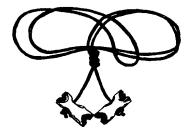
BRING A FRIEND (OR TWO)

Invite someone to attend the course with you!

If you know of someone who would *enjoy* and *benefit* from the Wood Badge experience, give us their contact information. We'll be happy to send them a Wood Badge application.

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The Building Blocks of Leadership

Wood Badge is the ultimate in adult leader training in Boy Scouts of America. You'll learn about the five pillars of Wood Badge:

- 1. Leading to Make a Difference
- 2. Living the Values
- 3. Bringing the Vision to Life
- 4. Models for Success
- 5. Tools of the Trade

Instructors will draw upon the most current and cuttingedge training models of corporate America, as well as, stellar academic circles and outdoor leadership programs.

Through presentations, discussions, and activities that explore leadership philosophies, the staff will present the latest in leadership and team development strategies. You'll learn how to apply these skills in your current Scouting position.

You'll be amazed at the versatility of these skills. They may be taught in a Scouting atmosphere, but these skills are applicable in all aspects of your life!

The Ultimate in Instruction

This highly-motivated staff has proven abilities in training, counseling, Scouting skills, leadership and management. This dynamic group has been selected and approved by Mid-America Council's Scouting Executive and Council Training Committee. They are committed to providing the best possible learning experience for you. You will find their "can-do" enthusiasm catchy!

A Scout is...REVERENT Worship opportunities available

Inter-faith Worship—Sunday mornings provided the first weekend by the staff and second weekend by the participants.

WOOD BADGE

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Part 1 September 14 - 16, 2018 Camp Cedars Cedar Bluffs, NE

Part 2 October 5 - 7, 2018 Little Sioux Scout Ranch Little Sioux, IA

ATTENDANCE IS REQUIRED AT BOTH WEEKENDS (and one mid-course meeting)

Sessions start early Friday morning and run through early Sunday evening.

Course Dates

Part 1: September 14 - 16, 2018 Part 2: October 5 - 7, 2018 Attendance at both weekend sessions and the mid-course meeting is required.

• Each session starts early on Friday morning and goes through early Sunday evening.

• Mid-month meeting date will be determined during the first weekend of the Course.

• Because many of the activities are teambuilding exercises, leaving the camp during the sessions is highly discouraged and may disqualify you from completing the course.

Course Location

Camp Cedars, Cedar Bluff, NE Little Sioux Scout Ranch, Little Sioux, IA

Registration Information

- Course Fee \$190 early bird fee if paid in full by July 16
 \$210 if paid in full by Aug 13
 \$230 if paid after Aug 13
 (one of the lowest fees in the nation)
- Non-refundable Deposit of \$50.00

• Registration by Aug 13, 2018 is <u>required</u>. Early registration is encouraged because these courses fill up quickly!

Other Information

A full, official uniform is required and consists of:

- Official BSA uniform shirt
- Official BSA uniform pants, shorts, or skirt
- If skirts or shorts are worn, then official BSA socks are required
- Official BSA web belt

For further information or questions contact:

Don Blair Phone: (402) 616-3665 (C) Email: djb72@cox.net Please mention Wood Badge in the subject line.

> VISIT US AT <u>www.mac-bsa.org/woodbadge</u>

All registered Scout Leaders are

 welcome to attend!

 Cub Scout Pack Leaders

 Boy Scout Troop Leaders

 Venture Crew Leaders

 Varsity Team Leaders

 Unit Commissioners

 Chartered Organization Representatives

 District & Council Scouters

Requirements to Attend

The requirements to attend Wood Badge are easy to fulfill. You must:

- Be at least 18 years of age
- Be a registered member of BSA
- Have a current Health Form Part A & B Form available at:

www.scouting.org/scoutsource/HealthandSafety/ahmr.aspx

- Be "trained" for your position:
 - New Leader Essentials + Leader Specific Training for your registered Scouting position
 - Scoutmasters and Assistant Scoutmasters must have completed Outdoor Skills Training

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- **Or** have completed a previous basic training course for your position
- You may attend Wood Badge for the 21st Century if you have completed the old Wood Badge course prior to 2001.

Wood Badge Scholarships

Since this training will directly benefit your unit, check with your unit's committee. Your unit or your chartering organization may have funds available to assist you with the cost.

Your employer may even find that it is important to support your efforts to attend Wood Badge because of the many skills you'll learn!

The VFW and AFL-CIO both have scholarships available. Visit www.mac-bsa.org/woodbadge Scroll down to find the links to their forms!

Some scholarship money is available through Wood Badge. These scholarships may cover up to half of the course registration fee. If you would like more information about scholarships please contact:

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For more information and To Register Go to

http://www.mac-bsa.org/woodbadge

"Every Pack, Troop, Team, Crew should send at least one adult to Wood Badge every year."

Early registration is highly encouraged as the Course fills up quickly. Registration and complete payment is required by August 13, 2018.

"The most FUN I have ever had in Scouting." 2015 MAC Wood Badge PartiCipant