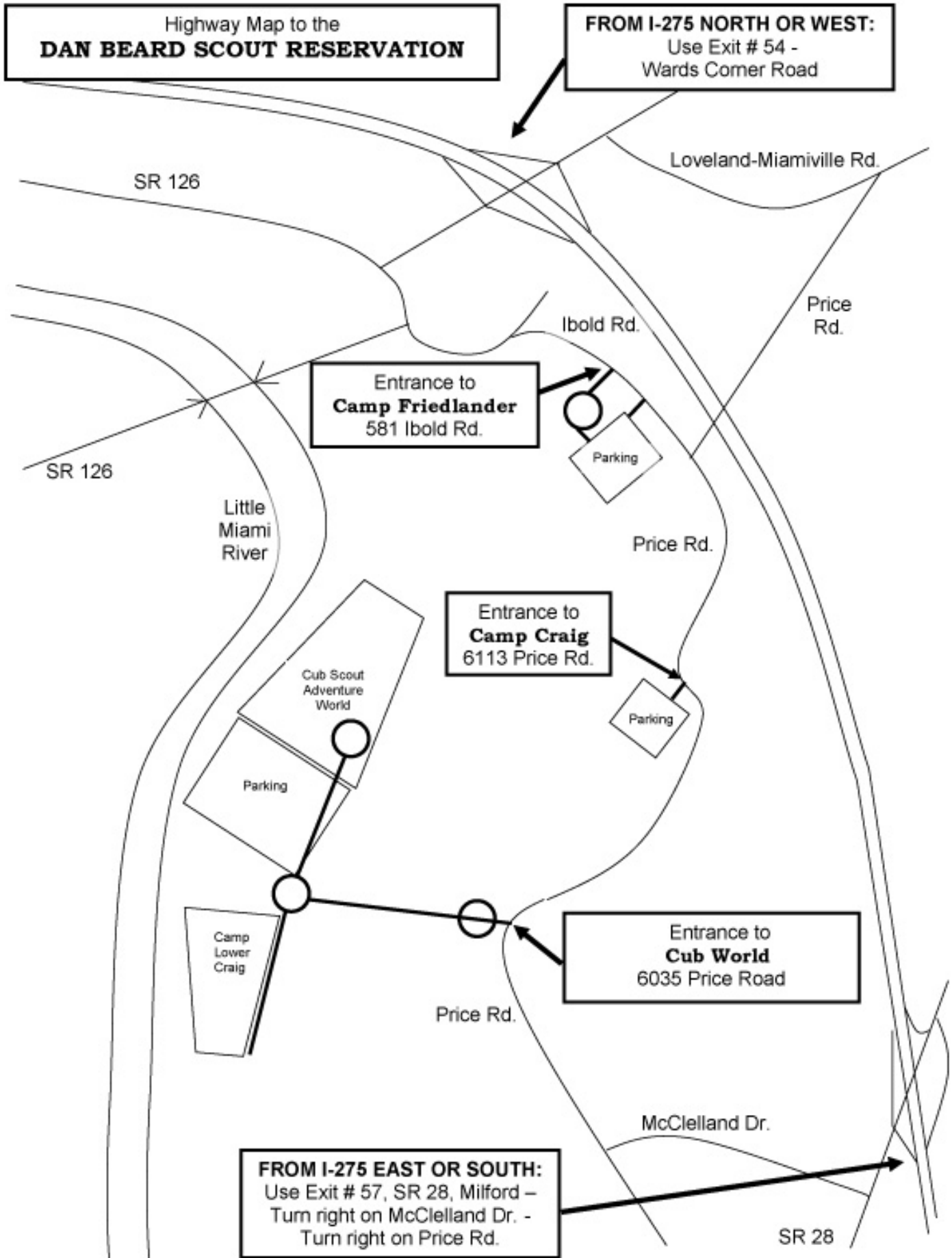
*Reservations can be made at the Dan Beard Scout Service Center.
Please check in with a Campmaster or Camp Ranger when you arrive.*





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