



## Honey Island Swamp Tour

### Cub Scout Pack 298, Saturday May 21, 2011

Honey Island Swamp Tours has provided unique, interpretative boat tours since 1982. Use of small boats (both covered and uncovered) allow us deep access into the heart of our beautiful honey island cypress swamp. All boats are Coast inspected; and all guides are licensed, native, professional guides.

- Professionally narrated boat tour with friendly, knowledgeable guides native to South Louisiana.
- Many opportunities for nature photography and wildlife observation.
- Non-commercial explanation of Louisiana Swamp ecology and natural history.
- Our small-sized boats allow access deep into the swamp interior and shallow backwater areas. 18-24 people per boat with 5 boats! **Space is limited!**
- Resident and migratory wildlife include alligators, bald eagles, waterfowl, herons, egrets, ibis, owls, osprey, deer, feral hogs, nutria, raccoon, otter, beaver, turtles, frogs.
- Two-hour tour starts at 11:30 AM, **we must be there by 11:00AM**. It is 180 miles from Madison to Slidell, LA (Crawford Landing) so we will plan for 3 hours to include a quick potty/stretch/snack stop.
- Pack a lunch for a picnic after the tour! There is a gift shop so if you'd like to purchase something, bring cash as they don't take credit cards.

**Deadline for Registration Forms is April 25<sup>th</sup> Pack Meeting.** Please complete form on back and return cash or checks made payable to Pack 298 to your Den Leader **NO LATER THAN APRIL 25<sup>th</sup>** to secure your spot on the boat. The Pack is subsidizing a third of the cost so **you only pay \$20 for a one scout-one akela pair!** Additional family member are \$12 each for kids and \$18 each for adults.

**Pack 298 Vans will DRIVE AWAY FROM** the Madison United Methodist Church parking lot at **8:00 AM SHARP!** Please be **ON** the vans **ON TIME!** There will be coolers to store your lunches and snacks, please plan for the long ride.

**NO ELECTRONICS (iPods, DS, etc.)** allowed on the vans, tour or trip. We will engage in Cub Scout activities!

Each scout must be with an Akela. We have space for 44 in the vans so if you have a multi passenger vehicle and are willing to drive, please note that on the registration form in case we need more than just the vans for the trip.

[www.honeyislandswamp.com](http://www.honeyislandswamp.com)



**Name of Scout:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Relation of Akela to scout:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Den #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Den Level:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Den Leader:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you have a multi-passenger vehicle & are willing to drive if needed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you planning to drive your own family:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Cell phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home phone#:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Who/How to contact in case of emergency while on the trip:**

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**\$20 per Scout/Akela Pair (add \$10 if you have 2 scouts) Additional family member \$12/children \$18/adult.**

**Amount enclosed:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Waiver: I release BSA and Pack 298 of any liability on this trip.**

**Sign here:** \_\_\_\_\_