

WEBELOS WOODS 2018



May 4-6, 2018

Webelos Leaders: Are your boys ready to camp like Boy Scouts? Bring them out to Fred C. Andersen Scout camp for the Northwest District's Webelos Woods where they can practice their skills as a Patrol and become ready for the transition.

Webelos Woods is all about the next step on the Scouting trail: Boy Scouts! This is the most important district event that we run all year. The event introduces Webelos Scouts and their parents to the exciting Scouting adventures that lie ahead and help make the transition into Boy Scouting more enticing. There will be fun activities, intriguing demonstrations, and plenty of outdoor excitement. All demonstrations and activities will be conducted by Boy Scouts from Troops in the Northwest District.

Webelos Scouts will camp as Patrols as they will in Boy Scouts. They will cook for themselves with Boy Scouts from their aligned Troops serving as their Patrol Leaders. Adult leaders from the Troop and the Webelos Den Leader will provide adult guidance. Webelos parents will tent and eat separately but near the Scouts. The Scouts will learn to work together as a team in their Patrol and will choose a Patrol name and create a Patrol flag. Tents and cooking gear will be provided by partner Troops. Webelos Scouts and adults need to provide personal gear such as sleeping bags and eating utensils.

As a result of this program, participants should come away with:

- An understanding of the Boy Scout program, the skills they will learn, and the fun that is possible.
- An appreciation of a Boy Scout Troop, how it is run, & how it differs from a Cub Scout Pack.
- An increased desire to continue Scouting as a Boy Scout in a Troop.
- An opportunity for Webelos Scouts, Webelos Leaders, and parents to meet Scouts and Scout leaders from the Troops their sons may join.
- A closer relationship between parent and son after a day spent outdoors.

Cost: \$22 for participating youth and \$20 for participating adults. This includes food and an activity patch. We encourage an adult to attend with each Webelos Scout but a maximum ratio of 4 Scouts to 1 adult is allowed. To meet two-deep leadership requirements, at least one registered adult leader and one another adult must attend from each participating Pack.

WE HOPE THAT YOU AND ALL OF YOUR WEBELOS SCOUTS WILL ATTEND THIS EXCITING EVENT!!

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