

## **Merit Badge College**

Pine Tree council is holding a merit badge college on February 21<sup>st</sup> and March 21<sup>st</sup> of 2026. To earn most merit badges you will need to attend both days of the college. You can attend only one day but you will only get a partial and would have to keep in contact with your merit badge councilor to finish the badge. Some merit badges will have requirements that would need to be started or done before the college. These requirements will be shown next to the merit badge. There will be a \$10 fee for each day. This fee is going toward lunch for everyone.

**Location:** Westbrook Community Center

426 Bridge Street  
Westbrook, ME 04092

**Time:** 10am to 3pm

**Merit Badges:**

**Morning sessions 10am to 12pm**

**Art:** This badge can be earned in one day if you do Requirement 6 before coming to your session. Otherwise you will have to contact the councilor afterwards or show up on in March to finish. This merit badge will have enough room for 10.

**Emergency Preparedness:** This merit badge will be held all day. Before taking this merit badge it is helpful to have done Requirement 9 before. This merit badge will have enough room for 8.

**Citizenship in the World:** There are no requirements that have to be done before showing up to this badge. You will need to come to both colleges to finish this badge. This merit badge will have enough room for 10.

**Family Life:** Family life has a requirement that takes 90 days. If you can get a head start on Requirement 3 you can finish this in the two days. Otherwise you will have a partial. This merit badge will have enough room for 6.

**Scout Skills:** We will have some OA members coming in on Feb 21<sup>st</sup> to help do any requirements that a scout would like to work on up to first class. The scouts should bring their book so they can get anything they get done signed off. This is open to all scouts and will be available all day on February 21<sup>st</sup>. No limit to how many can do this.

**Lunch:** Lunch will be served from 12 to 1pm.

**Afternoon Badges: 1pm to 3pm**

**Personal Management:** This badge will need Requirement 2 to be started. As this requirement requires 13 weeks of work being done. If you can get a head start on this requirement it could possibly be earned in by attending both sessions. This badge will have enough room for 8.

**Communication:** This merit badge can be earned by attending both sessions. Requirement 5 can be done before the first college but will need to be done by at least the second session. This badge will have enough room for 8.

**Emergency Preparedness:** This merit badge is all day. If you sign up for this badge you will need to do both days and both times.

**Citizenship in the Nation:** This merit badge can be earned by attending both days. You can have a head start on this badge by completing requirement 5 before showing up on the first day. This badge will have enough room for 10.

**March 21<sup>st</sup> Special:**

**Hands on CPR:** We are getting a CPR trainer to come in and teach all the first aid through first class as well as get everyone CPR Certified. This will be done all day and there is no limit to the amount of kids that can join. If you wish to get your

certification it will be an additional cost of \$25 for the CPR card. That card will be emailed to the recipient after completion. Each person will need to bring their scout books to get the first aid requirements to first class signed off.

Sign up by giving me the name and badge they wish to do. If there are any issues I will email you back with that information. Anyone can do badge in the morning then one in the afternoon. If you have a Scout who is a Life Scout and needs to do the teaching requirements they can also join for Scout Skills and teach if they want to.

If you have any questions please reach out to:

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