

WELCOME BACK

DECEMBER ROUNDTABLE 2021



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Thought for the day

“Vigorous Scout games are the best form of physical education because most of them bring in moral education.”



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Awards

- Lake Erie Council is accepting nominations for the Unit Scouter Award, Division Award of Merit, and the Silver Beaver Award. To be considered for any of these awards, the nomination forms must be submitted to the Unit Service Center by **December 15, 2021**.
- An overview of the awards, nomination forms and a list of past recipients can be found on the Lake Erie Council Website / Resources Tab / Council Awards. The council website is: www.lecbsa.org



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Start Den Breakout



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GAMES / ACTIVITIES



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Lets Play a Game



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Scouting is a Game with a Purpose

Why do we play games?



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When properly and appropriately presented, a Scouting activity should contribute to making Scout meetings fun. Good fun can be considered a positive outcome. Underscoring the desirability and advantages of an activity is its ability to produce additional positive outcomes where Scouts:

Reinforce acquired skills by putting them into action

Exercise their resourcefulness

Increase their self-reliance

Exemplify teamwork

Share responsibility

Experience a sense of belonging

Nurture their self-esteem

Feel successful

Learn a life lesson



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Scouting is a Game with a Purpose

What do scouts learn when they make their own car, boat or plane?



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Patrol Games

Only if there was a website with scout game activities

<https://troopresources.scouting.org/patrol-activities/>



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SCOUT SKILL CHALLENGES

COMPASS SKILL ACTIVITIES

- Blindfolded Compass Walk *(wide, in or out)*
- Compass Challenge Activity *(wide, out)*
- Compass Facing *(small, in or out)*
- Compass Points *(wide, in or out)*
- Direction Facing *(wide, in or out)*
- Flying Blind Relay *(wide, in or out)*
- Three-Leg Compass Walk *(wide, out)*

FIRST AID SKILL ACTIVITIES

- Bandage Relay *(small, in or out)*
- First Aid Baseball *(small, in or out)*
- First Aid Carry Relay *(wide, in or out)*
- First Aid Scenarios *(small, in or out)*
- Ice Accident *(wide, in or out)*
- Kim's Game: First Aid *(small, in or out)*
- Stretcher Relay *(wide, in or out)*

GENERAL OUTDOOR SKILL ACTIVITIES

- Bow Saw Relay *(small, in or out)*
- Dining Fly Race *(wide, out)*
- Flint and Steel *(small, out)*
- Fuzz Stick Relay *(small, in or out)*
- Lifeline Relay *(wide, in or out)*
- Sloppy Camp *(small, out)*
- Split the Match Relay *(small, in or out)*
- String Burning Race *(wide, out)*
- Supreme A-Frame Tarp Pitch *(wide, out)*
- Supreme String Burning Race *(wide, out)*
- Tent Mess Relay *(wide, in or out)*
- Tent Pitching Race *(wide, out)*
- Tent Striking Race *(wide, out)*

TEAM BUILDING

- All Aboard *(small, in or out)*
- Amoeba Walk *(wide, in or out)*
- Atomic Pile *(small, out)*
- Blind Square *(wide, in or out)*
- Blind Tent Pitch *(wide, out)*
- Blind Train *(wide, in or out)*
- Coal Mine Maze *(wide, in or out)*
- Handicap Obstacle Course *(wide, in or out)*
- Helium Stick *(small, in or out)*
- Hi-Lo *(small, in or out)*
- Hot Isotope Transport *(wide, out)*
- Island Hopping *(wide, in or out)*
- Lizzie Gator *(wide, out)*
- Moon Ball *(wide, in or out)*
- Night Crossing *(wide, in or out)*
- Nitro Transport *(wide, out)*
- Sky High *(small, in)*
- Zulu Toss *(small, in or out)*

PATROL GAMES

PATROL GAMES – LARGE AREA

- Balloon Bounce *(wide, in or out)*
- Bucket Brigade *(wide, out)*
- Christmas Card Game *(wide, in)*
- Fire Bucket Relay *(wide, out)*
- Hit the Can *(wide, in or out)*
- Hula Hoop Horseshoes *(wide, in or out)*
- Hunt the Candy *(wide, in)*
- Log Rolling Relay *(wide, out)*
- Nitro Transport *(wide, out)*
- Obstacle Race *(wide, in or out)*
- Pocket Rope Competition *(wide, in or out)*

TROOP GAMES

TROOP GAMES – LARGE AREA

- Antelope Race *(wide, in or out)*
- Blindfolded Soccer *(wide, out)*
- Blindfolded Steal the Bacon *(wide, in or out)*
- Capture the Flag *(wide, in or out)*
- Catch Ten *(wide, in or out)*
- Crack the DEW Line *(wide, in or out)*
- Crowded Circle *(wide, in or out)*
- Crows and Cranes *(wide, in or out)*
- Deer Stalking *(wide, out)*
- Flying Disc Soccer *(wide, out)*
- Jump the Shot *(wide, in or out)*
- Paper-Wad Tennis *(wide, in or out)*
- Ring Ball *(wide, in or out)*
- Shoot the Gap *(wide, in or out)*
- Silent Signals *(small, in or out)*
- Skedaddle *(wide, in or out)*
- Stand By Sixes *(wide, in or out)*
- Standing Staves *(small, in or out)*
- Stratego *(wide, out)*
- Steal the Bacon *(wide, in or out)*
- Troopolo *(wide, out)*
- True or False Steal the Bacon *(wide, in or out)*
- Tug of War *(wide, in or out)*
- Tug of War Steal the Bacon *(wide, in or out)*
- Where's the Whistle? *(wide, in or out)*

TROOP GAMES – SMALL SPACE

- Blindman's Bluff *(small, in or out)*
- Buzz, Bing, Bang *(small, in or out)*
- Captain on Deck *(small, in or out)*
- Hawaiian Handclap Circle *(small, in)*
- Hawaiian Handclap Line *(small, in)*
- Hot or Cold *(small, in)*

Scouting is a Game with a Purpose

SKY HIGH (*small, in*)

- *Materials:* a pile of newspapers and a roll of masking tape for each patrol
- *Method:* The challenge is for each team to build the highest freestanding structure they can using only those materials they have been given, within a set time limit. All structures have to be able to stand upright without help for at least one minute.
- *Scoring:* The tallest structure wins.



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Questions Comment?

Let's go on to our Hot Topic

Joint Pack Troop Crew Activities



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Joint Pack Troop Crew Activities

Why should we hold joint activities?

Builds relationships between the Units.

Share resources, share knowledge,

Younger scouts lookup to older scouts

Inspires younger scouts

Provides older scouts opportunities of leadership

Younger scouts are going to move to those other units



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Joint Pack Troop Crew Activities
Campfire Program
Community Conservation Project
Like Trash the Trash Day or Yard Charge
Invite Troops or Crews to
Pinewood Derby, Space Derby or Rain gutter Regatta
Joint Scouting Picnic



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Guide to Safe Scouting

2021 Updates **September**

- **Aquatics Safety** Scuba policy updated. Aquatic policy updated to prohibiting full-face snorkels.
- **Camping** Camping policy updated. Hazard Trees information is now included in this guide.
- **Medical Information and First Aid** Immunization policy updated. Wilderness First Aid policy is now included in this guide.
- **Activity Planning and Risk Assessment** The SAFE Checklist: Transition from the Sweet 16 of Safety. Cannon use exception has been eliminated.
- **Transportation** Transportation policy updated.
- **Exploring Program** Added section.



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Additional Guidelines Specifically for Cub Scout Unit-Coordinated Camping

- Cub Scout camping is limited to their council's designated locations with appropriate facilities.
 - Councils use Pack Overnight Campout Site Appraisal Form to review and designate locations.
 - Units can request from their council a site appraisal but cannot do their own appraisal.
- Cub Scout camping is a family-centric program.
- Cub Scout youth may tent with a parent or guardian as outlined in Scouting's Barriers to Abuse.



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- Cub Scout youth should attend the camping event with their parent(s)/ guardian(s).
 - Lions and Tigers must have their adult partner present to take part.
 - For all other ranks: only in exceptional circumstances, a Cub Scout whose parent or legal guardian cannot attend a unit overnight camping trip may participate under the supervision of another registered adult member of the BSA, a parent of a Cub Scout who is also attending. The unit leader and a parent or legal guardian must agree to the arrangement, and all Youth Protection policies apply. At no time may another adult accept responsibility for more than one additional “non family member” youth.
 - Webelos and Arrow of Light Den Camping: Each Scout should attend with their parent(s) or guardian(s). A Webelos or Arrow of Light Scout whose parent or legal guardian cannot attend a den overnight camping trip may participate under the supervision of at least two registered leaders. The leaders and a parent or legal guardian must agree to the arrangement, and all Youth Protection policies apply.



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Hazard Trees

Hazard trees are dead trees, live trees with dead parts, and live trees that are unstable due to defects and are within striking distance of people or property.

Here are some tips to prevent a hazard tree from affecting your event:

- Assess your site. Look up, look down, and look all around when parking a vehicle, hiking on the trail or selecting a campsite.
- Avoid campsites with hazard trees. Dead trees and dead limbs may fall at any time. Trees without needles, bark, or limbs may indicate structural defects.
- If a campsite has hazard trees but must be used, be sure that all tents, chairs, hammocks, and work areas are outside the trees' failure zone or fall radius. The fall radius on flat ground is 1½ times the height of the tree or tree part that could fail. Sloping ground could increase the danger zone.
- Don't use dead trees, hazard trees, or other unstable objects to support tents, canopies, or hammocks.
- Check the environment constantly for changes, including the weather, as storms can increase the likelihood of trees or parts of trees falling.



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REQUIRED for everyone:

- Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis (DTaP or Tdap)
- Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR) (if born in 1957 or later)
- Varicella (VAR) (chicken pox) (if born in 1980 or later)
- Polio (IPV)

Although not required, the following immunizations are strongly recommended by both the BSA and the CDC. Please review your age-appropriate immunization status with your personal health care provider:

- COVID-19, Hepatitis A (HepA), Hepatitis B (HepB), Pneumonia (Pneumococcus): PVC13 or PPSV23)
- Influenza (annually), Haemophilus Influenza Type B (HIB), Human Papilloma Virus (HPV)
- Meningococcus Conjugate (MenACWY), Meningococcus Type B (MenB), Shingles – Zoster recombinant (RZV)



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Announcements, News, Events and Training



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Welcome to the 2021-2022 Roundtable

Currently have three in-person locations: Firelands, Berea and Beaumont

Will continue to have virtual meetings every month

Venturing round table meetings will be on the first Wednesday of odd numbered months
at the council service center



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Silver Screen December 2021

Event Details



Silver Screen December 2021

An All Ages Event: Scouts & their Families are invited!

SLEEPOVER - SLEEP IN THE THEATER!

CONCESSION STAND IS OPEN ALL NIGHT!

PLEASE BRING SNACK MONEY!

Tentative Schedule:

Spiderman Westside Story The Matrix

Plus More!

Atlas Movie Theater

Wednesday 12-29-2021 6:00 PM ET to
Thursday 12-30-2021 8:00 AM ET



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BSR Klondike #1: Trail to Makwa

Event Details



BSR Klondike Number One

More Info to Come!

Ealy Bird Pricing \$18

Normal Pricing \$20

Late Price \$22

Beaumont Klondike #1 1/14-16

Beaumont Scout Reservation

Friday 01-14-2022 6:00 PM ET to

Sunday 01-16-2022 10:00 AM ET

Cabins Sold Out



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Beaumont Klondike #2: Hawaii Klondike

Event Details



Hawaii Klondike 2022

Meal Plan A Pricing: Dining Hall Cooking

Early Bird \$25

Normal Rate: \$30

Late: \$35

Meal Plan B Pricing: Patrol Cooking

Early Bird \$21

Normal Rate: \$25

Late: \$30

BSR Hawaii Klondike

Beaumont Scout Reservation

Friday 01-21-2022 6:00 PM ET to

Sunday 01-23-2022 10:00 AM ET

Cabins Sold Out



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Winter Mud Day 2022

Camp Avery Hand

Firelands Scout Reservation

January 22, 2022

Join the Lake Erie Council as we CELEBRATE the Winter Mud Happiness at legendary Firelands Scout Reservation!

Imagine a magical muddy experience where Cub Scouts and Webelos can channel their inner desire to be dirty beyond reality....**AND NOT GET IN TROUBLE FOR IT!**

**Muddy Ga-Ga Ball Tournament
Regatta**

Muddy Fun Run Obstacle Course

Muddy Raingutter

**Muddy Craft
Contest**

Muddy Hike and Orienteering Challenge

Muddy Pie Eating

**Extreme Muddy Shooting Sports
Competition**

Muddy Campfire Challenge

Muddy First Aid

AND MORE.....

**Firelands Scout Reservation
(Camp Avery Hand)**

Saturday 01-22-2022 9:00 AM ET
to 4:00 PM ET



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BSR Klondike #3 + Webelos Winter Challenge: Together Again

Early Bird Scouts BSA Meal Plan A: \$26

Early Bird Webelos Winter Challenge Meal Plan A: \$26

Early Bird Meal Plan B Scouts BSA: \$21

Early Bird Webelos Winter Challenge Meal Plan B: \$21

A skills and fun based Klondike with Black Powder shooting and the Gold Griddle cooking competition. Also being planned, tomahawks, two man saw, and other fun and challenging stations, and of course the Auction. At this time we are planning to serve breakfast and dinner with plan A. If you want to cook your own food sign up for plan B.

This year it is being held on the same day as the old Webelos Winter Challenge. This is a separate activity for Webelos and AOL's, but will share as many resources as possible.

Beaumont Klondike #3

Beaumont Scout Reservation

Friday 01-28-2022 6:00 PM ET to

Sunday 01-30-2022 10:00 AM ET

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OA Winter Banquet 2202

2022 Winter Banquet

Annual Awards & Recognition Dinner

You are cordially invited to attend!

Saturday, February 05, 2022

Doors open 5:00 p.m.

Dinner served 6:00 p.m.

Program starts 6:30 p.m.

Wagner's of Westlake

30855 Center Ridge RD, Westlake, OH, 44145



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Firelands Klondike Save the Date

Event Details



Klondike @ Firelands Scout Reservation

February 11-13, 2022

Registration will be open soon - stay tuned!

Save the Date Firelands Scout Reservation

Friday 02-11-2022 12:00 AM ET to
Sunday 02-13-2022 11:59 PM ET



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Snow Sports @ Kent State University (MBU Explore Cleveland)

Event Details



Snow Sports Merit Badge

presented by

Kent State University Recreation Center

Join us for an afternoon of winter fun! Scouts will learn how to plan and execute winter sports activities safely while experiencing a snowshoeing adventure at Kent State University.

Two Sessions Available:

- Saturday February 26, 12:00 pm to 4:30 pm (max 24 Scouts)
- Sunday February 27, 12:00 pm to 4:30 pm (max 24 Scouts)

Costs

- Early Bird - Ends 1/28/2022: \$40 per Scout (includes Snow Shoe rental)
- Regular - Starts 1/29/2022: \$50 per Scout (includes Snow Shoe rental)

Snow Sports Merit Badge

Kent State Recreation Center

Saturday 02-26-2022 12:00 PM ET
to 4:30 PM ET

Snow Sports Merit Badge

Kent State Recreation Center

Sunday 02-27-2022 12:00 PM ET to
4:30 PM ET



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**I will...
Do My Best
To
Be Prepared
To**

Lead The Adventure

January Topics

Dens: Elective Adventure Planning for Blue and Gold

General: Ceremonies Blue & Gold / Courts of Honor (Big Rock)

OA Elections and Benefits of OA member (Hot Topics)



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