De Soto Area Council  
Arrow of Light Resident Camp  
June 13-15, 2019

- **What is Arrow of Light Resident Camp?**  
  Arrow of Light (AOL) Resident Camp is a short term camping experience designed to introduce Scouts, their leaders, and their parents to a theme-based summertime camping experience that will help the Scout be prepared for a smooth transition into Boy Scouting. It is a memorable 3 days and 2 nights of fun adventurous activities that keeps campers excited about the scouting program for months after the closing campfire.

- **Who can attend Resident Camp?**  
  Arrow of Light Scouts going into the 5th grade in the fall semester of 2019 as a den or as individual(s) with their parent(s).

- **When and where is Arrow of Light Resident Camp?**  
  This program has not been offered in our area for several years. We are excited to add this program to our council events for the youth of South Arkansas. Arrow of Light Resident Camp will be held at our nationally accredited Camp De Soto on June 13-15th, 2019.

- **What to bring?**  
  Personal camping gear and tents are needed. Bring rain gear if weather looks threatening, sunscreen, bug repellant, extra clothes, swimming attire and a day pack. No open-toed shoes or sandals are allowed at camp except in the shower areas. A more detailed “what to bring” list can be found on our website, [www.desotoareacouncil.org](http://www.desotoareacouncil.org) in the Camp Leaders Guide and the Parents Guide.

- **What about brother and sisters?**  
  Arrow of Light Resident Camp is for registered Scouts only. Siblings cannot attend this camp. They are allowed to attend the Cub Scout Family Campouts offered by the council throughout the year.

- **What about Camperships?**  
  A limited number of camperships are available for those who may need help with the fee. The youth’s parents must submit the application for a campership by May 18th. The maximum the campership will cover is up to 50%. The remaining 50% is the parent’s responsibility. Contact the De Soto Area Council Service Center at (870) 863-5166 for more information. This is available for in-council Scouts only.

- **How much does Arrow of Light Resident Camp cost?**  
  Arrow of Light Scouts can attend Resident Camp for $85.00. This fee includes an event t-shirt, a patch, campsite, program supplies, meals and all the fun you can possibly have. There is an extra parent fee of $35.00. Registration deadline is May 30th to receive this early bird fee. After the 30th a $15.00 per person late charge will be added. This camp has a limited amount of slots available so be sure and sign up soon.

- **What will the Arrow of Light Scouts do?**  
  We have created a program that will help the Scout work towards rank advancement, have the opportunity to earn awards, participate in our program areas such as archery, BB shooting, swimming, climbing, canoeing, have fun, make new friends and lasting memories. Did I mention they will have lots of fun?

- **How do I sign my Arrow of Light Scout up?**  
  Registration may be done through the council website at [www.desotoareacouncil.org](http://www.desotoareacouncil.org) or at the Scout Service Center located at 118 W. Peach St. El Dorado, AR 71730.