

Camping Kickoff 2019

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Camperships / Discounts / Deadlines

- Camperships for SWC units are requested online, no paper forms will be accepted.
 - Camperships link to the unit record and show as tentative credits until approved.
 - Camperships are awarded for up to 50% of the cost of early bird rates for camp.
 - Scouts requesting camperships pay the rate they qualify for based on deposits and payment deadlines.
 - March 1 campership application deadline. Forms accepted after and are awarded with remaining available funds.

www.senecawaterways.org/camperships

Summer Camp Online Reservations

- Camp registrations are tied to a registration order number and e-mail address for the event contact.
- SWC Units have unit a rosters uploaded each month
 - NEW: Unit rosters are linked to user accounts by the SWC Camping team, no separate myroster login.
 - Contact <u>camping@senecawaterways.org</u> to request the unit roster be linked to an account.
- Out of Council units can create an account and upload their membership data easily, no need to type data into the system.

Adult Leader / Scout Verification

Scouts BSA Resident Camp

- All Scouts and Adults attending Scouts BSA Resident Camps must be registered with the Boy Scouts of America and have a membership ID number assigned.
- All adult leaders attending Scouts BSA Resident Camps must have a current Youth Protection Training date.
- Seneca Waterways Council units will use an online validation system as part of registration. Units
 must use their myRoster account to register Scouts and adults for camp.
- Out of Council units should bring a copy of the my.scouting roster or a roster generated from your Scout Service Center, listing all adults and youth attending camp. This document also could contain youth protection dates, certificates of completion are also acceptable. Third party rosters, or excel worksheets are not acceptable forms of roster verification.
- To make sure that criminal background checks have been completed and a member ID can be issued, we recommend submitting adult applications no later than mid-May to your service center to be processed. This should give plenty of time for processing.

Adult Leader / Scout Verification

Cub Scout Resident Camps

- NEW: All adult leaders attending Cub Scout Resident Camps must have a current Youth Protection Training date.
- Seneca Waterways Council units will use an online validation system as part of registration. Units
 must use their linked roster to register Scouts for camp.
- Out of Council units should bring a copy of the my.scouting roster or a roster generated from your Scout Service Center, listing all adults and youth attending camp. This document also could contain youth protection dates, certificates of completion are also acceptable. Third party rosters, or excel worksheets are not acceptable forms of roster verification.
- To make sure that criminal background checks have been completed and a member ID can be issued, we recommend submitting adult applications no later than mid-May to your service center to be processed. This should give plenty of time for processing.

Summer Camp Reservations – Scouts BSA

- By February 28 \$150 per Scout deposit required to hold spaces for the Troop.
 - This is your minimum attendance commitment. Deposits are nontransferable.
 - Prior to February 28 you can remove Scouts without penalty.
- The system works with progress payments. When a progress payment date passes, if you were to add a new Scout, you would have to pay the current progress fee.
 - After February 28 through March 20, the early bird fee of \$400 is required to hold additional spaces.
 - After March 20 through April 25, the regular registration fee of \$435 is required to hold additional spaces.
 - After April 25 through the start of camp, the late registration fee of \$475 is required to hold additional spaces.

Additional Week Discount

Scouts can attend an additional week of camp for \$300 per session.

Scouts are partnered with a troop in camp or can attend with their troop

Refund for Camper Fees – Scouts BSA

Cancellation Policy

All camp fees paid per the payment schedule are non-refundable.

There are situations in which a camper's fee may be refunded, either in whole or in part. Please note that checks will not be written to individual families but written to the unit and refund requests must be made by the unit.

Refunds for Extenuating Circumstances (less \$150)

The complete balance of a campers' fee (less \$150) may be refunded up until June 30 for the following reasons if accompanied by appropriate documentation:

- Medical issues regarding the camper
- Summer School
- Extreme family emergencies

Refunds requested after June 30 up until the unit's billing conference at camp can be issued with \$250 of the fees paid retained with the balance refunded.

No refunds will be considered after the unit billing conference takes place at camp. All documentation must be turned in at the time of the billing conference.

The Seneca Waterways Council can not provide refunds after this timeframe as certain expenditures have been made (e.g. food and program-related items) based upon the unit's projected attendance

Summer Camp Reservations – Cub Scouts

Cub Scout Adventure Camp

- By March 5
 - \$100 deposit is required for each session being reserved
 - \$50 per Scout deposit required to hold spaces for the Pack. (site deposit funds can be used as per Scout deposits)
 - This is your minimum attendance commitment. Deposits are non-transferable.
 - Prior to March 5 you can remove Scouts without penalty.
- The system works with progress payments. When a progress payment date passes, if you were to add a new Scout, you would have to pay the current progress fee.
 - After March 5 through April 9, the early bird fee of \$195 is required to hold additional spaces.
 - After April 9 through the start of camp, the regular registration fee of \$225 is required to hold additional spaces.
 - Adults are \$120 and can be paid prior to camp.
 - New Scouts joining in the spring receive early bird rates through the start of camp.

Summer Camp Reservations – Cub Scouts

Arrow of Light Week at Cub Scout Adventure Camp

- By March 5
 - \$100 deposit is required for the session being reserved
 - \$50 per Scout deposit required to hold spaces for the Pack. (site deposit funds can be used as per Scout deposits)
 - This is your minimum attendance commitment. Deposits are non-transferable.
 - Prior to March 5 you can remove Scouts without penalty.
- The system works with progress payments. When a progress payment date passes, if you were to add a new Scout, you would have to pay the current progress fee.
 - After March 5 through April 9, the early bird fee of \$300 is required to hold additional spaces.
 - After April 9 through May 9, the regular registration fee of \$330 is required to hold additional spaces.
 - After May 9 through the start of camp, the late registration fee of \$360 is required.
 - Adults are \$160 and can be paid prior to camp.

Summer Camp Reservations – Cub Scouts

Cub Scout Resident Camp at Camp Babcock-Hovey

- By March 5
 - \$50 per Scout deposit required to hold space for each Scout.
 - This is your minimum attendance commitment. Deposits are non-transferable.
 - Prior to March 5 you can remove Scouts without penalty.
- The system works with progress payments. When a progress payment date passes, if you were to add a new Scout, you would have to pay the current progress fee.
 - After March 5 through April 9, the early bird fee of \$195 is required to hold additional spaces.
 - After April 9 through the start of camp, the registration fee of \$225 is required.
 - Adults are \$120 and can be paid prior to camp.
- Scout and adult camp t-shirts are available for purchase for \$14 per shirt. Shirts are not provided as part of the camp program except for adults serving on staff.

Camp Promotions

Summer Camp Promotions

We will come out to you

E-mail us at

camping@senecawaterways.org

and give us a few dates that you would like a visit.

Order of the Arrow



- Dale Gagnon
 Lodge Advisor
- Gary Bogner
 Staff Adviser

Camp Cards

Camp Card Sale begins in mid-February

Cards Sell for \$5.00 One time use coupons more than \$20

40% commission: At the 40% commission rate (\$2.00), units will be able to pick up the camp cards at the beginning of the sale and return any unsold cards (in re-sellable condition) no later than May 31st. The unit will be expected to pay in full for cards sold when cards are returned at the end of the sale.

50% commission: At the 50% commission rate (\$2.50), units will be able to pick up the camp cards at the beginning of the sale. They will not be able to return any unsold cards and will be expected to pay for all cards by May 31st. The unit may continue to sell any remaining cards until the first expiration date on the card.

55% commission: At the 55% commission rate (\$2.75), units will pay for all cards when they receive them. The unit may continue to sell all remaining Camp Cards in the unit's possession until the end of the year and does not have to worry about the May 31st deadline.



Online Off Season Reservations

Can be accessed through the council website under Facility Reservation

Can be accessed direct from:

www.senecawaterways.org/facilities

Online Off Season Reservations

Quick Reservation Walkthrough

THANK YOU!



Camping Kickoff 2019

Breakout One Summer Specialty Programs

Scouts BSA / Venturing / Exploring

Properties Work Days

Red Deer Weekend – Cutler Scout Reservation Beaver Weekend – Massawepie Scout Camps Raccoon Weekend – Camp Babcock-Hovey

- Free Camping
- Free Meals
- Come out to camp and help keep camp looking good!

Massawepie Family Camping

Family Camp Sessions at Massawepie

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Spend your summer or a week or a few days at Camp Mountaineer. At the end of the summer come out to Family Camp at Camp Pioneer consists of two one week sessions and one Labor Day weekend. Sign up for one or all of the sessions.

FAMILY CAMPING WEEKS:

Summer Sessions at Camp Mountaineer: July 1 - August 4

End of Summer Sessions at Camp Pioneer:

Week #1 - August 18-August 25

Week #2 - August 25 - September 1

Labor Day Weekend - September 1 -

September 3

CIT Applications/Fees

- CIT Applications are available under the forms section on the council website
- 14 and older to apply
- CITs are campers, a fee of \$25 is charged to participate
- Each camp has different CIT programs but all teach the skills necessary to become a camp counselor.

High Adventure Opportunities



www.senecawaterways.org

Massawepie Adirondack Treks

- Don DeClerck
 Camping Operations Director
- Massawepie Trek Center
- Leading Trek Center in the Adirondacks
 - Three Day Treks
 - Before / After week of camp
 - Six Day Trek



Massawepie Adirondack Treks

- Solo Trek Programs
- One trek held during each session at Massawepie
- Scouts attend as a provisional / solo Scout
- Two free 21+ adults per trek with youth participants.



Massawepie Outdoor Challenges

 Massawepie Outdoor Challenge: Fall



- Columbus Day Weekend
 - October 11 14, 2019

Philmont

Council Philmont Contingent

Matt Ghirarda
 Council Program Director

www.senecawaterways.org



Eagle Flight is an elite program for the serious Boy Scout determined to achieve the rank of Eagle Scout. The program is modeled after the "Trail to Eagle" program offered by the Detroit Council and incorporates the Trail to Eagle program also offered at Babcock-Hovey.

- Registration is now open
- July 28th August 2nd
- Contact: Bob Bower (<u>eagle-flight@senecawaterways.org</u>)

http://eagle-flight.org/

Welcome Units

- Eagle Flight is an elite program for the serious Boy Scout determined to achieve the rank of Eagle Scout
- The program is modeled after the "Trail to Eagle" program offered by the Detroit Council
- Our program started in 2009
- Its designed for the very active Scout that is busy with school, sports, and other extracurricular activities, and the Scout that has not been actively participating but wants to earn his Eagle Scout rank.



What happens at Eagle Flight?

- A very full week at Camp Babcock-Hovey
- Over 60 Merit Badges, including every Eagle required badge, counseled by Adult with 1½ hour Merit Badge sessions scheduled Monday through Friday.
- A total of 18 merit badge sessions are scheduled this year
- We expect Scouts to sign up for 10 12 Merit Badges and complete most of them.
- That level of success requires the Scouts to begin working on their badges in March.

Activities other than Merit Badges?

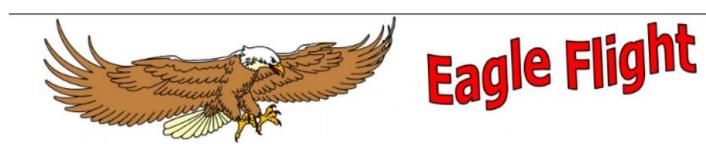
Yes!

- Lots of Fun and Excitement is found around camp
 - Camp program areas are open including wakeboarding, waterskiing, tubing, rifle, shotgun, archery and so much more!
- Eagle Flight evening programs include Leave No Trace,
 Scout Jeopardy, Skill Relays and surprises
- We conclude the week with a "Life to Eagle" presentation and a special guest to remind the Scouts of their heritage



Parent / Scout comments

- "...Eagle Flight was the most fun and best learning experience I ever had from Scouting.."
- "...the only camp better was Philmont.."
- "...I left a Scout at camp and what came back was an Eagle..."
- "...in all my years as a counselor I never had this kind of opportunity to make an impact on Scouts..."



National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT)

NYLT is a leadership development course developed by the BSA to enable Scouting youth to lead their Scouting organization. NYLT uses the aims and methods of Scouting to teach leadership skills.

Largest annual NYLT course offering in the Northeast

Unit Leaders Recommend Scouts from their Troop to attend Scouts can also complete an application and register for the course

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NYLT Course I - July 7, 2019 – July 13, 2019
NYLT Course 2 – July 21, 2019 – July 27, 2019
NYLT Course 3 – August 4, 2019 – August 10, 2019
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Expedition Camps:

- July 28th- Aug 2nd
- 2 Options:
 - Aquatic Adventure
 - Shooting Sports Master

CHOOSE YOUR ADVENTURE!

expedition CAMPS 2016 at Camp Babcock-Hovey July 31st – August 5th





Expedition Camps are for individuals seeking a focused program in one of our four exciting areas. Open CD-ED registration to anyone up to 21 years dolf, Babcock-Howy Expedition Camps are designed to refine your skills, challenge your limits, and develop a deeper understanding of Scouring's care values.

AQUATIC ADVENTURE

Aquatic Adventure Camp is perfect for anyone looking to experience over 15 watersports in one week with this extreme water-filled adventure. Lifeguard instructors will challenge your limits and foster a space for learning and funprogram elements include: hands on instruction, personal challenges, and group competitions. The week culminates in an exessione beach party and coolieut.



SHOOTING SPORTS MASTER



Shooting Sports Master Camp is for individuals looking to refine their marksmanship and take their aim at a variety of creative targets. NRA Master Instructors will lead small squads through personalized instruction in Rifle, Shetgun, and Archeny, there is the opportunity to complete the NYS Hunter Safety and Bow course and compete in a series of challenges.

SCI-TECH EXPERIMENT

Sci-Tech Experiment Camp is a great way for individuals to explore the Science and Technology fields and experiment with an immensor variety of cutting-edge ideas. Camp Staff and a cadre of experts will lead participants in hands-on instruction and myth-buster style experiments to get a teste of how science, technology, engineering and math applies to their everyday life.



SCOUTCRAFT PATHFINDER



Scoutcraft Pathfinder Camp is perfect for Scouts looking to practice their fundamental Scout skills in a pioneer style setting. An experienced staff will lead participants in a unique experience where you will engage in a visite of pioneering skills wrapped around a camping experience that will challenge their Scout knowledge with cooking, camping, orienteering, and wilderness survival.

SIGN UP FOR MORE INFORMATION OR REGISTER senecawaterways.org/expeditioncamp

Plus...



- cross training, and other topics.
- Cabin Accommodations



Program elements also involve takefront activities including wakeboarding and tubing, and access to archery, shotgun and rifle ranges, as well as opportunities to enjoy the pool and other facilities.

Open to Boys and Girls enter grades 9-12. Supervision by adult summer camp staff, coaches, and college runners.

Contact Coach Jay Laitenberger for more info ilaitenberger@gmail.com

Sian Up for More Information OR Register senecawaterways.org/expeditioncamps



Cross Country Camp

EXPLORING FIRST REPSONDER CAMP

EXPEDITION CAMPS 2016 at Camp Babcock-Hovey July 31st - August 5th



Exploring First Responder Camp is for Explorers seeking a focused program in one of three exciting areas. Open CO-ED registration to anyone up to 21 years old, Exploring First Responder Camp is one of Babcock-Hovey's Expedition Camps which are designed to refine your skills, challenge your limits, and for Explorers - help you develop a deeper understanding of the Emergency Services.

LAW ENFORCEMENT

Law Enforcement Camp is designed by Police Officers specifically for Police Explorers. Practice all the skills you learn in your regular meetings, and add a bunch more. Spend some time on our range with our instructors and practice your sharpshooting skills with rifle, shotgun and pistols; work on your investigating skills; evidence collecting and much more! The last day of camp will include a simulated event that all Explorers will respond to and out your



FIREFIGHTING



Firefighting Camp is designed to let you work on both skills you normally do and those you don't normally do at post meetings. Fight live fire at the Fire Training Center, set up portable retaining ponds, rope rescue techniques, hydrant work and much morel Fire Explorers will put all of their newly acquired skills to use in our all Explorer simulated event on the last day of camp.

EMS/MEDICAL

EMS/Medical Camp is for all EMS/Medical and Fire Explorers that want to learn more about their chosen field. Trainings will include scenarios, seminars, demos, certifications and lots of hands-on activities. Check out the mobile hospital room, practice on the sim mannequins, and much more. Medical Explorers will also participate in our camp wide simulation event on Friday, putting all their training to the test.



SIGN UP FOR MORE INFORMATION OR REGISTER senecawaterways.org/expeditioncamps

Explorer-First Responder

Expedition Camps:

- Costs Range from \$325-\$400
- Open to Boys and Girls 12-20
- Participants follow a specific theme with some flex time to experience the rest of camp.

www.senecawaterways.org/expedition-camps

"Partials Camp"

- Wednesday August 7th
- Open to anyone that wants to finish a summer camp merit badge - regardless of what summer camp you attended
- AM or PM sessions available or stay for both sessions and get lunch
- \$30 Participant Fee

Family Camping Opportunities



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Council Fishing Derby

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Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Venturing, Exploring

Saturday, April 27, 2019

J. Warren Cutler Scout Reservation

Over 100 new fish are being stocked into Lake Wellington
No fishing license required
Scouts fish from 8 am – 11 am
Adults and Scouts fish from 11 am – 1 pm

- Weekend tent camping is available for units for \$25.
- Register for campsites through the online registration system



Cubs in Camp

Family Camping Opportunities

Cubs in Camp

Cub Scouts – Covered Wagon Derby

Saturday, May 11, 2019

J. Warren Cutler Scout Reservation

Build a town, build a wagon and head out on the trails to earn gold nuggets as you make your way across the vast and open expanse of J. Warren Cutler Scout Reservation. Your Pack builds a town, crafts a wagon, dresses in western attire and lives the pioneer lifestyle for a few hours during this action packed day at camp. Participate as a Pack or a den, but be sure to bring the whole pioneer family for a great day at camp!

- Activities will include: Fishing, archery, crafts, bottle rockets, outdoor games, nature hikes, closing campfire and much more.
- Please bring your own lunch to the event.
- Register for campsites through the online registration system

Me & My Shadow

Family Camping Opportunities

Me & My Shadow

Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Venturing, Exploring FAMILIES CAMPING TOGETHER

June 7 – 9, 2019

J. Warren Cutler Scout Reservation

There is so little precious time to spend with our children before they grow up. Me and My Shadow is a unique family camping experience where families can camp together in the beautiful Bristol Hills near Naples, NY

- Activities may include: Board games, cards, hands on crafts, archery, gaga ball, fishing, friesbee golf, totin chip, BINGO, hikes, catapults, kick-ball, nature activities, stem activities, and NY State Emergency Preparedness. End the evening with a move under the stars at our Chair in Movie Night.
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Cub Scout Adventure Camp

Judy Williams

Program Director

- CSAC Program Updates
 - Addition of Scoutcraft area
 - Human Foosball
 - Renovated High Seas Ships
 - Enhanced Mud Course
 - Sling Shot Action Range
 - Giant Games around Camp
 - Dining Hall FANS
 - CSAC@Senecawaterways.org
 - https://scoutingevent.com/397-csac



Cub Scout Resident Camp

2019:

• Session 1: Aug. 4-6

Session 2: Aug. 8-10



Contacts:

 Guido Dimatteo or Mark McCullough CSRC@Senecawaterways.org

https://scoutingevent.com/397-csrc2019

Where to Find Camp Forms?

- Camp Forms are found on the event page for your camp
- Get there through the camp website or your registration e-mail

Event Details



The University of Scouting is a one day supplemental training opportunity for all adults and youth (12 and above) covering General courses (applicable to all programs), courses related to Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, and Venturing programs, and courses aimed toward youth leaders in Troops and/or Crews. Whether you are new to scouting or a veteran of many years, this event provides a wide range of courses from which to choose and a fun opportunity to connect with others in the scouting community across Seneca Waterways Council.

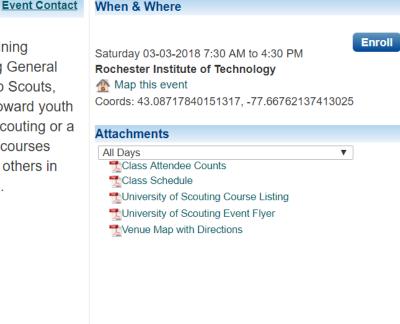
Date: Saturday, March 3, 2018

Location: Rochester Institute of Technology (RIT)

Building: Lyndon Baines Johnson (LBJ #60) on RIT's NTID campus.

Access Entrance: Lowenthal Road entrance

Parking: Lot L



Medical Forms for Camp

- Plan ahead now. Medical Forms continue to be required to attend a summer camp program.
- Scouts BSA Resident Camps and Webelos week require Part A, B, C and Medication Form for all youth and adults.
- Cub Scout Resident Camp, Cub Scout Adventure Camp and Twilight Camp require Part A and B and Medication Form for all youth and adults.
- Medication Form provides the camper with approval to carry sunscreen and bug spray while attending camp. This is a New York State law. Campers can not have bug spray or sunscreen without this form being completed.
 - This form also provides permission for over the counter medication distribution.
 - Over the counter medication distribution is not a guarantee.