

Appendix 30A to
THE HISTORY OF SCOUTING IN SOUTH GEORGIA
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Camp Chase S. Osborn Summer Camp Patches

Almost since its inception, Camp Osborn has followed a great Scouting tradition and issued a patch to Scouts who attend summer camp. According to Ralph Ellis, no patch was issued during his time as a professional with Chehaw Council, which would mean that no patch was issued prior to the summer camp of 1946.



Felt patch

Circa late 1940s



Circa 1953

The rocker at the bottom is part of the patch and not a true rocker. Both the patch and the made-on rocker have a yellow border.

Most likely issued in 1953.



Circa early 1950s

One tee pee represented a first year at Camp Osborn. Two tee pees represented a camper's second year at Camp Osborn. Three tee pees represented three years at Camp Osborn.

All patches are the same size and color. Any visual differences are due to scanning.



From 1954 to 1969 rockers were issued which were placed on the right front pocket around either the Chehaw Council patch (CP 101) or the Camp Osborn patch.

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Two versions of the “Honor Camper” rocker. Top is 53 mm wide and the bottom is 90 mm wide.

“Conservation Camporee” rocker was found with Johnny Griner’s Patches. Its origin, purpose, and even if it is from Chehaw Council are unknown.



1970
First Camp Osborn patch issued after
the rockers were discontinued.



1971



1972



1973



1973 with Rockers



Either 1974 or 1975



Either 1974 or 1975



1976



1977



1978



1979



1982

Thought to have been given to troops who pre-registered for summer camp in 1982,



This patch was used for summer camp from 1980 to 1983. The '97' is the council number for Chehaw Council and not the year.



Patch was used for 4 summer camps: 1980, 1981, 1982 and 1983.



Rockers are: Good Turn (issued to troops who performed an improvement project at camp; two colors); Mile Swim; Webelos Camp; and, Dad-Lad Weekend.





1984



1985



1986 patch
and hat pin

No Patch

In 1987 there was no summer camp at
Camp Osborn.



1988



1989



1990



1991



1992



1993



1994



1995



1996



1997



1998

Issued for the 50th Anniversary of Camp Osborn, which was thought to be in 1998. The patch on the left the has 1988 on it and is an error. The entire order arrived with the error and had to be reordered. The patch on the bottom is correct (at least as intended) and has 1998 on it. The year 1998 was actually the 55th anniversary of Camp Osborn as camp was opened in 1943.



1999



1999 Staff Patch



2000
 (See the 02K patch at the end of this Appendix which I believe was sold at summer camp.)



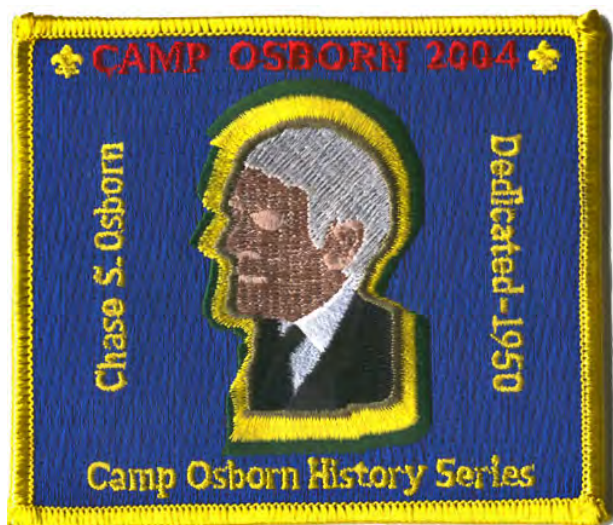
2001



2002



2003



2004



2005



2006



2007



2008



2009
Gold Border Camper Patch
Issued to regular campers



2009
The Ozzle



2009
Staff



2009
For Scoutmasters who attended camp
with their troops.



Issued by Immokalee Lodge #353
to Arrowmen who served on the
summer camp staff.



2010
Regular patch



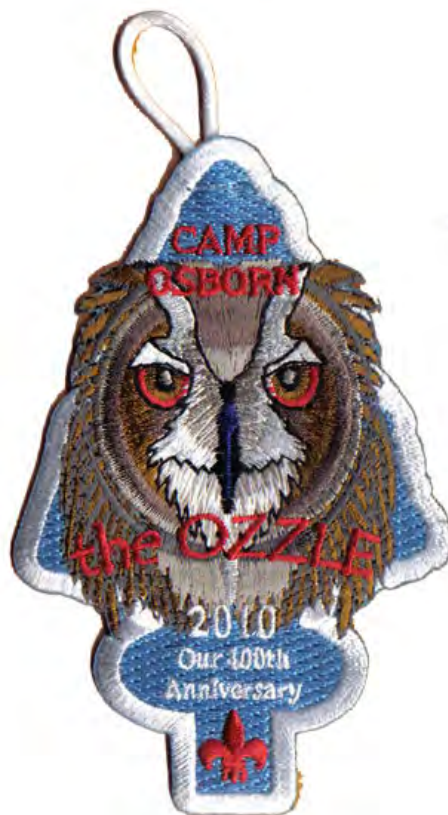
Given to scouts from 2010
Honor Troops



2010 Staff



Given to Scoutmasters in 2010



2010
The Ozzle



Issued by Immokalee Lodge #353
to Arrowmen who served on the
summer camp staff for their 2010
lodge activity patch



2011 Summer Camp

Designed by Mike Johnson

300 Made



2011 Summer Camp
Honor Troop

30 Made



2011 Summer Camp
Scoutmaster's Award

Designed by: Mike Johnson

100 Made



2011 Summer Camp Staff

Designed by: Mike Johnson

Staff Patch (Gold Mylar Border) = 35
Staff Patch (Regular Border) = 75



2012 Summer Camp

Designed by Mike Johnson
400 made



Honor Camper
2012 Summer Camp

One scout from each troop was selected by the members of his troop to receive the patch

Designed by Mike Johnson
100 made



Scoutmaster's Award
2012 Summer Camp

Earned by scoutmasters who completed a set of requirements during camp.

Designed by Mike Johnson
100 made



Staff
2012 Summer Camp

Designed by Mike Johnson
100 made



Ghosted Staff
2012 Summer Camp

“Thank You” patch from
Camp Director to Staff

Designed by Mike Johnson
100 made



Special Staff Recognition
2012 Summer Camp

Designed by Mike Johnson
50 made

2012 was the last year that summer camp was held at Camp Osborn. The camp continues to be used for other scout camping.



2000 Fundraising Patch



**Given in 2018 to person who
helped with the Workdays
(Pocket Patch)**



**Given in 2018 to person for
a \$50 donation to the
Camp Osborn Fund
(Large Jacket Patch)**



**Withlacoochee Lodge
2024
Fundraiser**