

Restaurant Specialty Week

Pre-requisite: An email from your Scoutmaster stating that the Scout has permission to complete these requirements in a virtual, backyard setting.

All requirements will be met, to the letter, with the proper adjustments for acknowledgement of the Covid-19 parameters for Scouting.

Scouts will work to create a fictional restaurant through which they will complete requirements for 4 Merit Badges: Cooking, Entrepreneurship, American Business, and Salesmanship. Scouts should be able to complete Entrepreneurship and American Business with partials in Cooking and Salesmanship although there may be an opportunity to complete these as well. The details are listed below.

Daily Schedule

Scouts will be full participants in Camp Kinda-Like-A and will have access to all programs and activities in addition to their two daily sessions.

10:00-11:30 AM: Morning Session
11:30 AM: Scouts BSA Opening Ceremony
1:00 – 3:00 PM: Afternoon Session
7:00 PM: Camp Kinda-Like-A Evening Program

The Program

Cooking Merit Badge: Although this merit badge has extensive requirements, it is completely feasible to earn it within one week. The backpacking cooking requirements may take some extra time to complete, but support will be provided for any scout needing extra time for completion

Entrepreneurship Merit Badge: Completed within the week

American Business Merit: Completed within the week

Salesmanship Merit Badge: All requirements, except for #5 will be completed within the week

5. Do ONE of the following and keep a record (cost sheet). Use the sales techniques you have learned, and share your experience with your counselor:

- (a) Help your unit raise funds through sales of merchandise or of tickets to a Scout event.
- (b) Sell your services such as lawn raking or mowing, pet watching, dog walking, snow shoveling, and car washing to your neighbors. Follow up after the service has been completed and determine the customer's satisfaction.
- (c) Earn money through retail selling