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**RSR 2026: Close to Home, Big on Adventure — Save \$\$ by Oct 1!**

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## **Rainbow Scout Reservation Summer Camp 2026**



**Limited-Time Deal!**

**Save Big for Summer Camp 2026 at Rainbow Scout Reservation!**

**Units registered with a paid deposit by Oct 1, 2025 unlock major savings\*:**

- ✓ **1 FREE Adult** – for *any* in- or out-of-council unit that registers
- ✓ **GUARANTEED 2nd Adult FREE** – for *any* in- or out-of-council unit that has *not* attended RSR since 2020

✓ **BONUS:** If **50% of all Rainbow Council troops** register by Oct 1, every registered council troop is guaranteed a **2nd Adult attends FREE!**\*\*

▶ [Unit registration is open now](#) – deposits are being accepted!

\*Deposit of \$250 per unit is required for eligibility and non-refundable if the unit cancels.

\*\*Maximum number of free adults is 2 per unit. All adults must be fully trained per Scouting America standards at time of registration and remain trained at time of Summer Camp.

## Scouts WIN when they choose RSR 2026!

### 💰 Competitive Pricing

RSR delivers **big value for scouts** with one of the most affordable full-week camp experiences in the region. 🎁 **BONUS:** Scouts who sell \$3500 in popcorn receive \$120 credit toward camp!

### 📍 Closer Than You Think

Located in **Morris, IL**, RSR is *just a short drive from Chicago* — much closer than other regional camps. Less time in the car, more time at camp!

### 📖 Updated Programming = More Value

A huge selection of **merit badges and awards** including **new favorites** like Home Improvement and Horsemanship, flexible scheduling, and customizable afternoon adventures. Each Scout builds their own unique camp schedule! Working toward 1st Class Rank? Check out our Pathfinders program!

👉 Check out the 2025 Program Guide [HERE](#) – 2026 updates coming this winter!

### 🎉 New in 2025 – More Coming in 2026!

Camp just got a whole lot cooler with:

- **Themed Nightly Program-** Time-Warp Tuesday & Lu-Out Post
- **Rainbow Voyagers:** adventure treks across *new* parts of camp for **older scouts** including **3 lakes** for kayaking, snorkeling, paddleboarding, fishing & more
- **Family Fridays & Camp Cup** classics return
- **Expanded Adult Program:** new challenges, projects, and fun learning opportunities

### 🏹 Order of the Arrow Spirit Soars

Waupecan Lodge's new OA recognition brought unity, celebration, and brotherhood to life with public recognition of candidates and new members, a camp-wide banquet, and exciting fellowship.

## ✦ **Exceptional Staff & Seamless Service**

From check-in to check-out, RSR's energetic, attentive staff deliver outstanding programming, attentive service, engaging adult activities, and *legendary* food in the dining hall.

## 🔧 **Camp Improvements**

Council properties team has been working with outside vendors to improve pit toilets, waterfront treatment, site drainage and more!

## 🚀 **Going Provisional = Still Going Big!**

Can't attend with your troop? Scouts can go **provisional** and enjoy all the fun with a new group of friends and trusted adult leadership.

Contact [silas.rea@scouting.org](mailto:silas.rea@scouting.org) with questions.

## 📅 **Mark Your Calendar – October 1, 2025**

Vote to attend RSR and register soon! **Space and savings are limited!**



## **2026 Camp Dates:**

**Week One:** June 14 – June 20

**Week Two:** June 21 – June 27

**Week Three:** July 5 – July 11

## **Need More Information?**

Unit registrations are currently being accepted on our [website](#). Please [contact](#) our team with questions or to schedule a unit presentation.

## **Bonus: Great Value!**

We've designed our programs to be both affordable and packed with the potential to earn 8-11 merit badges/awards in a single week including Eagle required merit badges! Plus, nightly adventures and programs designed to entertain and challenge scouts. You won't find a better deal for all the fun your Scout will have!

**Scholarships/Camperships** are available to Rainbow Council scouts.

**Popcorn sales fund summer camp fees.** Plus, a **\$120 credit** is awarded to any scout selling at least \$3500 in popcorn.

**Register for Camp**

## **2025 Camper Testimonials**

"Good meals, quality food, and plenty of it!"

"Staff is high energy, inspired much confidence. An \*excellent\* staff."

"Campground is impeccably clean, the entire camp is impeccably clean and we like the compactness less walking between stations."

"Staff. Fantastic, terrific, groovy groovy, all week long."

"I loved the outpost."

"Kudos to the [Pathfinders} staff for getting the 1st years motivated"

"I loved the giant swing"

"OA Day was so fun"

"Awesome training for Adults"

"Aquatics was so fun. I liked the boats and swimming"

"Probably my favorite summer at RSR"



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