

Basic Information

- Where: Hawaii, the Island of Oahu
- When: July 24th – Aug 3rd, 2009
- Who: Any registered Boy Scout
- Estimated Price: \$1550.00

Expected Activities

- Catamaran ride
- Visit Dole Plantation and maze
- Hiking various trails and landscapes
- Biking Diamond Head and Manoa Falls
- Snorkeling at several beaches and reefs
- Surfing lessons
- Overnight backpacking trip to Peacock Flats
- Sea Kayaking
- A Luau
- Swimming at various beaches
- A conservation project
- Visit Pearl Harbor- USS Arizona, USS Bowfin, USS Missouri
- Waikiki Aquarium
- Fishing

Requirements

- Must be a registered scout, venturer, or adult leader
- Must pass official BSA swim test
- Everyone must be in good physical condition. This is a high adventure trip so expect it to be physically demanding.
- Everyone must present a Class III physical form and copy of insurance card. The physical must have been done within the past 12 months.
- There must be at least one adult trained in CPR, Safety Afloat, and Safe Swim Defense.
- All adults must complete BSA youth protection training.

Finances

- Trip price includes:
 - Airfare
 - Lodging (campsites and hotels)
 - Meals
 - Ground Transportation- rental vans
 - Gas
 - Trip T-shirts
 - Go Oahu card or equivalent
 - Surfing lessons
 - Aquarium visit
 - Snorkel gear
- Price does not include souvenir money or snacks
- Prices may vary due to number of participants
- Prices are estimated on the high side.
- No reservations have been made so prices may improve.
- Fundraisers will be set up to try to decrease price.
- Continual research will be done to improve the cost of the trip.
- Any suggestions or assistance is welcome.
- Money leftover in account from previous high adventure trips and fundraisers

Fundraisers

- Pancake Breakfasts- April 5th & May 31st
- Spaghetti Dinners- April 25th & May 9th
- Malley's Chocolate Bars- continuous sale
- Car Washes –during good weather
- Other options
- Work concessions at the “Q”
- Deliver telephone books
- Rent –a- Scout
- Ideas are welcome

Go Hawaii Card

- Ok by Better Business Bureau
- Discount card

- 7 day pass- can use everything once a day for 7 days
- Uses:
 - Catamaran Breakfast ride
 - Dole Plantation fees
 - Pearl Harbor Fees
 - Bike Rentals
 - Kayak rentals
 - Surf board rentals
 - Luau
 - Boogie board rentals
 - Beach chair or umbrella rentals
 - Snorkeling tours
- Will set up payment plan when all of trip is solidified

Additional Meetings

- Informational meetings as needed
- Swim Test
- Snorkeling lessons
- Canoeing/Kayaking lessons
- Will be kept informed via email

Travel

- Fly from Cleveland to Honolulu- long flight
- Rental vans to transport around island
- Camping- campgrounds and backcountry (1 night)
- Possibility of a hotel stay
- Pack light
- Class A uniforms required for travel
- Buddy system- tents and carry ons

Equipment

- Cooking gear
- Tents- 1 for every 2 people
- Packs – no regular luggage
- Stoves- airline regulations for fuel
- Dining fly
- Personal snorkel gear
- First aid kit
- Personal clothes and gear
- Fishing gear

Payments

- Deposit for trip- \$250 non-refundable
- Airline requires \$100 deposit per person by March 15th, 2009
- Remainder of airline due May 15th