

# Scout BiathlonCamp William Hinds

146 Plains Road, Raymond, ME



BIATHLON is the sport of cross country skiing and rifle shooting. It originated from the Norwegian culture as a form of training and exercise. Thanks to a generous gift from Wal-Mart, the sport of Biathlon is coming to the Pine Tree Council. The Scout Biathlon is intended as a fun introduction for Scouts and their families that will kindle interest in healthy, outdoor sports.

Scouts will be coached by volunteer instructors, learn about the sport of biathlon, winter safety, BB gun (Cub Scouts) or .22 rifle (Boy Scouts/ Venturers) use, and become familiar with common pieces of winter camping gear. Participants can use snowshoes if more comfortable, and move up to skis when they feel ready. Snow shoes, skis, firearms, and other equipment are provided, and each participant will earn a special Scout Biathlon Participant Patch.

Scores will be tracked through the winter, and the top scoring packs, troops, and crews will be recognized at the 2016 Scout-O-Rama at LL Bean Discovery Park on May 14th.

## NEW for the 2016 Biathlon Season!!

All participants in the OKPIK program for 2016 will have the opportunity to participate in the Biathlon. An additional fee of \$5.00 will be collected from each Scout who wants to participate to cover ammunition costs.

### Boy Scout Troop / Venture Crew Weekends

Cost to participate is \$8.00. Lunch and a patch is included.

January 9th, 2016

January 23rd, 2016

February 6th, 2016

February 27th, 2016

Each weekend is limited to 20 Scouts, to register now!

### Cub Scout Pack Weekends

Cost to participate is \$8.00. Lunch and a patch is included.

January 16th, 2016

January 30th, 2016

February 20th, 2016

March 5th, 2016

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Register at <https://scoutingevent.com/?OrgKey=BSA218> or contact Ron Lemons at 207-797-5252 or [rolemons@Scouting.org](mailto:rolemons@Scouting.org).

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