



Instruction in Outdoor Leader Skills

Outdoor skills are critical to the success of the Scouting program. Training in outdoor skills is required before taking scouts on outings.

- **Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills** will provide Scouts BSA leaders with the basic outdoor skills information needed to start and guide a program the right way. Completion of this course is the required outdoor training for all Scoutmasters and
- Assistant Scoutmasters. The skills taught are based on the outdoor skills

found in The Scouts BSA Handbook. The course is a day and a half long.

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- **BALOO - Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation** This one-and-a-half day course is designed as an introduction to the Cub Scout outdoor program for leaders interested in adding a camping component to their Pack activities. **BALOO** training consists of an
- **ONLINE** pre-requisite component in addition to an overnight hands on practical. Scouts BSA Cub Scout level camping policies will be taught along with the discovery of the necessary tools to help units carry out a successful camping experience. Completion of this course is mandatory for a **MINIMUM OF ONE** adult on a Pack overnigher
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- **OWL - Outdoor Webelos Leader Training** - was incorporated into the BALOO program in the spring of 2017.



Lakeland District of the Winnebago Council will be holding BALOO / IOLS training

In conjunction with

Spring Camporee

April 27th and 28th, 2019

THORPE PARK – FOREST CITY

The intent is to give attendees the opportunity to earn both levels of outdoor skills training at one time. Those who are needing BALOO will also earn IOLS.

Check-In starts at 8:00AM Saturday.

Training is 8:30AM to 10:00PM Saturday and 8:00AM to 11:30AM Sunday.

Fee will be \$15 - covering costs for evening meal and training materials. Participants will need to bring a sack lunch for the Trail.

Co-Chairs:

Carol Meyer and Denise Wood

Participants may camp with their units. Units must maintain 2-deep leadership at all times during the weekend for scouts. Arrangements will need to include extra adults for coverage. Participants will not be available for their unit during training times.