

TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES FOR 2012

Adult Leader Training - Both a Saturday indoor session and the Friday evening through Sunday morning outdoor session are required for this course. There are two prerequisite courses offered online: This is Scouting and Troop Committee Challenge that must be completed. The Adult Leader Training (ALT) course is required for any direct contact positions in Scouting (i.e. Cubmaster, Scoutmaster, Assistant Scoutmaster) below are the dates for the indoor and outdoor sessions.

**April 21, 2012 at location to be determined and
May 4-6, 2012 at Beaumont Scout Reservation**

Challenge Course Certification - Both a Wednesday night and weekend training courses are required to become a certified ropes course instructor. This is the basic training needed before taking the Beaumont Ropes Initiative Course Orientation.

**April 18, 2012 at Beaumont Scout Reservation and
April 28-29, 2012 at S bar F Scout Ranch**

Map & Compass Training - How good are you at finding your way using a map and compass? You can improve your skills and have a lot of fun by attending the Map and Compass training. Units wishing to use the orienteering kit must have a leader that has attended this training. Individuals should bring a sack lunch and dress appropriately for the weather.

March 3, 2012 at Beaumont Scout Reservation

Pioneering Kit Training - Pioneering kits are located at Beaumont Scout Reservation and Camp Lewallen. Units wishing to use the kits must have a leader who has completed the Pioneering Kit Training. Individuals should bring a sack lunch and dress appropriately for the weather.

April 14, 2012 at Beaumont Scout Reservation

Rock Climbing/Rappelling Certification - a Wednesday night and weekend training course are required to become a certified rock climbing/rappelling instructor. Participants also receive training for the camp climbing towers and the climbing areas near Pine Ridge Scout Camp in southern Illinois.

**May 23, 2012 at Beaumont Scout Reservation and
June 2-3, 2012 at S bar F Scout Ranch**

or

**July 25: Beaumont Scout Reservation and
Aug. 4-5, 2012 at S bar F Scout Ranch**

Tipi Training - Units wishing to use the tipis located at S bar F Scout Ranch must have a Leader who has completed Tipi Training. This training is designed to teach leaders the proper way to erect a tipi.

April 14, 2012 at Beaumont Scout Reservation

Wood Badge Training - a single day plus two weekend training courses focused on advanced skills for Scouters that have already received Adult Leader Training. Wood Badge provides contemporary leadership skills and helps to develop more effective Scouters. Participants will receive in-depth understanding of the aims and methods of Scouting, while enhancing their Scout Spirit.

**April 28, 2012 Pre-course at Beaumont Scout Reservation and
May 18-20, 2012 First weekend at Beaumont Scout Reservation and
June 1-3, 2012 Second weekend at Beaumont Scout Reservation**

University of Scouting - a robust series of classes that are designed to educate Leaders of Packs, Troops, Crews and Ships. There are eight blocks of times that Leaders can sign up to attend specific courses and training classes. The format is similar to college where Professors are providing instruction and skills to Leaders so that they can enhance the Scouting program for their respective units.

January 21, 2012 at Fox High School