



Camp Medicine Bow



2021 Program Highlight Sheet

Weekly Themes

Week 1: Nickelodeon Week

Get ready to experience a week with your favorite Nickelodeon characters! Bend the elements with Avatar Aang, and catch jellyfish with Spongebob and Patrick. Be ready for anything, because everything is possible in the world of Nickelodeon!

Week 2: Ancient Adventure Week

Take a trip to the past and explore the world's ancient civilizations! See the great pyramids in Egypt, tour the Roman Coliseum, or sail to Ancient Greece. Face the trials and discover the treasures of the Ancient world in this blast from the past!

Week 3: Wild West

"Howdy Partner!" Put on your boots and get ready for the roughest toughest week in the west! Be your favorite masked bandito or save the day as a lasso throwing sheriff. The choice is yours! Ride off into the sunset and into this week of wild western fun!

Week 4: Star Wars Week

Travel to a galaxy far far away during Star Wars week! Help defeat the Galactic Empire with your favorite characters, like Luke Skywalker, Poe Dameron, and the Mandalorian! May the force be with you!

Week 5: Comic-Camp Week

This week Comic-Con comes to you at Medicine Bow! All of your favorite pop culture favorites in one place! Be your favorite superhero and save the day, or your favorite super villain and scheme away! The possibilities are endless in this comic book inspired bash!

Week 6: Under the Sea Week

Take it from Sebastian, everything is better under the sea! There's a whole new world in the water for you to explore! Finally find out who lives in that pineapple under the sea! And don't forget, fish are friends, not food!

Week 7: Pirates vs Ninjas Week

The sneaky and sleek battle against the cunning and the ruthless as the upper and lower campsites come to odds! Ninjas sneak down from the forests of the uppers as the pirates prepare to defend their boats and treasure at the shores of the lowers!

Week 8: Game Show Week

Win big on your favorite game shows! Answer trivia on Jeopardy and spin the Wheel of Fortune! Work together with your friends to win the jackpot, and you may go home as troop of the week!

Elmo's Troop of the Week:

The Troop with the greatest combination of participation, accomplishment, and Scout Spirit will earn Medicine Bow's greatest honor, Elmo's Troop of the Week! Winning events throughout the week may help you earn this honor, but it is not the only thing Elmo looks for! Representing the Scout Law, Oath, Motto, Slogan, and having a positive attitude plays a key role in Elmo's judgement.

Medicine Bow Troop Activities

Troop Tournament & Scoutmaster Tournament

Get ready to go head-to-head with other troops each day after lunch in a sporting activity or scoutcraft competition. Events could include ultimate frisbee, volleyball, pioneering competitions, and many others! SPL's will decide with the PC's on Monday! Scoutmasters will be competing each day after lunch in Horseshoes or Cornhole!

Monday Night Campfire (Monday)

Join the Medicine Bow staff at 8pm in the Medicine Bow Amphitheatre as we kick off the week with a great campfire accompanied by some skits and songs!

Silver CY Cracker Barrel (Tuesday)

This event will occur in the Medicine Bow Dining Hall at 8:30pm. It is required for Silver CY Candidates, Senior Patrol Leaders, and open for any senior leaders in the troop who may want to attend. The Program Commissioners will be providing a variety of skills and knowledge to develop your leadership capability!

Bake-Off (Wednesday)

The Bake-Off is a tasty and creative way for troops to test their cooking skills! Each Troop will bring their own ingredients and submit a baked dessert or food item to the stage of the Dining Hall by 5:30pm. The judging of the Bake-Off will take place directly following dinner. Entries will be judged based upon taste, level of difficulty, and relation to the theme! The item must be baked! (Dutch ovens available if requested)

Canoe Race (Wednesday)

A race against the rest of Camp Yawgoog! Send two troop representatives to take a canoe from the Medicine Bow Waterfront and paddle to Ashaway Aquatics Center, directly following dinner. The race starts at 7:15pm! Show that you have what it takes to be the best paddlers in camp!

Snacks with the Staff (Wednesday)

Ever wonder what it's like to work at camp? Come on down to the staff lounge at 8:30pm to hang out and grab some snacks with the Medicine Bow Staff! Get the chance to ask them questions, share some stories, or learn more about us and our experience! We have staff from all over the country that could share a thing or two!

Campsite Decoration Contest (Thursday)

Troops should use creativity and scouting skills to decorate their campsite to match the week's theme! Decorative gateways and fun props are always a great way to show off your scout spirit! The Program Commissioners will be judging each campsite directly following dinner!

Indian Lore Campfire (Thursday)

Come join the Crafts Center staff in a Native American themed campfire at 8:15pm. There will be performances such as dances and folk tales!

Scavenger Hunt (Friday)

The Scavenger Hunt is a fun and fast-paced scramble to acquire all of the items on a list. The list will be given to two representatives at the Medicine Bow dining hall at 8:00pm. The items should be returned to the dining hall by 9:00pm to be judged! Results will be announced at the following breakfast.

Sailing Regatta (Friday)

The Sailing Regatta takes place directly following dinner at the Ashaway Aquatics Center. The race begins at 7:00pm and is an exhilarating opportunity to show you are the best sailing crew in all of Yawgoog! Be sure to sign up at Ashaway before the race!

Swim Carnival (Saturday)

At 2:00pm there will be a fun-filled competition at the waterfront! There will be all types of aquatic events such as the Medley Relay to the Tin Man! No one can forget the immense creativity we always see in the Scoutmaster Splash, too!

Saturday Night Show

As the week winds down, there is always the Saturday Night Show to look forward to! After we line up on Marvel Road at 7:45pm, we will walk down to the J. Harold Williams Amphitheatre. All three camps join together to watch a great performance put on by the staff!

Dress Parade (Sunday) After lunch, all of the troops are recognized for their weeks' worth of hard work and accomplishment. We will all come together for one last time on the Tim O'Neil Field. Be sure everyone in your unit has a full class A uniform for the parade!

The Camp Medicine Bow Administration encourages any and all input from Scoutmasters and SPLs. Suggestions for improvement or positive comments are always welcome.