



Cub Scout Training Opportunities September 2009 to August 2010

Cub Scout Leader Roundtable – 7:30 PM 2nd Wednesday of each
Month (September through June)

Beginning with charter renewal process of December 2009, all Tiger Leaders, Wolf/Bear Den Leaders, Webelos Leaders, Cubmasters and Assistants wishing to renew their registration in their current position, must be trained for that position by completing the following courses:

Fast Start, Youth Protection, This Is Scouting, Cub Scout Leader Specific Training

Note: Fast Start, Youth Protection and This Is Scouting courses are offered on-line at

www.olc.scouting.org



Cub Leader Specific Training

- ⇒ September 12th – Saturday Morning
- ⇒ October 7th – Wednesday Evening
- ⇒ March 11th – Thursday Evening
- ⇒ March 20th – Saturday

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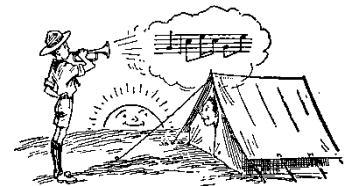
- ⇒ March 20th – Saturday

Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation (BALOO)

- ⇒ October 24th – Saturday
- ⇒ April 24th – Saturday

Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills

- ⇒ October 24th & 25th – Weekend
 - ⇒ Pre-weekend meeting October 19th – Monday Evening
- ⇒ April 24th & 25th – Weekend
 - ⇒ Pre-weekend meeting April 19th – Monday Evening



Outdoor WEBELOS Leader Training (OWL)

- ⇒ October 24th – Saturday
- ⇒ April 24th – Saturday



Risk Zone Training/Health & Safety Training

- ⇒ December 7th – Monday Evening



Chartered Organization Representative Training

- ⇒ December 17th – Thursday Evening



Trainer's EDGE

- ⇒ February 20th – Saturday

Fast Start Training – Fast Start training is the first step for all new leaders and should be taken immediately after they register and before they meet with any youth members. New leaders choose the Fast Start they need to take: Cub Scout Leader, Boy Scout Leader, Varsity Scout Leader, or Venturing Crew Leader. All Fast Start courses are available on DVD, or they can be completed through the olc.scouting.org. (If you are new to Scouting, you will be asked to create an account.)

Youth Protection Training – Youth Protection training is required for all leaders who have direct contact with youth. At all times, youth safety is the number one priority. At the same time, adults need to know the rules for keeping themselves safe, too. Comprehensive Youth Protection training teaches all the do's and don'ts of working with youth. The training is offered at olc.scouting.org, or it may be taken as part of a district or council training course or it can be presented by an instructor to all unit adults. This training should be taken within 90 days of registering and every two years thereafter.

This Is Scouting – This Is Scouting is an online interactive learning experience that is divided into six modules. It picks up where Fast Start left off and introduces participants to the following areas of the Scouting program: Mission, Vision, and Values; Programs for All Ages and Abilities; Scouting Is Fun!; Scouting in the Community; Protecting Our Youth; and Scouting's Legacy. This is Scouting replaces New Leader Essentials and can be found on the olc.scouting.org. It takes about an hour to complete and needs to be taken once.

Cub Scout Leader Specific Training – Each leader completes the specific course for his or her own position (Cubmasters and Assistants, Pack Committee Chairman and Members, Tiger Cub Den Leaders, Cub Scout Den leaders and Assistants, Webelos Den Leaders and Assistants) with training related to organization, advancement and program planning. This training must be taken whenever your position changes.

Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation (BALOO) – The revised camping guidelines for 2000 give councils the authority to allow Cub Scout packs to conduct a pack campout (overnight) activity, as long as the activity is conducted at a council-approved location and is under the direction of a leader in the pack trained to do so. BALOO is the training course to prepare these leaders.

Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills – This hands-on program gives adult leaders the practical outdoor skills they need to lead Scouts in the out-of-doors. The skills sessions presented in this course closely follow the *Boy Scout Handbook* and will help make Webelos Den Leaders proficient in the basic outdoor skills.

Outdoor WEBELOS Leader (OWL) – While this session does not cover extensive outdoor skills, Webelos den leaders will get information on the outdoor skills needed in working with Webelos Scouts. They will learn how to use the resources of their natural surroundings using hands-on training.

Risk Zone Training/Health & Safety Training – This course introduces the concept of the “sandwich principle” with emphasis on the importance of qualified supervision and discipline. It helps promote the principles of safe Scouting to our volunteer leaders using the BSA publication *Guide to Safe Scouting*. This training course should be taken every two years.

Trainer's EDGE – It is meant to supplement the practice offered through staff development, with a focus on the participant, while raising the level of skill a trainer brings to the staff experience. Only practice can polish these skills, but this course is intended to “train the trainer” on behaviors and resources while offering hands-on experience in methods and media.

Wood Badge for the 21st Century – Wood Badge has evolved into the core leadership skills training course for the BSA. This course focuses on strengthening every volunteer's ability to work with and lead groups of youth and adults. Leader must be trained in current leadership position to attend this course.

Chartered Organization Representative Training - Newly appointed chartered organization representatives (CORs) may not be familiar with the Scouting program. This presentation is to orient the new CORs and serve as a review for those with Scouting experience. Veteran CORs will benefit from updates dealing with program, training and administration. As a chartered organization representative, you hold a key position in Scouting. While there is honor attached to this position, it is not an “honorary” one. Your primary function is to ensure that the chartered organization's Scouting program succeeds.