

INTRODUCTION TO OUTDOOR LEADER SKILLS TRAINING



REQUIRED TRAINING FOR SCOUTMASTERS, ASST. SCOUTMASTERS, VARSITY & VENTURE LEADERS

Date: 6:30pm Friday, May 6th to 9pm Saturday, May 7th, 2016

Cost: \$45.00 (includes food and course materials)(Please eat dinner before arriving Friday night)

Location: Rancho Alegre Scout Camp – near Lake Cachuma

The Los Padres Council invites you to participate in **Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills**, a fun-filled program of hands-on skills training in the outdoors, designed to help you master basic camp skills required for Tenderfoot to First Class Rank Advancement.

You will learn about:

- Campsite selection
- Woods tools
- Cooking and sanitation
- Ropes, knots, & lashings
- Map & Compass
- Flag Etiquette
- Plant & Animal ID
- Campfire planning
- Fire site preparation and building
- Backpacking & Hiking techniques
- First-Aid
- Leave No Trace Camping
- Interfaith Worship

We look forward to working with you in this unique and exciting program. Please sign up online at <http://www.lpcbsa.org> on the calendar page or complete the registration form, then clip and return it to the address below or to your local council office by **May 1st, 2016** along with your participation fee of \$45.⁰⁰. Attached is a gear list of the equipment that you need for the weekend – and please “Pass the Word” to other Boy Scout leaders. We don’t want anyone to miss out on the FUN!!!

Questions??? Contact Course Director Larry Basham 967-8995 or drbuzz2@aol.com

Introduction to Outdoor Leadership Skills

Course Dates: May 6th- 7th, 2015 **Rancho Alegre** **Registration Deadline May 4th**

Name _____ Unit Type & # _____

E-mail _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ or Cell Phone _____

Any special needs or requirements: _____

Tear off and send form and payment of \$45.⁰⁰ to:

OUTDOOR LEADER SKILLS, Boy Scouts of America, 2680 Highway 304, Santa Barbara, CA 93105.
Or call the program office at Rancho Alegre – 805-686-5167

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What to Bring: **Reference:** *Boy Scout Handbook*, chapter 9, "Camping"

- ☐ **Completed BSA Health Form, Parts A & B** (downloadable from www.scouting.org)
- ☐ **Current year Youth Protection Training card**

Overnight gear, outdoor essentials, and appropriate clothing are the heart of camping equipment. Carry a light load of only what you need to keep yourself safe and make a good camp; leave all unnecessary items at home. Use lightweight backpacking tents for two only—no wall or large recreation types.

PERSONAL OVERNIGHT CAMPING GEAR

- ☐ *Boy Scout Handbook* (current edition)

OUTDOOR ESSENTIALS

- ☐ Pocketknife
- ☐ First-aid kit
- ☐ Extra clothing
- ☐ Rain gear
- ☐ Water bottle filled with potable water
- ☐ Flashlight/Lantern
- ☐ Matches and fire starters
- ☐ Sun protection
- ☐ Map* and compass
- ☐ Clothing for the season (warm-weather or cold-weather)
- ☐ Backpack
- ☐ Tent
- ☐ Rain cover for backpack
- ☐ Sleeping bag, or two or three blankets
- ☐ Sleeping pad
- ☐ Ground cloth

EATING KIT

- ☐ Spoon
- ☐ Plate
- ☐ Bowl
- ☐ Cup

CLEANUP KIT

- ☐ Soap (biodegradable)
- ☐ Toothbrush
- ☐ Toothpaste
- ☐ Dental floss
- ☐ Comb
- ☐ Washcloth
- ☐ Towel

PERSONAL

- ☐ Watch
- ☐ Camera
- ☐ Notebook or paper
- ☐ Pencil or pen
- ☐ Sunglasses
- ☐ Small musical instrument
- ☐ Gloves

REPAIR KIT

- Thread
- Needles
- Safety pins

* map will be provided