

Welcome! Our
broadcast will begin
soon.

Future Leader's
Meetings – Mark Your
Calendars
All at 7 pm CT
Thursday April 13th
Thursday May 11th





Camp Constantin

Summer Camp 2023

Leaders' Meeting

9 March





Housekeeping

- The meeting is being recorded and we will post
- You will receive a copy of the slide deck
- Questions after the meeting? Email jamel.holmes@scouting.org





Agenda 9 March 2023

- Leadership
- Safety moment
- New in '23
- Continuing
- Important Dates
- Projects
- Q&A





Camp Leadership

- Camp Director
 - Jamel Holmes
- Asst. Camp Director
 - Business Manager
 - Ryan Downey
- Program Director
 - Logan Fritz
- Director of Program & Logistics
 - Joshua Smith
- Commissioner
 - Dan Lins



A group of Scouts BSA youth are participating in an outdoor activity in a forest. In the foreground, a young woman with blonde hair, wearing a light blue long-sleeved shirt with "SCOUTS BSA" printed on it, khaki pants, and a red safety harness, is jumping over a large log. She has her arms outstretched and a joyful expression. Behind her, several other youth are following in a line, also jumping over the log. They are wearing similar blue shirts and some have backpacks. The background is a dense forest with tall trees and sunlight filtering through the leaves. The text "Safety Moment" is overlaid in white on the image.

Safety Moment



Theme for 2023




Jurassic Safari

**Who will help Eugene Thornberry
track down the escaped dinosaurs on
camp?**





Swim Checks

- Ability Groups
 - Swimmer 
 - Beginner 
 - Non-swimmer 
- Swim checks
 - Troop
 - Camp
- For all Aquatics MB and *most* activities
- Must be a swimmer
 - Some exceptions for activities
- Boaters wear PFDs at all times
- See Guide to Safe Scouting
- Always have a buddy





Troop Swim checks

- OK to do before you come to camp
 - We prefer actually
- Follow BSA Swim Classification procedure
 - on Registration page
 - Bring a copy to camp
 - Keep a copy for the Troop
 - Camp will issue arm bands accordingly
 - Do include copy of tester certification
 - No ID required





New in '23

- Basketry and Leatherwork are now separate
- Outpost Program
- Back to pre-covid schedule
- Brought back Scoutmaster steak lunch
- New Sailboats

In Hiatus

- Citizenship in Society





Special for 14+

- Advanced Sailing & Water Odyssey
- OA social
- Outpost Program
 - Tuesday & Thursday during Lunch
 - \$15 fee





First Year Scouts

- Brazos Buccaneers
 - 1st year campers
 - Scout skills & 2 MBs
- Trail to First Class
 - 2nd year campers
 - Tailored program





Program Changes



- All Camp Possum Fest Monday Night
- Tuesday & Thursday Rotations
- Wednesday Video Game and Movie Night
- Friday Fun
- Evening swims
- Steak Lunch Returns





Merit Badges

- Over 60 Merit Badges
- Aquatics
- STEM
- Eagle's Landing
- Handicraft
- Industrial Arts
- Nature
- Scout Skills
- Shooting Sports

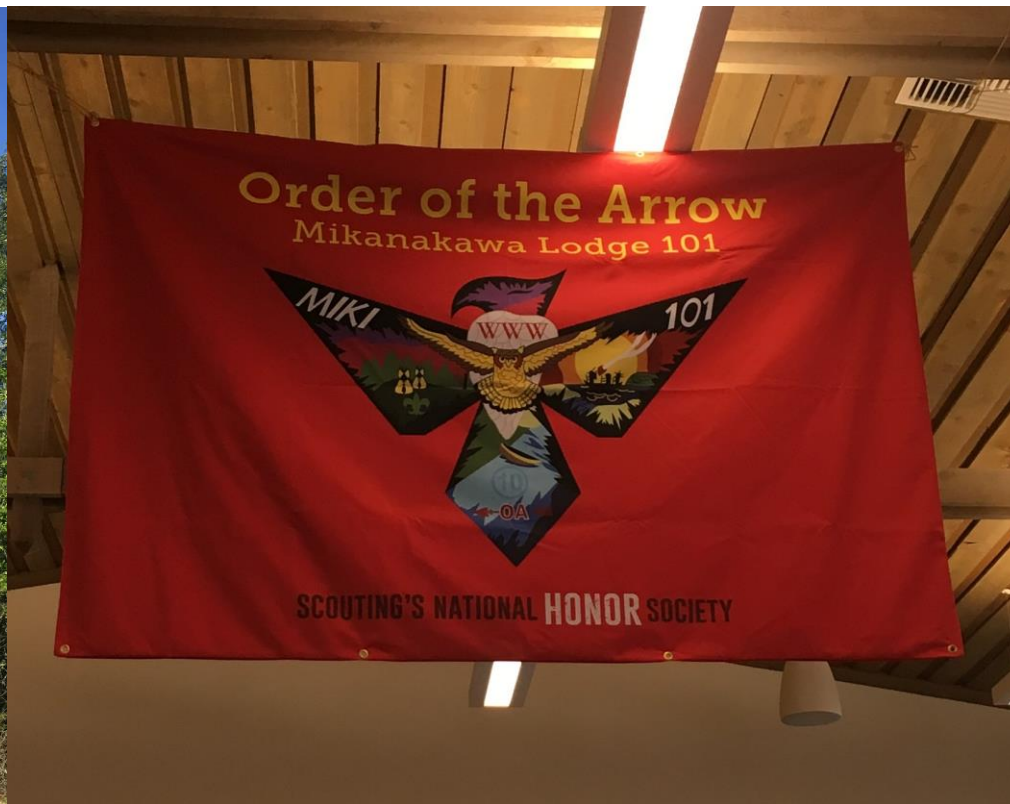
Adult training too!





OA

- Ceremonies
 - Call-out
 - Brotherhood
- Fellowship
 - Ice-cream social



Bring your sash!





Trading Post

- Pre-Camp Bundled Items available
- Can't Be Trusted T-shirt
- Camp Shirt
- Rain Jackets





Important Dates

- Wednesday March 15th,
 - Merit Badge & Class sign-ups begin
 - 2nd payment due
- Saturday March 20th – Camp Work Day
- Wednesday May 10th final payment due





2023 CAMPING SEASON

- May 28-June 3— Staff Week
- June 4-10 – Week 1
- June 11-17 – Week 2
- June 18-24 – Week 3
- June 25-July 1 – Week 4
- July 2-July 8 – Week 5
- July 9-July 15 – Week 6

**Troops leave
Saturday
Morning**





Camp Leader's Meetings



Leader's Guide Constantin Section

**I have questions - is there a place
I can find someone to ask?**

***YES! - Summer Camp Leaders'
Meetings***

**Thurs. March 9th,
Thurs. April 13th, and
Thurs. May 11th
All at 7:00 p.m.**

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/5204778914>

Meeting ID: 520 477 8914

Find your local number: <https://us02web.zoom.us/u/kcGoAAYimA>





Troop Projects

- We have a list from small to large tasks
 - Pick one of ours or suggest your own
- Examples
 - Large
 - Replace retaining wall at staff lounge
 - New shade pavilions
 - Small
 - Box to hold chess pieces
 - Water bottle refill station
 - Talk to Dir. of Program & Logistics if interested





QUESTIONS?

Please type them into the chat box
and we will do our best to answer
them.

