

# 2024 Winter Camp

# **Class Catalog**

# **Event Contacts**

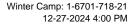
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# **Adult Leader Activities (Scheduled Classes)**

**ALA1** 12:30-1:50 PM

Rifle Range Rick Wiggins Days: Su



#### **Top Shooter Contest**

Join us for a friendly Target Shooting Competition. All registered Adults are welcome to attend. You must register in Black Pug. Guns will be collected before entering camp and returned when leaving camp for safe storage.

Additional Fee: \$40.00 Minimum Age: 18

**Prerequisites:** Guns for this event will not be provided. Personal guns brought for this event are not allowed on camp and will be collected at check-in and brought to the range for you. Any guns found on your person during camp will result in dismissal from camp with no refund.

ALA2 6:40-8 PM Campsite H (Tiger) Danny Alexander

Days: Su Mo Sa

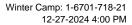


# **Tomahawk Throwing & Campfire Coffee**

Come down to the Mountain Man area and fellowship with other leaders and practice your Tomahawk throwing and enjoy some coffee

Minimum Age: 21







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### Adult Leader Training (Scheduled Classes)

**ALT1** 8-4:55 PM

Dining Hall Mike Little Days: Su Mo Sa



### Wilderness First Aid, CPR, First Aid & Blood Borne Pathogen

The Wilderness First Aid (WFA) Training is a 26-hour, hands-on course to give adult leaders the experience needed to handle illness and injury when medical care is more than an hour away. When paired with CPR/AED certifications, leaders are well prepared to deal with emergencies and routine medical issues that may occur on an outdoor adventure.

All four of the BSA high-adventure bases (HAB) require at least one person per trek (two per trek at Philmont Scout Ranch) to be current in WFA. Of course, having more participants trained in WFA skills is highly recommended for any high adventure or backcountry experience.





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# Winter Camp (Scheduled Classes)

WC64 8-9:20 AM

Dining Hall Dakota Kisselburg Days: Su Mo Sa



#### Art

This merit badge concentrates on two-dimensional art, specifically drawing and painting in various media, including an introduction to design applications in the fields of graphic arts and industrial design, history and design principles, and how these fields relate to fine art

Additional Fee: \$15.00

Maximum number of participants: 15

WC85 8-9:20 AM Campsite H (Tiger) Danny Alexander Days: Su Mo Sa



# Basketry (2015 version)

Basketry is a handy skill for a Scout. A basket can be a sturdy companion on campouts, carrying clothes snugly and efficiently, holding potatoes and corn for roasting over a campfire, or carrying the day's fishing catch back to camp for dinner. Baskets and basket-weaving projects also make great gifts for family and friends.

Maximum number of participants: 10

**WC11** 8-9:20 AM

Tent D Adam Bell Days: Su Mo Sa



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Maximum number of participants: 20

WC20 8-9:20 AM

Tent B Danny Wright Days: Su Mo Sa



# **Coin Collecting**

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Maximum number of participants: 20

WC33 8-10:55 AM

Pavilion Mike Unger Days: Su Mo Sa



# Cooking

The Cooking merit badge introduces principles of cooking that can be used both at home or in the outdoors. Scouts who earn this badge will learn about food safety, nutritional guidelines, meal planning, and methods of food preparation, and will review the variety of culinary (or cooking) careers available.

Additional Fee: \$30.00 Minimum Age: 13

Maximum number of participants: 20

**Prerequisites:** #2c.; #2d.; #4a.; #4b.; #4c.; #4d.; #4e.; #5d.; #6a.; #6b.; #6c.;

#6d.; #6e.; #6f.





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WC13 8-9:20 AM

Tent E Shawn Vaughn Days: Su Mo Sa



#### Crime Prevention, Fingerprinting

Preventing crime, which can be as simple as reducing the opportuntities for crime to occur, is far less costly than apprehending and bringing legal action against those who break the law and it helps save people from the anguish of being victims.

In earning the Fingerprinting merit badge, Scouts will learn about and use an important technique that is used by law enforcement officers, along with other materials like matching dental records and DNA sampling, to help identify amnesia victims, missing persons, abducted children, and others.

Maximum number of participants: 20

WC75 8-10:55 AM

Bike Rack J Grant Shaw Days: Su Mo Sa



### Cycling

Since 1911, hundreds of thousands of Scouts have made the most of their two-wheel adventures by earning the Cycling merit badge. Whether you just got your first bicycle or have been cycling for years, you will learn more about your bike and what it can do by working on the requirements for this badge.

Maximum number of participants: 6

Prerequisites: #6B(e)

WC81 8-9:20 AM

Tent G Robert Wright Days: Su Mo Sa



### **Forestry**

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Additional Fee: \$5.00

Maximum number of participants: 20

WC4 8-9:20 AM

Tent H Denton Jones Days: Su Mo Sa



# Genealogy

Exploring your roots - where your family name came from, why your family lives where it does, what your parents and grandparents did for fun when they were your age - can be fascinating. Discovering your ancestors back through history is what genealogy is all about.

Maximum number of participants: 15

Prerequisites: #5a; #5b; #5d

WC2 8-9:20 AM

Tent I
Bill Miller

Days: Su Mo Sa



#### \_aw

Earning this merit badge enables a Scout to learn about the history and kinds of laws, the purpose and methods of law enforcement, consumer protection agencies, emerging law, and careers in the legal profession.

Maximum number of participants: 20

WC32 8-9:20 AM

Tent A
Jeorome LeGrand
Days: Su Mo Sa



### Metalwork

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Additional Fee: \$15.00

Maximum number of participants: 10

Prerequisites: Please don't wear loose-fitting clothes during this class.





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WC36 8-9:20 AM

Tent C

Nicholas Wright Days: Su Mo Sa



#### Plumbing

Plumbing, including pipe fitting, is an important and well-paid occupation. The industry is quite broad. It covers installations and repairs in homes, commercial properties, and factories. Plumbing pipelines are used for water supply, waste drainage, natural-gas heating, and many other purposes.

Maximum number of participants: 10

WC41 8-10:55 AM

Rifle Range Rick Wiggins Days: Su Mo Sa



#### Rifle Shooting

Unless a rifle is handled incorrectly or recklessly, it is not dangerous. A rifle, like any other precision instrument, is manufactured to perform a specific task and can do so at no risk to the user or others. By earning this badge, Scouts can develop their shooting skills while learning safe practices.

Additional Fee: \$8.00

Maximum number of participants: 15

**Prerequisites:** Please study/work on gun basics and gun safety ahead of time.

This class fee includes 50 rounds of ammo. Only 25 rounds are required to qualify for the merit badge while the other 25 rounds are used for practice. If you would like to purchase more ammo, you can go to the Trading post and pay \$8.00 for an additional 50 rounds.

WC78 8-9:20 AM

Tent F Samuel Cross Days: Su Mo Sa



#### **Soil and Water Conservation**

Conservation isn't just the responsibility of soil and plant scientists, hydrologists, wildlife managers, landowners, and the forest or mine owner alone. It is the duty of every person to learn more about the natural resources on which our lives depend so that we can help make sure that these resources are used intelligently and cared for properly.

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WC64 9:35-10:55 AM

Dining Hall Dakota Kisselburg Days: Su Mo Sa



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WC43 9:35-10:55 AM

Tent G Shannon Kisselburg Days: Su Mo Sa



#### Chemistry

Chemistry explores how substances react with each other, how they change, how certain forces connect molecules, and how molecules are made are all parts of chemistry. Stretch your imagination to envision molecules that cannot be seen - but can be proven to exist - and you become a chemist.

Additional Fee: \$5.00

Maximum number of participants: 15

Prerequisites: Bring an empty disposable drinks bottle with you, ideally a 2 liter one,

but smaller will work

WC11 9:35-10:55 AM

Tent D Adam Bell Days: Su Mo Sa



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WC3 9:35-10:55 AM

Tent H Denton Jones Days: Su Mo Sa



# **Electricity**

Electricity is a powerful and fascinating force of nature. As early as 600 b.c., observers of the physical world suspected that electricity existed but did not have a name for it. In fact, real progress in unraveling the mystery of electricity has come only within the last 250 years.

Maximum number of participants: 15

WC24 9:35-10:55 AM

Campsite H (Tiger) Danny Alexander Days: Su Mo Sa



#### **Indian Lore**

Far different from the stereotypes or common images that are portrayed on film, on television, and in many books and stories, American Indians have many different cultures, languages, religions, styles of dress, and ways of life. To learn about these different groups is to take an exciting journey of discovery in which you will meet some of America's most fascinating peoples.

Maximum number of participants: 12

WC68 9:35-10:55 AM (Y) Dining Hall Back Room

Joe Rush Days: Su Mo Sa



#### Leatherwork

Scouts who complete the requirements to earn the Leatherwork merit badge will explore leather's history and its endless uses. They will learn to make a useful leather item using the same types of raw materials that our ancestors used; be challenged to master skills like hand-stitching, lacing, and braiding.; and learn how to preserve and protect leather items so they will last a lifetime and beyond.

Additional Fee: \$10.00

Maximum number of participants: 12

WC32 9:35-10:55 AM

Tent A

Jeorome LeGrand Days: Su Mo Sa



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Maximum number of participants: 10

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WC19 9:35-10:55 AM

Tent I Bill Miller

Days: Su Mo Sa



#### **Photography**

Beyond capturing family memories, photography offers a chance to be creative. Many photographers use photography to express their creativity, using lighting, composition, depth, color, and content to make their photographs into more than snapshots. Good photographs tell us about a person, a news event, a product, a place, a scientific breakthrough, an endangered animal, or a time in history.

Minimum Rank: First Class

Maximum number of participants: 20 Prerequisites: \*\*\*REQUIREMENT\*\*\*

Bring an actual camera with you to class, cell phones will be accepted but the





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instructor prefers an actual camera.

WC36 9:35-10:55 AM

Tent C

Nicholas Wright Days: Su Mo Sa



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WC69 9:35-10:55 AM

Tent E

Shawn Vaughn Days: Su Mo Sa



### Traffic Safety

Staying safe in traffic wherever you live is getting more difficult all the time, as more and more people take to the road. Earning the Traffic Safety merit badge and will give Scouts some crucial tools to stay safer, when driving a car on a highway, riding a bike across town, or jogging across a busy street.

Maximum number of participants: 20

WC71 12:30-1:50 PM

Tent I Ellon Phillips Days: Su Mo Sa



# Citizenship in Society

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Tent D Adam Bell Days: Su Mo Sa



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WC66 12:30-1:50 PM

Tent F Ryan Davis Days: Su Mo Sa



#### Entrepreneurship

By earning the Entrepreneurship merit badge, Scouts will learn about identifying opportunities, creating and evaluating business ideas, and exploring the feasibility (how doable it is) of an idea for a new business. They will also have the chance to fit everything together as they start and run their own business ventures.





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WC54 12:30-1:50 PM

Tent C Robert Ault Days: Su Mo Sa



#### First Aid

First aid - caring for injured or ill persons until they can receive professional medical care - is an important skill for every Scout. With some knowledge of first aid, a Scout can provide immediate care and help to someone who is hurt or who becomes ill. First aid can help prevent infection and serious loss of blood. It could even save a limb or a life.

Maximum number of participants: 20

Prerequisites: #1.

WC26 12:30-1:50 PM

Lake Adam Dalby Days: Su Mo Sa



### **Fishing**

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Tent A Jeorome LeGrand Days: Su Mo Sa



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WC77 12:30-4:55 PM

Campsite H (Tiger) Danny Alexander Days: Su Mo Sa



#### **Mountain Man**

Camp Preston Hunt's Mountain Man program is designed to give older Scouts a chance to experience what life was like for the real "Pioneers" of American history.

The Eighteen Hundred's was a very interesting time in the history of our country, a time for the "Mountain Man". Hardy, wild, and free, these history makers blazed the West and carved our rich heritage and endless history into the rugged mountains and land of our vast American wilderness. The mountains and lands are still there for us to see. They are but an echo, sounding strongly through stories and traditions that still endure.

The Mountain Man Program at Camp Preston Hunt is designed to carry the traditions that were popular during that time of our history. Although parts of some merit badges can be completed, the program is not designed to be a merit badge program.

#### **AWARDS**

Participants who complete all of the Mountain Man requirements will earn a special Mountain Man patch. Program instructors will keep a record as participants complete requirements. The special patch is awarded for completion of the program, not just for paying the fee and showing up part of the time.





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The Mountain Man program promises two things: The program will be fun and the Scouts who participate will learn skills that they have never learned before.

The program will be canceled if a minimum of 5 participants does not register.

Additional Fee: \$20.00 Minimum Age: 14 Minimum Rank: First Class

Minimum number of participants: 5
Maximum number of participants: 18

Prerequisites: The Mountain Man Program will be limited to the 1st 18 properly

registered Scouts and Leaders.

ACTIVITIES MAY INCLUDE SOME OF THE FOLLOWING:

Fire Building (Flint & Steel)

**Bullet Making** 

Black Powder Rifle and Tomahawk Throwing

Candle Making

Cooking (Mountain Man and Dutch Oven)

Blacksmithing Indian Lore Kits Rope Making

WC79 12:30-1:50 PM

Tent H Denton Jones Days: Su Mo Sa



#### **Nature**

There is a very close connection between the soil, the plants, and all animal life, including people. Understanding this connection, and the impact we have upon it, is important to preserving the wilderness, as well as to our own well-being as members of the web of nature.

Maximum number of participants: 15

Prerequisites: #4a[2]; #4d[2]; #4f[2]; #4g[2]a; #4g[2]b

WC55 12:30-1:50 PM

Tent E Kevin Du Pre Days: Su Mo Sa



# **Personal Management**

Personal management is about mapping a plan for your life that will involve setting short-range and long-range goals and investigating different ways to reach those goals. Education, training, and experience all help make your goals become a reality. To achieve your goals, you will choose the best path and make a commitment to it, while remaining flexible enough to deal with changes and new opportunities.

Minimum Age: 14

Maximum number of participants: 20

Prerequisites: #2a; #2b[1]; #2b[2]; #2c; #2d; #8a; #8b; #8c; #8d

WC22 12:30-1:50 PM

Tent B Danny Wright Days: Su Mo Sa



### **Scouting Heritage**

Introduces boys to the history of the Boy Scouts of America. They'll learn it all - from Scouting's beginnings under Lord Baden-Powell to the history of their own troop.

Maximum number of participants: 20

Prerequisites: #5; #6; #8

**WC87** 2:05-3:25 PM

Tent E Zoe Nakashian Days: Su Mo Sa



#### Archaeology

Archaeologists are detectives who study how people lived in the past. They figure out what happened, when, how, and why. Using the clues that people left behind, they try to understand how and why human culture has changed through time.





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WC71 2:05-3:25 PM

Tent E Marshall Wood Days: Su Mo Sa



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Maximum number of participants: 20

**WC21** 2:05-3:25 PM

Tent B Danny Wright Days: Su Mo Sa



#### Collections

Collecting can be an educational and financially rewarding pastime: a collector must educate himself about a specific subject, be able to tell which items are worth preserving, how to catalog and organize his collection, and how to evaluate the value of items.

Maximum number of participants: 20

Prerequisites: #5b

**WC25** 2:05-3:25 PM

Tent C Robert Ault Days: Su Mo Sa



#### Communication

This clear and concise definition comes from the U.S. Department of Education: "Communication focuses on how people use messages to generate meanings within and across various contexts, cultures, channels, and media. The field of communication promotes the effective and ethical practice of human communication."

Maximum number of participants: 20

Prerequisites: #5; #8

WC33 2:05-4:55 PM

Pavilion Mike Unger Days: Su Mo Sa



### Cooking

The Cooking merit badge introduces principles of cooking that can be used both at home or in the outdoors. Scouts who earn this badge will learn about food safety, nutritional guidelines, meal planning, and methods of food preparation, and will review the variety of culinary (or cooking) careers available.

Additional Fee: \$30.00 Minimum Age: 13

Maximum number of participants: 20

**Prerequisites:** #2c.; #2d.; #4a.; #4b.; #4c.; #4d.; #4e.; #5d.; #6a.; #6b.; #6c.;

#6d.; #6e.; #6f.

WC75 2:05-4:55 PM

Bike Rack J Grant Shaw Days: Su Mo Sa



### Cycling

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Maximum number of participants: 6

Prerequisites: #6B(e)

WC74 2:05-3:25 PM

Tent G Mickey Bivens Days: Su Mo



### **Fish and Wildlife Management**

Wildlife management is the science and art of managing the wildlife - both animals and fish - with which we share our planet. Maintaining the proper balance and the dynamics that go with it requires humankind's attention. We use this stewardship tool to help minimize or eradicate the possibility of extinction of any given species. We want our descendants to have the opportunity to experience the same animal diversity that we now enjoy.





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WC26 2:05-3:25 PM

Lake Adam Dalby

Adam Dalby Days: Su Mo Sa



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Maximum number of participants: 10

WC86 2:05-3:25 PM

Tent A

Brent Freem

Brent Freeman Days: Su Mo Sa



### **Landscape Architecture**

Landscape architects design and plan the various outdoor spaces in modern communities - neighborhood parks, soccer fields, school grounds, places of worship, office parks, shopping malls, cemeteries, and lakes - creating outdoor places that people will care about and want to visit.

Maximum number of participants: 20

**WC2** 2:05-3:25 PM

Tent D Mike Lusk Days: Su Mo



#### Law

Earning this merit badge enables a Scout to learn about the history and kinds of laws, the purpose and methods of law enforcement, consumer protection agencies, emerging law, and careers in the legal profession.

Maximum number of participants: 20

WC84 2:05-3:25 PM

Tent F Ryan Davis Days: Su Mo Sa



#### Salesmanship

By studying salesmanship, Scouts can learn self-confidence, motivation, friendliness, and the persistence necessary to overcome obstacles and solve problems. Sales can offer a challenging and rewarding career for those who enjoy interacting with people from all walks of life.

Maximum number of participants: 15

WC51 2:05-4:55 PM

Rifle Range Rick Wiggins Days: Su Mo Sa



#### **Shotgun Shooting**

A shotgun is a precision instrument, designed to shoot a shot charge in a specific pattern to cover a designated area at a certain distance. Unlike a rifle, the bore of the shotgun is not rifled, so the shot emerging from the muzzle is not spinning.

Additional Fee: \$35.00

Maximum number of participants: 15

Prerequisites: Please study/work on gun basics and gun safety ahead of time.

This class fee includes 50 rounds of ammo and 50 clays. Only 50 rounds are required to qualify for the merit badge. If you would like to purchase more ammo, you can go to the Trading post and pay \$17.50 for an additional 25 rounds.

WC65 2:05-3:25 PM

Tent I Ellon Phillips Days: Su Mo Sa



### Sustainability

Learn to reduce waste and teach sustainable practices to others so you can help conserve Earth's resources with the Sustainability Merit Badge. Scouts will develop and implement a plan to reduce their water usage, household food waste, and learn about the sustainability of different energy sources, including fossil fuels, solar, wind, nuclear, hydropower, and geothermal.





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WC80 2:05-3:25 PM

Tent H Denton Jones Days: Su Mo Sa



#### Wood Carving

As with any art, wood carving involves learning the basics of design, along with material selection and tools and techniques, as well as wood-carving safety. The requirements of the Wood Carving merit badge introduce Scouts to an enjoyable hobby and that can become a lifetime activity.

Maximum number of participants: 10

WC62 3:40-5 PM

Tent D Mike Lusk Days: Su Mo Sa



#### Aviation

For most of history, people have dreamed of flying, imagining how it would feel to soar through the sky like an eagle or hover in midair like a hummingbird, to float on unseen currents, free of Earth's constant tug, able to travel great distances and to rise above any obstacle. Today, through aviation, we can not only join the birds but also fly farther, faster, and higher than they ever could.

Maximum number of participants: 15

WC13 3:40-5 PM

Tent H Phillip Starr Days: Su Mo Sa



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WC74 3:40-5 PM

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Maximum number of participants: 20

WC76 3:40-8 PM
(Y) Dining Hall Back Room
Steve Rushing
Days: Su Fr Sa



#### Journalism (suspended)

One thing is for sure about journalism: It is never boring. For a reporter, almost every day is different from the last. One day you might interview the mayor of the city, the next day report on a car accident, and the day after that preview a new movie.

Minimum Rank: First Class





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WC83 3:40-5 PM

Tent F Ryan Davis Days: Su Mo Sa



#### **Sports**

Millions of people participate in sports every year. For some the appeal is the close friendships that come with being part of a team. Some revel in the joy of victory and lessons of defeat. For some, the personal fitness is so important that exercise becomes a daily need. And still others desire the feeling of achievement, that feeling of measurable improvement that comes with dedication to a sport.

Maximum number of participants: 15

WC50 3:40-5 PM

Tent C Robert Ault Days: Su Mo Sa



#### Wilderness Survival

In their outdoor activities, Scouts learn to bring the clothing and gear they need, to make good plans, and do their best to manage any risks. But now and then, something unexpected happens. When things go wrong, the skills of wilderness survival can help make everything right again.

Maximum number of participants: 20

**WC12** 6:40-8 PM

Tent D

Charla Campbell Days: Su Fr Sa



### Astronomy

In learning about astronomy, Scouts study how activities in space affect our own planet and bear witness to the wonders of the night sky: the nebulae, or giant clouds of gas and dust where new stars are born; old stars dying and exploding; meteor showers and shooting stars; the moon, planets, and a dazzling array of stars.

Maximum number of participants: 20 Prerequisites: #8a; #8c; #8d; #8e; #9

**WC9** 6:40-8 PM

Tent C Melinda Morton Days: Su Fr Sa



### Citizenship in the Community

A nation is a patchwork of communities that differ from each other and may be governed differently. But regardless of how local communities differ, they all have one point in common: In the United States, local government means self-government. Good citizens help to make decisions about their community through their elected local officials.

Maximum number of participants: 20

**Prerequisites:** Optional: Finish requirements #3 and #7 ahead of time if you would like to complete the Merit Badge.

WC5 6:40-8 PM

Tent E Zoe Nakashian Days: Su Fr Sa



# **Disabilities Awareness**

Look around at the Scouts in your unit, the members of your sports teams, and the kids in your class - you will see that each person has their own personalities, distinct interests and ideas, different physical features, and different strengths and needs.

Maximum number of participants: 20

**WC10** 6:40-8 PM

Tent A Craig Lashford Days: Su Mo Sa



### **Emergency Preparedness**

Scouts are often called upon to help because they know first aid and they know about the discipline and planning needed to react to an emergency situation. Earning this merit badge helps a Scout to be prepared by learning the actions that can be helpful and needed before, during, and after an emergency.

Maximum number of participants: 20

**Prerequisites:** Do the following requirements and bring evidence of completion, either as a workbook with the sections completed signed off by your Scoutmaster or the written plan and photos, i.e., of the emergency kit

- 7. Do the following: Find out if there is a plan.
- (b) Prepare a written plan for mobilizing your troop when needed to do emergency service. If there is already a plan, explain it. Tell your part in making it work.
- 8. Do the following:





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- (b) Prepare a personal emergency service pack for a mobilization call. Prepare a family emergency kit (suitcase or waterproof box) for your family in case an emergency evacuation is needed. Explain the needs and uses of the contents.
- 9. Do ONE of the following:
- (a) Using a safety checklist approved by your counselor, inspect your home for potential hazards. Explain the hazards you find and how they can be corrected. OR
- (b) Review or develop a plan of escape for your family in case of fire in your home.

WC1 6:40-8 PM

Tent B Drake Hargis Days: Su Fr Sa



#### Engineering

Engineers use both science and technology to turn ideas into reality, devising all sorts of things, ranging from a tiny, low-cost battery for your cell phone to a gigantic dam across the mighty Yangtze River in China.

Maximum number of participants: 15

**WC69** 6:40-8 PM

Tent H Shawn Vaughn Days: Su Fr Sa



# **Traffic Safety**

Staying safe in traffic wherever you live is getting more difficult all the time, as more and more people take to the road. Earning the Traffic Safety merit badge and will give Scouts some crucial tools to stay safer, when driving a car on a highway, riding a bike across town, or jogging across a busy street.

