



Tall Oaks Merit Badge Event 2017

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Tall Oaks Merit Badge Clinic (Scheduled Classes)

TOMBC24 8:30-12 PM
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Bugling, Music

The Bugling merit badge was one of the original 57 merit badges issued by the Boy Scouts of America in 1911

The history of music is rich and exciting. Through the ages, new music has been created by people who learned from tradition, then explored and innovated. All the great music has not yet been written. Today, the possibilities for creating new music are limitless.

Prerequisites: Music MB: Req. 3 must be completed at home and will be discussed at the Merit Badge Event. Prior musical experience is highly encouraged but not required.

Bringing a musical equipment you have some experience with is not required to complete this Merit Badge but those who do not bring an instrument will be required to sing a song.

Bugling MB: Students must have at least 2 years prior musical experience with bugle, trumpet, or coronet. Please bring your instrument if able. Alternative instruments are; Trombone and alto/tenor Saxophone. If unable to provide your own, contact the Counselor at timcaturia@gmail.com and one will be provided for your use during the event. Please note that the merit badge cannot be completed without long term access to an instrument

Tim Caturia

TOMBC12 8:30-12 PM
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Citizenship in the Community

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Maximum number of participants: 10

Prerequisites: No Prerequisites

Michelle Simpson

TOMBC12 1-4:30 PM
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Michelle Simpson

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Lisa Nelson

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Lisa Nelson

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Sydney Tanner



Citizenship in the World

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Prerequisites: No prerequisites

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Prerequisites: No prerequisites

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Richard Bryans



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: 10

Prerequisites: Prerequisites:

Requirement 2a - figure out a creative way to describe yourself

Requirement 3 - think of a topic for your speech and bring any visual aids needed.

Requirement 6 - what skill do you plan to teach or idea to share. Bring your visual aids and/or teaching helps.

Requirement 7 - \$.50 or a postage stamp

TOMBC24 8:30-12 PM
1

Margaret Almquist



Den Chief Training

Boy Scouts wishing to become Den Chiefs will take this course as part of their training to become a Den Chief. The module identifies Den Chief responsibilities and tasks, and describes the Den Chief's relationship to the adult den leaders and how that relates to the Den Chief's activities with the Den.

Prerequisites: Den Chief Handbook will need to be purchased at Scout shop or at event. If purchasing at the clinic, bring a check made out to BSA for the amount of \$7.37.

TOMBC13 1-4:30 PM
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Adam Bauer



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: 10

Prerequisites: Requirement 2

We will be completing requirement 4a however one more from Req. 4 will need to be completed.

Requirement 7

TOMBC13 1-4:30 PM
6

Curtis Wieland



Dog Care

The love and interdependence between humans and dogs has endured for thousands of years. Evidence suggests that dogs and humans started relying on each other thousands of years ago. Today, dogs are our coworkers and companions. They assist search-and-rescue teams, law enforcement officers, hunters, farmers, and people with disabilities.

They also play with us and keep us company.

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TOMBC14 8:30-4:30 PM
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Crystal Shafer



Fire Safety

The ability to use fire safely is essential to human survival. By earning this merit badge, Scouts will learn to use fire safely and responsibly, how to prevent home fires, and how to handle fire safely, as well as burn prevention, and camping safety.

Maximum number of participants: 10

TOMBC14 8:30-4:30 PM
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Tim Swenson



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: 10

Prerequisites: There will be an additional fee of \$4.00 per participant for this class to cover the cost of the materials being used. Please pay the instructor on the day of the class. Bring your own First Aid Kit to class with you. Read through the entire Merit Badge book and be prepared to discuss Req. #1.

TOMBC22 8:30-12 PM
4

Kris Zomok



Geocaching

The word geocache is a combination of "geo," which means "earth," and "cache," which means "a hiding place." Geocaching describes a hiding place on planet Earth - a hiding place you can find using a GPS unit. A GPS (Global Positioning System) unit is an electronic tool that shows you where to go based on information it gets from satellites in space.

Maximum number of participants: 10

Prerequisites: Bring hand held GPS or Smart Phone to class.

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TOMBC16 1-4 PM
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Patricia Usher



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: 10

Prerequisites: Must be 14 years or older. MUST be a high schooler interested in Law School someday, or pre-law curriculum for college. Must read the merit badge book before attending. Must be willing to participate in a mock trial. Please take a close look at requirement 2 (a) (b) and (c) and if you can complete requirement 4 before the clinic - please bring evidence along to support that. Cost to attend - \$5.00 - pay at clinic to Counselor.

TOMBC24 1-4:30 PM
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Jay Jones



Life to Eagle

This training is designed for youth, parents and leaders. This training provides education on the Life to Eagle process, both the Leadership service project as well as the Eagle Board of Review. It is highly suggested that scouts participate in this training prior to starting their leadership service project

Maximum number of participants: 20

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Prerequisites: Parents are asked to attend with their son. This instructional course is highly recommended for Life Scouts preparing to start an Eagle Scout Leadership Service Project and Star Scouts within 6 months of achieving their Life Rank.

TOMBC16 8:30-4:30 PM
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Amie Stillman



Lifesaving

No Boy Scout will ignore a plea for help. However, the desire to help is of little use unless one knows how to give the proper aid. The main purpose of the Lifesaving merit badge is to prepare Scouts to assist those involved in water accidents, teaching them the basic knowledge of rescue techniques, the skills to perform them, and the judgment to know when and how to act so that they can be prepared for emergencies.

Minimum number of participants: 2

Maximum number of participants: 10

Prerequisites: Bring swim suit, towel and no hole jeans. (they will get wet).

TOMBC17 8:30-12 PM
8

Alan Scott



Nuclear Science

Nuclear science gives us a simple explanation of the natural world. The ultimate goal of nuclear science is to find out if there is one fundamental rule that explains how matter and forces interact. Earning the Nuclear Science merit badge is a chance for Scouts to learn about this exciting field at the cutting edge of science today.

Maximum number of participants: 10

Prerequisites: Do 2b, 3b, 6c, and 8 before event.

TOMBC18 8:30-4:30 PM
2

Ben Anderson



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.

Maximum number of participants: 10

Prerequisites: 14 years and older.

TOMBC23 1-4:30 PM
4

Jessica Stodola



Programming

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Maximum number of participants: 10

Prerequisites: Bring your own laptop to class with you. For the Programming Merit Badge, the Cyber Chip is a prerequisite for the course. In addition to a laptop, students will need to have read the book as well as downloaded a program called Brackets from the internet from brackets.io .

TOMBC20 8:30-4:30 PM
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Jason Winter



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.

Maximum number of participants: 10

Prerequisites: Prerequisite - Boys must have completed Rifle merit badge first. Bring proof of such when youth shows up for class. Be it a blue card, copy of a blue card, or Scoutmaster signature saying Scout has completed Rifle prior to this class. Dress for the weather. Class will be held at Whispering Emerald Ridge Game Farm/Range 640th St., Menomonie, WI. Print out and bring permission slip to class.

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Sher McGregor



Signs, Signals, and Codes

American Sign Language (ASL) is the third most used language in the United States. The Signs, Signals, and Codes merit badge will cover Morse code, ASL, Braille, signaling, trail markings, and other nonverbal communications. Did you know that some of these have even saved people's lives?

Maximum number of participants: 10

Prerequisites: You will be outside for part of the class - dress appropriately. Bring paper and pen/pencil.

TOMBC20 8:30-11:30 AM
3

Maegan Snow



Skating

This merit badge introduces Scouts to the exciting world of ice skating, roller skating, and in-line skating. In addition to being an enjoyable leisure activity that promotes fitness, there are a variety of athletic careers in skating.

Maximum number of participants: 10

Prerequisites: Bring own Ice Skates.

We will be outside, dress appropriately.

No Prerequisites. Print out and bring permission slip to class.

TOMBC20 8:30-4:30 PM
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Mike Bergum



Snow Sports

Skiing and snowboarding are the fastest and most thrilling ways to travel on foot in snow country. These sports also provide the physical benefits of fresh air, rhythmic action, and strenuous exercise. Many games and contests give snow sports variety and added rewards.

Maximum number of participants: 10

Prerequisites: We will be outside working on the Snow Shoeing aspect of this merit badge. Dress appropriately. Print out and bring Permission slip to class.

TOMBC21 8:30-4:30 PM
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Fos Soper



Veterinary Medicine

The field of veterinary medicine in the 21st century is one of the most exciting medical professions in which to work. The skills of a veterinarian are practiced with cutting-edge technology and treatment options, and the profession offers a wide range of career choices.

Maximum number of participants: 10

Prerequisites: Come sharp and have fun learning what Veterinary Medicine is all about. Read Veterinary Medicine Merit Badge book before hand.

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Nick Grunseth



Weather

Meteorology is the study of Earth's atmosphere and its weather and the ways in which temperature, wind, and moisture act together in the environment. In addition to learning how everyday weather is predicted, Scouts can learn about extreme weather such as thunderstorms, tornadoes, and hurricanes, and how to stay safe.

Maximum number of participants: 10

Prerequisites: If a scout would like to complete the merit badge this day he needs to complete Requirements #10 and #11 ahead of time.

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Corey Wegner



Welding

The new Welding badge and pamphlet was released by BSA, and Scouts could begin earning the badge on February 24, 2012.

Maximum number of participants: 10

Prerequisites: Scouts must read Welding Merit Badge book and do Requirements 1a-b, 2b-c & 4 beforehand. Meet at 2320 Alpine Rd, EC (CVTC Gateway Campus) and be dressed

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in appropriate clothing (addressed in book).
Print out and bring permission slip to class.