(Register for Merit Badges before Camp)

We recommend that 1st year Scouts participate in the Brownsea Program which includes Swimming MB & Nature MB.

Animatian	Posemmended for	Dreneveties	Other Information
Animation	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Bull Mountain Studios	Preparation Requirement 5 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information All materials provided.
Archaeology	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	Preparation Requirement 7c and 10 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information Will require short papers, class discussions, and presentations for completion.
Archery	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Archery Range	Preparation Requirement 1c needed for completion. (use pre-req form)	Other Information Difficult merit badge to complete. Minimum score required for completion. Free shoot time may be needed to finish. Badge may contain one day of non-shooting for the non-shooting requirements.
Art	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Bull Mountain Studios	Preparation Requirement 7 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information All materials provided.
Astronomy	Recommended for 3 rd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	Preparation Requirement 9 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information Requires early morning and late-night sessions. Very weather dependent for completion.
Athletics	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Health & Fitness	Preparation Requirement 1b (use pre-req form) Requirement 3 (bring to class) needed for completion.	Other Information All materials provided.

Basketry	Recommended for	Preparation	Other Information
	2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Bull Mountain Studios	None	All materials provided.
Bird Study	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	<u>Preparation</u> None	Other Information Requires observations and report writing. Requires early morning sessions.
Camping	Recommended for 3 rd year and older Scouts Offered at Scoutcraft	Preparation Requirements 4, 8c, 8d and 9 needed for completion. (use pre-req form)	Other Information Conservation project in requirement 9 can be completed during camp but is recommended to be done ahead of time.
Canoeing	Recommended for 3 rd year or older Scouts Offered at Boat Yard	Preparation Requirement 1b needed for completion. (use pre-req form) MUST pass swim test.	Other Information Boat shoes with a full sole needed (ex. old tennis shoes or closed toed sandals)
Chemistry	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	Preparation Requirement 7 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information All materials provided.
Citizenship in the World	Recommended for 3rd year and older Scouts Offered at Scoutcraft	Preparation Requirement 7 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information All materials provided.
Climbing	Recommended for 3 rd year and older Scouts Offered at Climbing Tower	Preparation Requirement 1b & 1c needed for completion. (use pre-req form)	Other Information Physically demanding, may be difficult for some Scouts.

Communication	Recommended for 3 rd year and older Scouts Offered at Scoutcraft	Preparation Requirement 5 and 7 (write essay about each experience) Requirement 8 (use pre-req form) needed for completion.	Other Information All materials provided.
Cooking (partial) aka Introduction to Cooking	Recommended for 3rd year and older Scouts Offered at Scoutcraft	<u>Preparation</u> None	Other Information HALF DAY CLASS In this program a Scout will earn a partial in Cooking Merit Badge in camp with a road to completion following the summer. Along with learning about food safety and menu planning, Scouts will learn the skills of cooking. When Scouts finish this program, they should have all the skills needed to complete the cooking requirements of this badge.
Cycling	Recommended for 3rd year and older Scouts Offered at Health & Fitness	Preparation Requirement 1b needed for completion. (use pre-req form)	Other Information Extremely physically demanding, may be difficult for many Scouts. Scouts will complete the "Mountain Biking" option and should be experienced trail cyclists prior to attempting this badge. 50+ miles of cycling in this badge. Requires early morning rides. Scouts are encouraged to bring their own mountain bike.
Electricity	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	<u>Preparation</u> None	Other Information Recommended to be taken in conjunction with Electronics.
Electronics	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	Preparation Requirement 6 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information Recommended to be taken in conjunction with Electricity.

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Engineering	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
	Offered at N.E.S.T.	None	All materials provided.
Environmental Science	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
	3 rd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	Requirement 6 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	HALF DAY CLASS Intense and time-consuming. Requires observations and report writing.
First Aid	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
	2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Health & Fitness	Requirement 5a needed for completion. (bring to class)	Home first aid kit for requirement 5a must be brought to camp.
Fish & Wildlife	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
Management	2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	Requirement 8 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Good preparation for Environmental Science MB.
Fishing	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
	2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	None	Practice knots for requirement 4 before camp. Scouts are encouraged to bring their own fishing gear. Camp fishing gear is available on a first-come, first-serve basis.
Forestry	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts	Preparation Requirement 8 needed	Other Information
	Offered at N.E.S.T.	for completion. (bring to class)	Have footwear for walking in the woods. Bring a notebook.

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Game Design	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Health & Fitness	Preparation Requirement 8 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information This badge is NOT about Video Games. It is about the design of games and the planning of the game play activities. Please review the requirements so Scouts are clear on the topics covered in the badge.
Geocaching	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Scoutcraft	Preparation Requirement 7 needed for completion. (use pre-req form)	Other Information All materials provided.
Geology	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	Preparation Requirement 4 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information All materials provided.
Graphic Arts	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Bull Mountain Studios	Preparation Requirement 6 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information All materials provided.
Insect Study	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	Preparation Requirement 13 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information All materials provided.
Kayaking	Recommended for 2 nd year or older Scouts Offered at Boat Yard	Preparation Requirement 1b needed for completion. (use pre-req form) MUST pass swim test.	Other Information Boat shoes with a full sole needed (ex. old tennis shoes or closed toed sandals)

Leatherwork	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Bull Mountain Studios	<u>Preparation</u> None	Other Information All materials provided.
Lifesaving	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Pool	Preparation Requirements 1, 2a, 16 and 17 needed for completion. (use pre-req form) Scouts MUST have previously earned Swimming MB (Req. 2a) to take this badge & MUST complete Req. 2b (400-yard qualifying swim) at Polar Bear on Monday to participate in class.	Other Information Need long sleeve shirt, long pants, socks, and shoes for 20-second disrobing (req 9).
Mammal Study	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	<u>Preparation</u> None	Other Information Requires observations and report writing.
Motorboating	Recommended for 3rd year and older Scouts Offered at Sailing Base	Preparation Requirement 1b, 4b needed for completion. (use pre-req form & bring permit to class) MUST pass swim test. MUST have a certificate of approved boater safety education (by NASBLA) to drive motorboat.	Other Information Boat shoes with a full sole needed (ex. old tennis shoes or closed toed sandals)
Moviemaking	Recommended for 3 rd year or older Scouts Offered at Bull Mountain Studios	Preparation Requirement 4 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information Personal digital cameras or digital video cameras are encouraged to be used.

Music	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Bull Mountain Studios	Preparation Requirement 3 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information All materials provided.
Nature	Recommended for 1 st year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	<u>Preparation</u> None	Other Information Included in Brownsea program AND offered separately.
Oceanography	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	<u>Preparation</u> None	Other Information Scouts will need shoes that will be worn in the water.
Orienteering N S	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Scoutcraft	<u>Preparation</u> None	Other Information All materials provided.
Personal Fitness	Recommended for 3 rd year and older Scouts Offered at Health & Fitness	Preparation Requirement 1 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information Requirement 8 to be completed at home after camp.
Photography	Recommended for 3rd year and older Scouts Offered at Bull Mountain Studios	Preparation Requirement 1a (bring card to class) Requirement 8 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information Personal digital cameras are encouraged to be used.
Pioneering	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Scoutcraft	Preparation Requirement 1b needed for completion. (use pre-req form)	Other Information All materials provided. May be physically demanding. Be familiar with the 7 basic knots.

Pottery	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Bull Mountain Studios	Preparation Requirement 7 & 8 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information All materials provided. Should wear clothing that can get dirty.
Programming 01000010 0100000	Recommended for 3 rd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	Preparation Requirement 1a (bring card to class) Requirement 6 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information All materials provided.
Pulp & Paper	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	Preparation Requirement 8 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information All materials provided.
Reptile & Amphibian Study	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	Preparation Requirement 8 needed for completion. (bring report to class)	Other Information Will handle live animals, including snakes!
Rifle Shooting	Recommended for 2 nd year and older campers Offered at Rifle Range	Preparation Requirements 1d & 1f needed for completion. (use pre-req form)	Other Information Difficult merit badge to complete. Minimum score required for completion. Free shoot time may be needed to finish. Badge will contain one day of nonshooting for the non-shooting requirements.
Robotics	Recommended for 3 rd year or older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	Preparation Requirement 7 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information Behold, the age of Robotics in the BSA has begun, and no we are not replacing Scoutmasters with AndroidsYet.

Rowing	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Boat Yard	Preparation Requirement 1b needed for completion. (use pre-req form) MUST pass swim test.	Other Information Boat shoes with a full sole needed (ex. old tennis shoes or closed toed sandals)
Sculpture	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Bull Mountain Studios	Preparation Requirement 3 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information All materials provided.
Shotgun Shooting	Recommended for 3 rd year and older Scouts Offered at Shotgun Range	Preparation Requirements 1d & 1f needed for completion. (use pre-req form)	Other Information Difficult merit badge to complete. Minimum score required for completion. Free shoot time may be needed to finish. Physically demanding.
Signs, Signals & Codes	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Health & Fitness	<u>Preparation</u> None	Other Information All materials provided.
Small-Boat Sailing	Recommended for 3rd year and older Scouts Offered at Sailing Base	Preparation Requirement 1b needed for completion. (use pre-req form) MUST pass swim test.	Other Information HALF DAY CLASS Boat shoes with a full sole needed (ex. old tennis shoes or closed toed sandals)
Soil & Water Conservation	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	<u>Preparation</u> None	Other Information Good preparation for Environmental Science MB.

Space Exploration	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	Preparation Requirement 8 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information All materials provided.
Swimming	Recommended for 1st year and older Scouts Offered at Pool	Preparation Requirement 1b needed for completion. (use pre-req form) MUST pass swim test.	Other Information Included in Brownsea program AND offered separately.
Water Sports	Recommended for 3 rd year and older Scouts Offered at Sailing Base	Preparation Requirement 1b needed for completion. (use pre-req form) MUST pass swim test.	Other Information Boat shoes with a full sole needed (ex. old tennis shoes or closed toed sandals) Requires practice and is physically demanding.
Weather	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at N.E.S.T.	Preparation Requirement 11 needed for completion. (discuss in class)	Other Information All materials provided.
Wilderness Survival	Recommended for 3 rd year and older Scouts Offered at Scoutcraft	Preparation Requirement 5 needed for completion. (bring to class)	Other Information Challenging overnight experience required on Wednesday night. Personal survival kit (requirement 5) must be brought to camp.
Wood Carving	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Bull Mountain Studios	Preparation Requirement 1b and 2a needed for completion. (use pre-req form)	Other Information All materials are provided. Must have Totin' Chip card to participate.

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Aquatics Supervision - Paddle Craft Safety	Recommended for You must be 16 years old or older to attend this course. Adults are encouraged to participate. Offered at Boat Yard	Preparation MUST pass swim test.	Other Information BSA Paddle Craft Safety expands Safety Afloat training to include the skills, as well as the knowledge, needed for a unit leader to confidently supervise canoeing or kayaking excursions on flat water. Boat shoes with a full sole needed (ex. old tennis shoes or closed toed sandals) (Register for this before Camp like MBs)
Aquatics Supervision - Swimming & Water Rescue	Recommended for You must be 16 years old or older to attend this course. Adults are encouraged to participate. Offered at Pool	Preparation MUST pass swim test and pre-reqs.	Other Information Training for BSA Swimming & Water Rescue provides BSA leaders with information and skills to prevent, recognize, and respond to swimming emergencies during unit swimming activities. (Register for this before Camp like MBs)
Firem'n Chit	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Scoutcraft	<u>Preparation</u> None	Other Information (Walk-in Program on Tuesday Evening)
Mile Swim BSA	Recommended for 3rd year and older Scouts. Open to adults. Offered at Pool	Preparation 4 hours of distance swimming prior to camp	Other Information MUST complete ¼ mile qualifying swim on Monday at Polar Bear. Physically demanding.
Paul Bunyan Woodsman	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts Offered at Scoutcraft	Preparation Must have Totin' Chip	Other Information (Walk-in Program on Monday Evening)
Snorkeling BSA	Recommended for 3rd year and older Scouts. Open to adults with sign-ups at camp, if space permits. Offered at Pool	Preparation MUST pass swim test.	Other Information (Register for this before Camp like MBs)
Totin' Chip	Recommended for 1st year and older Scouts Offered at Scoutcraft	Preparation None	Other Information (Walk-in Program on Thursday Evening)

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	Recommended for	Preparation	Other Information
A.C.E. (Advanced Camper Experience)	4 th year and older Scouts.	None	This high adventure program is only for the advanced camper, no wusses. "Are you tough enough?"
	MUST be at least 14 years old.		This program combines some of the top tier highlights of each area of camp as well as many activities found in no other areas of camp.
			Activities change but often include blacksmithing, tomahawk throwing, ice climbing, flying drones, slacklining, advanced wilderness survival, hiking into Elk Neck Park, crate stacking, etc (Register for this before Camp like MBs)
_	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
Bay Hike	All Scouts and adults. Offered at N.E.S.T.	None	See what the Rodney shoreline has to offer.
	N.L.J.T.		Boat shoes with a full sole needed (ex. old tennis shoes or closed toed sandals)
			(Signup at HQ on Monday)
Brownsea	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
ROOME SEE	1 st year Scouts	See information regarding Nature MB, and Swimming MB.	ALL-PERIOD CLASS Boat shoes with a full sole needed (ex. old tennis shoes or closed toed sandals)
(featured in Scouting Magazine March 2011)			(Register for this before Camp like MBs)
High Adventure Sailing (H.A.S.)	Recommended for Signup as a crew of up to 6 people. Must include at least	Preparation Previous sailing experience equivalent to	Other Information Separate Signups from Camp Registration
THE THE PARTY OF T	1 adult.	Small Boat Sailing MB	www.dmvc.org/HAS
STITUS T	MUST be at least 14 years old.	recommended but not required.	Must pass swim test.
Chesapeake Chase (Mile Swim Race in the Bay)	Recommended for 1 Scout swimmer per Troop MUST be a very strong swimmer to participate.	Preparation Completion of Mile Swim BSA	Other Information MUST complete ¼ mile qualifying swim on Monday at Polar Bear Every swimmer must have a watch boat with 2 experienced canoe paddlers provided by their Troop. This will be a timed race.

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Chesapeake	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
Mariner	4 th year and older Scouts.		Evening Program
COUTREC	Open to adults with sign-ups <u>at</u>	Have earned Small-	Boat shoes with a full sole
A SUBJECT OF THE PARTY OF THE P	camp, if space permits.	Boat Sailing MB.	needed (ex. old tennis shoes or
			closed toed sandals)
2 300 3 2	Offered at	MUST pass swim	Culminates in the Rodney Regatta.
S. C. S. S.	Sailing Base	test.	(Register for this before Camp
DEAKE MAKE	3		like MBs)
	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
Instructional	Non-Swimmers and Beginners		
Swimming	=	None	Pool staff will work with Scouts or
	Offered at	110110	adults to gain confidence in the
	Pool		pool; with the goal of passing the
	1 001		swim test.
			(Walk-in Program Daily Periods 1-
			5)
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Iron	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
Man	Physically fit Scouts and adults.	<u>i reparation</u>	<u>other information</u>
	Triyolodily in Coodio dira addito.	None	Troop Competition involving a
	Offered at	None	variety of physical skills around
60	Health & Fitness		camp.
C RSR	ricalui & riuless		camp.
			(Signup at HQ on Monday)
LINCH WAR			(Oighup at 11 d on Monday)
	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
Jetski RSR	MUST be at least	<u> </u>	<u></u>
	16-years-old	MUST	Boat shoes with a full sole
		pass swim test.	needed (ex. old tennis shoes or
	Offered at	pass summ test.	closed toed sandals)
	Sailing Base	MUST	
	Canning Dates	have a certificate of	(Register for this before Camp
		approved boater	like MBs)
		safety education (by	into inbo)
		NASBLA).	
		NAOBEA).	
Monster Bike	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
monotor Direc	Physically fit 3 rd year and older	<u>i iopuiudon</u>	High paced, physically rigorous,
O ADDRAGO	Scouts and adults.	None	mountain bike trail ride.
	Occurs and addits.	None	mountain bike trail nac.
	Offered at		For the experienced trail rider,
18 A 18	Health & Fitness		includes strenuous, mountainous
WAIN BIKING	ricalar & rialess		ascents and descents. Scouts &
			leaders will use personal bikes once
			inspected by our Health & Fitness
			staff.
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			(Signup at HQ on Monday)
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Night	Recommended for All Scouts and adults	Preparation	Other Information
Climbing	Offered at Climbing Tower	None	Scouts must bring a headlamp. Can be purchased in the Trading Post if needed. (Walk-in Program on Tues. & Thurs. @ 9PM)
Night-time Orienteering	Recommended for 2 nd year and older Scouts	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
	Adults welcome and encouraged.	None	Learn how to find your way around at night.
	Offered at Scoutcraft		(Walk-in Program on Tuesday @ 9PM)
Night Swim	Recommended for All Scouts and adults	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
	Offered at Pool	None	Troops will be signup or are assigned a night for night swim. (Signup at HQ on Monday)
Polar Bear Swim	Recommended for All Scouts and adults	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
TO BEAN	Offered at Pool	None	Take a swim first thing in the morning! Troops will be assigned days at the Sunday Leaders' Meeting.
Rodney	Recommended for 4th year and older Scouts	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
Regatta	Offered at Sailing Base	Have earned Small- Boat Sailing MB.	This is a sailing race in the Bay. Boat shoes with a full sole
	Calling Date	Current or previous participation in Chesapeake Mariner	needed (ex. old tennis shoes or closed toed sandals)
		is recommended.	(Signup at HQ on Monday)
Scoutcraft Olympiad	Recommended for All Troops	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
	<u>Offered at</u> Scoutcraft	None	Troop Competition involving teamwork & a variety of Scout skills. (Signup at HQ on Monday)
Troop Swim	Recommended for All Scouts and adults	Preparation Appropriate	Other Information Troops signup at HQ to run a Troop
	Offered at Pool	supervision and guarding to meet Safe Swim Defense.	swim at the pool. Your Troop gets 1/3 of the pool to run a swim just for you. Max of 3 Troops per evening. (Signup at HQ on Monday)
Troop	Recommended for All Troops	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
Naturalist	Offered at N.E.S.T.	None	By appointment with the Nature Director.
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2021 Camp Rodney Description of Program Opportunities LEADERS ONLY

	B	D	Other Information
Leader	Recommended for any adult leader	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
Leather Craft	arry addit roddor	None	Advance sign-ups not necessary
	Offered at		
	Bull Mountain		
	Studios		
	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
Leader	any adult leader		
Climbing	Offered of	None	(Signup at HQ on Monday Morning)
	Offered at Climbing Tower		Recommended for physically fit leaders
	Omnoning rower		
	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
Leader	any adult leader	MILOT IN A SAME AND A SAME	Book also as with a fell sole wood of the
Jetski	Offered at	MUST pass swim test.	Boat shoes with a full sole needed (ex. old tennis shoes or closed toed
	Sailing Base	MUST have a certificate of	sandals)
	January 2000	approved boater safety	Santable (
		education (by NASBLA) to	(Signup at HQ on Monday)
		drive jetski. (if born after	
		July 1, 1972)	
	Recommended for	Preparation	Other Information
Leader	any adult leader		
Rifle Shooting	Offernal of	None	Advance sign-ups not necessary
	<u>Offered at</u> Rifle Range		Prizes may be awarded!
	Time range		
	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
Leader	any adult leader	MILIOT was a surium to at	December ded for the consists having
Water Skiing	Offered at	MUST pass swim test.	Recommended for those with basic experience.
	Sailing Base		ехрепенсе.
			Boat shoes with a full sole needed (ex.
			old tennis shoes or closed toed
			sandals)
			(Signup at HQ on Monday)
BSA	Recommended for	<u>Preparation</u>	Other Information
Trainings	any adult leader	None	BSA Trainings sovered at Badney
SLEADER TRAIL	any adult leader	none	BSA Trainings covered at Rodney may include:
E A A			Climb On Safely
			Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills
200			Leave No Trace Awareness
TS OF AM			Merit Badge Counselor Safe Swim Defense
			Safe Swiff Defense Safety Afloat
			Scoutmaster Position Specific
			Trek Safely
			Troop Committee Challenge

Exact times and locations of leader activities and a schedule of available leader training opportunities will be provided at the camp leader meeting on Sunday evening following the camp-wide dinner.