

Camp Shands, Baden-Powell Scout Reservation

Mailing Address:

**1453 Baden-Powell Road
Hawthorne, FL 32640**

**Camp Ranger: Robert Burns
352-475-1212**

**Ames Lodge
352-475-5080 (only
available during
Summer Camp)**

DIRECTIONS TO CAMP SHANDS:

Directions to Camp Shands from Jacksonville:

Take Florida State Road 21 (Blanding Blvd.) south from Jacksonville. Travel SR 21 through Keystone Heights and Melrose. Approximately three miles south of Melrose turn East (Left) onto Baden-Powell Road. The entrance to Camp Shands is located 2.8 miles on the right, marked by two large stone pillars.

Directions to Camp Shands from Gainesville:

From Gainesville, take the University Boulevard exit (SR 26) east from I-75. Travel through Gainesville on University Boulevard (SR 26). Cross US 301 and continue on SR 26 to Melrose. At the junction of SR 26 and CR 21, turn right onto CR 21. Approximately 3 miles south of Melrose, turn left onto Baden-Powell Road. The entrance to Camp Shands is located 2.8 miles on the right, marked by two large stone pillars. The phone number at Camp Shands is (352) 475-5080*.

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