INTRODUCTION TO SCOUTING BSA

H. ROE BARTLE SCOUT RESERVATION
September 18 - 20, 2020

Leaders Guide
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SAFETY PROTOCOLS:

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, we're prioritizing safety when it comes to any outdoor experience. In order to ensure the safest event atmosphere as possible, we're reducing attendance capacities and requiring all participants to complete the following forms prior to attending.

**Activity Screening Form**  
(*Includes 7-day temperature check*)

*Registration will close 7-days prior to the event to allow for the 7-day temperature screening.*

*Printed Activity Screening Form is required for entry and must be presented upon arrival for all participants - no exceptions!*

**BSA Annual Health and Medical Record**  
(*Parts A and B Only*)

*Health & Medical Record is required for all participants and will be retained by each family/individual*

All events will also adhere to all health and safety guidelines mandated by state and county officials. Also rules and regulations will be observed, including face coverings when required.
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 over 5,500 Scouts and 2,500 leaders each summer. The 3,600-acre reservation consists of three camps: Lonestar, Sawmill and Piercing Arrow. The H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation has been a summer home to Scouting and the Tribe of Mic-O-Say since 1930.

The philosophy of this campout’s staff is a total commitment to serving you to the best of our ability. In pursuit of this meaningful goal, we pledge to strive to incorporate the following things into every H. Roe Bartle Reservation activity.

1. Teaching & Coaching: Traditional Scouting skills will be taught to all those in need of instruction.

2. Values: All staff members are committed to being good role models; always exemplifying the Scout Oath and Law.

3. Fun: We will deliver a fun filled program that will be enjoyed and remembered by every youth that attends.

4. Quality Program: An emphasis on quality and good health, with careful attention paid to program content, menu selections, trading post sales, and physical activities will be a part of everything we do.

To live up to this commitment, the Webelos Adventures Weekend will feature a quality, mature, energetic, enthusiastic staff providing activities that will lead Webelos Scouts into the Scouts BSA program and help Scouts on the Trail to Eagle.

The Webelos Adventures Weekend at Bartle is an event designed to introduce Webelos in the council to the H. Roe Bartle Scout reservation, the Tribe of Mic-O-Say honor camping program and offer an introduction/overview of Camp Lone Star and various programs available at camp.

Thanks to all for your enthusiastic participation and Tribesmen, remember to bring your claws.

Participation

The 2020 Webelos Adventures Weekend is open to any registered Webelos Scout (currently Fourth and Fifth graders), their parent(s) and leaders. Entire Dens are welcome to attend as well as single Webelo with a parent/guardian. Please register on the HOAC website at:

www.hoac-bsa.org/webelos-adventure-weekend
Registration & Cost
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. Cost of this camping event including Saturday lunch, supper, Cracker Barrel and breakfast Sunday, is $25 per person. This cost includes a patch. Please register on the HOAC website at: [www.hoac-bsa.org/webelos-adventure-weekend](http://www.hoac-bsa.org/webelos-adventure-weekend)

Health Forms
All Scouts and Adults must bring with them, a completed Activity Screening Form (including 7 day temperature check and Annual Health. [http://www.hoac-bsa.org/Data/Sites/1/media/camping/camp-safety/pre-activity-screening-form.pdf](http://www.hoac-bsa.org/Data/Sites/1/media/camping/camp-safety/pre-activity-screening-form.pdf) ... and Medical Record to be retained by the Unit (only parts A&B are required for Webelos at Bartle)

Covid Requirements
- We will generally follow the 13 point Health & Safety Plan used for Summer Camp
- Masks will be required, but not furnished by the camp. Participants must bring their own.
- Social Distancing should be adhered to. This includes all activity areas & meals.
- All campers, adults & youth should bring chairs and keep them with them to use in the activity areas, and possibly for meals
- All campers should bring hand sanitizer and wipes for personal use and protection

Check In
**Friday night arrivals** - check in at the Reservation Headquarters located approximately ¼ mile down Scout Camp Rd after entering the reservation. (1st open gate on the right across from the Statue of Liberty) from 6:00 pm – 9:30 pm. A registration team member will complete check-in, take temperatures of all participants, provide wrist bands, event patches, final program schedule, and direct you to the campsites. Arrivals after 9:30 pm must check in on Saturday morning

**Saturday morning arrivals** - check in is in Camp Lone Star at the Flagpole in front of Perry Lodge at the end of the main parking lot. From Scout Camp Rd., proceed approximately 1 ¼ miles after you enter the reservation and turn right at the large statue of an Indian. The maintenance barn will be on your left. Proceed down the gravel road until you reach the end of the parking lot. A registration team member will meet your vehicle and complete check-in, provide wrist bands, event patches, final program schedule and direct you to the campsites.

Parking
Cars will be allowed to enter the Lone Star Campsites to unload and set up your camp. Commissioners will direct you to open camp sites and safely park your vehicles. All vehicles parked at the campsites must not be moved until after church services on Sunday morning. If you need to leave prior to the end of camp on Sunday, after unloading your camping gear, please move your vehicle to the Lone Star general parking area. All cars should be moved or secured in the campsite parking area by 10:00 am on Saturday. For safety and security reasons, no vehicle traffic will be allowed in the camp after 10:00 am Saturday, until after breakfast on Sunday
Facilities
Campers will be utilizing the same facilities used for long-term summer camping. Campsites will be assigned by our Campsite Commissioners upon arrival. New this year, tents and cots used at summer camp will be left up for your use in 4 campsites. As you arrive you will be directed to these campsites to unload and park. They will be filled in the order of arrival. If you and others want to camp together, please plan to arrive at similar times or together. We can accommodate 222 campers in the set up tents. Once filled, you will need to provide your own tent, and cot. Please remember, youth protection rules apply to camping in all campsites.

Tents and cots will be available in the following Campsites:
Apache – Sleeps 70 (35 tents)
Cheyenne – Sleeps 52 (26 tents)
Cherokee – Sleeps 50 (25 tents)
Kickapoo – Sleeps 50 (25 tents)
Total tent capacities = 222 people in 111 tents

Your family/den will need to bring your own general camping equipment. Once these 4 campsites are filled, you will set tents up on the platforms in your campsite. We recommend bringing stakes and rope to secure tents 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 pool shower house. Those facilities also include flush toilets and urinals. Please note that there are four separate shower facilities, one for boys, one for girls, and one for male and one for female adults.

Smoking
Smoking is only allowed in designated areas away from the scouts and program.

Meals
All meals will be served from the dining hall. In addition, there will be a cracker barrel Saturday after campfire with ice cream floats. Please help our volunteer staff by picking up after yourselves.

Special Dietary Needs
Due to the short duration of this event, if you have special dietary needs, please arrange for your own meals and we will work out a reduced price for you.

Uniform
A Scout themed t-shirt, shorts (scout shorts, belt & socks if available) for all activities (“Activity Uniform” formerly Class B). No Field Uniforms (Class A Uniforms) will be required.

Safety
Our first concern is the safety of all attendees. At all times, BSA policies and the “Guide to Safe Scouting” are to be followed. Scouts are not allowed to ride in truck beds or back of trailers.
Program
This event is designed as an open program area. There are multiple activities, with many of these focusing on specific Webelo Adventures. Some will enable the Scout to complete a full Adventure.

Each camper may choose from the entire suite of activities on Saturday, based on their individual or group preferences. Schedule and list of activities on pages 7 – 11.

Campfires & Fires
There will be a camp wide campfire Saturday night that all are expected to attend. This camp wide fire will be the only campfire allowed on the reservation during this event. Individual campfires will not be permitted. In addition, no open flames are allowed. All lighting should be either propane lantern or battery operated. No lanterns, other than battery operated, will be allowed in tents.

Severe Weather Procedure
In the event of severe weather, Camp Staff will be sent to the campsites to escort all campers to the storm shelters. Leaders should have a roster of Scouts and adults to ensure everyone is accounted for. Once the threat of severe weather has passed, campers will return to your campsites.

Water
There is no need to bring water to camp; however, it is encouraged that each attendee brings a water bottle to carry throughout the day.

Pack Flags
Please feel free to bring your flags so they can be used in your campsite.

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 reservation leadership. All decisions pertaining to the discussed problem will be final.

Alcoholic Beverages & Illegal Drugs
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
Personal firearms, archery equipment and sheath knives are not allowed at camp, or on camp archery or firing ranges.
Health Lodge
The main Health Lodge is located just off the main road at Reservation HQ and is available for emergency assistance 24 hours a day. A satellite Health Lodge will be set up in the Lone Star Dining Hall during program times. Camp medical personnel will assist you with any medical emergency during the session. If they are not in the Health Lodge upon your arrival, their location will be posted on a sign outside the Health Lodge door.

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.

What to Bring
Please plan to bring only what is necessary and easily transported. The idea is to bring only what you can carry. Here is a suggested list.
Activity Screening Form (7-day temp checks)
Health Forms Parts A & B
Hand sanitizer  Tent  Flashlight  Water bottle  Hiking boots or tennis shoes  Personal hygiene products  Jacket  Sanitizing wipes  Sleeping Bag  Raingear (raincoat or poncho)  Long sleeve shirt  Extra socks  Towel  Pajamas  Sanitizing cleaner  Pillow  Hat or cap  Extra pants  Underwear  Uniform  Trash bag

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

Notes:
Weekend Details

Event Name: Webelos Adventures Weekend

Introduction to Scouting BSA

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

Attendees: 1st & 2nd year Webelos and their Leaders/Parents

Maximum attendance: 400 Webelos and Leaders/Parents

Location: H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation, Camp Lone Star

Date: September 18th – 20th, 2020 (Camping Friday, September 18th included, but optional)

Cost: $25 per person & includes:

✓ 2-night’s camping (Friday is optional)
✓ 3 meals (Saturday lunch, dinner & Sunday breakfast)
✓ Saturday night campfire & cracker-barrel
✓ Bartle Camp patch
✓ All program activities

Meals: Saturday – lunch & dinner, Saturday night cracker-barrel after campfire and Sunday morning breakfast. Special meals cannot be accommodated for this event. All meals will be served from the dining hall. In addition, several snacks will be served. Please help our volunteer staff by picking up after yourselves.

Program Plan & Schedule

❖ Overnight camping in Camp Lone Star (Friday and/or Saturday in assigned campsites)
❖ Overnight camping and all planned activities must adhere to guidelines outlined in The Guide to Safe Scouting.
❖ Those camping overnight on Friday are responsible for your own dinner and Saturday morning breakfast. Coffee will be available in the dining hall Saturday morning.
❖ Program areas, with multiple Adventures for Saturday activities
❖ Most activities run approx. 45 minutes, except where full Adventure requirements are taught
❖ Commissioners & Staff available to direct, escort & and assist with locations.
❖ Use of camp PA system/bugle calls every 30 minutes to announce time.
❖ Webelos will have a “passport” w/lanyard identifying each area, plus a form for completed requirements in the individual “Adventure” areas
❖ Prizes will be drawn at the cracker barrel after campfire.
❖ Scouts dress – Activity Uniform (Class B) Scout t-shirt, and scout shorts, belt, and socks if available for all activities. No Class Uniforms required for this event.
❖ Where applicable, activities will fulfill some or all Webelos or Arrow of Light requirements.
Webelos Adventure Weekend 2020 - Schedule

Friday 9/18:
- 6:00 pm – 10:30 pm - Check in for Friday night camping at Reservation Headquarters
  
  Those camping overnight on Friday are responsible for your own dinner on Friday and Saturday morning breakfast. Coffee will be available Saturday morning in the dining hall.
  
  Scott’s General Store in Iconium will be open until 7:00 pm Friday night. If food is needed later than 7:00 pm, please call them at (417) 646-2221 to see if they can accommodate you.

Saturday 9/19:
- 7:00 am – coffee available at the Dining Hall
- 7:30 am – 8:30 am – Staff breakfast & assignments
- 8:00 am – 10:00 am – Registration & Camp set-up
- 8:30 am – 6:00 pm - Osage River Trading Post (ORTC) open
- 10:00 am – 10:15 am – Welcome & dismiss to program areas – Lone Star flagpole
- 10:30 am – 11:45 am – Program area activities open
- 12:00 pm – 12:45 pm – Lunch
- 1:00 pm – 5:15 pm – Program area activities open
- 5:15 pm – 6:15 pm – Free time (complete camp set up)
- 6:20 pm – 6:25 pm – Flag lowering – all campers meet at the flagpole
- 6:30 pm – 7:15 pm – Dinner
- 7:15 pm – 7:45 pm – Adult Mic-O-Say Intro (Remain in Lone Star Dining Hall)
  
  - Scouts to Council Ring / Maestro & MOS Dancers
- 8:00 pm – 8:30 pm – Campfire in Lone Star General Council Ring
- 8:45 pm – 9:30 pm – Snack, Pictures with Mic O Say Tribal Leaders & Prize drawings
- 9:30 pm – 9:45 pm – Return to campsite
- 10:00 pm – Lights out

Sunday 9/20:
- 7:00 am – 7:45 am Reveille & pack up campsite
- 8:00 am – Breakfast – Lone Star Dining Hall
  
  Church service – Immediately following breakfast - Lone Star Dining Hall

- Pack up & depart
Program Activities & Adventures

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

1. BB gun range – *Campsite Ottawa Pavilion*
   Learn safe BB Gun handling, range commands and practice shooting.

2. Sling Shots – *Campsite Ponca Pavilion*
   Learn the techniques and safety procedure for sling shots, using paint balls and chalk balls.

3. Archery - *Campsite Mohican Pavilion*
   Learn all facets of archery and practice shooting from various distances.

   *The Webelos Shooting Sports patch will be given to Webelos completing the requirements in all 3 shooting sports*

4. Fishing – *Lone Star Pool*
   Learn bait & fly-fishing techniques - Tie fishing knots, bait/lures, flies & casting

5. Cast Iron Chef (Cooking) – *Lone Star Commissioners Barge*
   *Will earn all requirements for the Required Adventure: Cast Iron Chef, ex. #1*
   *Cast Iron Chef – Requirements 2 & 3*

6. Adult Mic-O-Say introduction – After dinner program
   Introduce MOS to adult leaders after dinner, campfire & award lanyards.

7. Mic-O-Say Dancers
   Dancers opening our Campfire w/staff

8. Rocket Launching – *Campsite Seneca*
   Build and launch rockets from our base station
   *Adventures In Science – Requirement D*

   Activities focused on Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics
   *Adventures In Science - Requirement #2*

10. Into The Woods – *Lone Star Ecology Lodge*
    *Will earn all requirements for the Adventure: Into The Woods except #4*
    Learn how to identify trees & plants, make “Tree Cookie” lanyards to take to Mountain Man
    *Into The Woods - Requirements #1-3 & #7*
11. Mountain Man - Forge in front of Lone Star Ecology Lodge
Demonstrate use of a forge & branding “wood cookie” from Into the Woods Adventure

12. Wood Carving & Whittlin Chip (Knife Safety) - Campsite Kickapoo Pavilion
Will earn all requirements for the Whittling Chip
Knife safety & handling – Carve neckerchief slide.

13. CERDA-FIED GUNDOGS – Lone Star Parade Grounds
Dog training, care and retrieval demonstrations using the .22 cal. dummy launcher, as well as use of hand signals
Demonstrations on the hour…. 11:00, 1:00, 2:00 3:00, 4:00 & 5:00

14. Bike Hike – Arts & Crafts Lodge, far end of Parade Grounds
Intro to bike safety & ride around Lone star to identify key points of interest.

15. Obstacle Course
Stronger, Faster, Higher – Parade Grounds, in front of ORTC (Trading Post)
Will earn all requirements for the Required Adventure: Stronger, Faster, Higher, ex. #3
Obstacle Course. Start with an initiative game designed for stretching. Explain why this is important. Then 3 low elements to rotate through - whale watcher, meat grinder, and islands.
Stronger, Faster, Higher - Requirement #6

TBD, Pending Staff
Jenga, Chess, Team skiing (on wooden planks - available from Day Camp), Hula Hoop course using rock/paper/scissors, 9 square in the air
Stronger, Faster, Higher - Requirement #1, 2, 4, 5 and 6

16. Launch It – West side of Davis Lodge, between Dining Hall & Davis Lodge
Launching projectiles at targets with a catapult
Three person teams and includes aiming, adjusting release points and launch tension.

17. Disability Awareness – Davis Lodge
Will earn 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. First Responder – Campsite Apache Pavilion
Will earn all requirements for the Required Adventure: First Responder
First Responder Requirements
19. **Art Explosion** – *Campsite Cheyenne Pavilion*
   *Will earn all requirements for the Adventure: Art Explosion except #1*
   **Art Explosion** – Requirements 2 and 3 a & b

20. **Looking Backwards Looking Forwards** - *Campsite Cherokee Pavilion*
   *Will earn all requirements for: Looking Backwards Looking Forwards*
   Webelos will see “how actions of the past have influenced the present.”
   **Looking Backwards Looking Forward** – Requirements #1, 2 & 3

21. **Webelos Walkabout** – 2 groups of 15 Scouts each - **Advance sign up needed** - *Meet at west end of Davis Lodge*
   **Due to the nature of this Adventure, it will only be offered twice during the day, 10:30am & 1:00pm and limited to 15 Scouts plus their leaders. Advance sign up is required. Please e-mail Mike Meyers at mike.meyers.hiking@gmail.com Include the name of the Scout(s) and adult(s).**
   *Will earn 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 strenuous and relatively fast paced hike
   - Approx. time - 2 hours
   - Includes making a first aid kit and a "quick" snack/bathroom break.
   - Important the Scouts are physically prepared; hike leader will evaluate to assure that the maximum number of Scouts successfully complete
   - Bring a mini backpack, and a water bottle (no more than 32 oz. or 1 liter)
   - This event begins **PROMPTLY at 10:30 AM and 1:00 PM**
   - Limited 15 Scouts, plus leaders
   - Visit "The Point", Lakefront; Camps Lone Star & Sawmill & Scorpion Hill. Hike. 4 different trails inside the Scout Reservation.

**Sunday Morning Church Services** - *Lone Star Dining Hall*
Non-denominational services immediately following breakfast

**Osage River Trading Post (O.R.T.C)** - *Lone Star O.R.T.C.*
Open for business Saturday 8:30 am – 6:00 pm