

Directions to Robert W. Woodruff SR

Camp Woodruff is approximately 2 hours drive North from Central Atlanta.

The best route is to take I-75 North to the intersection of I-575 and turn on to I-575 North. I-575 becomes SR-515 near Ball Ground. Continue North on SR-515 beyond Blue Ridge, Georgia. After crossing the intersection of SR-515 and SR-60 travel east on SR-515 - for 2.3 more miles to Loving Rd. Turn left on Loving Road and travel 9 miles North until Loving Road ends at SR-325. Turn right on SR-325 and make an immediate right on to Boy Scout Road. Camp Woodruff is approximately 2.5 miles ahead. Camp entrance is on the right.

Robert W. Scout Reservation
10387 Boy Scout Road
Blairsville, GA 30512



Directions to the Atlanta Area Council—Volunteer Service Center:

The Volunteer Service Center (VSC) is located near the intersection of I-75N and I-285 on the Northwest side of Atlanta. The center is at the intersection of Windy Ridge Parkway & Circle 75 Parkway. The entrance & parking lot are located off Circle 75 Parkway. Circle 75 Parkway runs between US 41 (Cobb Parkway) and Windy Hill Road.

You can access the VSC from:

- ◆ Westbound I-285 Exit #20 from the East (US -41/Cobb Parkway)
- ◆ Eastbound I-285 Exit #19 from the West (US -41/Cobb Parkway)
- ◆ I-75 Exit #260 (Windy Hill Road)
- ◆ I-285 Exit #22 (Powers Ferry Landing)
- ◆ From I-75 you can Exit #258 (Cumberland Blvd) as an alternate (1800 Circle 75 Parkway – Atlanta, GA 30339)



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Other Council Camps and Properties

In addition to **Woodruff** the Atlanta Area Council is very proud of its other camps and facilities. These properties are listed below:

Located near Covington, Georgia, **Bert Adams Scout Reservation** provides 1250-acres (505-hectare) for long-term resident and weekend camping, training events, and lots of outdoor Scouting fun. Thousands of Scouts and Scouters come to Bert Adams each year to participate in Boy Scout, Webelos and JROTC Summer Camps, Order of the Arrow Events, Venturing and Explorer Outings, Cub Family Camping, Cub World Events, District Camporee's, Cub Pack Picnics, ScoutReach Outings, Wood Badge Training, Junior Leader Training, and many other Scouting events. Bert Adams Scout Reservation includes **Camp Gorman, Camp Emerson, Cub World** and the redeveloped **Camp Jamison**

Camp Allatoona is 600 acres (242 hectare) of lakefront property leased from the Army Corps of Engineers by the Atlanta Area Council. The camp is on Lake Allatoona just North of Metro Atlanta. This nearby camp is used throughout the year for weekend camping, day trips, and other scout outings. The main emphasis at Camp Allatoona is aquatics. At the Camp Allatoona Aquatics Base scouts can enjoy aquatic activities including canoeing, rowing, sailing, skiing, swimming, motor boating, and lifesaving

Atlanta Area Council Volunteer Service Center (VSC) is located near the Galleria/Cumberland Mall Area in Northwest Atlanta. Dedicated in November of 2002, this 52,000 square foot facility offers Scout Leaders, Scouts, and our Chartered Partners a superb facility to support their programs and activities. The VSC contains a large Scout Shop, a Program Center, the Cowart Conference Center, and plenty of meeting and training space. The Langford Program Center provides Registration and Program Support to Atlanta Area Council Scouts and Scouters. The VSC also provides office space for our professional and support staff.

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Atlanta Area Council Boy Scouts of America

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The Atlanta Area Council, Boy Scouts of America welcomes you to Robert W. Woodruff Scout Reservation. Since 1980 Woodruff has been, and continues to be, one of the premier camp properties in the BSA. We hope that you will enjoy your visit.

Located near Blairsville in North Georgia, Robert W. Woodruff Scout Reservation is a 1575-acre (637-hectare) camp property adjacent to Lake Nottley and the Chattahoochee National Forest. The beautiful North Georgia Mountains surround most of the camp. Woodruff offers a spectacular 86-acre mountain lake, excellent facilities, heavily wooded campsites, and great hiking trails. Scouts have the opportunity to enjoy camp or visit the nearby Nantahala or Ocoee Rivers for whitewater rafting or tubing. The Appalachian Trail and Cohutta Wilderness are close at hand .

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Land acquisition for the Robert W. Woodruff Scout Reservation began in 1975 and required nearly three years to secure the thirty parcels of land to create the camp. The final parcel of land was acquired in late 1978 and construction of the camp was far enough along to conduct the first summer camp in 1980. Named for one of Atlanta's most distinguished citizens, Robert W. Woodruff, the camp was dedicated on Sunday, July 19th, 1981.



Woodruff Scout Reservation Significant Facilities

Larry & Mae Chase Gateway - This large stone & timber gateway is your entry portal to Woodruff.

Rizor "Heart of Camp" Building - The Rizor building contains the camp trading post, senior staff housing, Quartermaster , and a large porch perfect for gatherings.

Gilbert R. Pirrung Amphitheater - This 1200 seat lakefront, stone construction arena, is complete with a full sound and lighting system, Totem poles highlight a great fire-ring. Out island with teepees

Buck & Winnie Chandler Waterfront - This large 480 ft wide waterfront includes 3 training pavilions, program storage, large swim docks & out-docks, a small boat dock, and lifeguard tower.

John R. Donnell Nature Center - The Donnell Center includes teaching areas, remote over-water pavilions & large deck area, raptor & wildlife cages, program storage & display space.

Irving Goldman Pavilion & Classroom—This area includes a teaching pavilion, classroom, and fish cleaning station

Sullivan/Baty Shotgun Range - This secure range area provides trap, skeet with high/low houses, a secure gun storage and teaching pavilion

General John H. Stembler Bridge - This 400 foot long bridge spanning the lake provides easy access to the COPE/Climbing area, as well as one of the best fishing venues in camp.

Rifle Range - This 16 position, covered range has gun & program storage, plus a large teaching pavilion

Preston Stevens Health Lodge - A fully staffed & equipped health lodge, treatment area, storage, patient & staff rooms.

COPE/Climbing Area - A 62' climbing/rappelling tower, complete with 2 climbing chimneys, climbing walls, as well as 6 rappelling lanes. The COPE course contains 11 high & 11 low elements

Atlanta Area Council - Boy Scouts of America About Us

The only thing more challenging than becoming successful is staying successful. It is an enviable problem indeed – and one that the Atlanta Area Council, Boy Scouts of America is facing.

By any measure, the Atlanta Area Council – Boy Scouts of America, is a huge success. It's one of the leading Boy Scout Councils in the country, both in quality and quantity. On a fast-track growth curve that's soaring beyond expectation, the Council is reaching more youth than ever before. We serve thousands of Scouts and Leaders through our Cub Scout, Boy Scout and Venturing Programs. In addition many more youth are served through our Learning For Life and Exploring Programs. Membership has doubled in the past decade. The Council is not just growing in established areas, but is reaching out to incorporate diversity and under served communities where the need for Scouting programs is greatest. Volunteerism is also increasing rapidly with thousands of adults participating at all levels of the program last year.

The Atlanta Area Council has the numbers, the quality, the dedication and the community support to remain successful far into the future.



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