

Pack 92 “Hike and Bike” Campout at Hog Island!

January 20th – 22nd 2012

Come join us at the Hog Island recreation area within the Withlacoochee State Forest Croom Wilderness area for a “Hike and Bike” family camping event! The Hog Island youth camp area is “Semi-Primitive” and has picnic tables, campfire area, water, canoe launch, and use of the bath house with hot/cold water showers (no power hook-ups). A tentative list of scheduled activities is below:

- **2 Mile Nature Hike**– From the camp ground we will hike the 2 mile Hog Island nature trail and identify native plants, animals, eco-systems, and geography. This will be about a 2 hour hike that most scouts can do very easy.
- **Hike or Bike Option:** after lunch the scouts will have an “option” to either do a longer 7 mile hike on the nearby “River Trail” or bring their bikes for a 10 mile on and off road bike adventure. All bike riders will need to bring a helmet and a working bike and must be a good rider. Hikers must bring proper shoes, water, bug spray, and a snack.
- **Fishing:** The camp is right on the Withlacoochee River, so fresh water fishing is a good option as well. Adults will need to have a valid Fishing license to fish.
- **Dinner on the Pack!:** We will have a pack paid dinner of Beef stew and rice to warm us up on a chilly night!
- **Limited Space!:** We are limited to a ***total of 50 campers***, so the 1st 50 people who sign up will be included. There will be no cost to this campout so signup early! If you signup and can’t make it please let us know ASAP so others can participate! As always, scouts can come out for the day to join-in on the activities if they do not want to camp.

Click the link for directions http://www.fl-dof.com/state_forests/withlacoochee_croom.html#hog

Call Darrin Wilson at 813-300-6840 with any questions

See the pack Website for all Camping information at www.Pack92.net