

**Adult Leader Training**  
**Cub Scout Roundtable**  
**February 16, 2017**

Step 1: You are a new adult leader in Scouting. What training MUST you take?

**Youth Protection Training**

- Required for all registered adult leaders
- Take the course online through the My Scouting Tools in My.Scouting.org (if you are new to Scouting you will be asked to create an account)
- **Must be retaken every 2 years**

Step 2: Leader Position Specific Training

- To be considered a fully “Trained” leader for a leadership position you must take the course specific to your position. After completion you can wear the “Trained” patch along with position-specific patch.
- Take the following courses online through My.Scouting.org:
  - Den Leader Training
  - Assistant Den Leader Training
  - Tiger Den Leader Training
  - Webelos Den Leader Training
  - Assistant Webelos Den Leader Training
  - Cubmaster Training
  - Assistant Cubmaster Training
  - Committee Chair Training
  - Member of Committee Training

**Now that you are fully trained you may also opt to take some supplemental training.**

Online Supplemental Training found on My.Scouting.org:

- **This is Scouting**- highlights the values, aims, history, funding and methods of Scouting. It addresses how those aims and methods are reached in an age appropriate style within all levels of Scouting. A leader needs to only take this course one time.
- **Safe Swim Defense**-Before a BSA group may engage in swimming activities of any kind, a minimum of one adult leader must complete Safe Swim Defense training, have a commitment card with them, and agree to use the eight defenses in this plan. Safe Swim Defense must be renewed every 2 years.
- **Safety Afloat**- Before a BSA group may engage in an excursion, expedition or trip on the water (canoe, raft, sailboat, motorboat, rowboat, floating in an inner tube or other craft) adult leaders for such activity must complete this training, have a commitment card with them, and be dedicated to full compliance with all nine points.
- **Weather Hazards**- This training is designed to help your unit plan and prepare for hazardous weather. Completion of this training is required for at least one adult for all Scout outings.

Remember: You can take training being offered through other councils. When classes are completed you will be issued cards that you must bring with you on campouts. Hint: Laminate them! Keep copies with *Guide to Safe Scouting* and Medical Forms (required for all attending campouts)

### Basic Outdoor Training found at Capital Area Council (bsacac.org)

- **BALOO**- Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation- **In order for a Pack to have a campout, at least one leader must be BALOO trained.** In addition, a local Tour Permit must be submitted to the local council and **at least one person must have read and have a copy of the Guide to Safe Scouting.** Tiger, Wolf and Bear dens may not have Den Campouts. Webelos Den Campouts require that at least one leader have completed OWLs training. BALOO is a one-day training event that introduces leaders and parents to the skills needed to plan and conduct pack outdoor camping.
- **OWL**- Outdoor Leader Skills for Webelos Leaders-**To have a Webelos Den Campout, at least one leader should be OWL trained.** In addition, a local Tour Permit must be submitted to the local council. This training introduces the Webelos leader to the basics of Boy Scout camping. This training covers basic camping skills, how to plan campouts and finding resources.
- **IOL**- Introduction to Outdoor Leaders Skills- Working as patrols, this hands-on course provides adult leaders the practical outdoor skills they need to lead Scouts in the out-of-doors. Upon completion, leaders should feel comfortable teaching Scouts the basic skills required to obtain the First Class rank. Along with Scoutmaster Specifics this course is required of all direct contact leaders registered in Boy Scout Troops and Varsity Scout Teams, in order to be considered "trained".

### Upcoming Training Schedule Capital Area Council

(go to bsacac.org, click on "Register for Training" button)

#### BALOO-Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation

March 25, 2017

April 23, 2017

May 6, 2017

June 24, 2017

#### Colorado River Mega Training Weekend (IOLS/OWLS/BALOO)

Feb 24-26, 2017

#### Cub World Archery Range Master Training

One adult must be trained to participate-

**NOT PERMITTED AT DEN/PACK ACTIVITIES**

Council camps only

April 29, 2017

#### Cub World BB Gun Range Master Training

One adult must be trained to participate-

**NOT PERMITTED AT DEN/PACK ACTIVITIES**

Council camps only

April 29, 2017

#### OWL- Outdoor Leader Skills for Webelos Leaders

Feb 19-20, 2017

March 24-25, 2017

May 5-7, 2017