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Mission Statement

The mission of the Boy Scouts of America is to **prepare** young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law.

Purposes of Cub Scouting

Character Development
Good Citizenship
Family Understanding
Personal Achievement
Fun and Adventure

Spiritual Growth
Sportsmanship and Fitness
Respectful Relationships
Friendly Service
Preparation for Boy Scouts

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Hello and Welcome

Dear Cub Scout Parents and Leaders,

Welcome to Webelosree at beautiful Camp Babcock-Hovey on Seneca Lake. If you are a returning camper or joining us for the first time, a unique adventure awaits you. Our 100% volunteer staff works very hard to make sure that you and your Pack have a great camping experience. Each staff member has graciously volunteered their time and knowledge to provide you with a fun and exciting program.

The Webelosree is a once yearly event held at Camp Babcock-Hovey for first year and Arrow of Light Webelos interested in a weekend of camping fun and Scouting Advancement Activities. This event is a great opportunity for Webelos scouts to complete multiple adventure pin requirements or electives in preparation for crossing over to scouts. Scouts will pitch their own tents and cook their own meals in true pack-in-pack-out style. The overnight campout is not required but is highly recommended.

Please take the time to read through this guide as it contains all the essential information to help you and your Cub Scouts prepare for Webelosree. For us to accommodate any special needs, we ask that you contact us at least 2 weeks prior to camp with such requests.

Feel free to contact either of us at the emails listed below with questions or concerns. We will be happy to work with you and your pack in any way we can to make your stay with us memorable. Thank you for choosing Cub Resident Camp and we look forward to seeing you in camp.

Yours in Scouting,

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Camp Rules and Requirements

Safety is the primary concern at Webelosree. We want to provide your scouts with a fun and safe environment so they can learn, play, and grow. All activities are designed to be participated in by Webelos 1 and Arrow of Light scouts. As such we have some requirements designed with the safety of all in mind. **These rules are non-negotiable and will be strictly enforced to ensure the safety of all campers.** If you have any questions or concerns regarding these rules, please contact Camp Director Gopher at guidogopher@gmail.com.

Requirement 1: Medical Forms – A, B

Our camp nurse/EMT is highly trained and dedicated to taking care of you and your scouts in case of emergency. To provide immediate and effective medical care under any circumstance (from skinned knees and medication dispersal to more serious ailments and injuries), forms A and B are required on site for parents and scouts alike.

Requirement 2: Masks and Social Distancing

Attendees and staff alike are required to wear masks when participating in or conducting program activities indoors.

Masks are not required for outdoor program areas.

Requirement 4: No Open Toed Shoes Requirement

This requirement is per camp Babcock-Hovey rules and applies to any event held at camp.

Webelosree program offers many activities that require closed-toed shoes to participate.

Requirement 5: No Running from Program to Program

This requirement is per camp Babcock-Hovey rules and applies to any event held at camp.

The most frequent injuries at camp are skinned knees and elbows as a result of running and falling on the rocks between programs.



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What to Expect from This Event

Webelosree begins with check in at 8:00am Saturday and is a full day of program and activities ending at 5:20pm. Sunday includes a flag raising at 9:00am, additional program and then the rocket launches at 11am (for those participating in the Adventures in Science pin) with closing around 11:40am.

Attendees are responsible for packing in / out all food required for the weekend as there is no food service provided other than snacks at the trading post. All units will be given time in their schedule to prepare and eat meals at an assigned site. Cooking is allowed in sites during designated mealtimes.

Health Forms

Part A and B health forms are required to be on site and available on demand in case of emergency for all participants.

Medical/Emergency/Fire

A nurse or EMT will be available on Saturday and Sunday. In case of alarm, all units should assemble in front of the Dining Hall (Parade Field). In case of a fire or other emergency, the alarm will be activated at PennYan Lodge. The unit will evacuate the site and not attempt to fight the fire. The Fire Dept. will be called and if the fire is deemed "out of control," the camp will be evacuated through the back gates. If there should be high winds, driving rains, etc., an alarm will be sounded. All campers will go to the dining hall. If the need arises that we have to evacuate, the camp will then exit through the back gates of Babcock Hovey.

If there is a need to call 911, please make sure you tell the dispatcher we are in Seneca County and inform the Camp Director immediately.

Attendees

This is a Webelos and AOL advancement event and many of the activities may be too advanced for the younger Cubs. Youth protection rules and the buddy system will be strictly enforced. Caravanning is highly recommended over carpooling to minimize COVID risks. Dress appropriately for fall in Upstate NY and be sure to bring your masks!



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Arrival / Parking / Registration

Check in will be done in 2 steps to minimize lines and expedite the process:

1. Each vehicle will park in the main parking lot.
2. ONE representative from each unit will continue to the Trading Post to check in, and the rest will go on to the OA Stage Field to wait for opening ceremony.

Opening/Closing

There will be a formal opening including flag raising Saturday at 9:00am and Lowering at 6:30pm.

Flag raising ceremony at 9:00am Sunday with closing and awards at 11:45am on Sunday at the OA stage.

Program

The Webelos will earn a minimum of 3 activity pins if they complete all requirements. If a partial is earned pins will be given to the Webelos Leader until the requirements have been completed. Cubs may also participate in Archery, BB Gun, Bouldering, Gaga, and Fishing (dependent on their schedule). Each program session is a 50 minute period with 10 minutes travel time from activity to activity.

Meals / Trading Post

The designated times and locations for lunch and dinner are included in your schedule. If you are not scheduled for a Trading Post Museum session, you may stop in whenever is convenient.

Why do you need to choose your pins?

Scheduling is dependent on knowing which pins each group hope to earn. The sooner you can get your requests in, the more likely you will be able to get your top three picks. Overall scheduling cannot be completed until all registrations and pin requests are submitted.



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Pin Selection Process

1. Review the pins to be offered in any given year by visiting <http://www.2flowerspublishing.com/webelosree/>
2. Select the top five (5) choices your scout/unit/pack plans to request for completion. At least three (3) will be guaranteed from the five requested.
3. Submit your list via the designated section in the Black Pug registration system.

Remember the earlier you register fully paid, the more likely you will receive the desired activity badges.

A sample of the schedule you will receive is displayed below:

Unit	Scout	Site	Chaperes	8-26-19	9-23-19	10-21-19	11-18-19	12-16-19	1-20-20	2-17-20	3-14-20	4-11-20	5-9-20	6-6-20	7-4-20	8-1-20	8-29-20	9-26-20	10-24-20	11-21-20	
35	3	Not Camping	1. First Responder 2. Castaway 3. Adventure in Science 4. Into the Woods	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Science (Rockets) DINING HALL	Science (Experiments) DINING HALL	Lunch	Castaway SCOUTCRAFT	Archery	BBGun	Into the Woods TRADING POST	First Responder	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL							
50	8	Lantern	1. Engineer 2. Earth Rocks 3. Into the Woods 4. Castaway	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Castaway SCOUTCRAFT	Setup EAGLE LODGE	Lunch	Engineer EAGLE LODGE	Lunch	Earth Rocks TRADING POST	Boatbuilding	Into the Woods TRADING POST	Archery	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	Gage	BBGun	Tear Down	
17	10	Delaware	1. Webelos Walkabout 2. Castaway 3. Into the Woods 4. Aware and Care	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Archery	Castaway SCOUTCRAFT	Webelos Walkabout HEALTH LODGE	Webelos Walkabout HEALTH LODGE	Webelos Walkabout HEALTH LODGE	Setup	Aware and Care DINING HALL	Into the Woods TRADING POST	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	Gage	Boatbuilding	Tear Down		
59	5	Mohican	1. Aware and Care 2. Engineer 3. First Responder 4. Adventure in Science	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Science (Rockets) DINING HALL	Science (Experiments) DINING HALL	Lunch	Engineer EAGLE LODGE	Boatbuilding	BBGun	Archery	First Responder EAGLE LODGE	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	Aware and Care DINING HALL	Rocket Launch	Tear Down		
78	5	Cadre	1. Eagle Higher, Stronger 2. Castaway 3. Engineering	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Castaway SCOUTCRAFT	BBGun	Archery	Lunch	Setup	Engineer EAGLE LODGE	Gage	Flag: Higher, Stronger HEALTH LODGE	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	Boatbuilding	Free	Tear Down		
			1. Duty to God (JCL) 2. Outdoorsman (JCL)	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Castaway SCOUTCRAFT	BBGun	Archery	Lunch	Setup	Engineer EAGLE LODGE	Gage	Flag: Higher, Stronger HEALTH LODGE	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	Duty to God FISH YAW PORCH	Free	Tear Down		
32	4	Chonkaga	1. Adventure in Science 2. Build It 3. Castaway 4. Into the Woods	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Science (Experiments) DINING HALL	Science (Rockets) DINING HALL	Lunch	Castaway SCOUTCRAFT	BBGun	Archery	Build It EAGLE LODGE	Into the Woods TRADING POST	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	Rocket Launch	Gage	Tear Down		
113	10	Mohawk	1. Adventure in Science 2. Earth Rocks 3. Castaway 4. Art Exploration	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Science (Experiments) DINING HALL	Science (Rockets) DINING HALL	Lunch	Castaway SCOUTCRAFT	Setup	Earth Rocks TRADING POST	Archery	BBGun	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	Boatbuilding	Rocket Launch	Tear Down		
126	5	Pederson	1. Outdoorsman 2. Earth Rocks 3. Adventure in Science 4. Castaway 5. Build It	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Setup	Lunch	Science (Rockets) DINING HALL	Science (Experiments) DINING HALL	Castaway SCOUTCRAFT	Earth Rocks TRADING POST	Build It EAGLE LODGE	Archery	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	Rocket Launch	Outdoorsman DINING HALL	Tear Down		
126	5	Pederson	1. Cast Iron Chef 2. First Responder 3. Webelos Walkabout 4. Engineer 5. Castaway	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Setup	Archery	Webelos Walkabout HEALTH LODGE	Webelos Walkabout HEALTH LODGE	Webelos Walkabout HEALTH LODGE	Castaway SCOUTCRAFT	Engineer EAGLE LODGE	BBGun	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	First Responder EAGLE LODGE	Boatbuilding	Tear Down		
156	2	Onida	1. Engineer 2. Adventure in Science 3. Build It 4. Aware and Care	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Setup	Lunch	Science (Rockets) DINING HALL	Science (Experiments) DINING HALL	Archery	Boatbuilding	Engineer EAGLE LODGE	Aware and Care DINING HALL	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	Boatbuilding	Rocket Launch	Tear Down		
178	2	Tuscarora	1. Into the Woods 2. Adventure in Science 3. Art Exploration 4. Adventure in Science	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Setup	Lunch	Science (Rockets) DINING HALL	Science (Experiments) DINING HALL	Archery	Boatbuilding	BBGun	Into the Woods TRADING POST	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	Aware and Care DINING HALL	Rocket Launch	Tear Down		
204	2	Charislee	1. Outdoorsman 2. Into the Woods 3. Earth Rocks 4. Aware and Care 5. First Responder	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Archery	BBGun	Setup	Boatbuilding	Lunch	Earth Rocks TRADING POST	Into the Woods TRADING POST	Aware and Care DINING HALL	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	First Responder EAGLE LODGE	Outdoorsman DINING HALL	Tear Down		
5	2	Charislee	1. Outdoorsman 2. Into the Woods 3. Earth Rocks 4. Aware and Care 5. First Responder	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Archery	BBGun	Setup	Boatbuilding	Lunch	Earth Rocks TRADING POST	Into the Woods TRADING POST	Aware and Care DINING HALL	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	First Responder EAGLE LODGE	Outdoorsman DINING HALL	Tear Down		
136	2	Chonkaga	1. Build It 2. Castaway 3. First Responder 4. Adventure in Science	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Science (Rockets) DINING HALL	Science (Experiments) DINING HALL	Setup	Lunch	Castaway SCOUTCRAFT	Archery	Build It EAGLE LODGE	First Responder EAGLE LODGE	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	Boatbuilding	Rocket Launch	Tear Down		
17	1	Tuscarora	1. Adventure in Science 2. Castaway 3. Earth Rocks	Prepare Training (Optional but Suggested) \$1 Cash SCOUTCRAFT	Science (Rockets) DINING HALL	Science (Experiments) DINING HALL	Lunch	Boatbuilding	Earth Rocks TRADING POST	Castaway SCOUTCRAFT	Build It EAGLE LODGE	Setup	Dinner	Vespers (Optional) LAKESIDE CHAPEL	Breakfast	Flag	Rocket Launch	Gage	Tear Down		

AWARDS CLOSINGS





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ATENDEE PERSONAL GEAR (Day Camp Checklist)

- Masks
- Backpacks
- Water Bottles
- Friday Dinner (If camping out)
- Saturday Breakfast (if camping out) Lunch and Dinner
- Sunday Breakfast (if camping out)
- Spending money for Trading Post (Coffee, Tea, Hot Chocolate, Snacks)
- Warm Jacket
- Hat

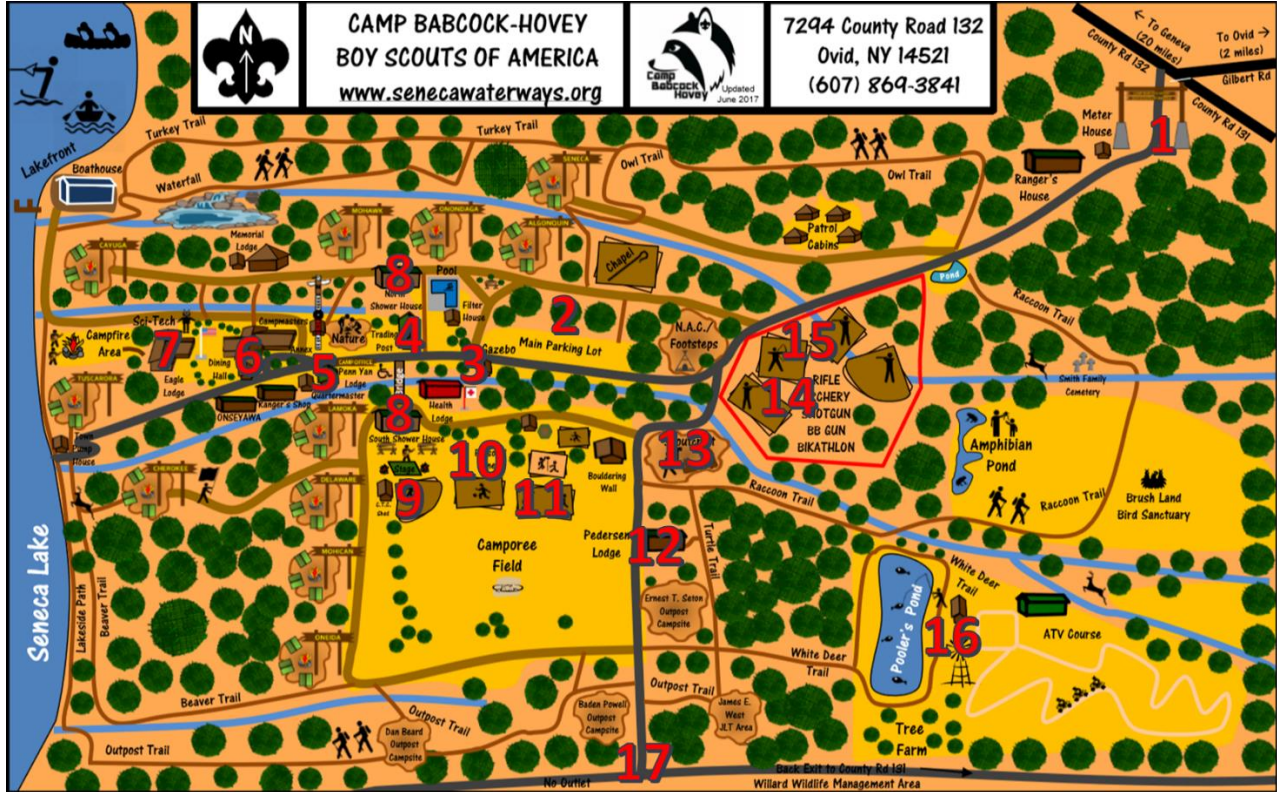


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Camp Map



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|--------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Camp Entrance | 6. Dining Hall | 11. Gaga/Human Foosball | 16. Pooler's Pond |
| 2. Parking Lot | 7. Eagle Lodge | 12. Pederson Lodge | 17. Exit |
| 3. Gazebo | 8. Showers & Bathrooms | 13. Scoutcraft | |
| 4. Trading Post/Check-in | 9. OA Stage/Field | 14. BB Gun | |
| 5. Pen Yan Lodge | 10. Basketball/Tetherball | 15. Archery | |

