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INTRODUCTION TO SCOUTING BSA

H. ROE BARTLE SCOUT RESERVATION
September 22, 23 & 24, 2023

Leaders Guide
&
EVENT SCHEDULE
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Webelos at Bartle

The Heart of America Council, Boy Scouts of America provides program facilities and services to youth members without regard to race, color, national origin, age, gender, or handicap.

The H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation, located near Osceola, Missouri, is home to thousands of Scouts and Leaders each summer. The 4,200-acre reservation consists of three camps: Lone Star, Sawmill, and Piercing Arrow. The H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation has been a summer home to Scouting and the Tribe of Micosay since 1930.

The philosophy of this campout's staff is a commitment to serving you to the best of our ability. To live up to this commitment, the Webelos Adventures Weekend will feature a quality, energetic, enthusiastic staff providing activities that will help lead Webelos Scouts into the Scouts BSA program and help them on the Trail to Eagle.

The Webelos Adventures Weekend at Bartle is an event designed to introduce Webelos to the H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation, the Tribe of Micosay honor camping program, an introduction/overview of Camp Lone Star and various programs available at camp.

Participation

The 2023 Webelos Adventures Weekend is open to any registered Webelos/Arrow of Light Scout (currently Fourth and Fifth graders), their registered leaders and parent(s) or guardian(s). An individual Webelo/Arrow of Light Scout may attend with a parent/guardian, but no siblings are permitted. Entire Dens are welcome to attend as well, encouraged to register as a Den and arrive together if possible. Please feel free to bring your Pack/Den flags so they can be used & displayed in your campsite. Den Chiefs are welcome and encouraged to attend and camp with their Dens, while complying with overnight camping and youth protection policies. Please go to the HOAC website to register at: www.hoac-bsa.org/webelos-adventure-weekend

Safety

Our first concern is the safety of all attendees. At all times, BSA policies, the "Guide to Safe Scouting" and Youth protection policies must be followed. Scouts are not allowed to ride in truck beds or back of trailers.

Alcoholic Beverages, Illegal Drugs & Personal Firearms

The Heart of America Council will not tolerate the presence of alcoholic beverages, drugs, or persons obviously under the influence of same, at any of our Council camps. Violators will be asked to leave. Possession of controlled substances is a violation of state law and may be subject to criminal prosecution. Leaders, please set a good example for Scouts to follow. Personal firearms, archery equipment and sheath knives are not allowed at camp, or on camp archery or firing ranges.

Campout Conduct

Please remember that the Scout Oath and Law will be the code of conduct observed during this event. If there are problems that arise during the event, they should be brought to the staff leadership.

Weekend Details

Event Name: Webelos Adventures Weekend

Purpose: Introduce Webelos and their Leaders/Parents to the Bartle Scout Reservation and Tribe of Micosay using fun “Adventure” based activities.

Attendees: 1st year & Arrow of Light Webelos and their Leaders/Parents/Guardians

Maximum attendance: 500 Webelos and Leaders/Parents

Location/Camping: H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation, 5525 NE Scout Camp Rd - Osceola, MO 64776. Camping in Camp Lone Star

Date: September 22nd - 24th, 2023. (Friday night camping optional, but encouraged)

Cost: \$35 per person & includes:

- ✓ 2-night’s camping (Friday is encouraged, but optional)
- ✓ 3 meals - Saturday lunch, dinner & Sunday breakfast (*Saturday morning light snack, juice & coffee for Friday night campers is included*)
- ✓ Saturday night campfire & ice cream
- ✓ **Webelos** receive a string bag with an event patch (Webelos Only), lanyard with “passport” & completed requirements card
- ✓ **Adults** receive a final schedule, map, and parking pass
- ✓ All program activities
- ✓ Prize drawings
- ✓ All the fun you can have in 1 weekend!

Registration

All youth must be current registered members of the Boy Scouts of America. **All Adults should have taken Youth Protection Training prior to attending this weekend event.** Youth Protection Training is available online through the Heart of America Council Website.

Den Chiefs are encouraged to attend and can register with a reduced cost of \$20. Camping and youth protection policies of Scouts BSA apply

Please register on the HOAC website at... www.hoac-bsa.org/webelos-adventure-weekend

Registration deadline is Friday 9/15/2023.

What to Bring

Please plan to bring only what is necessary and easily transported but include Health Forms Parts A & B, Activity Uniform (Scout t-shirt, and scout shorts, belt, and socks if available).

<i>Tent, stakes, hammer & rope</i>	<i>Hand sanitizer/wipes</i>	<i>Personal hygiene products</i>
<i>Trash bag(s)</i>	<i>Sleeping Bag & pillow</i>	<i>Towel</i>
<i>Flashlight</i>	<i>Raingear (raincoat or poncho)</i>	<i>Hat or cap</i>
<i>Water bottle</i>	<i>Long sleeve shirt & jacket</i>	<i>Extra pants & underwear</i>
<i>Hiking boots or tennis shoes</i>	<i>Extra shoes & socks</i>	<i>Pajamas</i>

Event Highlights

- ❖ Overnight camping in Camp Lone Star - Friday and/or Saturday. Campsites will be assigned upon arrival.
- ❖ Parking directed at the campsite. Please see Parking instructions for specifics
- ❖ Overnight camping and all planned activities must adhere to guidelines outlined in The Guide to Safe Scouting and Youth Protection Guidelines.
- ❖ **Those camping overnight on Friday are responsible for your own dinner and Saturday morning breakfast. *A light snack, juice & coffee will be available outside the dining hall Saturday morning.***
- ❖ All Activity Areas and “Adventures” for Webelos & Arrow of Light included
- ❖ This is an open program event. There are multiple activities, with many focusing on specific Webelo Adventures. Some will enable the Scout to complete a full Adventure, others a partial and still other for fun and skill development.
- ❖ **Each scout may choose from the entire suite of activities on Saturday, based on their individual or group preferences. Please note, this event is NOT structured to be able to complete all program activities. To get the most out of the day, we recommend planning the Activities & Adventures you want to attend prior to arrival.**
- ❖ Activities run approx. 50 minutes, except where full Adventure requirements are taught that may run longer.
- ❖ Commissioners & Staff available to direct, escort & assist with locations.
- ❖ Camp PA system for announcements & bugle calls every 50 minutes to denote time.
- ❖ Webelos will have a “passport” w/lanyard identifying each area, plus a form for completed requirements in the individual “Adventure” areas.
- ❖ Camp wide campfire with staff skits, introduction to Micosay and more. **Tribesman, no need for tribal attire for the campfire Saturday night, casual dress (activity uniform) is fine.**
- ❖ Prizes for the Webelos will be drawn at the campfire, with ice cream afterwards.
- ❖ Dress – Activity Uniform (Class B) Scout t-shirt, and scout shorts, belt, and socks if available for all activities. Otherwise, appropriate dress for the weather. No Field Uniforms (Class A) or tribal attire required for this event.

Check In

Check in be on the road in front of Parry Lodge located approximately 1¼ mile down Scout Camp Rd after entering the reservation. Turn right at the statue of the Indian and proceed to the end of the road where you will be met by our Campmasters for the weekend. For Packs or groups traveling together, you should check in together to ensure campsites and parking together.

Friday night arrivals - Check-in will be available from 6:00 pm – 9:30 pm. Arrivals after 9:30 pm must check in with the Campmasters in front of Parry Lodge first thing on Saturday morning. **Please try to arrive as early as possible to help facilitate check-in, camp set-up and parking.**

Saturday morning arrivals - Check-in will be available from 7:30 am –9:00 am. Any arrivals before 7:30 or after 9:00 am should proceed to the Dining Hall and check-in with the Commissioner. **To facilitate check-in, camp set-up and parking, please arrive as early as possible, but no later than 9:00 am as the program begins at 10:00 am.** There will be a lot of people moving around camp, so be extra cautious when driving to your campsite. There is also a good chance the campsite parking areas will be full, and you'll need to park in the Lone Star Parking lot after unloading.

Parking

Upon arrival, and after check-in, vehicles will be directed to the campsites for unloading. Commissioners will direct you to available parking areas. Normally, vehicles are not allowed to park overnight in the campsites, as they are not designed for vehicle parking. Please be respectful of our Commissioners who will do their best to safely accommodate everyone. Once campsite parking is full, you'll need to park in the Lone Star Parking lot after unloading. **All vehicles parked at the campsites must not be moved until after church services on Sunday morning.**

Please note, vehicles will be double and, in some cases, triple parked due to limited space at the campsites. Our objective is to get you parked as close as possible to your campsite. However, this means you may/will be blocked and unable to get your vehicle out, so please be aware and help our Commissioners with this difficult task. **A parking pass will be given to each vehicle entering camp at check-in. Please fill this out with your name and cell phone number in case we need to get vehicles moved in the event of an emergency.**

If you need to leave prior to the end of camp on Sunday, or prefer not to have your vehicle blocked, after unloading your gear please move your vehicle to the Lone Star general parking lot located outside of the campsites area by where you checked in. All cars should be moved or secured in the campsite parking area after unloading. For safety and security reasons, vehicle traffic will not be allowed in the camp after 9:00 am Saturday, until after breakfast on Sunday, except for emergencies.

Camping (Friday and/or Saturday)

Campers will be utilizing the same campsites used for long-term summer camp. You will be directed to your campsite and parked by our Campsite Commissioners upon arrival. You may reserve tent platforms for others in your group arriving separate from you, but be aware, they may be asked to unload and park in the Lone Star parking lot located outside of the campsites area, depending on available campsite parking. ***For this reason, we strongly suggest everyone camping together arrive together.*** **PLEASE DO NOT SET UP TENTS OR CAMP ON THE PAVILIONS. THEY ARE ALL RESERVED FOR PROGRAM ACTIVITIES AND ADVENTURES AND TO BE OPEN WITH SUFFICIENT ACCESS. THANK YOU!**

Your family/den will need to bring your own tent plus general camping equipment. In addition, **please bring rope to secure tents to the platforms, which are approximately 9'7" x 7'9", in case of inclement weather.** Each campsite will have the water turned on and the latrine in operation. Showers will also be operating at the Lone Star pool shower house. Those facilities include flush toilets and urinals. Please note there are four separate shower facilities, one for boys and one for girls under 18, and one each for 18 & over, male and female adults. **Please remember, all youth protection rules apply while in camp, for youth & adults.**

In-Camp Stoves, Campfires & Fires

Propane stoves and lanterns are permitted in your campsite. There will be a camp wide campfire Saturday night that all are expected to attend. This campfire will be the only campfire allowed on the reservation during this event. Individual campsite campfires, or any open flames, are not allowed in camp or tents. **Only battery powered lanterns/flashlights are allowed in tents.**

Water

Each attendee needs to bring a water bottle. Water bottles can be refilled at the water stations by the latrines and throughout the camp. You may also want a container to fill with water for your campsite.

Meals

Included meals are Saturday – lunch & dinner, Saturday night ice cream after campfire and Sunday morning breakfast. (A *light snack, juice & coffee for Friday night campers will be available Saturday morning between 7:00am and 9:00am outside the Lone Star Dining Hall*) **Please help our volunteer staff by picking up and disposing of trash at meals – Thank You!**

Saturday lunch and Sunday breakfast are Grab N Go. Lunch can be picked up at the ORTC (Lone Star Dining Hall in case of weather) and breakfast at the Lone Star Dining Hall. **Saturday dinner will be served buffet style in the Lone Star dining hall.**

We will not be able to accommodate special dietary needs or meals

The full menu will be published 2 weeks prior to the event. Our dining hall staff will be happy to work with you to accommodate refrigeration for special dietary needs.

Please help our staff by picking up and disposing your trash at all meals – Thank You!

Health & First Aid

The main Health Lodge located just off the main road at Reservation HQ will not be staffed during this event, but there will be on-site medical assistance for emergencies and 1st Aid. Camp medical personnel will assist you with any medical emergency during the event, however, minor 1st aid should be handled by the Pack and/or responsible adult/parent. Please come to the Dining Hall, contact a Commissioner, any of the Program Staff or after-hours Ken Horrell 816.686.0889 if medical attention is needed.

- **Health Forms** - ALL persons entering the Reservation should have your current Form (parts A & B), to be retained by the Pack or responsible adult and accompany the patient in case of a medical emergency.
- ANYONE who is sick or has Flu or Covid like symptoms should not attend. We will issue refunds if needed to for those who don't attend for medical reasons
- Hand washing stations will be available at each campsite latrine, and hand sanitizer in the dining hall.
- For those that are uncomfortable in a dining hall setting, feel free to use outdoor seating. This will allow for additional spacing for those individuals who would like to spread out

Severe Weather Procedure

In the event of severe weather, Camp Staff will be sent to the campsites or program areas to escort all campers to the storm shelters. Once the threat of severe weather has passed, everyone will return to your campsite or program area. Leaders will be responsible for ensuring everyone in your group is accounted for.

Lake Access is Prohibited

The H. Roe Bartle Scout reservation is located on beautiful Truman Lake. Our program does not include lakefront activities; therefore, for the sake of everyone's safety, lake access is off limits.

Please respect these rules so we have a safe and enjoyable Webelos Adventure Weekend

Webelos Adventure Weekend 2023 – Schedule

Friday 9/22

- 5:00 pm – 9:45 pm Osage River Trading Post (ORTC) open
- 6:00 pm – 9:30 pm Camper Arrival, Check-in & Set-Up
- 10:00 pm – Lights out

Saturday 9/23 (morning):

- 7:00 am – 9:00 am Light snack & drinks for campers – Outside Lone Star Dining Hall
- 7:30 am – 9:00 am Camper Arrival, Check-in & Set-Up
- 8:00 am – 6:00 pm Osage River Trading Post (ORTC) open
- 9:30 am – 9:45 am Flag Raising & Announcements
- 10:00 am – Noon Program & Activity Areas open – Bus transportation available
- 12:00 pm – 12:45 pm Lunch – Grab & Go at the ORTC or Dining Hall if raining

Saturday (afternoon/evening)

- 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm Program area activities open – Bus transportation available
- 5:00 pm – 5:45 pm Free time
- 5:45 pm Flag Lowering – Bartle Summer Camp Staff
- 6:00 pm – 6:45 pm Dinner - Lone Star Dining Hall
- 7:00 pm – 7:45 pm Adults to designated area for Micosay introduction
Staff leads Webelos to Lone Star General Council Ring
Scouts in Council Ring / Micosay Dancers / Staff program
- 7:45 pm – 8:00 pm Adults move to Council Ring
- 8:00 pm – 9:15 pm Campfire Lone Star General Council Ring
Light Fire / Micosay Dancers / Skits / Micosay Program / Prizes
- 9:30 pm – 9:45 pm Pick up ice cream treat when leaving campfire - Return to campsite
- 10:00 pm Lights out

Sunday 9/24:

- 7:30 am – 8:00 am Grab N Go Hot breakfast – From Lone Star Dining Hall
- 8:00 am – 8:15 am Non – Denominational Church Service – Flagpole
- 8:15 am – Pack up & depart – **Safe Travels Home!**

2023 - Program Adventures & Activities

Activities & Adventures subject to change, due to weather and/or staff availability.

Activities are NOT structured to complete them all.

Recommend pre-planning the Activities & Adventures prior to arrival.

We will be using the Tom McNutt Shooting Sports Complex for:

BB Guns --- Archery --- Sling Shots

Plus Rocket Launching will be across the road in the Sawmill parking lot.

Bus Transportation will be available to and from these areas, picking up and returning to the bus stop in front of Parry Lodge. The bus will run approximately every 15 minutes.

1. **Rocket Assembly & Launching** - Lone Star/Sawmill Parking Lot, Water Tower
Bus Transportation Available. Assemble and shoot the Firestreak SST rocket, aerodynamically designed for reliable, high-flying launches, and watch some super high flying rocket demos.

Shooting Sports

2. **BB Guns** – Tom McNutt Shooting Sports Range – **Bus Transportation Available**
Learn safe BB Gun handling, range commands and practice shooting.
3. **Archery** – Tom McNutt Shooting Sports Range – **Bus Transportation Available**
Learn all facets of archery and practice shooting from various distances
4. **Slingshots** – Tom McNutt Shooting Sports Range – **Bus Transportation Available.**
Shooting paint balls at down range targets

Webelos completing the requirements for all 3 shooting sports (Archery, BB Guns & Slingshots) for the first time will receive the Webelos Shooting Sports Patch. Webelos who have already earned the Shooting Sports Patch, will earn all 3 Shooting Sports Pins after completing the requirements in all 3 shooting sports for the second time.

5. **Water Sports - Fishing & S.C.U.B.A.**– Lone Star Pool
Learn bait & fly-fishing techniques - Tie fishing knots, bait/lures, flies & casting. Talk with a certified SCUBA instructor and experience (on land of course) the equipment, breathing and some emergency 1st Aid
6. **Cast Iron Chef (Cooking)** – Lone Star Commissioners Barge
Webelos Required Adventure.
Will complete all requirements for the Required Adventure: Cast Iron Chef.
Cast Iron Chef – Requirements #1, 2 & 3

- 7. First Responder – Campsite Apache Pavilion**
Webelos Required Adventure
Will complete all requirements for the Required Adventure: First Responder
- 8. Art Explosion – Campsite Cheyenne Pavilion**
Webelos/Arrow of Light Elective
Can complete all requirements for the Adventure: Art Explosion
Requirement #1 will be completed at Scouting History - Campsite Cherokee Pavilion, right next door.
Learn drawing techniques, make a sculpture with clay & **new this year – Balloon Art!**
Art Explosion – Requirements 2, 3a & b -
- 9. Scouting History & Museum - Campsite Cherokee Pavilion**
Will satisfy Requirement #1 of Art Explosion
Webelos will see “how actions of the past have influenced the present” and experience the history of Scouting and The H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation.
- 10. Wood Carving & Whittlin Chip (Knife Safety) - Campsite Kickapoo Pavilion**
Can complete all requirements for the Whittling Chip
Knife safety & handling – Carve neckerchief slide to be engraved at the STEM Trailer.
- 11. Missouri Department of Conservation – Outdoor Safety - Campsite Mohican**
Introduction to The Department of Conservation and Officer duties, Outdoor safety, Poisonous snake identification, Wilderness 1st aid, climbing a deer stand in the woods
- 12. Into The Woods – Campsite Mohican Pavilion**
Webelos/Arrow of Light Elective
Will complete all requirements for the Adventure: Into The Woods except #4
Learn to identify trees & plants, make “Tree Cookie” lanyards
Into The Woods - Requirements #1-3 & #7
- 13. Mountain Man – Campsite Mohican**
Demonstrate use of a forge & branding “wood cookie” from Into the Woods Adventure
- 14. Yo Yo’s - Campsite Ponca** *Webelos/Arrow of Light Preview Elective*
Learn the safe use of Yo Yo's, proper string types, use, slip knot, length and winding. Conduct the pendulum experiment and learn 3 types of tricks (4 tricks for AOL)
10 - 15 people per class maximum

15. Mission Possible - Campsite Ponca - *NEW FOR 2023*

Your top-secret mission: Retrieve the Sheshebe Diamond from the, maximum-security Bartle Vault. No easy task— as you must cross the Cobra Pit, make your way through shark-infested waters, and brave the horrors of Ghost Shark Isle. But the danger doesn't stop there! Prevent a nuclear meltdown at the Diablo Canyon power plant, avoid the black widow's fangs as you cross the Spider's Web, and finally, crack the code to Bartle's Vault. Will you be the first to succeed and reap the rewards?

8 - 10 people per mission

16. Campfire Participation & Micosay Overview - Campsite Ottawa Pavilion

Leaders from the Tribe of Micosay will meet with adults for an overview of the Micosay program. Webelos will work on making an instrument to use at the campfire as they participate with the Micosay Dancers. *All Webelos who would like to participate in the Micosay Dance program at the campfire must visit this activity.*

17. Aware & Care – Campsite Pawnee Pavilion *Webelos/Arrow of Light Elective*
Will complete all requirements for the Adventure: Aware & Care

Obstacle course; Visit with a person who works w/people with disabilities

Scout Oath – American Sign Language. **Aware & Care** - Req #1, 2, 3, 4b & 4e

18. Bike Hike – Arts & Crafts Lodge

Bike safety & ride through Lone Star with staff to identify key points of interest.

19. H.O.A.C. STEM Trailer – Gravel Area by Campsite Seneca Latrine.

Each participant can/will - engrave your kerchief slide; get a fixed wing glider and a helicopter rotor to study flight; receive a small compass, as well as build a working compass from simple materials & build a simple flashlight to take home.

20. Build It – Campsite Seneca Pavilion

Webelos/Arrow of Light Elective

Will complete all requirements for the Adventure: Build It

Learn about some basic tools and the proper use of each tool. Will complete a carpentry project and learn about a construction career.

21. CANCELLED

~~**CERDA-FIED GUNDOGS** *Lone Star Parade Grounds, in front of ORTC*~~

~~Dog training, care and retrieval demonstrations using the .22 cal. dummy launcher, as well as use of hand signals~~

~~**Demonstrations 11:00, 1:30, 2:30 3:3 & 4:30**~~

22. **PENDING Equipment Availability**

Launch It – Lone Star Parade Grounds

Launching projectiles at targets with a catapult. Three person teams and includes aiming, adjusting release points and launch tension.

23. **Stronger, Faster, Higher – Lone Star Parade Grounds**

Webelos Required Adventure

Discuss proper warm up & reasons why. Set up 20-yard dash, vertical jump, lifting a 5-pound weight, push-ups, curls, jumping rope. New sport is exposure to Obstacle Course for requirement #4

Stronger, Faster, Higher - Requirement #1, 2 & 4

24. **Sports - Lone Star Parade Grounds, in front of ORTC (Trading Post)**

Will complete all requirements for the Adventure – Sports - When Combined with Stronger, Faster, Higher & Launch It

Learn signals used by officials, participate in two sports (Obstacle Course, Bag Toss and more), and learn about good sportsmanship.

25. **Webelos Walkabout – 2 groups of 15 Scouts & 15 Adults each session -**

Advance sign up needed - Meet at west end of Davis Lodge

Webelos Required Adventure.

Due to the nature of this Adventure, it will only be offered twice at 9:30am & 1:00pm and limited to 15 Scouts plus their leaders. Advance sign up is required. Please e-mail Rob Richardson at richardsonbrothersdevelopment@gmail.com Include the name of the Scout(s) and adult (s).

Will complete all requirements for the Required Adventure: Webelos Walkabout

Learn about hiking and discover Bartle Trails by planning and hiking a 3-mile trek - with trail map handout. See the camp from a whole new perspective.

This WILL BE a physical and relatively fast paced hike. It's important the Scouts are physically prepared to successfully complete the trek. Each session will last 3 hours (Scouts will not be able to participate in other activities in the AM, but will have 1 hour for other activities in PM)

- Includes making a first aid kit and a "quick" snack/bathroom break.
- Bring a mini backpack, and a water bottle (no more than 32 oz. or 1 liter).
- This event begins **PROMPTLY at 9:30 AM (before the general program & welcome) and 1:00 PM**
- Lunch will be available upon return from 9:30 am hike
- Limited to 15 Scouts & 15 Adults each session.
- Visit "The Point", Lakefront; Camps Lone Star & Sawmill & Scorpion Hill. Hike. 4 different trails inside the Reservation.

- 26. Outdoor Adventure** – *In your own Campsite & Campsite Kickapoo Pavilion*
Arrow of Light Required Adventure
Can complete all requirements for the Outdoor Adventure
Option A Requirements 1, 2, 3 & 4 - do with Webelos in Campsite, Requirement 3b & **Scouting Adventure #5a&b** at Wood Carving in the Kickapoo Pavilion
- 27. Adult Micosay Introduction** – Micosay leaders will be available during the day in Campsite Ottawa to discuss the program with Webelos Leaders and Parents in small groups. After dinner program –Introduce Micosay to adult leaders in larger groups.
- 28. Webelos Campfire** - Micosay Dancers opening our Campfire w/staff & Webelos who made an instrument at the Campfire Participation & MOS Introduction Activity Area. Skits, songs, and a whole lot more.
- 29. Sunday Morning Church Service** – After breakfast – Lone Star Flagpole or Dining Hall in case of rain.
- 30. Osage River Trading Post (ORTC)** - Open Friday & Saturday until 9:45 pm