

Battleship on the Bayou Campout

Saturday, February 19 -Monday, February 20
 Tchefuncta Family Campground, Folsom, LA
 Global Wildlife Center, Folsom, LA
 USS KIDD, Baton Rouge, LA

SCHEDULE

Saturday, February 18

Leave Memphis and drive to:

Tchefuncta Family Campground

54492 Campground Road, Folsom LA 70437

(359 miles - 5 1/2 to 6 hours) • www.tchefunctecampground.com

1:00 – 2:00	Arrival/Camp set-up
2:00 – 5:00	Parade/Games/Fishing (to be announced!)
6:30 – 7:30	Dinner and Clean-up
8:00 – 9:00	Campfire Program
10:00	Lanterns Out!

Sunday, February 19, 2012

Tchefuncta Family Campground

7:30 – 8:30	Breakfast and Clean-up
8:30 – 9:15	Break Camp/Pack Trailer
9:15 – 9:30	Leave No Trace
9:30	Drive to Global Wildlife Center

Global Wildlife Center

26389 HWY 40, Folsom, LA 70437 • www.globalwildlife.com

10:00 – 12:30	Wildlife Tour
12:30 – 2:00	Lunch (to be determined)
2:00 – 3:15	Caravan to Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Baton Rouge, Louisiana

Louisiana State University Campus

3:15 – 5:15	Free Time in Baton Rouge
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USS Kidd

305 South River Road, Baton Rouge, LA 70802-6220

www.uskidd.com

5:30	Arrival (go to museum snack bar)
6:00 – 7:00	Pizza Dinner
7:00	Board Ship! Engine Room Tour, Ham Radio Demo, Scavenger Hunt, etc.

Monday, February 21

USS KIDD

Flag Raising; McDonald's Breakfast

9:00	Leave for home!
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MEDICAL FORMS

EVERYONE going on this trip
 MUST have a medical form on
 file with Pack 271.

COSTS, etc.

\$50 per person

This includes:

Saturday, 2/18

- ★ Dinner
- ★ Campground fees

Sunday, 2/19

- ★ Breakfast
- ★ Admission to Global
Wildlife Center
- ★ Feed @ Global Wildlife
Center
- ★ Pizza Dinner
- ★ Admission to USS Kidd
- ★ Breakfast on USS Kidd

Additional Expenditures (on your own):

- ★ Snacks & extra beverages
- ★ Sunday Lunch

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USS KIDD SCHEDULE

The USS KIDD overnight program begins at 7:00 p.m. on the night of your stay and ends at 9:00 a.m. on the following morning. All times below are approximate.

Once all groups have arrived in full, you will be shown a short orientation film and your guide(s) will go over the Safety Rules with you.

7:00	Orientation film & Safety briefing.
7:45 ~ 8:15	Move gear to the KIDD, stow food items on Main Deck, get settled into bunks, conduct fire drill.
8:15 ~ 9:30	Guided tour of the USS KIDD.
9:30 ~ 12:00	Scavenger Hunt, Engine Room Tour, Ham Radio Demonstration
12:00 midnight	Lights Out.
12:00 ~ 6:30	Sleep period. <i>No hands should be above deck except for bathroom purposes (adults or children).</i>
6:30 a.m.	Reveille
6:30 ~ 7:00	All hands pack their gear and get ready to depart the ship.
7:00	All hands depart ship with their gear and return to museum on shore. Gift Shop opens at this time for purchase of souvenirs.
7:15 ~ 7:30	McDonalds delivers breakfast to museum.
7:30 ~ 8:00	Breakfast outside in P-40 Courtyard (weather dependent).
8:00 ~ 9:00	Tour Museum (optional)
9:00	Flag Raising conducted at this time.
9:00 ~ 5:00	<i>Overnight admission covers any additional self-guided touring through the close of business at 5:00 p.m.</i>

PACK 271 CAMPING RULES

BSA rules state: "No youth will stay in the tent of an adult other than his/her parent or guardian."

Scouts will use the buddy system for all activities at camp. The buddy system requires that Scouts travel in at least a group of two; however, parents are responsible for their own children at all times.

Scouts and adults are not permitted to bring knives, axes, alcohol, drugs or tobacco, firearms, fireworks, air rifles, bow and arrows or other dangerous items. Only adults and Scouts who have earned their Whittling Chip are permitted to have knives. Scouts must have their Whittling Chip with them.

One group campfire will be provided Saturday night. No individual campfires are permitted. Fires, grills, Coleman lanterns or open flames inside a tent are a violation of BSA rules.

No throwing or playing of any kind with rock or sticks.

Practice "Leave No Trace" guidelines.

Parents will be asked to assist in food service and activity execution. Each family is also asked not to leave until the cleaning and straightening of the camp area has been completed. This will prevent a small handful of people from having to spend several hours cleaning the camp after most people have left.

All Aboard!

What You Need to Know About Camping on the USS KIDD

Camping overnight aboard the USS KIDD is a fun and educational way to spend time with your family. You'll experience the close-quarters living firsthand and learn about the courage under fire displayed by our American heroes.

- ★ Individuals taking the tour only (for whatever reason) must still pay the full price and be included in your final count, even if they depart after the tour and do not spend the night.
- ★ ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST BE AT LEAST 6 YEARS OF AGE AND OLDER!

Bunking Arrangements

There are five (5) berthing compartments aboard the USS KIDD with varied numbers of bunks in each space. Your space will be assigned to you upon your arrival and will depend upon the size of your group. We do not assign different groups to the same sleeping compartment.

Packing & What to Bring!

REMEMBER: pack light! You are not going away for a week-long cruise. The more luggage you bring, the more you have to carry. The ladders aboard ship are nearly 70-degrees in angle and you have to move your gear up and down several ladders. Also, there are no closets aboard ship to stow your gear. Large, bulky suitcases should not even be considered.

- ★ You should bring a sleeping bag and pillow and one (1) change of clothing.
- ★ If you plan to make use of the limited shower facilities, you will want to bring a towel, wash cloth, soap, and toiletries.
- ★ *Footwear*
 - ★ Visitors should not wear sandals, flip flops, or any open-toed or high-heeled shoes aboard ship. High-heels could cause a fall and sprain or break an ankle. Open-toed shoes do not provide adequate protection to your feet when climbing ladders or walking through water-tight doors and hatches and could result in a torn or broken toe(s).
 - ★ Crocs are also prohibited as they do not have the appropriate grip or tread on the bottom of the shoes needed for shipboard wear.

Food

- ★ All groups should eat a full meal (dinner) prior to arriving at the USS KIDD for their Overnight.
 - ★ *We're having a Pizza Dinner!*
- ★ Snacks and juices or soft drinks are allowed aboard ship under the following conditions:
 - ★ No food or drinks are allowed in any interior spaces (i.e. if there's a ceiling over your head).
 - ★ Keep all food and drink items in 1-2 large ice chests for the group; not in individual luggage.
 - ★ *We will collect snacks (place in bag and label with family name) prior to boarding ship*
 - ★ All food and drinks must be consumed in a designated area aboard ship.
 - ★ Do not pack food or drink items in your individual luggage. You will be required to remove it before going below decks.
 - ★ Breakfast includes a Sausage Biscuit & Milk from McDonalds.
 - ★ NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES of any kind are allowed aboard ship. There are no exceptions to this and violation of this standard will result in immediate dismissal and removal from the premises.

Conduct

As with any such youth program, all participants are asked to follow the shipboard rules of conduct for the safety of all concerned. The USS KIDD Veterans Memorial reserves the right to refuse entry to and/or remove from the premises, without refund, any group or individuals who violate these safeguards or displays disorderly or unlawful behavior at any time.

The Boy and Girl Scouts have a very appropriate saying that we hope all of our guests will adopt: "Leave it in better condition than you found it."

