



# National Camping Schools 2016



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Scouting University is proud to announce the locations and sections being offered in 2016. National Camp School is first of all to offer training for your key camp leadership, but we encourage you to also send your year round program staff and your volunteer leadership to help improve your council's program.

All participants and staff must be approved by their home council to participate and be at least 18 years of age.

All registration must be completed using the electronic registration portal. The fees listed on the registration site are the Early Bird registration fees. **A registration completed fewer than 14 days prior to the start of the school will incur a \$50 late charge. No-Shows and cancellations filed fewer than 14 days prior to the start of the school will incur a \$100 no show/cancellation fee.**

The description of each section offered in the National Camping Schools is included in this brochure.

**Please note that some section descriptions have changed.**

Note: Aquatics Instructor-BSA, COPE and Climbing Director, and Shooting Sports have prerequisites. Successful completion of these sections is dependent upon properly prepared trainees.

Dates, locations, and sections being offered are subject to change, for the most up to date listing please visit the National Camp School website: <http://www.ncsbsa.org/calendar/>

## **Note these important changes for 2016:**

NRA Rifle and Shotgun certifications will be offered outside of NCS to make time available to teach existing and new programs. See page 13 for locations and dates of the NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training classes.

The Aquatics section requires a current lifeguarding certificate. A limited number of locations will be offering BSA Lifeguard prior to NCS for those needing the certification prior to attending the Aquatics section. See the National Camp School website for dates and locations.

Due to new CDC requirements the Aquatics section will now start at 7:00pm on Thursday.

A STEM Day Camp Training has been added to one Cub Scout Day Camp School in each region. This training will add 2 additional days to the length of school.

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## National Camping School Section Descriptions

### CAMP ADMINISTRATION

**Cub /Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration – CS56** – A three-day course for on-site day-camp directors, on-site day-camp program directors, and council day-camp advisers/administrators. Comprehensive training on all aspects of the day camp operation, including methods of day camping, program scheduling and resources, staff organization, recruiting and training, and health and safety protection. Prerequisite: participants must have completed Cub Scout Leader Training (any leader specific section), either in the classroom or on line at the following link: [www.scouting.org/volunteer/training](http://www.scouting.org/volunteer/training). A copy of the certificate of training is required.

**3 day course, begins 9:00 AM Friday-ends 11:00 AM Sunday - \$305** (unless otherwise noted on registration site).

**Cub /Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration with STEM.** A five-day course for on-site STEM day-camp directors, on-site STEM day-camp program directors, and council day-camp advisers/administrators. Comprehensive training on all aspects of the day camp operation, including methods of day camping, program scheduling and resources, staff organization, recruiting and training, and health and safety protection. Prerequisite: participants must have completed Cub Scout Leader Training (any leader specific section), either in the classroom or on line at the following link: [www.scouting.org/volunteer/training](http://www.scouting.org/volunteer/training). A copy of the certificate of training is required.

**5 day course, begins 9:00 AM Friday-ends 11:00 AM Tuesday - \$405** (unless otherwise noted on registration site).

**Resident Camp Administration – CS55** – Camp directors, assistant camp directors, family camp administrators, program directors and commissioners of Cub Scout/Webelos Scout resident camps, Family Camp Administrators for council-organized family camping, Boy Scout/Varsity Scout resident camps, Venturing resident camps, and local council High Adventure bases.

**Highlights include:** Implementing Youth Protection, Scout camping, program resources and management, staff recruiting, staff training, staff organization and management, maintaining staff morale, counseling and developing program staff teamwork; equipment and supplies, health and safety, risk management, dining hall and commissary operations, maintenance of camp facilities, principles of camp planning, records and bookkeeping, trading post operation, and customer service. These key positions plus the Camp Ranger form the Key 4 leadership team for a camp. This course will focus on the leadership and management of the camp operation and implementing the program developed by the council's volunteer and professional leadership.

Persons trained in Camp Administration will be qualified to hold either the Camp Director, Program Director or Camp Commissioner position provided they also meet the other requirements outlined in the National Camp Standards.

**7 day course; begins with lunch Saturday-ends Friday after breakfast - \$415**

**A retraining section was added in 2014 for Resident Camp Administration.**

**4 day course, begins with lunch Saturday ends Tuesday after lunch - \$315**

**Camp Ranger – CS12** – Designed for new camp rangers, property superintendents, and caretakers. Instruction includes modern maintenance management techniques for developing schedules, record keeping, inventory, and budget control procedures at camp. A "how to" on plumbing, electrical, vehicle, refrigeration, boat and tent repairs, pest control, pool, lake, road maintenance, and public relations with camp staff, volunteers and neighbors is also presented in this section.

**7 day course; begins with lunch Saturday-ends Friday after breakfast - \$440**

**Ranger Rendezvous (Camp Ranger Retraining) \*– CS60** – Four-day course for individuals in the final year (or not later than six (6) months following the date of expiration) of a valid Camp Ranger certificate of training. Includes an update of new items related to property administration, standards and maintenance.

**4 day course; Typically begins 1:00 PM day 1-ends 11:00 AM day 4 - \$315**

**Wilderness First Aid Instructor Certification – N02** – High adventure is a core feature of Scouting. Even more important is having that adventure in a safe manner. That's why Wilderness First Aid is required for leaders involved in these programs. This conference will teach you those skills, including opportunities to practice scenarios AND even more importantly, will teach you to teach. This is an opportunity to become a qualified instructor capable of training others in your area in Wilderness First Aid. This is a great benefit to the Scouters in your council. Prior training as an instructor is valuable and recommended, but not a prerequisite. Certification from ESCI

**4 day course, begins with lunch Saturday ends Tuesday after lunch - \$315**

## PROGRAM GROUPS

**Camp Chaplaincy – CS04** – This course is for camp chaplains who are 21 years old, either ordained clerics or seminary students, or are individuals approved to serve as a camp chaplain (may or may not have other camp responsibilities) by the council religious relationships committee or Scout executive. This course provides training and guidelines for a chaplain's ministry in camp, including worship services; relationship to youth, leaders, and camp staff; counseling; BSA religious policies; the religious-emblems program; and interfaith activities.

**4 day course; begins with lunch Saturday-ends Tuesday after lunch - \$350**

**Ecology/Conservation – CS08** – This course for directors includes training in planning and developing ecology/conservation programs; soil and water conservation; forestry, fish and wildlife management; nature trail construction; and weather station operation. Opportunities for practice teaching included.

**7 day course; begins with lunch Saturday-ends Friday after breakfast - \$450**

**First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills** (two courses combined into one) – **CS07** – This course is designed for those who will direct the outdoor skills or first year camper areas. It will involve an overnight experience as well as skill instruction in knots and lashing, fishing, cooking, camping, and other topics. Participants will be allowed to plan a program that is fun and exciting for the first year camper. It will teach hands-on skills in an outdoor classroom that will meet many of the requirements for Tenderfoot, Second Class, and First Class rank. Participants should bring personal overnight camping gear.

This course will qualify individuals to serve as First Year Camper or Outdoor Skills Directors.

**7 day course; begins with lunch Saturday ends Friday after breakfast - \$495**

**Trek Leader – CS09** – Designed for the person who will train staff guides for council high adventure and/or unit high adventure trek programs. This section includes training in emergency procedures, environmental ethics, interpersonal relationships, and managing risk.

**7 day course; begins with lunch Saturday-ends Friday after breakfast (unless otherwise noted) - \$520**

## AQUATICS

**Aquatics Instructor–BSA – CS02** – Designed for resident camp aquatics directors, pool directors and waterfront directors. This section addresses the roles of the camp aquatics director operating as the Lead Professional Lifeguard, Lead Instructor for Aquatics and Aquatics Area Manager. Aquatics management includes safe and effective supervision of all program activities in, on, and under the water, Instructor emphasis is on the skills and teaching of swimming, water rescue, and paddle sports. The lead professional lifeguard role includes lifeguard management and lifeguard instruction.

### ***Pre-Requisites for Aquatics Section Enrollment***

Before acceptance into the Aquatics Section on the opening day of the National Camping School, an Aquatics section participant must:

- Be 18 years of age or older. Note: You must be 21 to hold the position of Aquatics Director in a local council camp.
- Present evidence of a current lifeguard certification (BSA Lifeguard, Red Cross Lifeguard, YMCA Lifeguard, Starfish Aquatics Institute StarGuard, Ellis & Associates International Lifeguard Training Program, or equivalent)
- Present evidence of completion of Safe Swim Defense and Safety Afloat training. Acceptable evidence will be the on-line Safe Swim Defense or Safety Afloat certificates of completion or signed Safe Swim Defense and Safety Afloat pocket cards.
- Be able to complete the 100 yard BSA swimmers test.
- Immediately after completion of the swimmers test, swim continuously for an additional 450 yards.
- Immediately after completion of the 450 yard swim, tread water for two minutes.
- Starting in the water, swim 20 yards using a front crawl or breaststroke, surface dive 7 to 10 feet, retrieve a 10-pound object, surface, swim with the object 20 yards back to the starting point, and exit the water within one minute and 40 seconds

Failure to satisfy any of the above criteria will prevent acceptance of the participant into the Aquatics Section **This specifically includes failure to provide evidence of a current lifeguard certification.** The Aquatics Instructor, BSA program prepares the participant to be a BSA Lifeguard Instructor. Current lifeguard certification is needed as a pre-requisite so the participant has the base level knowledge and experience of lifeguarding to learn and successfully complete the Lifeguard Instructor requirements

**8 day course; begins 7:00pm on Thursday-ends Friday after breakfast - \$520**

**Aquatics Instructor–BSA, Retraining – CS02** – Four-day course for individuals in the final year (or not later than six (6) months following the date of expiration) of a valid Aquatics Instructor – BSA certificate of training Includes an update of new items related to aquatics instruction, lifeguard techniques and BSA aquatics programs.

**Must meet all the pre-requisites as outlined for aquatics section enrollment**

**5 day course; begins 7:00pm on Thursday-ends Tuesday after lunch - \$425**

## COPE AND CLIMBING

**Climbing Director – CS10** – Designed for those who will be leading climbing/rappelling programs. Successful candidates may also assist in providing training for climbing instructors at the council level. This section includes initiative games, climbing, bouldering, rappelling, anchor systems, and belaying using either natural sites or constructed facilities. **Participants must be in good physical condition and have working knowledge of or successfully completed their local council's Climbing Level I Instructor training program prior to National Camping School.**

**7 day course; begins with lunch Saturday-ends Friday after breakfast; some schools are held over multiple weekends. Review the specific school dates for the course you will attend - \$535**

**Climbing Director, Retraining – CS10** – Three or four day course for individuals in the final year (or not later than six (6) months following the date of expiration) of a valid climbing director certificate of training. Includes an update of new items related to camp program administration, standards, policies and procedures.

**Some courses are held over a long weekend others are stand-alone or part of a week-long school. Review the specific school dates for the course you will attend - \$375**

**COPE Director – CS11** – Designed for those who will be leading COPE (challenge course) programs. Successful candidates may also assist in providing training for COPE instructors at the council level. This section includes initiative games, spotted challenge course elements (Low COPE), challenge course elements using life-safety systems (High COPE), bouldering, and climbing/rappelling activities using constructed facilities. **Participants must be in good physical condition and have working knowledge or successfully completed their local council's COPE Level I Instructor training program prior to attending National Camping School.**

**7 day course; begins with lunch Saturday-ends Friday after breakfast; some schools are held over multiple weekends. Review the specific school dates for the course you will attend. - \$520**

**COPE Director, Retraining – CS11** – Three to Four-day course for individuals in the final year (or not later than six (6) months following the date of expiration) of a valid COPE Director certificate of training. Includes an update of new items related to camp program administration, standards, policies and procedures.

**Some courses are held over a long weekend: others are stand-alone or part of a week-long school. Review the specific school dates for the course you will attend. - \$350**

**COPE & Climbing Program Manager – S58** – The COPE & Climbing Program Manager Course is designed for those who will provide program management for council COPE and/or Climbing programs. This course includes program safety; risk management; incident management and reporting; budgeting and finance; outdoor program structure and function; COPE and Climbing program operations and management; marketing, staff development and training; Training Program Evaluation process; and course planning, design, and maintenance. The course includes many opportunities for sharing best practices in COPE and Climbing programs.

**Requirements:** Participants must be in good physical condition and current in their training as a COPE or Climbing Director or Level II Instructor. [BSA Annual Health and Medical Record – parts A, B, and C](#) required.

**The course is 30 contact hours. Some offerings are scheduled over extended weekends, and some are part of a week-long school which includes an opportunity to renew your training as a COPE or Climbing director. Review the specific school dates for the course you will attend. - \$420 (unless otherwise noted on the registration site)**

## SHOOTING SPORTS

**Shooting Sports Director – CS03** – Designed for shooting sports directors and range safety officers of Cub Scout/Webelos Scout resident camps, Boy Scout/Varsity Scout resident camps, and high adventure camps. This section includes USA Archery Level I, NRA Muzzleloading Rifle, and NRA Range Safety Officer training.

New in 2016 participants will need to have NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Certifications prior to attending NCS. In cooperation with the NRA we are offering NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training in each BSA area of the country. (see page 13 for locations) The fee for the weekend and NCS are exactly the same as in 2015 when added together.

We are excited about this change because it will offer participants “Best Methods” in new and innovative programming approved by the BSA. Participants should come prepared to have FUN!!!!

**7 day course; begins with lunch Saturday-ends Friday after breakfast - \$475**

**Shooting Sports Director Retraining – CS03** – Four-day course for individuals in the final year (or not later than six (6) months following the date of expiration) of a valid Shooting Sports certificate of training. Includes an update of new items related to shooting techniques, range management, policies and procedures.

**Participants will be emailed an open book written test that they must pass with an 80% or higher in order to be able to attend the Shooting Sports Retraining section and they must have the following current certifications in NRA Rifle, Shotgun, Muzzleloading Rifle, and USA Archery Level I. If they do not pass the written test they must attend the full week course.**

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**4 day course; begins with lunch Saturday-ends Tuesday after lunch - \$350**

**Shooting Sports Director with Pistol** – Designed for participants who will have responsibility for Venturing shooting sports at camp or in council programs.

**Prerequisite: Must be 21 years old or older to receive training certificate for Shooting Sports Director With Pistol.**

This section adds pistol training to the standard shooting sports director training and requires attendants to arrive one day early and complete the regular shooting sports curriculum as follows:

**Shooting Sports** - Designed for shooting sports directors and range safety officers of Cub Scout/Webelos Scout resident camps, Boy Scout/Varsity Scout resident camps, and high adventure camps. This section includes USA Archery Level I, NRA Muzzleloading Rifle, and NRA Range Safety Officer training.

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**8 day course; begins at 8 AM Friday-ends the following Friday after breakfast. - \$500**

**Shooting Sports Director Retraining with Pistol** - Designed for shooting sports directors attending retraining who now want to add pistol training to their résumés. For individuals in the final year (or not later than six (6) months following the date of expiration) of a valid shooting sports director certificate of training. This section requires the participant to arrive one- day early and complete the remainder of the retraining curriculum.

**Shooting Sports Retraining** - Includes an update of new items related to shooting techniques, range management, policies and procedures.

**Participants will be emailed an open book written test that they must pass with an 80% or higher in order to be able to attend the Shooting Sports Retraining section and they must have the following current certifications in NRA Rifle, Shotgun, Muzzleloading Rifle, and USA Archery Level I. If they do not pass the written test they must attend the full week course.**

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**5 day course; begins 8 AM Friday-ends Tuesday after Lunch - \$425**

## **Council Checklist for Scouters attending National Camp School**

- Yes  No  Participant is a registered member of the Boy Scouts of America
- Yes  No  Participant is at least 18 years of age
- Yes  No  Participant is current with Youth Protection Training (within last 2 years)
- Yes  No  Participant has a current BSA medical form signed by physician (within the past year)
- Yes  No  Participant has completed the Personal Resource Questionnaire (located on [www.NCSBSA.org](http://www.NCSBSA.org))
- Yes  No  Participant has a full BSA uniform
- Yes  No  Participant has reviewed welcome packet for registered location and knows what time to arrive
- Yes  No  Participant has a copy of camp budget (Day Camp and Resident Camp Administration)
- Yes  No  Participant has a copy of the Program Schedule (Day Camp and Resident Camp Administration)
- Yes  No  For Aquatics Director - Participant has a current lifeguard certification
- Yes  No  For Shooting Sport Director - Participant has current NRA Rife and Shotgun certifications
- Yes  No  For Shooting Sport Director Retraining- Participant has current NRA Rife, Shotgun, Muzzleloading, and USA Archery Level I certifications and has passed pre-course online test.
- Yes  No  PeopleSoft Training code entered into participants training record after course completion.

- Retraining: Participants are eligible to take certain retraining courses within six (6) months following the date of expiration of existing training card.
- Participants will receive the appropriate training certificate upon successful completion of all required course elements.
- All registrations must be completed by the council using the electronic registration portal. The fees listed on the application are the Early Bird registration fees. Registrations completed fewer than 14 days prior to the start of the school will incur a \$50 late charge. No-Shows and cancellations filed fewer than 14 days prior to the start of the school will incur a \$100 cancellation fee.

## 2016 National Camping School Schedule

<u>Dates</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Sections Offered</u>
<b>2016 CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP SCHOOLS</b>		
1/15 – 1/19	Florida Sea Base Islamorada, FL	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration w/ STEM
1/29 – 2/2	Holiday Inn Eureka, MO	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration w/ STEM
2/18 – 2/21	Camp La No Che Paisley, FL	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
2/26 – 2/28	Geneva Center Rochester, IN	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
2/26 – 2/28	Camp Kinard Leesville, SC	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
3/4 – 3/6	Sturbridge Host Hotel Sturbridge, MA	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
3/4 – 3/8	Orange County ED Center Orange County, CA	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration w/ STEM
3/4 - 3/6	Camp Snyder Haymarket, VA	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
3/11 – 3/13	Latimer Scout Reservation Nashville, TN	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
3/11 – 3/13	Philmont Scout Ranch Cimarron, NM	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
3/11 – 3/13	Adams Pointe Conference Center Blue Springs, MO	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
3/18 – 3/20	Camp Simpson Ardmore, OK	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
3/18 – 3/20	Camp Weaver Greensboro, NC	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
4/1 – 4/3	GA FFA Center Covington, GA	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
4/1 – 4/3	Camp Wisdom Dallas, TX	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
4/1 – 4/3	Orange County ED Center Orange County, CA	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
4/8 – 4/10	Camp Thunderbird Olympia, WA	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
4/15 – 4/17	Lubrecht Conference Center Missoula, MT	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
4/21 – 4/23	Camp Kiesel Huntsville, UT	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
4/29 – 5/1	Camp McConnell Livingston, CA	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
4/29 – 5/3	Beaumont Scout Reservation Rock Creek, OH	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration w/ STEM
5/27 – 5/29	Alpine Scout Camp Alpine, NJ	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration
11/4 – 11/6	Sea Scout Base Galveston, TX	Cub/Webelos Scout Day Camp Administration

Dates	Location	Sections Offered
<b>2016 RESIDENT CAMP SCHOOLS</b>		
1/18 – 1/23	Yokota AFB Tokyo, Japan	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Resident Camp Administration
1/30 – 2/5	Holiday Inn Eureka, MO	Camp Ranger Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining
2/2 – 2/5	Holiday Inn Eureka, MO	Ranger Rendezvous (Camp Ranger Retraining)
2/13 – 2/19	Florida Sea Base Islamorada, FL	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Aquatics Instructor-BSA, Retraining Camp Ranger Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Trek Leader
2/20 – 2/26	Beaumont Scout Reservation Rock Creek, OH	Camp Ranger Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining BSA Lifeguard Shooting Sports Director, Retraining Wilderness First Aid
2/23 – 2/26	Beaumont Scout Reservation Rock Creek, OH	Ranger Rendezvous (Camp Ranger Retraining)
2/27 – 3/4	Alpine Scout Camp Alpine, NJ	Camp Ranger Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining
3/1 – 3/4	Alpine Scout Camp Alpine, NJ	Ranger Rendezvous (Camp Ranger Retraining)
3/19 – 3/25	Camp Maluhia Maui, HI	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Shooting Sports Director
3/15 – 3/21	Philmont Scout Ranch Cimarron, NM	Camp Ranger Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol Retraining
3/17 – 3/21	Philmont Scout Ranch Cimarron, NM	Ranger Rendezvous (Camp Ranger Retraining)
3/28 – 3/31	Gerber SR Twin Lake, MI	Ranger Rendezvous (Camp Ranger Retraining)
4/2 – 4/8	GA FFA Center Covington, GA	Camp Ranger Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining
4/6 – 4/8	GA FFA Center Covington, GA	Ranger Rendezvous (Camp Ranger Retraining)
4/9 – 4/15	Sea Scout Base Galveston, TX	Camp Ranger Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Trek Leader
4/12 – 4/15	Sea Scout Base Galveston, TX	Ranger Rendezvous (Camp Ranger Retraining)



4/16 – 4/22	Camp Mountaineer Morgantown, WV	Camp Ranger Climbing Director Climbing Director, Retraining COPE & Climbing Program Manager COPE Director COPE Director Retraining Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol Retraining
4/19 – 4/22	Camp Mountaineer Morgantown, WV	Ranger Rendezvous (Camp Ranger Retraining)
5/6 – 5/8 and 5/20 – 5/22	Camp Resolute Bolton, MA	<b>MUST ATTEND BOTH WEEKENDS FOR FULL TRAINING – RETRAINING FIRST WEEKEND ONLY</b> Aquatics Instructor-BSA (starts on 5/5) Aquatics Instructor-BSA, Retraining (starts on 5/5) Camp Ranger Ranger Rendezvous (Camp Ranger Retraining) (2 <sup>nd</sup> ) Climbing Director COPE Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol (starts on 5/5) Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol Retraining (starts on 5/5)
5/14 – 5/20	Comer Scout Reservation Mentone, AL	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Aquatics Instructor-BSA, Retraining Camp Chaplaincy Climbing Director COPE Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol, Retraining
5/14 – 5/20	H. Roe Bartle SR Kansas City, MO	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Aquatics Instructor-BSA, Retraining Camp Chaplaincy Climbing Director COPE Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol, Retraining Trek Leader

5/21 – 5/27	Friedlander Loveland, OH	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Aquatics Instructor-BSA, Retraining Camp Chaplaincy Climbing Director COPE Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol, Retraining
5/21 – 5/27	Ten Mile River SC Narrowsburg, NY	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Aquatics Instructor-BSA, Retraining Climbing Director COPE Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining
5/21 – 5/27	Forest Lawn Scout Reservation Cedar Glen, CA	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Aquatics Instructor-BSA, Retraining Climbing Director COPE Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director Retraining Trek Leader
5/23 – 5/28	Geronimo Phoenix, AZ	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Aquatics Instructor-BSA, Retraining Climbing Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director Retraining
5/28 – 6/3	Tesomas Rhineland, WI	Aquatics Instructor, BSA Aquatics Instructor, BSA Retraining Camp Chaplaincy COPE Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol, Retraining Trek Leader

5/28 – 6/3	Camp Chawanakee Fresno, CA	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Aquatics Instructor, BSA Retraining Climbing Director COPE Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol, Retraining Trek Leader
5/28 – 6/3	Trevor Rees-Jones Athens, TX	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Aquatics Instructor-BSA, Retraining Camp Chaplaincy Climbing Director COPE Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol, Retraining
5/28 – 6/3	Camp Raven Knob Mt. Airy, NC	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Aquatics Instructor-BSA, Retraining Camp Chaplaincy Climbing Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol, Retraining Trek Leader
5/30 – 6/4	Camp Tracy Salt Lake City, UT	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Aquatics Instructor-BSA, Retraining Climbing Director COPE Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining

6/4 – 6/10	Broad Creek SR Baltimore, MD	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Aquatics Instructor-BSA, Retraining Camp Chaplaincy ( <b><i>this section runs Monday through Friday</i></b> ) Climbing Director COPE Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining
6/11 – 6/17	Camp Easton on Lake Coeur d' Alene Harrison, ID	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Aquatics Instructor-BSA, Retraining Climbing Director COPE Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol Shooting Sports Director w/ Pistol, Retraining Trek Leader
6/18 – 6/24	Rotary Scout Reservation Averill Park, NY	Aquatics Instructor-BSA Aquatics Instructor-BSA, Retraining Climbing Director COPE Director Ecology/Conservation First Year Camper/Outdoor Skills Resident Camp Administration Resident Camp Administration, Retraining Shooting Sports Director Shooting Sports Director, Retraining Trek Leader
9/18 – 9/24	Fall Conference Philmont Scout Ranch Cimarron, NM	Climbing Director COPE Director COPE and Climbing Program Manager Trek Leader Shooting Sports Director, Retraining <b>NOTE: Registration for this location is through Philmont</b> Go to: <a href="http://www.philmontscoutranch.org/PTC.aspx">http://www.philmontscoutranch.org/PTC.aspx</a>

<b><u>Dates</u></b>	<b><u>Location</u></b>	<b><u>Sections Offered</u></b>
<b>2016 COPE &amp; Climbing Program Manager, Retraining and Regional Conferences</b>		
3/17 -3/20	Camp Loud Thunder Andalusia, IL	COPE & Climbing Program Manager Climbing Director, Retraining Cope Director, Retraining CR COPE & Climbing Conference
3/31 – 4/3	Kimball Scout Reservation Mt Potosi, NV	COPE & Climbing Program Manager Climbing Director, Retraining Cope Director, Retraining WR COPE & Climbing Conference
3/31 – 4/3	Gerald I Lawhorn Scouting Base Molena, GA	COPE & Climbing Program Manager Climbing Director, Retraining Cope Director, Retraining
4/16 – 4/22	Camp Mountaineer Morgantown, WV	Climbing Director Climbing Director, Retraining COPE & Climbing Program Manager COPE Director COPE Director Retraining CR COPE & Climbing Conference
10/13 – 10/16	Camp Powhatan Hiwassee, VA	COPE & Climbing Program Manager Climbing Director, Retraining Cope Director, Retraining SR COPE & Climbing Conference

<b><u>Dates</u></b>	<b><u>Location</u></b>	<b><u>Sections Offered</u></b>
<b>2016 NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training</b> For the most up to date listing please visit the National Camp School website: <a href="http://www.ncsbsa.org/calendar/">http://www.ncsbsa.org/calendar/</a>		
3/4 – 3/6	Trevor Rees-Jones Athens, TX	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
3/11 – 3/14	Philmont Scout Ranch Cimarron, NM	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
3/11 – 3/13	Naish Scout Reservation Kansas City, KS	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
3/18 – 3/20	Camp Powhatan Hiwassee, VA	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/1 – 4/3	D-bar-A Scout Ranch Metamora, MI	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/1 – 4/3	Camp Pigott Snohomish, WA	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/8 – 4/10	Heritage Reservation Farmington, PA	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/8 – 4/10	Ten Mile River SC Narrowsburg, NY	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/8 – 4/10	Camp Cedars Cedar Bluffs, NE	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/8 – 4/10	Lost Pines Scout Reservation Bastrop, TX	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/13 – 4/15	Camp Mountaineer Morgantown, WV	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/14 – 4/16	Camp Kiesel Huntsville, UT	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/15 – 4/17	Camp Resolute Bolton, MA	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/15 – 4/17	Hood Scout Reservation Hazlehurst, MS	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/15 – 4/17	Camp Lowden Oregon, IL	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/22 – 4/24	Camp Babcock-Hovey Ovid, NY	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/22 – 4/24	Camp Shands Hawthorne, FL	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/22 – 4/24	Mabee Scout Reservation Locust Grove, OK	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/22 – 4/24	Camp JW Cutler Naples, NY	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
4/22 – 4/24	Camp Powhatan Hiwassee, VA	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training
TBD	Camp Phillips Rice Lake, WI	NRA Rifle and Shotgun Instructor Training

## EQUIPMENT NEEDED BY STUDENTS

### ALL PARTICIPANTS SHOULD BRING

#### Current BSA Medical Form (all sections)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Two or more complete official Scouter field uniforms<br><input type="checkbox"/> Washcloths & towels<br><input type="checkbox"/> Camp or Scout t-shirts, Scout caps<br><input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping bag, blanket, sheets, pillow/case<br><input type="checkbox"/> BSA Handbook and Fieldbook (current edition)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Job description, camp schedules, promotion materials<br><input type="checkbox"/> Jacket | <input type="checkbox"/> Shower Shoes or Flip Flops<br><input type="checkbox"/> Toiletry items (soap, toothpaste, toothbrush, etc.)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Flashlight & pocketknife<br><input type="checkbox"/> Paper, pen/pencil for taking notes<br><input type="checkbox"/> Socks, underwear, shoes, outdoor clothing<br><input type="checkbox"/> Insect repellent and/or mosquito net<br><input type="checkbox"/> Rain gear |
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### PLUS ... SECTION PARTICIPANTS SHOULD ALSO BRING:

#### AQUATICS DIRECTOR SECTION

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| <input type="checkbox"/> CPR Certification<br><input type="checkbox"/> Lifeguard Certification<br><input type="checkbox"/> WSI Certificate (if held)<br><input type="checkbox"/> First Aid Certificate<br><input type="checkbox"/> Kneeling pads (for canoeing)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Sandals, canvas shoes or tennis shoes<br><input type="checkbox"/> Mask, snorkel and fins | <input type="checkbox"/> Bathing suit or swimming trunks (2)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Cap with visor, sunglasses, extra towels & suntan<br><input type="checkbox"/> Suntan block or lotion, sun hat<br><input type="checkbox"/> Button-up, long-sleeve shirt, jacket or sweater, long<br><input type="checkbox"/> Diagram or sketch of your camp waterfront area(s) |
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#### COPE and CLIMBING SECTIONS

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Long pants, comfortable for climbing ( <i>no Jeans</i> )<br><input type="checkbox"/> Sweatshirt, long-sleeve shirt<br><input type="checkbox"/> Hydration system or water bottle(s)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Local Council COPE/Climbing Staff Training plan<br><input type="checkbox"/> Local Council COPE/Climbing Operations plan | <input type="checkbox"/> Tennis shoes ( <i>or climbing shoes</i> ) and sturdy boots for hiking<br><input type="checkbox"/> Leather palm gloves, bandanna or neckerchief<br><input type="checkbox"/> Appropriate rain gear (no poncho's)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Sunscreen<br><input type="checkbox"/> Daypack |
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#### ECOLOGY/CONSERVATION SECTION

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Binoculars<br><input type="checkbox"/> Canteen<br><input type="checkbox"/> Hiking boots (waterproof) | <input type="checkbox"/> Small backpack or fanny pack<br><input type="checkbox"/> Field notebook<br><input type="checkbox"/> Camp conservation plan |
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#### RESIDENT CAMP ADMINISTRATION SECTION

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Camp long-range & maintenance plans<br><input type="checkbox"/> Camp program/Leader's Guide<br><input type="checkbox"/> Camp conservation plan<br><input type="checkbox"/> Staff job descriptions & letter of employment<br><input type="checkbox"/> Laptop <b>strongly recommended</b> | <input type="checkbox"/> Camp budget & menus<br><input type="checkbox"/> Camp staff organization chart<br><input type="checkbox"/> Staff manuals, training schedules<br><input type="checkbox"/> Brochures, maps, promotion material, etc. |
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#### RANGERS SECTION

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Camp conservation plan<br><input type="checkbox"/> Camp maintenance plan<br><input type="checkbox"/> Camp plan drawings and photos<br><input type="checkbox"/> Camp promotion video<br><input type="checkbox"/> Brochures, promotion material, etc. | <input type="checkbox"/> Camp conservation plan<br><input type="checkbox"/> Staff Manual<br><input type="checkbox"/> Camp Budget & Council Long Range Plan<br><input type="checkbox"/> Building maintenance records<br><input type="checkbox"/> Ideas, gadgets, devices, etc. to share |
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#### OUTDOOR SKILLS, FIRST YEAR CAMPER & TREK LEADER

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Pocketknife<br><input type="checkbox"/> Hand Ax or 3/4 Ax & whetstone (OS)<br><input type="checkbox"/> File, 8" Mill Bastard (OS)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Compass (Pathfinder preferred)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Pack & frame or combo pack (suitable for overnight hike)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Plate, cub bowl, eating utensils, water bottle<br><i>(OS-Outdoor Skills Only)</i> | <input type="checkbox"/> Backpacking tent, ground cloth &, pad<br><input type="checkbox"/> Hiking boots & comfortable in-camp shoes<br><input type="checkbox"/> Personal First Aid Kit<br><input type="checkbox"/> Work gloves<br><input type="checkbox"/> Fishing Equipment (OS)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Folding Chair (OS)<br><input type="checkbox"/> Camera (OS) |
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#### SHOOTING SPORTS SECTION:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Eye & ear protection<br><input type="checkbox"/> NRA Rifle and Shotgun Certifications | <input type="checkbox"/> Long-sleeve cotton shirt |
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# National Camping School Registration Work Sheet

Completing this form in advance will assist the local council representative in the National Camping School registration process.

First name \_\_\_\_\_

Middle initial \_\_\_\_\_

Last name \_\_\_\_\_

Gender  Male  Female

Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address \_\_\_\_\_

Address continued \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_

Zip code \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Evening phone number \_\_\_\_\_

Attendee's e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Council name \_\_\_\_\_

District \_\_\_\_\_

Region \_\_\_\_\_

Working at Camp \_\_\_\_\_

BSA Member ID \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contact name \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contact phone number \_\_\_\_\_

NCS section \_\_\_\_\_

NCS location \_\_\_\_\_

Attendee is a  Volunteer  Professional

Youth Protection training date (mm/dd/yy) \_\_\_\_\_

Dietary restrictions  None  Low carb  No nuts  No shellfish

Vegetarian  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Early arrival  Yes  No

