

College of General Knowledge

Edible Plants (1 Hour) Offered at 9 am.

If you have ever heard the expression, "leaves of three, let it be, leaves of four, eat some more," you'll know that there are many plants that are edible and many that you should avoid. This course will offer you life-saving tips for which plants you can devour, and which ones will give you and your scouts the unwanted opportunity to practice your first-aid skills.

Unit Communication (1 Hour) Offered at 9 am.

Scouting serves youth and adults from several different generations and each person has a preferred communication style. This course will share some of the different tools available to you to keep your Unit in the know, how to make sure you are YPT compliant, and what pitfalls to avoid.

Youth Protection Training (2 Hours) Offered at 9 am & 2pm.

Our first obligation to the youth we serve and to the volunteers who serve them, is to keep them safe. Youth Protection Training is a REQUIRED training for all leaders – no adult can serve as a leader in a Unit and no Unit can charter or recharter unless all registered adult leaders have completed YPT. This course is a great opportunity to meet this important requirement.

Service Projects (1 Hour) Offered at 10 am.

Need some inspiration on service projects for your Unit or for rank advancement. This course will give scouts the opportunity to share ideas for community service projects

Basic Outdoor Cooking (1 Hour) Additional Fee: \$10 - Offered at 10 am & 11 am

Is your definition of cooking on a campout is opening a box of pop tarts or fast food takeout? This course will teach you how to boil the perfect pot/cup of water to make a variety of savory and satisfying meals that all will enjoy and thank you for.

Recruitment and Retention (1 Hour) Offered at 10 am.

Scouting is one of the premier youth serving organizations for both boys and girls. But we still need to do our part to both recruit youth AND then retain the youth/families that join. This course will discuss various tested and proven ways that leaders – from Cubmasters to Committee Members – can recruit and retain youth so that their Unit can grow from year to year.

Risk Management/ Guide to Safe Scouting (1 Hour) Offered at 11 am.

Learn what's new in Risk Management. A review of the Guide to Safe Scouting including adult leadership requirements, aquatic safety, camping, emergency preparedness, First Aid, tour plan and transportation safety

Unit Finance / Fundraising (1 Hour) Offered at 1 pm.

Scouting is still one of the most cost-effective youth programs in America – but there is still a cost. How do the best Units manage their finances? This course will cover what you need to know including checking accounts, unit accounts, Council-sponsored fundraisers and the Do's and Do Nots so your Unit can have a solid financial base for long-term success.

Basic Scoutbook (1 Hour) Offered at 1 pm.

You think you know Scoutbook – OR - you know you know nothing about Scoutbook and how it can help you serve your Scouts? This class is for you.

Dutch Oven Cooking (1 Hour) Additional Fee: \$10 - Offered at 2 pm.

Introduction to Dutch Oven Cooking. It's easy once you know how. This course will teach you the basics of cooking in a Dutch Oven over a campfire including techniques for proper temperature control – for everything from main course to desserts.

Advanced Scout Book (1 Hour)

Offered at 2 pm.

You have used Scoutbook a little, found it helpful, and now you want to go deeper. This class is for you

Leadership Challenges – How to Deal with Troubled Scouts, Parents, Leaders, etc. (1 Hour) Offered at 2 pm.

Scouts, their families and Scout volunteers have lives outside of Scouting, and those lives sometimes spill over into Scouting. This class will help you BE PREPARED – know what to look out for and how to best respond (A Scout is Helpful and Kind)

Basic Camping Skills (1 Hour)

Offered at 3 pm.

Are you new to the whole camping in the outdoors thing? Do you already have some experience but need info on how to help new Scouts and their families? This course will provide some helpful guidance to help make everyone's camping adventures great.

Recharter Assistance (1 Hour)

Offered at 3 pm.

The Annual Unit Renewal Process – Recharter Process – is when every Unit renews for the upcoming year and should be completed before 12/15/19. Recharterers MUST be completed online and this course will walk you through all the steps in an easy to follow process.

Unit Participation (1 Hour)

Offered at 3 pm.

This class will go over information and provide helpful tips on how to get the folks in your Unit to more fully participate in Scouting and how to get your Unit to more fully participate in all that Scouting has to offer.

CPR and First Aid (5 Hours)

Additional Fee: \$20 - Offered at 9 am.

In this course you will earn your American Heart Association Basic First Aid / CPR Certification.