

Wood Badge 2011

Experience the ultimate in Scout Leadership training. Wood Badge for the 21st Century is a team-based advanced leadership training program that will provide you with the leadership skills to make a difference.

The tradition of Wood Badge continues. Over 100,000 Wood Badge Trained Scouters have affected the lives of millions of America's youth. This course brings together leaders from all areas of Scouting – Cub Scouting, Boy Scouting and Venturing.

This course will help you understand the full values-based family of Scouting programs, as well as discover ways to use the leadership skills to improve your personal and professional life.

Wood Badge gives leaders the skills they need to strengthen Scouting in meaningful ways and to deliver a quality program to our youth.

Wood Badge is the final piece of basic fundamental training for every leader and adult in the program. Every youth deserves a trained leader!

Treat yourself to this adventure! You and the youth around you deserve it!



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LEADERSHIP SKILLS

Living the Values

- Values, Mission, Vision

Bringing the Vision to Life

- Listening to Learn
- Communication
- Generations in Scouting
- Inclusiveness/Leveraging Diversity
- Coaching and Mentoring

Models for Success

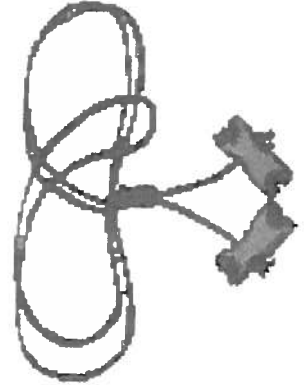
- Stages of Team Development
- The Leading *EDGE*
- The Teaching *EDGE*

Tools of the Trade

- Project Planning
- Problem Solving & Decision Making
- Managing Conflict
- Leading Change
- Self-Assessment

Leading to Make a Difference

- Leaving a Legacy



WOOD BADGE

For the 21st Century



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Presented By
Twin Rivers Council,
Boy Scouts of America

What Takes Place?

Participants in Wood Badge for the 21st Century attend a two weekend course. Each Weekend session runs from Friday morning until Sunday evening.

Course attendees begin their Wood Badge experience as Cub Scouts, then over time, bridge into Boy Scouting and form as a patrol for the balance of the course. Selected staff members are designated as troop guides to work with the patrol during the course. To cap the whole Scouting progression, several staff members serve in the role of a Venturing crew, working side-by-side with the troop during their outdoor experience.

The whole course models first-hand what a Scout experiences during a month as a Scout. During this training, participants are given the opportunity to assume leadership roles to plan and carry out an extended outdoor experience.

Within this framework, participants take part in numerous presentations, discussions and activities that explore and advance a wide range of leadership philosophies and tools.

Why Wood Badge?

Wood Badge for the 21st Century focuses on preparing adults to deliver the mission of Scouting. As a result of attending Wood Badge training you will:

- Acquire contemporary leadership skills and discover how these apply to a values-based program!
- Understand Scouting as a family of interrelated, values-based programs providing age appropriate activities for youth!
- Revitalize your commitment to Scouting by sharing an inspirational experience!

When and Where?

August 19-21 and September 16-18, 2011
at Rotary Scout Reservation, 279 Davitt Lake Rd, Averill Park NY

Course dates are Fridays through Sundays beginning at 8am on Friday and ending at approximately 6pm on Sunday. All participants must attend both weekends.

Cost?

\$260.00 per person before April 1, 2011; includes all meals, program materials and recognition items. After April 1st the cost will be \$300.00

Pre-registration is required. A \$50.00 deposit is required with the submission of the Wood Badge application. Deposit is non-refundable, but transferrable to another person.

Applications will be accepted on a first-come, first served basis until the course reaches capacity. Alternates will be placed on a waiting list.

Financial assistance may be available, please inquire.

Who may attend?

Wood Badge is open to all Scouters who are 18 years old and older and current registered members of the Boy Scouts of America.

Cub Scout Leaders, Scoutmasters and Assistants, Varsity Team Leaders, Venturing Crew Advisors/Crew Officers and other Unit, District or Council Scouters that have completed New Leader Essentials or This is Scouting and Leader Specific Training for their registered Scouting position and who successfully complete a BSA Class 3 Physical prior to the start of the course.

Are you ready for the Challenge?

For Additional Information or to Register

If you would like additional information about this superb training experience, complete the information below and mail or drop off this brochure at council office:

Twin Rivers Council, BSA
253 Washington Avenue Ext.
Albany, NY 12205
(518) 869-6436

and you will be contacted personally.

Or contact :

Course Director Anne Marie Crumb

E-Mail: amcrumb@hotmail.com

(518) 235-3548 Home

(518) 421-7697 Cell

I want to know more.

Name: _____

District: _____

Council: _____

Registered Position: _____

Unit: _____

Phone (Home): _____

Phone (Work): _____

E-Mail: _____

In this area, Wood Badge is sponsored by the Council Cluster of Otsego, Schoharie, Revolutionary Trails, and Twin Rivers Councils with each council hosting a course annually on a rotating basis.