



**Battleship Cove Sleepover - Space is limited -  
Sign-up at the Games Night Pack Meeting  
Monday February 11<sup>th</sup> at USMC  
Bring your check book!**

The Pack 60 sleepover at Battleship Cove on the U.S.S. Massachusetts is just about our most popular sleepover, and its not offered every year, but we are going this year! Book early to avoid disappointment.

"It is not uncommon to see a father, who as a boy spent a night aboard the battleship, return with his son to repeat the experience. They trudge up the gangway carrying sleeping bags, pillows, backpacks (and an occasional teddy bear). They may be weary from their journey, but they're soon transformed. The awesome size of the ship dazzles them. They gaze at the masts where the U.S. flag and an array of signal flags flutter proudly. They marvel at the [16" guns, the 40MM mounts](#), the turrets and the superstructure. You see it in their faces. They've never seen a ship so big and they say to themselves, "I can't believe we'll be spending the night onboard!"

After stowing their gear, campers wander in wonder at everything Battleship Cove has to offer. The look of amazement turns to glee when they climb on the 40MM mounts and crank the handwheels. With imaginary shells bursting all around they fight off the enemy and save their proud ship. They scamper about, investigating the guns, ducking into the turrets, climbing on the mounts, sprinting up the ladders. . . [exploring everywhere.](#)"

**From:** Friday May 9<sup>th</sup> (arrive 3pm to 6pm)  
**To:** Saturday May 10<sup>th</sup> (between 9am and 4.30pm - your choice!)  
**Where:** Battleship Cove, Fall River, MA.  
**Cost:** \$47 per person

**YOU GET**

• Two days' paid admission with overnight [lodging](#) on board a National Historic Landmark • Full, nutritious [dinner, breakfast, and box lunch](#) served in the battleship's Officers' Wardroom • [Feature films](#) shown on board Big Mamie • A rotating schedule of knot-tying and [Morse Code](#) classes, flag-folding presentations, [story-telling](#), and historical [re-enactments](#) • A free 16-page [souvenir guide](#) with a pull-out map of Big Mamie • Free admission to the [Marine Museum](#). More info: <http://www.battleshipcove.org/camping.htm>

**How do I sign-up?**

To sign up please make out a check to Sudbury Pack 60 for \$47 per person, write the names of the attendees on the memo section of the check and bring it to the February Pack Meeting next Monday (February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2008). Space is limited, and spots will be allocated on a first come basis.

ALL Cub Scouts are invited to attend, including the Webelos II boys who will have crossed over to Scouts by then. Each child needs an adult chaperone. If you cannot attend, but wish your son to attend, please make arrangements with another parent for the responsibility of your child and notify your Den Leader. Sorry, no siblings can attend this event.

If you are unable to attend the Feb 11<sup>th</sup> pack meeting, please send an email to me, Ivan O'Sullivan at: [iosullivan@hotmail.com](mailto:iosullivan@hotmail.com) and I will arrange to collect your check.