

May 14-15, 2021

Where: Butler Wilderness Outpost

Park Rapid, MN

Fee: \$15 per person includes 4 meals

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IOLS stands for Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills a training course that provides leaders with basic skills and information to run a successful outdoor Scouting program.

Who should take IOLS?

The BSA requires that you have at least one IOLS-trained adult on every Scout overnight outdoor event.

Why should I take IOLS?

You'll learn the basic outdoor skills to develop confidence and competence in your Unit's leaders conducting outdoor camping activities. You will also learn how to make a camping activities and outings fun. You'll discover how to keep your Scouts safe and entertained. And you'll learn how to plan an event that's rooted firmly in Scouting's principles.

What will I learn at IOLS?

This 1.5-day course is conducted as a Unit outdoor overnight camping experience using the Patrol Method. A round Robin of topics will include:

-Campsite Selection
-Outdoor Ethics
-Map & Compass
-Plant Identification
-Packing & Hiking
-Cooking
-Rope Work
-Wood Tools
-Animal ID
-Fire Building

Reg. Closes: 5/13/21 NO WALK-INS

Check In: Friday 6-7pm

Course Training will be finished by 6pm on Saturday Night

NOTE: this is an outdoor overnight camping activity. Participants need to bring their own tent and camping equipment. Family members and person from the same Unit may be assigned to different Patrols and may preclude the sharing of camping gear. A BSA Medical Form parts A&B is required.