

SUMMER CAMP 2009 IN REVIEW

The reviews concerning the 2009 summer camp were complimentary. The ratings concerning staff services can best describe the program experienced. As you can see below, Scout leaders had an opportunity to rate staff services from excellent to unsatisfactory. An excellent rating was assigned a value of four, a good rating a value of three, a satisfactory rating a value of two, and an unsatisfactory rating a value of one.

Staff Services	Excellent(4)	Good(3)	Satisfactory(2)	Unsatisfactory(1)
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Enthusiasm/Attitude				
Appearance				
Helpfulness				
Friendliness				

A perfect score, with each Scout leader rating staff services as excellent is 4.0. 189 Scout leaders participated in this survey.

Week	One	Two	Three	Four	Overall
Enthusiasm/Attitude	3.90	3.90	3.72	4.00	3.88
Appearance	3.73	3.81	3.72	3.83	3.77
Helpfulness	3.78	3.93	3.65	3.88	3.81
Friendliness	3.97	3.96	3.72	3.88	3.88

As with staff services, Scout leaders had an opportunity to evaluate food services from excellent to unsatisfactory. A numerical value was assigned to each response ranging from 4 for excellent to 1 for unsatisfactory.

Food Service	Excellent(4)	Good(3)	Satisfactory(2)	Unsatisfactory(1)
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Quality				
Menu				
Service				

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Week	One	Two	Three	Four	Overall
Quality	3.26	3.82	3.45	3.32	3.46
Menu	3.45	3.72	3.45	3.48	3.52
Service	3.69	3.83	3.75	3.76	3.76

Finally, Scout leaders were asked to rate their overall summer camp experience on a ten-point scale.

Unsatisfactory ----- 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 ----- Excellent

Week	One	Two	Three	Four	Overall
Overall Experience	9.0	9.43	9.12	9.4	9.24

What Scout leaders say about Camp Pirtle 2009

Troop 128 – Diboll, TX – East Texas Area Council – “The entire staff seemed to enjoy their job. Several of our older scouts plan to staff here next summer as a result of their effort and enthusiasm.” – Wayne DuBose, Scoutmaster/Week 1

Troop 124 – Fort Polk, LA – Calcasieu Area Council – “Loved it! Very nice and courteous staff, very Nice facility. Scoutmaster Lounge was great!” – Jesus L. Perez, Scout Leader/Week 1

Troop 505 – Houston, TX – Sam Houston Area Council – “All of my scouts cleaned their plates, most had seconds. Food service was very fast, efficient, with a good serving setup.” – John Lauton, Scout Leader/Week 1

Troop 518– Lufkin, TX – East Texas Area Council – “Great many new improvements with fast check-in!” – Michael Cotton, Scoutmaster/Week 1

Troop 263 – Spring, TX – Sam Houston Area Council -- “Adult time at the pool was the best!!! Not to mention the slide!” – Terri Bates, Scout Leader/Week 2

Troop 73 – Katy, TX -- Sam Houston Area Council – “Organization was good, staff was friendly, facilities were above average and more than anything else, it was apparent that the positive experience of the scouts was the most important goal/objective of the staff.” – David Clark, Scout Leader/Week 2

Troop 1598 – Houston, TX – Sam Houston Area Council – “The staff bent over backwards to make this a good camp. They were focused on making this a good experience for the boys.” – Keith E. Van Tassel, Scout Leader/Week 2

Troop 369 – Tyler, TX – East Texas Area Council–“Camp was organized; our scouts had ample time to ‘play’, and the merit badge instruction/instructors were EXCELLENT.” – Keith McKnight, Scoutmaster/Week 2

Troop 404 – Pearland, TX – Bay Area Council – “It was hot, but the scenery is gorgeous, the facilities are nice, and the staff is awesome!!” -- Keri King, Scout Leader/ Week 3

Troop 9 – Three Rivers Council – “Good facilities, good fellowship, and good programs.” -- Conly Allen Scout Leader/ Week 3

Troop 325 – Lake Jackson, TX – Bay Area Council – “Great kid-friendly food. Seconds on food were great!” -- Ron Bradford, Scout Leader/ Week 4

Troop 572 – Lindale, TX – East Texas Area Council – “The camp is well setup, the routine is excellent, and the facilities are first class.” – Mark Rooney, Scoutmaster/Week 4

Troop 405 – Rusk, TX – East Texas Area Council – “First time back in 24 years, and I enjoyed it just as when I was young.” – Richard Murphy, Scout Leader/Week 4