

National Pike Webelos-O-Ree

Leaders Guide

Webelos-O-Ree is a chance for Arrow of Light and Webelos Dens to experience scout camping. We encourage dens to elect a Patrol Leader and function as a patrol for the weekend. Create a menu and a duty roster. We encourage the parents this weekend to relax and let the youth prepare the meals and clean. Obviously, coaching is encouraged.

On Saturday morning, each camp site will be visited by Troop 851 Scouts. These inspectors will score the camp site from a criteria sheet found later in this document. Some of the items the inspectors will be looking at is who is doing the cooking. Is the Cubmaster in uniform and has a camp gadget been built? An easy way to excel at the camp inspection is to have the Patrol Leader go down the criteria sheet and show the Scouts the camp. Please understand that the inspector who visits you will be a young scout who has been instructed to be very lenient in scoring. Please keep this in mind when they visit you.

After breakfast, we will hold a flag ceremony at the parade field. Dens will be arranged in a semi-circle around the flags. Den cheers and flags are encouraged. After the flag is raised, we will then hold a roll call of dens. Be ready to give your den cheer. After the roll call and any administrative announcements, we will dismiss the ceremony. Arrow of Light dens will then proceed to the BB range for a safety briefing and Webelos will remain for Archery safety brief. (**NOTE:** There is an included copy of the Scout and Cub Scout shooting sports waivers. **ALL** participants must have a signed copy to participate in any of the shooting stations.)

At the end of the flag ceremony, each den will be given a trail score sheet. Please make sure to put your den information on it. The score sheet will tell you at which station you will be starting. You will then follow the trail from station to station. The trail will shut down for lunchtime and there will be a short leaders meeting. At the leaders meeting, we will also pick the order of seating for the campfire that night. The trail will open after lunch. Most dens do not get a chance to visit every station. This is OK.

After the trail closes, we will hold a Flag Retreat Ceremony. Dens will then return to their campsite for dinner. At 8pm we will meet at the flag poles and parade to the campfire. The campfire is always a good time, and we look forward to seeing the skits that your den has prepared (see below about coordinating your skits with the 851 Senior Patrol Leader, if you have a popular skit you want to do coordinate early).

After the campfire is over, **Arrow of Light Scouts** can attend a Meet the Troops event held at the pavilion. Quiet time in camp starts at 10pm.

Date:	October 9-11, 2026
Location:	Camp Saffran, Broad Creek Memorial Scout Reservation 1929 Susquehanna Hall Rd, Whiteford, Md 21160 https://maps.app.goo.gl/hMWogfoC2vbT3L2h6
Arrival:	5 pm - 9 pm <i>Please do not show up prior to 5 pm. If you show up prior to 5 pm you will not be allowed into camp.</i> A leader from each unit needs to come into the Rosenberg Welcome Center and sign in your unit. ** Broadcreek will require a name, plate #, and car make/model for each car. Cars CANNOT be left at campsites <u>Packs and troops need to submit a roster of attendees at arrival</u>
Campsites:	Campsites are assigned only after the registration closes. We do not release those assignments until your unit arrives at WOR. As each vehicle enters camp it will be stopped and informed what campsite you are assigned to and given directions. Please understand that we try to honor campsite requests but that is not a guarantee. Remember, the campsites and those facilities in them are shared resources between all units assigned to the site.
Parking:	When you arrive at camp, please proceed to your assigned campsite. When you arrive at the campsite immediately unload the vehicle to the side of the roadway. Do not start moving gear into camp. Once the vehicle is unloaded, immediately move it to Flint Ridge Parking or the parking lot at the front of the camp. Once the vehicle is parked, return to the camp and move the gear into the site. Following this procedure allows for a smooth arrival for all scouters at camp. <u>Any vehicle parked at a campsite will result in 20 points being deducted from every den assigned to the campsite.</u>
Youth Protection:	Please make sure scouts are using the buddy system and all Youth Protection Guidelines are followed.
Rules:	All behavior should be within the Scout Oath and Law.
Pets:	You may not bring your pet to WOR.

First Aid:	The First Aid Station will be at the Dining Pavilion. Please send any persons needing treatment to the Pavilion. If the person is not able to walk, please call Laura Wisely at 443-226-7221. We always enjoy watching the activities den leaders come up with to occupy the dead time in the schedule. Some activities such as knife skills might be better left for another weekend. Can you guess what injury is the most common at WOR?
Den Cheers:	Please come prepared with a den cheer. It will be used at the flag ceremonies. Often on the trail a troop will request to hear a den cheer. Please be ready. Also, it is completely within etiquette to ask to hear the patrol or troop cheer after performing the den cheer.
Den Skits:	Please prepare a skit for your den to perform at the campfire. <u>Skits are first come first served.</u> At the Webelos Leaders meeting Friday night and Saturday afternoon we will be accepting skits. If another den has already selected your preferred skit and turned it in, then they get to perform it and you will need to select a new one. We really can't have the Important Papers skit done over and over.
Fire Pits:	Please only use established fire rings in campsites. DO NOT DIG NEW ONES
Tagalongs:	Tagalongs are not allowed. Do not bring a scout younger than Webelos.

SPECIAL EQUIPMENT NEEDED FOR THE TRAILS AND CAMP ACTIVITIES

(ALSO SEE CAMPSITE INSPECTION SHEET)

1. Each den should have a 6-foot length of $\frac{1}{4}$ inch rope.
2. Each scout will need their appropriate scout book. This is an excellent time to sign off achievements while waiting at stations or at night in campsites.
3. Each den will need at least four scout staves. ($\frac{3}{4}$ -1 inch diameter poles 4 feet in length)
4. A hand-washing station in every campsite.
5. Garbage Bags to sit on at the campfire if it's been wet.
6. Each scout should have a daypack with water, first aid kit, and raingear for the trail.
7. Den Flags, Cheers, and Yells.
8. One copy of the Scout Handbook per den for the camp wide games.
9. Songs and skit ideas for the campfire.
10. A clipboard to keep track of your den's scoresheet and scavenger hunt sheet while on the trail. (This is not a parent task)

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

<u>FRIDAY</u>	
5:00 PM	Unit check-in and setup
9:00 PM	Leaders Meeting at HQ (Nentico Dining Pavillion)
10:00 PM	TAPS
10:00 PM to 6:30 AM	Quiet Time
<u>SATURDAY</u>	
6:30 AM	Reville
7:00 AM	Breakfast, Camp Cleanup, In-Camp Projects
8:30 AM	Opening Ceremonies (at Flags)
9:00 AM	Safety Orientations: Rifle at Rifle Range; Archery at Flag Poles
9:30 AM - 12:00 PM	Activities Trail
12:00 PM	Lunch, Cleanup, In-Camp Projects
12:45 PM	Leaders Meeting at HQ (Nentico Dining Pavillion)
1:30 PM - 4:45 PM	Activities Trail Opens (BB range closes at 4:30 PM)
5:15 PM	Retreat at flag poles
6:30 PM	Dinner (Campsites), Scouts Own Service (Location TBA)
8:00 PM	Parade to Campfire (Meet at flag poles)
(Directly after Campfire)	Ice Cream Social / Meet the Troops for AOLs (at Pavillion) (bring a cup for hot chocolate!)
10:00 PM	TAPS
10:00 PM - 6:30 AM	Quiet Time
<u>SUNDAY</u>	
6:30 AM	Reveille
7:00 AM	Breakfast, Camp Cleanup
9:00 AM	Flag Ceremony
9:30 AM	Camp Wide Games
(Directly after games)	Awards and Closing
	Lunch, Cleanup, Check Out



SCOUTS BSA, VENTURING and SEA SCOUTS RANGE AND TARGET ACTIVITIES

Youth Program Participation and Hold Harmless Agreement

Participant's Printed Name:	Council:	District (if known):	Troop:
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The Baltimore Area Council is conducting a Range and Target Activities program.

I, the undersigned, give my child (the "participant" name entered above), permission to participate in the programs I have initialed next to below. I understand that participation in these activities involves a certain degree of risk.

I have carefully considered the risk involved and have given consent for my child to participate in the activities initialed next to below. I understand that participation in each activity is entirely voluntary and requires participants to abide by the rules and standards of conduct. I hereby release the Boy Scouts of America, the Baltimore Area Council, the activity coordinators, and all employees, volunteers, related parties, or other organizations associated with each activity (the "Released Parties") from and against all claims, actions, proceedings, damages, liabilities, and expenses of every kind, whether known or unknown and whether or not foreseeable, including, without limitation, those for or relating to bodily injury, property damage, or loss of life that in any way relates to, results from, or arises out of this participation. We agree to defend and indemnify the Released Parties from and against any and all claims, actions, proceedings, damages, liabilities, and expenses of every kind that in any way relate to, result from, or arise out of the Participant participating in the shooting sports program.

I understand that any additional cost associated with participation in these programs will not be refunded if my child is removed for behavioral problems. For safety, my child and I agree that they will do the following or they will be removed from the program:

1. Complete a range safety briefing.

2. Wear the required safety equipment while on the range.

3. Follow all the safety rules provided in the safety briefing.

4. Follow the instructions of the NRA Range Safety Officer(s), NRA Pistol Instructor(s), NRA Rifle Instructor(s), NRA Shotgun Instructor(s), BSA Archery Rangemaster(s) or USA Archery Instructor(s), and/or those with superseding training.

5. Do not handle the bow or firearms until instructed to do so by the qualified instructor(s) listed above.

6. Is registered as a Scouts BSA, Sea Scout, or Venturer member.

Archery

The Baltimore Area Council offers instructional and open shoot static archery programs. In these programs, Scouts will handle nocking arrows, drawing the bow, and releasing to shoot at a static target under the supervision of a BSA Archery Rangemaster or USA Archery Instructor.

I, the undersigned, verify that my child has my permission to participate in static archery: Initial _____

Rifle Shooting

The Baltimore Area Council offers instructional and open shoot rifle programs. In these programs, Scouts will handle a .22 rifle, load rounds, and fire at static targets under the supervision of an NRA Rifle Instructor.

I, the undersigned, verify that my child has my permission to participate in rifle shooting: Initial _____

Shotgun Shooting

The Baltimore Area Council offers instructional and open shoot shotgun programs. In these programs, Scouts will handle a 12- gauge or 20-gauge shotgun and shoot at moving clay targets under the supervision of an NRA Shotgun Instructor.

I, the undersigned, verify that my child has my permission to participate in shotgun shooting: Initial _____

(Please flip sheet to continue)





Sporting Arrows

The Baltimore Area Council offers Sporting Arrows as an advanced archery program. In this program, the youth will handle a bow and shoot at moving disk targets launched into the air on a range, under the supervision of a USA Archery Level 1 Certified Instructor.

I, the undersigned, verify that my child has my permission to participate in sporting arrows: Initial _____

Cowboy Action Shooting

The Baltimore Area Council offers a Cowboy Action Shooting program. In this program, Scouts will shoot static targets using a lever action .22 rifle, a single action .22 revolver and a 20-gauge shotgun under the supervision of an NRA Rifle Instructor, NRA Pistol Instructor and NRA Shotgun Instructor. Participants must be at least 14 years of age, or 13 and have completed the eighth grade at the start of the activity to be in full compliance with all local, state and federal guidelines, including age restrictions and original equipment manufacturer standards.

I, the undersigned, verify that my child is at least 14 years of age, or 13 having completed the 8th grade, and has my permission to participate in the Cowboy Action Shooting program:

Initial _____

Muzzleloading Rifle Shooting

The Baltimore Area Council offers a muzzleloading rifle open shooting experience. In this program, Scouts will be introduced to the use of the percussion muzzleloading rifle and will shoot static targets from the bench position under the supervision of an NRA Muzzleloading Rifle Instructor.

I, the undersigned, verify that my child has my permission to participate in muzzleloading rifle open shooting experience:

Initial _____

Pistol Shooting

The Baltimore Area Council offers a Pistol Shooting program. In this program, the youth will be taught the NRA First Steps Pistol Orientation course and will shoot static targets using a .22 semi-automatic pistol under the supervision of an NRA Pistol Instructor. Participants must be at least 14 years of age, or 13 years of age and have completed the eighth grade at the start of the activity to be in full compliance with all local, state and federal guidelines, including age restrictions and original equipment manufacturer standards.

I, the undersigned, verify that my child is at least 14 years of age, or 13 having completed the 8th grade, and has my permission to participate in the Pistol Shooting program:

Initial _____

Tomahawk Throwing

The Baltimore Area Council offers a tomahawk throwing experience for Scouts BSA, Venturing and Sea Scouting. In this program, the youth will be introduced to tomahawk throwing and will be instructed how to safely engage in this activity. The range will be staffed by qualified responsible adults.

I, the undersigned, verify that my child has my permission to participate in the tomahawk throwing experience:

Initial _____

Participant signature _____ Date: _____

Parent/guardian signature _____ Date: _____





CUB SCOUT SHOOTING SPORTS

Program Participation and Hold Harmless Agreement



Participant's Printed Name:	Council (if known):	District (if known):	Pack Number:
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I, the undersigned, give my child (the "participant" name entered above), permission to participate in the programs I have initialed next to below. I understand that participation in these activities involves a certain degree of risk.

I have carefully considered the risk involved and have given consent for my child to participate in the activities initialed next to below. I understand that participation in each activity is entirely voluntary and requires participants to abide by the rules and standards of conduct. I hereby release the Boy Scouts of America, the Baltimore Area Council, the activity coordinators, and all employees, volunteers, related parties, or other organizations associated with each activity (the "Released Parties") from and against all claims, actions, proceedings, damages, liabilities, and expenses of every kind, whether known or unknown and whether or not foreseeable, including, without limitation, those for or relating to bodily injury, property damage, or loss of life that in any way relates to, results from, or arises out of this participation. We agree to defend and indemnify the Released Parties from and against any and all claims, actions, proceedings, damages, liabilities, and expenses of every kind that in any way relate to, result from, or arise out of the Participant participating in the shooting sports program.

I understand that any additional cost associated with participation in these programs will not be refunded if my child is removed for behavioral problems. For safety, my child and I agree that they will do the following or they will be removed from the program:

1. Complete a range safety briefing.
2. Wear required safety gear while on the range.
3. Follow all the safety rules provided in the safety briefing.
4. Follow the instructions of the BB Rangemaster, Archery Rangemaster, and/or those with superseding training.
5. Do not handle the BB gun, bow, or slingshot until instructed to do so by the qualified instructor(s) listed above.
6. Is registered as a Cub Scout, a sibling of a Cub Scout under supervision of the Cub Scout's parent, or is registered as Scouts BSA, Sea Scout, or Venturer

Archery

The BSA offers instructional static archery programs for Cub Scouts. In these programs, Cubs will handle nocking arrows, drawing the bow, and releasing to shoot at a static target under the supervision of a BSA Archery Rangemaster.

I, the undersigned, verify that my child has my permission to participate in archery: Initial _____

BB Shooting

The BSA offers instructional BB range programs for Cub Scouts Tiger rank and above. In these programs, Cubs will handle a BB gun, load BBs, and fire at static targets under the supervision of a BSA BB Rangemaster and other supervising adults.

I, the undersigned, verify that my child has my permission to participate in BB shooting: Initial _____

Slingshot Shooting

The BSA offers instructional slingshot programs for Cub Scouts. In these programs, Cubs will handle a slingshot and shoot at static targets under the supervision of a BSA BB Rangemaster and other supervising adults.

I, the undersigned, verify that my child has my permission to participate in slingshot shooting: Initial _____

Parent/guardian signature _____ Date: _____



<i>Staff use only</i> Total No. of Scouts _____	Total No. of Adults _____
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WEBELOS-O-REE DEN/CAMPSITE SCORE SHEET

Inspections will occur all day Saturday and Sunday Morning

Pack / Den _____ Total _____

	SCORE /75
First Inspection - Opening Ceremonies	
All Scouts in Class A Uniform	(10 points)
Webelos Den Leader in Class A	(25 bonus points)
Pack Flag	(25 bonus points)
Cubmaster present in Class A	(15 bonus points)
These points only earned when called to attention of W-O-R Staff	

	SCORE /80
General Inspection - Campsite	
Adequate cooking kits	(10 points)
Bow Saw	(10 points)
Spade, shovel, or trowel	(10 points)
Electric or Propane Lantern or Flashlight	(10 points)
Pack First Aid Kit	(10 points)
Covered and protected water supply	(10 points)
Duty Roster and Menu posted	(10 points)
Dining Fly	(10 points)

	SCORE /100
Campsite	(10 points)
Tents arranged properly	(10 points)
Tents have properly placed ground cloths	(10 points)
Fire bucket filled at fire ring	(10 points)
Dining area organized (no trash/no open food between meals)	(10 points)
Proper fire area (ground and surrounding area protected)	(10 points)
Hand washing station	(10 points)
Original ground cover not removed (except at fire area)	(10 points)
All food properly stored	(10 points)
All equipment properly stored	(10 points)

	SCORE /Bonus
BONUS POINTS AND DEDUCTIONS	
Camp Gadgets	(+25 points)
Scouts preparing meals	(+15 points)
Scouts doing cleanup	(+15 points)
Trail litter turned into Dining Hall	(+2 points/10 pieces)
Use of paper products (cups, plates, utensils)	(-20 points)
Cutting or damage to live trees	(-50 points)
Failing to observe quiet time	(-10 points each offense)
Failing to use Buddy System	(-5 points each offense)
Vehicles in campsites	(-20 points each offense)

Camp Saffran Maps



