



2025 COURSE CATALOG

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COURSE LIST

Courses below are organized by SESSION offered. Specific details about the courses can be found in the Curriculum by College Sections below. The first 3 letters of the course code designate the specific college they are offered by as per below:

CUB - CUB COLLEGE

SCT - SCOUTS BSA COLLEGE

GEN - GENERAL COLLEGE

YLD - YOUTH LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT and YOUTH COLLEGE

VEN- YOUTH COLLEGE (Can be used as Venturing Awards Requirement)

YOUTH LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

YLD-022 - Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops (ILST) and Leadership Academy
(YOUTH ONLY) **Limit 32 participants All day course (Sessions 1 through 6)**

YLD-010 - Den Chief Training (YOUTH ONLY) **Limit 12 participants 2 session course (Session 1 & 2)**

SESSION 1

CUB-104	Operations of a Unit (ADULT)
CUB-111	Scoutbook for Cubs (ADULT)
CUB-132	Duty to Country - Citizenship and Good Turns (ADULT)
SCT-102	Integrating New Leaders to a Scouting America Troop (ADULT)
SCT-214	Creative Scoutmaster/Cubmaster Minutes - they really do make a difference in the life of a youth! (ADULT)
SCT-217	Team Building Activities (ADULT)
SCT-403	Camping Hair? Don't Care! (ADULT)
GEN-104	Simple Knots (ADULT, YOUTH)
GEN-190	Scouting Adventure Planning (ADULT, YOUTH)
GEN-220	Scouting Safety (ADULT)
GEN-261	The Commissioner is a Leaders Friend (ADULT)
VEN-310	Preparing for a Klondike/Camporees (YOUTH)
YLD-250	Wilderness Survival 101 (YOUTH)
YLD-300	Life to Eagle (YOUTH)

SESSION 2

CUB-124	Camping with Cubs: Tips, Tricks, and Triumphs (ADULT)
CUB-224	Every Cub Belongs "Cubs with Special Needs" (ADULT)
CUB-365	Cub Scout Outdoor Basics "Every Cub's Trail Guide" (ADULT)
SCT-221	10 Meals your Scouts Will Cook (ADULT, YOUTH)
SCT-257	Running ILST in your Troop (ADULT, YOUTH)
SCT-401	Building a Culture of Success in Your Troop (ADULT)
SCT-412	Eagle Coach Training (ADULT)
GEN-141	Safe Trailering (ADULT)
GEN-338	Dutch Oven Cooking: The Basics (ADULT, YOUTH)
GEN-371	Females in Scouting (ADULT)
GEN-421	The Force of Paracord (ADULT, YOUTH)
YLD-301	Resume Building & Digital Footprint (YOUTH)

SESSION 3

GEN-502	Council Update/Fireside Chat (ADULT)
YLD-200	Diversifying your Patrol Cooking (YOUTH)

SESSION 4

CUB-138	Cooking With Cubs in the Outdoors (ADULT)
CUB-254	WEBELOS/AOL Transition to Scouts BSA: Beyond the Bridge What's Next? (ADULT)
CUB-311	Knot your average class- HOW to Teach the Cubs HOW to tie knots. (ADULT)
SCT-160	US Flag Etiquette and Ceremonies (ADULT, YOUTH)
SCT-164	What is the OA? How the Order of the Arrow Can Help You Retain Older Scouts (ADULT)
SCT-210	Patrol Activities (ADULT)
SCT-402	The In's & Out's of a Patrol Cook Box (Kitchen) (ADULT, YOUTH)
GEN-301	High Adventure Planning (ADULT, YOUTH)
GEN-328	Differently Abled Youth and Scouting (ADULT)
GEN-364	International Scouting (ADULT, YOUTH)
GEN-438	Dutch Oven Cooking- Beyond the Basics (ADULT, YOUTH) Limit 10 participants 2 session course-<u>must attend both sessions</u> (Sessions 4 & 5)
YLD-150	Getting the right gear for your next trip (YOUTH)
YLD-210	Thinking creatively (YOUTH)
YLD-220	LNT Awareness Course (YOUTH)

SESSION 5

- CUB-255 Scouts BSA Advancement for Webelos Leaders & Parents (ADULT)
CUB-300 What's New in Cub Scouts (ADULT)
CUB-326 Cub Scout Adventure Camp Survival (ADULT)
SCT-110 Merit Badge Counselor Orientation (ADULT) **2 session course- must attend both sessions (Sessions 5 & 6)**
SCT-238 Putting the Outing in Scouting - Backpacking with your Scouts (ADULT)
SCT-274 Youth Leading Youth - Creative Guidance for PLCs (ADULT)
SCT-309 Fun, Useful, and Practical Knots projects! (ADULT, YOUTH)
GEN-229 Awards Galore (ADULT, YOUTH)
GEN-311 Conservation in Scouting (ADULT, YOUTH)
GEN-405 Beyond the Trail: Understanding Public Land Rules for Safe and Legal Adventures (ADULT)
GEN-438 Dutch Oven Cooking- Beyond the Basics (ADULT, YOUTH) **Limit 10 participants 2 session course- must attend both sessions (Sessions 4 & 5) CONTINUED**
VEN-226 Goal Setting & Time Management (YOUTH)
YLD-111 Scout Games (YOUTH)
YLD-203 Social Media for your Troop (YOUTH)

SESSION 6

- CUB-232 Beyond the Burgers and Sandwiches (ADULT)
CUB-240 Sharpen your Own Skills- How to teach knife safety to Cubs (ADULT)
CUB-301 What Did you Say? Come learn the lingo! (ADULT)
SCT-110 Merit Badge Counselor Orientation (ADULT) **2 session course- must attend both sessions (Sessions 5 & 6) CONTINUED**
SCT-218 Fun and Games!! (ADULT)
SCT-230 Successfully Transitioning AOL Scouts to Scouting America (ADULT)
SCT-239 Gear Up and Get Out(side) – Gear for Typical Scout Outings (ADULT, YOUTH)
GEN-251 Navigating Scoutbook (ADULT)
GEN-401 Wood-Badge and National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT) (ADULT, YOUTH)
GEN-404 The Next Step: Ornamental Knots (ADULT, YOUTH)
GEN-406 Outdoor Ethics Orientation (ADULT) (ADULT, YOUTH)
YLD-400 Youth Forum/ Getting More out of Scouting & More (YOUTH)

CUB COLLEGE

CUB-104 - Operations of a Unit

Cub Scouts Adult

Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 AM

A Pack and a business are more similar than you may think. The class will discuss recruiting leaders, making plans and ensuring your leaders have the support they need to run a successful unit.

CUB-111 - Scoutbook for Cubs

Cub Scouts Adult

Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 AM

Cub Scout dens and packs can use Scoutbook to track adventure completions and progress toward ranks. This excellent tool is available to unit leaders and parents, as they work to support and guide their Scouts to success.

CUB-124 - Camping with Cubs: Tips, Tricks, and Triumphs

Cub Scouts Adult

Session: 2

Start Time: 10:00 AM

Make camping with your Cubs a fun enjoyable experience for everyone (even you.) Learn how to be comfortable in the outdoors - what to pack, what not to pack... Bring your questions!

CUB-132 - Duty to Country - Citizenship and Good Turns

Cub Scouts Adult

Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 AM

From saluting the flag to visiting battlefield parks and memorials, we will explore the importance of 'duty to country' within the Cub Scout program. Learn how to incorporate patriotism and citizenship into your Cub Scout year in such a way that will allow for personal growth and discovery. In addition to understanding the link between citizenship and community service and seeing the Scouting "good turn" as a citizen's act of patriotism. We will also consider Cub Scout service projects that enhance communities and help others in need.

CUB-138 - Cooking with Cubs in the Outdoors

Cub Scouts

Adult

Session: 4

Start Time: 1:30 PM

Class Limit: 20

The Adventure Program has many requirements for Cubs to cook in the outdoors. A Scout who can toast a marshmallow can cook other things. This course will explore cooking techniques and recipes for all ages of Cub Scouts. Come get great ideas for cooking in the outdoors with your Cubs. Bring a favorite recipe. **Note:** This is a 2-SESSION Course. This course is tailored for Leaders of youth ages 5 to 11 but would be appropriate for all Scouting programs.

CUB-224 - Cubs with Special Needs

Cub Scouts

Adult

Session: 2

Start Time: 10:00 AM

Have you ever wondered how to involve the Scout in your unit who happens to have different physical or cognitive abilities? This class will answer many of your questions and challenge you to think outside the box when planning activities.

CUB-232 - Beyond the Burgers and Sandwiches

Cub Scouts

Adult

Session: 6

Start Time: 3:30 PM

Come learn how to feed your Pack on a campout beyond hot dogs and burgers. Menu planning and prep work before the campsite.

CUB- 240 - Sharpen your Own Skills- How to teach knife safety to Cubs

Cub Scouts

Adult

Session: 6

Start Time: 3:30 PM

Learn how to teach Cub Scouts and Webelos Scouts how to use and care for their pocket knives. You will need to bring your own pocket knife to this course. This course is tailored to leaders of Bear Cub Scouts (3rd grade) and higher.

CUB-254 - WEBELOS/AOL Transition to Scouts BSA: Beyond the Bridge, What's Next?

Cub Scouts

Adult

Session: 4

Start Time: 1:30 PM

Wondering about the mysteries of moving to Scouts BSA? Wonder what the differences are? Learn how to prepare and get the answers to what the next phase of Scouting looks like for you and your child.

CUB-255 - Scouts BSA Advancement for Webelos Leaders & Parents

Cub Scouts

Adult

Session: 5

Start Time: 2:30 PM

Advancement in Scouts BSA is just different enough from that of Cub Scouts to provide unique challenges for both scouts and their leaders/parents. This course is designed to help you understand how advancement in Scouts BSA works. In addition to helping you assist your Webelos with a smooth transition, this course will prepare you to lead the "This is Scouting" required adventure for your AOL scouts. "Getting Through the Tunnel."

CUB-300 - What's New in Cub Scouts

Cub Scouts

Adult

Session: 5

Start Time: 2:30 PM

There are many new and exciting updates to the Cub Scout program coming this year. This session will focus on discussing the new changes and provide a forum for leaders to discuss ideas on implementation.

CUB- 301 - What Did you Say? Come learn the lingo!

Cub Scouts

Adult

Session: 6

Start Time: 3:30 PM

Are you confused yet? Come find out what is the council, district, international scouting, OA, day camp, etc. and all the acronyms?

CUB- 311 - Knot your average class- HOW to Teach the Cubs HOW to tie knots

Cub Scouts

Adult

Session: 4

Start Time: 1:30 PM

Teaching knots to Cub Scouts works best when it is simple, hands on, and fun. Learn the basics yourself in order to teach.

CUB-326 - Making Cub Scout Day Camp Count

Cub Scouts

Adult

Session: 5

Start Time: 2:30 PM

As a leader attending Day Camp with your Cub Scouts, your task is to “make the experience count.” Many Cub Scouts look forward to the fun of Day Camp all year long; Day Camp offers them an outdoor experience geared to their ages-and-stages and a springboard to further camping participation, in pack overnights, Cub Scout resident camp, and Webelos den camping. But for the magic to happen there are forms to fill-out, gear to bring, transportation arrangements to be made, walkers to schedule... as well as Cubs to manage, adventure requirement completions to record, and camp achievements to celebrate.

CUB-365 - Cub Scout Outdoor Basics "Every Cub's Trail Guide"

Cub Scouts

Adult

Session: 2

Start Time: 10:00 AM

Perfect trio of Scouting basics! Here's a simple way to frame them for your Cubs and families. LNT, 6 Essentials, Buddy system.

SCOUTS BSA COLLEGE

SCT-102 - Integrating New Leaders to a Scouts BSA Troop

Scouts BSA Adult

Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 AM

How to effectively integrate new adult leaders, who often cross over with their Scouts, into a Troop and how to recruit New Leaders.

SCT- 110 - Merit Badge Counselor Orientation

Scouts BSA Adult

Session: 5,6 (TWO SESSIONS LONG – MUST ATTEND BOTH SESSIONS)

Start Time: 2:30 PM

This course is the nationally approved in-person course to train you as a merit badge counselor. The presentation addresses the merit badge program, its benefits to Scouting, the procedures for earning merit badges, merit badge counselor qualifications, the process of counseling, necessary additional counselor certifications, counselor limitations, and administration of the merit badge counselor program. Completion of this course will be entered into your training profile.

SCT-160 - US Flag Etiquette and Ceremonies

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult Youth

Session: 4

Start Time: 1:30 PM

Learn the proper way to raise, lower, salute, fold a flag and how to conduct flag ceremonies. Best ideas to teach this to your Scouts and Venturing programs.

SCT-164 - What is the OA? How the Order of the Arrow Can Help You Retain Older Scouts

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult

Session: 4

Start Time: 1:30 PM

An Introduction to the Order of the Arrow (OA), the National Honor Society of Scouting. What it means to your unit, your youth, and how the OA can help to retain your older Scouts. The OA provides opportunities to grow in leadership and confidence at Chapter, Lodge, Regional, and National events.

SCT-210 - Patrol Activities

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult

Session: 4

Start Time: 1:30 PM

This presentation is a brainstorming session on activities that patrols can do at meetings and on outings. The patrol method is meaningless unless the Patrols have something to do. Come and get ideas to jump-start patrol activities

SCT- 214 - Creative Scoutmaster/Cubmaster Minutes - they really do make a difference in the life of a youth!

Cub Scouts Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult

Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 PM

Learn what a Scoutmaster's minute is, what it is not, and how to develop or find inspiration to give one. We will discuss lessons learned and personal experiences. This is an excellent way to reach the youth on their level - even Cub Scouts!!

SCT- 217 - Team Building Activities

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult

Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 AM

We will cover the basics of team-building activities and how they can be implemented at Scout troop meetings and activities.

SCT- 218 - Fun and Games!!

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult

Session: 6

Start Time: 3:30 PM

Scouting is a game with a purpose. Games are important. This session will discuss the different kinds of games and how they can be used in developing Scoutcraft skills, leadership and teamwork. Come have some fun with us!

SCT-221 - 10 Meals Your Scouts Will Cook

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult Youth

Session: 2

Start Time: 10:00 AM

Cook, eat and taste ten easy-to-cook meals that you can bring back to your Troop as ideas for Scouts to cook on future campouts.

SCT-230 - Successfully Transitioning Webelos/AOL to Scouts BSA

Scouts BSA Adult

Session: 6

Start Time: 3:30 PM

How Dens and Troops can work together during the Webelos/AOL year to bridge Scouts from Cub Scouts to Scouting America.

SCT-238 - Putting the Outing in Scouting - Backpacking with your Scouts

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult

Session: 5

Start Time: 2:30 PM

Come and learn about techniques, gear, places to go, and everything that makes backpacking so great!

SCT-239 - Gear Up and Get Out(side) – Gear for Typical Scout Outings and Backpacking

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult Youth

Session: 6

Start Time: 3:30 PM

Buying gear is a big investment, this presentation covers what gear to buy as you start Scouting and as your Scout becomes more involved. This presentation will discuss the gear necessary from “stop-n-plop” camping to summer camp.

SCT-257 - Running ILST in Your Troop

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult Youth

Session: 2

Start Time: 10:00 AM

Learn how to run the Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops within your Troop. A must for every unit that wants to be run smoothly by the Scouts. These basic principles are also applicable to Venturing & Sea Scout leaders looking to run Introduction to Leadership Skills for Crews or Ships (ILSC or ILSS).

SCT-274 - Youth Leading Youth - Creative Guidance for PLC's

Scouts BSA Adult

Session: 5

Start Time: 2:30 PM

Creative guidance and ideas for running Youth Led Patrol and PLC meetings

SCT-309 - Fun, Useful, and Practical Knots projects!

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult Youth

Session: 5

Start Time: 2:30 PM

Learn fun, useful, and practical projects you can bring back to your unit. Examples are water bottle holders & key chains.

SCT-401 - Building a Culture of Success in your Troop

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult

Session: 2

Start Time: 10:00 AM

How focusing on the idea that leadership is helping those you lead succeed can build a culture of success in the youth and adults in your Troop.

SCT-402 - The In's & Out's of a Patrol Cook Box (Kitchen)

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult Youth

Session: 4

Start Time: 1:30 PM

Patrol cook boxes vary from Troop to Troop. Come spend some time exploring cook boxes and the pros and cons of different designs and the equipment needed to stock them.

SCT-403 - Camping Hair? Don't Care!

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult

Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 AM

This course will be a discussion, from a female leader's perspective, that attend Scout BSA trips & campouts. This will help you feel more comfortable in a mostly male environment.

SCT-412 - Eagle Coach Training

Scouts BSA

Adult

Session: 2

Start Time: 10:00 AM

Interested in becoming an Eagle Project Coach or Eagle Advisor? Do you want to know more about the Life to Eagle process, but were afraid to ask? Come learn about the roles and responsibilities of adults that help Life Scouts successfully navigate the Life to Eagle process. Also, learn how to handle those special circumstances and answer those tricky questions that arise along the way!

GENERAL COLLEGE

GEN-104 - Simple Knots

Cub Scouts	Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult	Youth
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Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 AM

Most Scouts struggle to remember the most basic knots. This presentation will focus on how to work with your Troop, Crew, or Ship to integrate knots into your BSA program.

GEN-141 - Safe Trailering

Cub Scouts	Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult
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Session: 2

Start Time: 10:00 AM

Safety practices and practical tips on towing your unit trailer. Hands-on demos and door prizes! [Bring work gloves and prepare to go outside.](#)

GEN-190 - Scouting Adventure Planning

Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult	Youth
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Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 AM

Scouting adventures can take many forms but where do you go for help? This course explores resources that can be used to help plan for fun scouting activities.

GEN-220 - Scouting Safety

Cub Scouts	Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult
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Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 AM

How to stay safe in Scouting. Guidelines and support available to assist leaders in keeping activities fun and safe for the youth.

GEN- 229 - Awards Galore

Cub Scouts	Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult	Youth
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Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 AM

An overview of awards to keep scouts (and scouters!) interested and motivated. Covering some common and not-so-common awards and achievement programs offered by and/or recognized by Scouting America across the several programs.

GEN- 251 - Navigating Scoutbook

Cub Scouts	Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult
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Session: 6

Start Time: 3:30 PM

Tips and tricks for working with Scoutbook.

GEN- 261 - The Commissioner is a Leaders Friend

Cub Scouts	Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult
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Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 AM

Understanding the role of the Commissioner and how Leaders can leverage them.

GEN-301 - High Adventure Planning

Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult	Youth
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Session: 4

Start Time: 1:30 PM

Scouting adventures can take many forms but all need to be planned. This course will review how to plan and execute a high adventure trip.

GEN-311 - Conservation in Scouting

Cub Scouts	Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult	Youth
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Session: 5

Start Time: 2:30 PM

Introduction to conservation awards Scouts can earn while participating in the Cub Scout, Scouts BSA and Venturing programs. Presentation will cover awards offered by the BSA, state agencies, federal agencies and nonprofit organizations. Review of the Distinguished Conservation Service Award (previously the William T. Hornaday award) will be included.

GEN-328 - Youth that are Differently Abled, Scouting is for Them

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult

Session: 4

Start Time: 1:30 PM

Open-discussion format in which we invite Scouters to share challenges---and successes---they've had working with Scouts with special needs. The goal is to discuss real-life experiences and share techniques to support and work with Scouts with special needs to foster an encouraging, inclusive, and positive environment, along with supporting materials to assist the youth beyond the age of eligibility.

GEN-338 - Dutch Oven Cooking: The Basics

Cub Scouts Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult Youth

Session: 2

Start Time: 10:00 AM

This session is designed to introduce a beginner to the Dutch oven. You will learn how to properly heat your Dutch oven using charcoal and cook a basic one-pot meal, as well as how to select and care for a Dutch oven.

GEN- 364 - International Scouting

Cub Scouts Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult Youth

Session: 4

Start Time: 1:30 PM

Join us for an overview of International Scouting in Scouting America and its place in the world scouting movement. This course will provide a brief overview of world scouting in general, opportunities to attend international events such as World Jamborees, Moots & Jamboree on the Air/Internet, international awards, Messengers of Peace and more.

GEN-371 - Females in Scouting

Cub Scouts Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Adult

Session: 2

Start Time: 10:00 AM

Practical tips, tricks, and advice for guiding female scouts through the ins and outs of outdoor adventuring.

GEN-401 - Wood-Badge and National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT)

Cub Scouts	Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult	Youth
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Session: 6

Start Time: 3:30 PM

Beyond the basic leadership training: this session explores Wood-Badge and National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT) and their benefits.

GEN-404 - The Next Step: Ornamental Knots

Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult	Youth
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Session: 6

Start Time: 3:30 PM

Learn knots beyond the basics and see how decorative some knots can be.

GEN- 405 - Beyond the Trail: Understanding Public Land Rules for Safe and Legal Adventures

Cub Scouts	Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult
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Session: 5

Start Time: 2:30 PM

It is very easy for unit leaders to either break rules unintentionally or to assume certain activities are not allowed due to them not being familiar with the management differences of different public lands. Come and learn how to navigate public land rules that will open up opportunities for backpacking and hiking with your scouts.

GEN- 406 - Outdoor Ethics Orientation (Adult)

Cub Scouts	Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult
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Session: 6

Start Time: 3:30 PM

This course introduces the concept of Outdoor Ethics and helps adults in all programs understand the general principles behind Scout America's outdoor ethics program.

Upon completion of the session, adults will also receive training credit for course S111.

Additionally, adults who bring in certificates of completion for two online courses, Leave No Trace 101 training (found at <https://learn.int.org/courses/101>) , and Tread Lightly!

101 training (found at <https://tread-lightly.teachable.com/p/online-awareness-course>) will be recognized with the Outdoor Ethics Awareness Award.

GEN- Gen-421 - The Force of Paracord

Cub Scouts	Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult	Youth
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Session: 2

Start Time: 10:00 AM

Learn how to make a mini Yoda out of paracord. Great activity to bring back to the youth in your unit.

GEN-438 - Dutch Oven Cooking- Beyond the Basics

Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult	Youth
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Session: 4,5 (TWO SESSIONS LONG – MUST ATTEND BOTH SESSIONS)

Start Time: 1:30 PM

Class Limit: 10

Come get a taste of what you can do with Dutch Ovens and cast-iron frying pans on your campouts. Learn the basics of cooking with Dutch Ovens and cast-iron frying pans, pick up some great recipes that you can use on campouts and get some tips to take your camp cooking to the next level. [Double Session](#)

GEN-502 - Council Update/Fireside Chat

Cub Scouts	Scouts BSA	Venturing	Sea Scouts	Adult
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Session: 3

Start Time: 11:00 AM

Adult leaders are provided some key information from Council.

YOUTH LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT and YOUTH COLLEGE

YLD-010 - Den Chief Training

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Youth

Session: 1,2 (MUST ATTEND BOTH SESSIONS)

Start Time: 9:00 AM

Class Limit: 12

Calling all Scouts wishing to become Den Chiefs and active Den Chiefs who are currently untrained. This course will train you to successfully meet your Den Chief responsibilities and help deliver the Cub program. It will also help you work with adult Den Leaders to plan and execute both skill and fun based Den activities. All participants will receive a trained patch and items that will help you grow in this important leadership position.

YLD-022 - Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops (ILST) and Leadership Academy

Scouts BSA Youth

Session: 1,2,3,4,5,6 (MUST ATTEND ALL DAY)

Start Time: 9:00 AM

Class Limit: 32

Leadership training and the leadership experience is one of the most important aspects of Scouting. This course will give you tools to lead yourself and then lead others to reach common goals. Topics covered include Troop and organization, leadership actions such as creating a vision, goal setting, communication, planning, delegation, and the Scouting philosophy of servant leadership. This course transitions during lunch into the Leadership Academy, which will introduce practical leadership skills such as the leading EDGE, what to do when things go wrong, dealing with chaos, anti-bullying techniques, and making realistic plans. Participants will create a unit activity plan which will be presented to the group for discussion. Scouts who attend this course will receive a trained patch and will receive the SPL Handbook. Completion of ILST is required for Scouts who plan on attending the National Youth Leadership Training course (NYLT). This course will be taught by youth who have completed NYLT as well as experienced adult leaders.

YLD-111 - Scout Games

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Youth

Session: 5

Start Time: 2:30 PM

Tired of playing sharks and minnows? There are plenty of other scout appropriate games out there – whether they are action packed or on paper. Learn a new game or two to play with your troop, crew, or patrol. Have some fun testing the game with fellow scouts.

YLD-150 - Getting the right gear for your next trip

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Youth

Session: 4

Start Time: 1:30 PM

Learn how to choose the essential gear that makes every camping trip safe, comfortable, and fun. From tents and backpacks to cooking supplies and clothing, discover what you really need and what you don't. Get tips on packing smart, saving money, and keeping your gear in top condition. Walk away ready to hit the trail with confidence, prepared for any adventure.

YLD-200 - Diversifying your Patrol Cooking

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Youth

Session: 3

Start Time: 11:00 AM

Spice up mealtime by moving beyond the same old ramen dinner. Learn new recipes and cooking methods that make patrol meals exciting, healthy, and fun.

Discover how to use simple ingredients and teamwork to create dishes everyone will enjoy. Leave with fresh ideas that will turn your next campout into a true dining adventure.

YLD-203 - Social Media for your Troop

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Youth

Session: 5

Start Time: 2:30 PM

Want to show off your troop's activities. Learn the ins and outs of running a social media account for scouting to promote your troop!

YLD- 210 - Thinking Creatively

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Youth

Session: 4

Start Time: 1:30 PM

Discover how to unlock fresh perspectives and spark innovative ideas through hands-on exercises in creative thinking. Learn practical techniques that help stretch your imagination and tackle challenges in new ways. Engage in collaborative activities that turn everyday problems into opportunities for inventive solutions. Empower yourself to break out of routine thinking, cultivate curiosity, and bring bold, creative thinking into all aspects of your life.

YLD- 220 - LNT Awareness Course

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Youth

Session: 4

Start Time: 1:30 PM

Are you a steward of the environment? Learn more about Leave No Trace and how to make environmentally conscious decisions.

YLD-250 - Wilderness Survival 101

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Youth

Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 AM

Are you ready to learn what it takes to survive in the vast outdoors? In this session learn strategies for braving the outdoors and preparing a wilderness survival event for your troop!

YLD-300 - Life to Eagle

Scouts BSA Venturing Sea Scouts Youth

Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 AM

Take the next steps in your Scouting journey and learn what it takes to progress from Life Scout to Eagle Scout. Discover strategies for planning your Eagle-required project, earning merit badges, and developing leadership skills. Hear tips from experienced Scouts and leaders who've successfully navigated the path. Leave confident, motivated, and ready to achieve the highest rank in Scouting.

YLD-301 - Resume Building & Digital Footprint

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Session: 2

Start Time: 10:00 AM

Learn how to craft a polished, professional resume that highlights your strengths and accomplishments throughout scouting and your personal life. Explore strategies for tailoring your resume to different opportunities and standing out to stand out while learning how your digital footprint affects your life.

YLD-400 - Youth Forum/ Getting More out of Scouting & More

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Session: 6

Start Time: 3:30 PM

Curious about other Scouting adventures, badges, or life after scouting? Join our open-mic Q&A where we will talk about all things scouting. Learn from older scout's experiences, hear stories, and get tips to make your Scouting journey even better.

VEN-226 - Goal Setting & Time Management

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Session: 5

Start Time: 2:30 PM

Learn how to set clear, achievable goals and create a plan to reach them. Discover simple tools for managing your time so you can balance school, Scouting, and fun. Practice breaking big tasks into smaller steps and staying motivated along the way. Walk away ready to stay on track and turn your goals into accomplishments.

VEN-310 - Preparing for a Klondike/Camporees

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Session: 1

Start Time: 9:00 AM

Get ready to lead your unit to success at your next Klondike or Camporee by mastering essential Scout skills. This course covers how to teach, practice, and sharpen skills like fire building, knots, first aid, and teamwork. Learn strategies to make skill sessions engaging so Scouts are confident and excited to put them into action. Walk away with practical methods to prepare your unit for competition, adventure, and fun.