2025 Merit Badge University

Peoria Riverfront Museum and Caterpillar Visitor Center

February 15, 2025

**Event Times:**

Noon-12:30 PM Check-in (Main Lobby - Peoria Riverfront Museum)

12:30-1:00 PM Opening (Giant Screen Theater - Peoria Riverfront Museum)

1:00-4:00 PM Merit Badges

4:00-5:00 PM Peoria Riverfront Museum Open for Scouts

5:00 PM Peoria Riverfront Museum Closes

* Check-in and Opening take place in the Peoria Riverfront Museum.
* Register in the Lobby then proceed to the Giant Screen Theater for the Opening
* Plan to arrive before 12:30 pm to allow for an on-time start.
* Free Parking is available in the parking deck under both museums; enter from Water Street

After the opening, Scouts will find the sign and counselor for their session in the lobby. They will lead you to your assigned location.

Although the Caterpillar Visitor Center & Museum publishes a closing time of 3:30 pm, it will remain open for the eduration of the Merit Badge sessions held there.

Class A attire is preferred

No food or drink is allowed in either museum's galleries, but the Peoria Riverfront Museum has a concession stand.  Caterpillar Visitor Center & Museum will allow reusable water bottles for this event.

You can print out your Scout schedule! In your online registration look for the Reports tab near the top. Click on Class Schedule and Print.

After the event, we will update merit badges. You will then be able to print the blue card information from the Reports on your registration.

We will not be collecting Medical Forms, but as part of always being prepared, Scouts or units should have Medical Forms A & B with them.