

**Adult Leader Training  
Fall 2007  
Piedmont Council**

The Piedmont Council is conducting adult leader training this fall for Scouters interested in taking a more active role in their son's Scouting program. We encourage Scouters to attend this program to enhance their knowledge, skill and expertise in the Scouting program.

- I. **New Leader Essentials (for all adult leaders—Cub, Scout, Venture)** : Sunday, September 23, 9:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m.  
This introductory program highlights the values, aims, history, funding, and methods of Scouting. It addresses how these aims and methods are reached in an age-appropriate style within Cub Scouting, Boy Scouting, Varsity Scouting and Venturing.
- II. **Scoutmaster Training, Part I:** Sunday, September 23, 11:15 a.m. -6:00 p.m.  
This segment will cover topics such as: The Role of the Scoutmaster and Assistants, Troop Organization, Troop Meetings, Working with Boy Leaders, the Patrol Method, the Patrol Leaders' Council, the Outdoor Program, the Advancement Program, Program Planning, Membership.

Both of these programs will take place at the Piedmont Council Office. Since this is an official scout program, participants are encouraged to wear their uniform. Scouters who stay for both segments should **bring a lunch**.

- III. **Outdoor Skills for Adult Leaders (Scoutmaster Training, Part II):** Saturday October 27, 8:00 a.m. to Sunday, October 28, 11:00 a.m. at the Hawk Ridge Campground, Chabot Regional Park.  
Patrol Meeting: Thursday, Oct. 18, 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m. Corpus Christi Church, Gibson Center.

**The cost of Scoutmaster Training will be \$20 per person. See Page 2 of this announcement for additional information. Pre-registration is required by October 17.**

If you have any questions, please contact Jeff Green at: [jdgreen704@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jdgreen704@sbcglobal.net)), 510-531-7442 or [jgreen@berkeley.edu](mailto:jgreen@berkeley.edu), 510-642-9409.

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**Registration Information (submit to the Piedmont Council Office, 10 Highland Way, Piedmont: [lindatu@piedmontbsa.org](mailto:lindatu@piedmontbsa.org)):**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

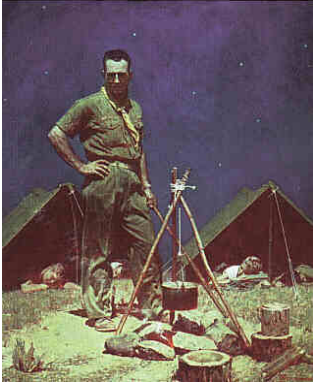
E-Mail Address : \_\_\_\_\_ Troop Number \_\_\_\_\_

Check below:

I will attend: \_\_\_New Leader Essentials; \_\_\_Scoutmaster Trng, Part I; \_\_\_ Outdoor Skills for Adult Leaders

\_\_\_ Check for \$20 enclosed.

# Introduction to Outdoor Skills for Adult Leaders



**Sat. Oct 27, 8:00 a.m through Sunday, Oct 28, 11:00 a.m.**

**Hawk Ridge Campground, Chabot Regional Park, Oakland, CA**

**Patrol Meeting:** Thursday, Oct. 18, 7:00 p.m.-9:00 p.m., Gibson Center, Corpus Christi Church, 1 Estates Drive, Piedmont

**Cost:** \$20.00

**Equipment:** An equipment list will be provided at the patrol meeting.

Outdoor skills are critical to the success of the Scouting program, and Introduction to Outdoor Skills for Adult Leaders will provide you with the basic outdoor skills information needed to start a program right.

The program is hands-on, giving you the chance to learn and practice the skills you need in order to lead Scouts in the out-of-doors. The skills taught include campsite selection; whipping, tying, and lashing ropes; use of woods tools; fire site preparation and building; cooking, first aid, plant and animal identification, and many more.

The skills taught are based on the outdoor skills in *The Boy Scout Handbook*. Participants will leave this training experience with knowledge of the basic outdoor skills required for Tenderfoot to First Class.

**Who attends?** Introduction to Outdoor Skills is the required outdoor training for all Scoutmasters and Assistant Scoutmasters. It is also open to troop committee members and other interested Scouters.

**Why should I attend?** Outdoor skills are critical to the success of the Scouting program! This course will help you bring to life the pages of *The Boy Scout Handbook* and help you deliver the promise of Scouting to the youth you serve. It will increase your comfort level and give you confidence as a trained, skilled leader. The program will also give you the opportunity to work with other Scout leaders, meet new friends, and reinforce skill techniques!

Pre-registration is required by **October 17** to ensure that we can accommodate all those interested in attending. Space is limited!

If you have any questions, please contact Jeff Green at (510) 531-7442 or send e-mail to [jdgreen704@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jdgreen704@sbcglobal.net) or [jgreen@berkeley.edu](mailto:jgreen@berkeley.edu).