

# **BALOO**

## ***Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation***

**Saturday, October 10 to Sunday, October 11, 2020**

White Pine Cabin + Site 5 Durland Scout Reservation ~ Putnam Valley, NY

**Saturday, May 21 to Sunday, May 22, 2021**

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**Saturday, October 3 to Sunday, October 4, 2021**

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**7:15am Saturday to 11:00am Sunday**

**\$35.00 Fee – Includes Sat. Lunch, Dinner and Sun. Breakfast,  
all refreshments, cracker-barrel snacks and printed materials**

***This course*** is required for any Den Leader or Pack Leader to plan and carry out an outdoor experience for the youth and adults. When you complete this training, you will have an increased level of confidence and ability to plan an age-appropriate Den and Pack Overnight camping experience!

The **GOAL** of this training is to provide you with the skills to assure a Den or Pack overnight event that is:

- ✓ Age Appropriate
- ✓ Based on the purposes of Cub Scouting
- ✓ Successful in whetting the appetite of your Scouts, their parents and the leaders who want to do more in the outdoors!

Elements of this training are:

- ⤴ **Outdoor Skills:** health and safety issues, hiking and camping concerns, outdoor ceremonies, outdoor-related activities, values of the outdoor program, identifying and conducting advancement-focused outdoor activities.
- ⤴ **Flag Ceremonies:** procedures for flag raising, lowering and folding.
- ⤴ **Planning Overnight Campouts:** key factors, planning and conducting an overnight campout, joint campouts with other Scouts, and council camping opportunities.
- ⤴ **Campfire Planning:** how to plan and direct successful, memorable Den and Pack campfires

Outdoor Skill Workshops in the following areas in:

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|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| ~ Outdoor Ethics  | ~ Fire building                |
| ~ First Aid       | ~ Cooking and sanitation       |
| ~ Knots and Ropes | ~ Campsite selection and tents |
| ~ Knife Safety    | ~ Bedding and Weather          |
| ~ Meal planning   | ~ Gear/equipment selection     |
| ~ GPS             | ~ Aquatics                     |
| ~ and more ~      |                                |

**IMPORTANT NOTICE over**

## IMPORTANT NOTICES

**\*\* This training is in TWO parts.**

**Part**

**1** is available online (below).

**Part 2** is this outdoor overnight experience.

To be BASIC trained to take your Den and Pack on an overnight campout, you must complete **both parts**.

The online prerequisite training for the outdoor portion is located on the BSA Learn Center:

<https://bsalearn.learn.taleo.net/page/65/3-93225D92-0088-45AF-9CF3-AD07EAC698C6>

In addition, Youth Protection Training and Basic Training for your position should be completed prior to this training.

**\*\* Please wear your uniform.**

**\*\* Items to bring:**

appropriate clothing for weather + change of clothes

sturdy shoes

tent + sleeping bag + ground pad

sleeping attire

personal toiletry articles

sunglasses

pen/pencil/notebook

day pack to carry day-time gear

camp chair

mess kit w/knife, fork, spoon (no paper or plastic disposables, please)

hot drink mug or cup

skit or song for campfire -

plus the **Cub Scout Six Essentials** (items every Cub Scout should carry in his personal gear when going on hikes or campouts):

**First-aid kit:** adhesive bandages, moleskin, gauze, antibiotic ointment, etc.

**Water bottle:** filled and large enough to last until it can be filled again

**Flashlight:** for emergency use only

**Trail food:** can be made as a den activity prior to hike or campout

**Sun protection:** sunscreen of SPF 30 or greater and a hat

**Whistle:** also for emergency use only