

WEBELOS WOODS



WHO: Webelos and Arrow Of Light scouts along with den leaders

WHAT: Weekend of activities introducing and strengthening the patrol method, development of scout skills and more

WHEN: September 21-24

WHERE: Camp Barstow

WHY: Webelos Woods provides an introduction to Boy Scout skills for Webelos and Arrow Of Light Scouts. Participants will spend the weekend working as members of a patrol to help them understand the Boy Scout structure. Experienced Boy Scouts will serve as troop leaders and provide instruction that will help prepare the boys to successfully complete Webelos and Arrow of Light requirements.

HOW (much): \$45 per scout, \$20 per leader. This covers food and materials as well as a patch.



What To Bring:

Tent (scouts will sleep in tents that they will pitch. Adirondaks will NOT be available.)

Sleeping Bag (and a sleep pad if you think you will need it)

Field Uniform (to include shirt and neckerchief. Uniform pants are optional)

Activity shirts (2 class B shirts)

Closed toe shoes

Toiletry kits

Mess kit (to include a plate/bowl, cup and cutlery)

Flash light

Insect repellent

Sunscreen

Rain gear

Pocket knife (If you've earned your Whittling Chip)

Water bottle

Scout Oath and Law – The Scout Oath and Law will be the law of the camp. All Scouts and Adults are expected to conduct themselves accordingly. All aspects of the BSA Guide to Safe Scouting apply.

Medical Forms – Each participant will need a Part A and B Medical Form. Each Pack/Den should designate an adult to check the completeness of everyone's form and verify this at check in. These are extremely important in case of emergency

Vehicles – You will be allowed to bring vehicles down to camp for unloading and loading only. Troop/Pack trailers can be parked in the campsite but all vehicles must be returned to the parking lot.

September 21:

530-730 pm: Check in and camp site set up

800-930 pm: patrol meeting in the campsite. Boy Scouts serving as troop guides will explain patrol method and help the Webelos and AOL determine a patrol name, yell, etc.

They will also help the boys elect a patrol leader, Assistant Patrol leader and other officers typically found in a troop (**senior patrol leader, patrol leader, assistant patrol leader, Order of the Arrow troop representative, scribe**, librarian, historian, **quartermaster, chaplain aide**, and outdoor ethics guide...bolded titles will be positions utilized for this event).

930PM: Cracker Barrel at pavilion with introductions of staff and programming.

1030 pm: lights out

September 22

7 am: Reveille

745 am: Flag raising, program enrichments

8 -845 am: Breakfast in dining hall. Patrols will rotate through at meals for serving and cleanup of dining hall

9 am: Session 1

1030 am Session 2

1200 pm: Lunch will be under the pavilion as prepared by the patrols. Patrols will rotate through at meals for serving and cleanup of dining hall.

100 pm: FREE TIME (work on campfire skit/song)

2 pm: Session 3

330 pm: Session 4

5 pm: All return to campsite to prepare for flag lowering.

530 pm: Flag lowering. After flag lowering, Quartermaster reports to dining hall pavilion to collect food items for dinner. Food supplies are brought back to the campsite and the boys work together with their Troop Guides to prepare dinner, clean up after themselves, tidy their campsites.

7-800 pm: Patrol Meeting in campsites. Order of the Arrow troop representative meets with Order of the Arrow under the pavilion to learn about OA and how they can benefit from membership and some of the programs within OA (Indian Affairs, service, etc.). Scout should share this information with his patrol the next morning during breakfast.

830 pm: Camp fire at council ring (rain location is under the pavilion)

945 pm: Cracker Barrel at pavilion

September 23

700 am: Reveille

745 am: Flag raising, program enrichments

800 am: Breakfast in dining hall. Patrols will rotate through at meals for serving and cleanup of dining hall

845 am: Return to camp site and tidy up. Chaplains Aid should report to the chapel (pavilion in inclement weather)

930 am: Scouts Own service at the chapel. Each patrol should have something to contribute. No one should be packing out gear at this time.

1030 am: Return to campsites and pack gear. Have campsite inspected prior to departure. Patches distributed at this time.

1130 am: ALL SCOUTS HAVE LEFT CAMP. STAFF BREAKDOWN SUPPLIES AND PUT AWAY.