

## BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

# **ROUNDTABLE FLASH**

## **DECEMBER 2019**

The roundtable volunteers' goal is to help you and your Scouts provide high quality programs. The Roundtable Flash is a monthly publication that contains information about upcoming events and important dates for unit leaders and will help you plan your calendar.

## Featured News: Scouting Awards

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## **VIGIL HONOR**

The Vigil Honor is the highest distinction that can be given to a member of the Order of the Arrow. Vigil Honor members demonstrate an alertness to the needs of others and live a life of cheerful service. Nominations for the Vigil Honor will be accepted until 12 noon EST on Sunday, December 15. The digital nomination form can be found on the Erielhonan Lodge website: http://www.erielhonan.org/levels/vigil

## Featured News: Order of the Arrow

## ORDER OF THE ARROW DUES

Order of the Arrow members are reminded to pay their 2020 lodge dues before the end of the year. Dues are \$15 for youth and young adult members (under the age of 21) and \$20 for adults (over the age of 21). The link to pay dues is: https://scoutingevent.com/440-ErielhonanDues2020

## LEADER DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES

## Trainers EDGE - \$8

January 18, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center March 21, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center April 11, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. at Beaumont Scout Reservation April 25, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. at Firelands Scout Reservation (Camp Wyandot)

The Trainer's EDGE uses contemporary training techniques and emphasizes the importance of experiential learning, or "learning by doing." Most of the sessions not only demonstrate good training methods, but also give participants a chance to interact and actually practice what they have learned. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-EDGE

## NRA Training- \$60

Range Safety Officer: February 8, 2020 - 7:45 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center Basic Instructor Training: March 14, 2020 - 7:45 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center

The Boy Scouts of America is committed to providing top-quality and safe programs for our Scouts. To help facilitate shooting sports programs, you must complete NRA Certifications. A Range Safety Officer is needed to run a range in addition to the disciplines (rifle, shotgun, ect.) Instructor . Basic Instructor Training (B.I.T.) must be taken before attending any other Basic or instructor training (Rifle, Shotgun, Pistol, ect.). Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-RSONRA

### Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops - \$20 March 21, 2020 - 8:00 A.M. - 8:30 P.M. at Camp Stigwandish

Leadership is a vital part of the Scouting program. Scouts BSA youth in positions of leadership run the troop. By accepting the responsibilities of troop leadership, Scouts are preparing themselves to be leaders throughout their lives. Join Us for a weekend of training and fellowship with Scouts BSA youth from troops across the Council! Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-ILST

## Mobile Climbing Wall Training - Free

March 20, 2020 - 6:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M. at Firelands Scout Reservation March 21, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. at Firelands Scout Reservation March 23, 2020 - 6:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center March 28, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. at Beaumont Scout Reservation April 3, 2020 - 6:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M. at Camp Stigwandish

The Lake Erie Council is excited to offer an adventurous experience to Units to utilize in their program plans and recruitment efforts to deliver the promise of Scouting in the form of two mobile climbing towers! If your unit plans to use a wall you'll need a trained facilitator in charge of your event. This could be a member of your Unit who has passed the LEC Mobile Climbing Tower Training, or a member of our Facilitator Corp. These trainings will be offered for FREE to adult members of Lake Erie Council.

## ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

Holidays at Camp - \$18 Early Bird, \$23 Regular December 21, 2019 - 1:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center

Come celebrate the winter weather and holidays with your whole family at our beautiful properties. Activities will include: Wreath-making, winter hike, cookie and gingerbread house decorating and pictures with Santa. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-Holidays

## Fire Safety Merit Badge - \$10 Early Bird, \$12 Regular December 14, 2019 - 3:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. at Western Reserve Fire Museum

Come out and learn about the history of Fire Departments in Northeast Ohio and earn the Fire Safety merit badge! The museum has many displays and multiple simulators that will teach the Scouts what to do if there is ever a fire in their home. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-firesafetymb

## Silver Screen Overnighters - \$15 Early Bird, \$20 Regular

December 22, 2019 - December 23, 2019 at Atlas Movie Theater - Elyria January 1, 2020 - January 2, 2020 at Atlas Movie Theater Diamond Center - Mentor

Spend the night in a movie theater, and see the latest movies of the winter. Don't forget to bring extra money because the concession stand will be open all night for you to buy your favorite movie snacks! Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-SilverScreenOvernighters

First Aid and Emergency Preparedness Merit Badge Class- \$75 December 27, 2019 and December 28, 2019 9:00 A.M. -4:00 P.M. at Hilcrest Family YMCA

Scouts will be able to earn both the First Aid and Emergency Preparedness merit badges and Basic First Aid & CPR certifications. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-FirstAidandEPrep

## Scouts Rock the House - \$20

December 28, 2019 - 2:30 P.M. - 8:30 P.M. at Rocket Mortgage Feild House

Join us for Cleveland Monsters Scouts Rock the House Day. All Scouts are invited and we are excited to recognize Scouts who sold over \$650 of popcorn with TWO FREE tickets! Activities include: Cavs Academy Skills & Drills, open skate on the ice, shots on goal, and more! Learn more at https://

#### Dates: Roundtable Topics December: 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed: Willoughby Next 1/8/2020 General Session: Preventing Leader Burnout 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed: Firelands Scout Reservation Next 1/8/2020 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs: Geneva UMC Cub Scouts: Blue and Gold Banquet Next 1/9/2020 Scouts BSA: Order of the Arrow Elections 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs: Berea UMC Next 1/9/2020 3<sup>rd</sup> Thurs: Garfield Hts SS Next 1/16/2020 4<sup>th</sup> Tues Unit Service Center Next 1/28/2020

Venturing Round

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# **ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS**

## Erielhonan Lodge Whirlyball - \$25

December 29, 2019 - 6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M. at Cleveland Whirlyball

All Arrowmen are invited for an evening of whirlyball and fun hosted by Chippewa Chapter. The event cost includes at least 2 games, pizza and pop. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-32391

## Klondike - Price Varies

January 10, 2020 - January 12, 2019 at Beaumont Scout Reservation: Misty Valley of Gold Klondike January 10, 2020 at Lorain County Community College: LCCC Challenge January 17, 2020 - January 19, 2020 at Camp Stigwandish: Time Warp Klondike January 24, 2020 - January 26, 2020 at Beaumont Scout Reservation: Klondike #2 January 31, 2020 - February 1, 2020 at Camp Stigwandish: Why Not Klondike? February 8, 2020 at Firelands Scout Reservation: Back to Firelands Klondike

The Lake Erie Council is excited to offer 5 outdoor Klondike Derbies and one Indoor LCCC Challenge "Commodorepalooza" events in 2020!

A Klondike derby is an annual event held by the Boy Scouts of America during the winter months and is based on the heritage of the Klondike Gold Rush. The typical Klondike derby consists of several stations where patrols/units must test their Scoutcraft skills and their leadership abilities, earning points towards a total score. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-Klondike2020

## Cub Winter Fun Days - Price Varies

January 11, 2020 8:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. or 1:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. at Camp Stigwandish February 2, 2020 8:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. or 1:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. at Firelands Scout Reservation February 8 2020 8:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. or 1:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. at Beaumont Scout Reservation

Come on out to the Winter Wonderland Spectacular to experience the excitement of camp during the winter! Have fun drinking hot chocolate, playing winter games, warming up by the fire and much more. The Winter Wonderland Spectacular Cub Fun Days will have morning and afternoon sessions so that every family can find a time to attend. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-CubWinterFun

## Merit Badge Super Sundays - Early Bird \$20, Regular \$25

January 12, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. -4:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center February 16, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. -4:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center March 8, 2020 -9:00 A.M. -4:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center April 19, 2020 -9:00 A.M. -4:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center

Join Us at the Lake Erie Council Service Center on a select Sundays of every month in 2020 to explore a signature merit badge! Each youth will receive a patch and lunch. Adults can also receive lunch for a small price. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-MBSuperSunday











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## WEBELOS WINTER EXTRAVAGANZAS - Price Varies

January 18, 2020 - January 19, 2002 at Beaumont Scout Reservation January 25, 2020 - January 26, 2020 at Camp Stigwandish February 8, 2020- February 9, 2020 at Firelands Scout Reservation

Come join Webelos and Arrow of Light Scouts from across Lake Erie Council as they get ready to join Scouts BSA. Webelos attending Webelos Woods Extravaganzas will work towards completing their adventures for the Webelos and Arrow of Light awards and explore exciting adventure tracks. They will get the chance to meet troops from around the area to find the best fit as they cross over to become Scouts. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-WebelosWinter

## Order of the Arrow Winter Banquet- \$20 Early Bird February 1, 2020 - 5:00 P.M. -9:00 P.M. at Wagners of Westlake

Join us for a festive evening of recognitions and awards paired with great food. All Arrowmen and family members are invited to celebrate each other's accomplishments and join in fellowship. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440 -OAwinterbanquet

## Sap Camp - \$15 Early Bird

February 22, 2020 - 10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. at Beaumont Scout Reservation February 29, 2020 - 10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. at Beaumont Scout Reservation March 7, 2020 - 10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. at Beaumont Scout Reservation

Everyone loves maple syrup on their pancakes, but few know why it is such a premium product. We invite Scouts to attend Sap Camp at Beaumont Scout Reservation. Participants will learn about the history and process of making maple syrup from our very own trees at camp. Learn more at https:// scoutingevent.com/ 440-SapCamp

## Make Believe Overnighter - \$25

February 16, 2020 - February 17, 2020 at Make Believe Family Fun Center Parma

Stay overnight and enjoy unlimited used of all attractions including the arcade, ropes course bumper cars and more! Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-MakeBelieveOvernight





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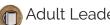
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# **COUNCIL WIDE EVENTS**

## Woodbadge and NYLT Scholarship Breakfast - Early Bird \$20, Regular \$25 January 11, 2020 - 8:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M. at Lakewood High School

Join us for delicious food and warm fellowship as we celebrate accomplishments in Wood Badge and NYLT. Proceeds from this event go toward helping the next generation of Wood Badge and NYLT participants to attend their life-changing course! Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-WBbreakfast

## Scout's Own Maple Syrup Kick-Off and Pancake Supper

January 28, 2020 - 6:30 P.M. - 7:30 A.M. at TBD January 30, 2020 - 6:30 P.M. - 7:30 A.M. at Firelands Scout Reservation February 1, 2020 - 11:00 A.M. - 12:00 A.M. at Camp Stgwandish February 1, 2020 - 12:30 P.M. - 1:30 P.M. - Following the Impact Meeting February 3, 2020 - 12:30 P.M. - 1:30 P.M. at the Unit Service Center

We're excited to kick-off our third annual Scout's Own Maple Syrup program in 2020. This fund raiser is an amazing opportunity for your Scouts to fund their summer adventures. Last year, \$130,000 went back to Scouting through the first ever Scout's Own Maple Syrup program. This year, we've expanded our product line to raise even more funds for the Scouts of Northeast Ohio. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-scoutsown

## **Council Impact Meeting**

February 1, 2020 - 8:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

We invite you to join Scouters from around Lake Erie Council to continue the conversation on building a better organization for our Scouts! Your great ideas and perspective will help to guide our Units and our Council to success. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-ImpactMeeting

## **Scouts BSA Resident Camp Leaders Meeting**

February 24, 2020 -6:30 - 8:30 at Beaumont Scout Reservation February 25, 2020 -6:30 - 8:30 at Firelands Scout Reservation February 26, 2020 -6:30 - 8:30 at Unit Service Center

Come meet the camp director and learn about all the exciting things happening this year at Beaumont Scout Reservation for Scouts BSA resident camp during this informational meeting ! Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-SummerCampLeaderMeeting

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## **Volunteer Appreciation Event**

March 7, 2020 - 6:00 A.M. - 11:00 P.M.

The Lake Erie Council appreciates the volunteers that make the Scouting program possible. Come join us for a fun evening celebrating the past year of Scouting, including the presentation of the 2019 Silver Beaver Award. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-30692

## **Unit Charter Renewal**

December 11, 2019 - 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. at Unit Service Center December 12, 2019 - 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. at Unit Service Center December 13, 2019 - 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. at Unit Service Center December Roundtables

The Lake Erie Council's goal is to make the charter renewal process efficient and streamlined for our units. Our online resource page, lecbsa.org/resources/charter-renewal has links, forms, FAQ's and the Charter Renewal Guidebook. Your service area commissioner team, unit serving executive and our registrar staff can assist you in the charter renewal process.

To ensure your unit's charter is renewed on time, we ask you to submit your charter NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13th. Please refer to the list for turn-in locations, dates and times. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-30514

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## LAKE ERIE COUNCIL CALENDAR SNAP SHOT

### Lake Erie Council Offices Closed

Tuesday, Dec. 24, 2019 - Christmas Eve Wens-day, Dec. 25, 2019 - Christmas Day Wednesday, Jan. 1, 2019 - New Years Day

### **Eagle Boards Review**

Sunday, Dec. 15, 2019 Geneva United Methodist Church Tuesday, Dec. 17, 2019 Avon United Methodist Church Wednesday, Dec. 18,2019 Avon United Methodist Church

Holidays at Camp Saturday, Dec. 14, 2019 - 1:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M. Beaumont Scout Reservation

### Fire Safety Merit Badge

Saturday, Dec. 14, 2019 - 3:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. The Western Reserve Fire Museum

### Charter Renewal Turn-In

Various dates and times

### Holidays in Cleveland

Saturday, Dec. 21, 2019 - 1:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M. Unit Service Center

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Unit Service Center 2241 Woodland Ave. Cleveland, OH 44115

Beaumont Scout Reservation 2429 OH 45 Rock Creek, OH 44084 Camp Stigwandish 7497 Ross Road Madison, OH 44057

Firelands Scout Reservation 13782 Gore Orphanage Road Wakeman, OH 44889

### Klondikes

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