

# **Webelos Woods 2016**

## **Long Trail District**

### **Program Information**

**June 17-19, 2016**

Webelos Woods is a great opportunity for a Pack/Den Campout at Mt. Norris Scout Reservation in Eden, VT. It will start with registration at 4:00 p.m. on Friday, June 17 and continue through Sunday, June 19. It is a program that offers a variety of fun outdoor activities presented by local Boys Scout and Scouters.

All Webelos and Arrow of Light Scouts, their leaders and parents are invited. Scouts will be under the supervision of their leaders, parents or designated adult. Packs/Dens are responsible to make sure they maintain two-deep leadership.

**Scout Oath and Law** – The Scout Oath and Law will be the law of the camp. All Scouts and Adults are expected to conduct themselves accordingly. All aspects of the BSA Guide to Safe Scouting apply.

**Medical Forms** – Each participant will need a Part A and B Medical Form. Forms are available on Council's Website ([www.scoutingvermont.org](http://www.scoutingvermont.org)). Forms will be checked at check-in.

**Meals** –All meals are on your own. We suggest you take this opportunity to explore the cooking advancement requirements in the handbook. The Cast Iron Chef adventure includes sample recipes and there are more ideas in the Castaway adventure. Be sure to involve the Scouts in your meal planning. Check out Webelos Cast Iron Chef #3, 4 and 5 and Elective: Castaway #1b. A limited number of Dutch Ovens are available if you would like to try this method of cooking. Contact Keith Mullins ([kdmullins123@comcast.net](mailto:kdmullins123@comcast.net)) if you are interested.

**Tents** – Everyone will bring their own tent. Be sure to involve the Scouts in your campout planning. Check out Arrow of Light Camper #2 and 3.

**Vehicles** – You will be allowed to bring vehicles down to camp for unloading and loading only. Troop/Pack trailers can be parked in the campsite but all vehicles must be returned to the parking lot.

**Patrol Method** – For the morning and afternoon activity periods, Scouts will be divided into patrols.

**Uniforming** – One of the methods by which Scouting achieves its aims is through the uniform. Scouts and leaders should be in Field (Class A) Uniform for the opening/closing ceremonies, campfire and Scout's Own Service. An Activity (Class B) Uniform may be worn at all other times. **Closed-toe shoes are required at all times.**

**Fishing** – You may go fishing during the Open Activities period. You must bring your own equipment. See Keith Mullins for where you may fish.

## **Program**

Friday, June 17

4:00 Check In/Registration/Set Up

Dinner is on your own – Webelos Cast Iron Chef #3, 4 & 5 and Castaway #1b

Scouts should set up tents – AOL Camper #2 & 3

TBD Campfire

10:00 Quiet Time

Saturday, June 18

7:00 Breakfast

8:00 Check In/Registration

8:45 Opening Ceremony

\*9:00 – 12:10 Morning Activities

12:10 – 1:15 Lunch

\*1:15 – 3:25 Afternoon Activities

3:25 – 5:00 Open Activities

5:00 Dinner

7:00 Campfire/ Star Gazing (weather permitting)

10:00 Quiet Time

Sunday, June 19

7:00 Breakfast

8:30 Scout's Own Service

Closing Ceremony

**\*NOTE:** There will be an adult program during the morning and afternoon activities.

## **WORTH A REMINDER TO UNIT LEADERS**

- Everyone in camp **must** have a Medical Form, Parts A and B. This includes nonregistered parents who may accompany their Scouts.
- Plan/bring food and cooking equipment for your unit.
- A group cooking fire will be provided at Scoutcraft to try Dutch Oven cooking.
- Use of propane or other camp stoves is restricted to adults only. You are welcome to bring these to aid in your cooking, but Scouts cannot operate them. Scouts, of course, can cook using them.
- Drinking water is available at the campsites, but you may wish to bring a container to carry it to where you are cooking, doing meal prep and cleaning up.
- The weather in June at Mt. Norris is highly variable. Your Scouts should be prepared for a wide range of temperatures anywhere from 30 to 90 and rain happens frequently as well.

### **Packing List – Webelos Handbook page 154**

#### **The Scout Basic Essentials\* (Things You Should Take on Every Outing)**

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| <b>1. First-aid kit</b>                                      | <b>6. Flashlight</b>      |
| <b>2. Extra clothing</b>                                     | <b>7. Trail food</b>      |
| <b>3. Rain Gear</b>  | <b>8. Sun protection</b>  |
| <b>4. Filled water bottle</b>                                | <b>9. Map and compass</b> |
| <b>5. Pocketknife (if you've earned your Whittling Chip)</b> |                           |

**\* As a Boy Scout, you can earn your Firem'n Chit. That will allow you to carry matches and a fire starter.**

## Overnight Gear

- \_\_\_ Tent
- \_\_\_ Ground Cloth
- \_\_\_ Sleeping Bag
- \_\_\_ Pillow
- \_\_\_ Air mattress or pad
- \_\_\_ Warm jacket
- \_\_\_ Sweatshirt (try to avoid cotton)
- \_\_\_ Sweatpants (for sleeping, try to avoid cotton)
- \_\_\_ Mess kit or cup, bowl, knife, fork, spoon
- \_\_\_ Insect repellent
- \_\_\_ Extra clothing
- \_\_\_ Toothpaste, toothbrush, soap, washcloth, towel, comb
- \_\_\_ Webelos Scout uniforming
- \_\_\_ Durable shoes/boots (depending on weather)
- \_\_\_ Hat or cap

## Optional Items

- \_\_\_ Camera
- \_\_\_ Binoculars
- \_\_\_ Whistle
- \_\_\_ Sunglasses
- \_\_\_ Notebook and pencil
- \_\_\_ Nature books
- \_\_\_ Bible, testament, prayer book or other book for your faith