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Featured News: Order of the Arrow

ORDER OF THE ARROW DUES
Order of the Arrow members are reminded to pay their 2020 lodge dues before the end of the year. Dues are $15 for youth and young adult members (under the age of 21) and $20 for adults (over the age of 21). The link to pay dues is: https://scoutingevent.com/440-ErielhonanDues2020
LEADER DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Trainers EDGE - $8
January 18, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center
March 21, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center
April 11, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. at Beaumont Scout Reservation
April 25, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. at Firelands Scout Reservation (Camp Wyandot)

The Trainer’s EDGE uses contemporary training techniques and emphasizes the importance of experiential learning, or “learning by doing.” Most of the sessions not only demonstrate good training methods, but also give participants a chance to interact and actually practice what they have learned.
Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-EDGE

NRA Training - $60
Range Safety Officer: February 8, 2020 - 7:45 A.M. - 6:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center
Basic Instructor Training: March 14, 2020 - 7:45 A.M. - 5:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center

The Boy Scouts of America is committed to providing top-quality and safe programs for our Scouts. To help facilitate shooting sports programs, you must complete NRA Certifications. A Range Safety Officer is needed to run a range in addition to the disciplines (rifle, shotgun, ect.) Instructor . Basic Instructor Training (B.I.T) must be taken before attending any other Basic or instructor training (Rifle, Shotgun, Pistol, ect.). Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-RSONRA

Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops - $20
March 21, 2020 - 8:00 A.M. - 8:30 P.M. at Camp Stigwandish

Leadership is a vital part of the Scouting program. Scouts BSA youth in positions of leadership run the troop. By accepting the responsibilities of troop leadership, Scouts are preparing themselves to be leaders throughout their lives. Join Us for a weekend of training and fellowship with Scouts BSA youth from troops across the Council! Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-ILST

Mobile Climbing Wall Training - Free
March 20, 2020 - 6:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M. at Firelands Scout Reservation
March 21, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. at Firelands Scout Reservation
March 23, 2020 - 6:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center
March 28, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. at Beaumont Scout Reservation
April 3, 2020 - 6:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M. at Camp Stigwandish

The Lake Erie Council is excited to offer an adventurous experience to Units to utilize in their program plans and recruitment efforts to deliver the promise of Scouting in the form of two mobile climbing towers! If your unit plans to use a wall you’ll need a trained facilitator in charge of your event. This could be a member of your Unit who has passed the LEC Mobile Climbing Tower Training, or a member of our Facilitator Corp. These trainings will be offered for FREE to adult members of Lake Erie Council.
Learn more at https://lecbsa.org/mobile-climbing-wall-reservation
ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

Holidays at Camp - $18 Early Bird, $23 Regular
December 21, 2019 - 1:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center

Come celebrate the winter weather and holidays with your whole family at our beautiful properties. Activities will include: Wreath-making, winter hike, cookie and gingerbread house decorating and pictures with Santa. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-Holidays

Fire Safety Merit Badge - $10 Early Bird, $12 Regular
December 14, 2019 - 3:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. at Western Reserve Fire Museum

Come out and learn about the history of Fire Departments in Northeast Ohio and earn the Fire Safety merit badge! The museum has many displays and multiple simulators that will teach the Scouts what to do if there is ever a fire in their home. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-firesafetymb

Silver Screen Overnighters - $15 Early Bird, $20 Regular
December 22, 2019 - December 23, 2019 at Atlas Movie Theater - Elyria
January 1, 2020 - January 2, 2020 at Atlas Movie Theater Diamond Center - Mentor

Spend the night in a movie theater, and see the latest movies of the winter. Don't forget to bring extra money because the concession stand will be open all night for you to buy your favorite movie snacks! Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-SilverScreenOvernighters

First Aid and Emergency Preparedness Merit Badge Class- $75
December 27, 2019 and December 28, 2019 9:00 A.M. -4:00 P.M. at Hilcrest Family YMCA

Scouts will be able to earn both the First Aid and Emergency Preparedness merit badges and Basic First Aid & CPR certifications. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-FirstAidandEPrep

Scouts Rock the House - $20
December 28, 2019 - 2:30 P.M. - 8:30 P.M. at Rocket Mortgage Feild House

Join us for Cleveland Monsters Scouts Rock the House Day. All Scouts are invited and we are excited to recognize Scouts who sold over $650 of popcorn with TWO FREE tickets! Activities include: Cavs Academy Skills & Drills, open skate on the ice, shots on goal, and more! Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/?OrgKey=BSA440&calendarID=203336

Roundtable Topics December:

General Session: Preventing Leader Burnout
Cub Scouts: Blue and Gold Banquet
Scouts BSA: Order of the Arrow Elections

Dates:
2nd Wed: Willoughby
2nd Wed: Firelands Scout Reservation
2nd Thurs: Geneva UMC
2nd Thurs: Berea UMC
3rd Thurs: Garfield Hts SS
4th Tues Unit Service Center
   Venturing Round

Next 1/8/2020
Next 1/8/2020
Next 1/9/2020
Next 1/9/2020
Next 1/16/2020
Next 1/28/2020
ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

**Erielhonan Lodge Whirlyball - $25**
December 29, 2019 - 6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M. at Cleveland Whirlyball

All Arrowmen are invited for an evening of whirlyball and fun hosted by Chippewa Chapter. The event cost includes at least 2 games, pizza and pop. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-32391

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**Klondike - Price Varies**

January 10, 2020 - January 12, 2019 at Beaumont Scout Reservation:
Misty Valley of Gold Klondike
January 10, 2020 at Lorain County Community College: LCCC Challenge
January 17, 2020 - January 19, 2020 at Camp Stigwandish: Time Warp Klondike
January 24, 2020 - January 26, 2020 at Beaumont Scout Reservation: Klondike #2
January 31, 2020 - February 1, 2020 at Camp Stigwandish: Why Not Klondike?
February 8, 2020 at Firelands Scout Reservation: Back to Firelands Klondike

The Lake Erie Council is excited to offer 5 outdoor Klondike Derbies and one Indoor LCCC Challenge “Commodorepalooza” events in 2020!

A Klondike derby is an annual event held by the Boy Scouts of America during the winter months and is based on the heritage of the Klondike Gold Rush. The typical Klondike derby consists of several stations where patrols/units must test their Scoutcraft skills and their leadership abilities, earning points towards a total score. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-Klondike2020

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**Cub Winter Fun Days - Price Varies**

January 11, 2020 8:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. or 1:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. at Camp Stigwandish
February 2, 2020 8:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. or 1:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. at Firelands Scout Reservation
February 8 2020 8:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M. or 1:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. at Beaumont Scout Reservation

Come on out to the Winter Wonderland Spectacular to experience the excitement of camp during the winter! Have fun drinking hot chocolate, playing winter games, warming up by the fire and much more. The Winter Wonderland Spectacular Cub Fun Days will have morning and afternoon sessions so that every family can find a time to attend. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-CubWinterFun

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**Merit Badge Super Sundays - Early Bird $20, Regular $25**

January 12, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. -4:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center
February 16, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. -4:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center
March 8, 2020 -9:00 A.M. -4:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center
April 19, 2020 -9:00 A.M. -4:00 P.M. at Unit Service Center

Join Us at the Lake Erie Council Service Center on a select Sundays of every month in 2020 to explore a signature merit badge! Each youth will receive a patch and lunch. Adults can also receive lunch for a small price. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-MBSuperSunday
WEBELOS WINTER EXTRAVAGANZAS - Price Varies
January 18, 2020 - January 19, 2002 at Beaumont Scout Reservation
January 25, 2020 - January 26, 2020 at Camp Stigwandish
February 8, 2020- February 9, 2020 at Firelands Scout Reservation

Come join Webelos and Arrow of Light Scouts from across Lake Erie Council as they get ready to join Scouts BSA. Webelos attending Webelos Woods Extravaganzas will work towards completing their adventures for the Webelos and Arrow of Light awards and explore exciting adventure tracks. They will get the chance to meet troops from around the area to find the best fit as they cross over to become Scouts. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-WebelosWinter

Order of the Arrow Winter Banquet- $20 Early Bird
February 1, 2020 - 5:00 P.M. -9:00 P.M. at Wagners of Westlake

Join us for a festive evening of recognitions and awards paired with great food. All Arrowmen and family members are invited to celebrate each other’s accomplishments and join in fellowship. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-OAwinterbanquet

Sap Camp - $15 Early Bird
February 22, 2020 - 10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. at Beaumont Scout Reservation
February 29, 2020 - 10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. at Beaumont Scout Reservation
March 7, 2020 - 10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M. at Beaumont Scout Reservation

Everyone loves maple syrup on their pancakes, but few know why it is such a premium product. We invite Scouts to attend Sap Camp at Beaumont Scout Reservation. Participants will learn about the history and process of making maple syrup from our very own trees at camp. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-SapCamp

Make Believe Overnighter - $25
February 16, 2020 - February 17, 2020 at Make Believe Family Fun Center Parma

Stay overnight and enjoy unlimited used of all attractions including the arcade, ropes course bumper cars and more! Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-MakeBelieveOvernight
COUNCIL WIDE EVENTS

Woodbadge and NYLT Scholarship Breakfast - Early Bird $20, Regular $25
January 11, 2020 - 8:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M. at Lakewood High School

Join us for delicious food and warm fellowship as we celebrate accomplishments in Wood Badge and NYLT. Proceeds from this event go toward helping the next generation of Wood Badge and NYLT participants to attend their life-changing course! Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-WBbreakfast

Scout’s Own Maple Syrup Kick-Off and Pancake Supper
January 28, 2020 - 6:30 P.M. - 7:30 A.M. at TBD
January 30, 2020 - 6:30 P.M. - 7:30 A.M. at Firelands Scout Reservation
February 1, 2020 - 11:00 A.M. - 12:00 A.M. at Camp Stgwandish
February 1, 2020 - 12:30 P.M. - 1:30 P.M. - Following the Impact Meeting
February 3, 2020 - 12:30 P.M. - 1:30 P.M. at the Unit Service Center

We’re excited to kick-off our third annual Scout’s Own Maple Syrup program in 2020. This fund raiser is an amazing opportunity for your Scouts to fund their summer adventures. Last year, $130,000 went back to Scouting through the first ever Scout’s Own Maple Syrup program. This year, we’ve expanded our product line to raise even more funds for the Scouts of Northeast Ohio. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-scoutsown

Council Impact Meeting
February 1, 2020 - 8:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.

We invite you to join Scouters from around Lake Erie Council to continue the conversation on building a better organization for our Scouts! Your great ideas and perspective will help to guide our Units and our Council to success. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-ImpactMeeting

Scouts BSA Resident Camp Leaders Meeting
February 24, 2020 - 6:30 - 8:30 at Beaumont Scout Reservation
February 25, 2020 - 6:30 - 8:30 at Firelands Scout Reservation
February 26, 2020 - 6:30 - 8:30 at Unit Service Center

Come meet the camp director and learn about all the exciting things happening this year at Beaumont Scout Reservation for Scouts BSA resident camp during this informational meeting! Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-SummerCampLeaderMeeting
COUNCIL WIDE EVENTS

Volunteer Appreciation Event
March 7, 2020 - 6:00 A.M. - 11:00 P.M.

The Lake Erie Council appreciates the volunteers that make the Scouting program possible. Come join us for a fun evening celebrating the past year of Scouting, including the presentation of the 2019 Silver Beaver Award. Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-30692

Unit Charter Renewal
December 11, 2019 - 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. at Unit Service Center
December 12, 2019 - 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. at Unit Service Center
December 13, 2019 - 8:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M. at Unit Service Center

December Roundtables

The Lake Erie Council’s goal is to make the charter renewal process efficient and streamlined for our units. Our online resource page, lecbsa.org/resources/charter-renewal has links, forms, FAQ’s and the Charter Renewal Guidebook. Your service area commissioner team, unit serving executive and our registrar staff can assist you in the charter renewal process.

To ensure your unit’s charter is renewed on time, we ask you to submit your charter NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, DECEMBER 13th. Please refer to the list for turn-in locations, dates and times.
Learn more at https://scoutingevent.com/440-30514

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LAKE ERIE COUNCIL CALENDAR SNAP SHOT

Lake Erie Council Offices Closed
Tuesday, Dec. 24, 2019 - Christmas Eve
Wednesday, Dec. 25, 2019 - Christmas Day
Wednesday, Jan. 1, 2019 - New Years Day

Eagle Boards Review
Sunday, Dec. 15, 2019
Geneva United Methodist Church
Tuesday, Dec. 17, 2019
Avon United Methodist Church
Wednesday, Dec. 18, 2019
Avon United Methodist Church

Holidays at Camp
Saturday, Dec. 14, 2019 - 1:00 A.M. - 7:00 P.M.
Beaumont Scout Reservation

Fire Safety Merit Badge
Saturday, Dec. 14, 2019 - 3:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.
The Western Reserve Fire Museum

Charter Renewal Turn-In
Various dates and times

Holidays in Cleveland
Saturday, Dec. 21, 2019 - 100 A.M. - 7:00 P.M.
Unit Service Center

Silver Screen Overnights
Sunday, Dec. 22, 2019 - Saturday, Dec. 23, 2019
Atlas Cinema - Elyria
Wednesday Jan. 1, 2019 - Thursday Jan. 2, 2019
Atlas Cinema - Mentor

First Aid and Emergency Preparedness Merit Badge Class
Friday, Dec. 27, 2019 and Saturday, December 28, 2019 - 9:00 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.
Hillcrest Family YMCA

Scouts Rock the House
Saturday, Dec. 28, 2019 - 2:30 P.M. - 8:30 P.M.
Rocket Mortgage Field House

Erielhonan Lodge Whirlyball
Sunday, Dec. 29, 2019 - 6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.
Whirlyball Cleveland

Klondikes
Friday, Jan. 10, 2019 - Sunday, Jan. 12, 2019
Beaumont Scout Reservation
Saturday, Jan. 11, 8:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.
Loraine County Community College
Friday, Jan. 17, 2019 - Sunday, Jan. 19, 2019
Camp Stigwandish
Friday, Jan. 24, 2019 - Sunday, Jan. 26, 2019
Beaumont Scout Reservation
Friday, Jan. 31, 2019 - Sunday, Feb. 2, 2019
Camp Stigwandish
Friday, Feb. 7, 2019 - Sunday, Feb. 9, 2019
Firelands Scout Reservation

Cub Winter Fun Day
Saturday, Jan. 11, 2020 - 2:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M.
Camp Stigwandish
Saturday, Feb. 8, 2020 - 2:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M.
Beaumont Scout Reservation

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Lakewood High School

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Unit Service Center

Webelos Winter Extravaganza
Saturday, Jan. 18, 2020 - Sunday, Jan. 19, 2020
Beaumont Scout Reservation
Saturday, Jan. 25, 2020 - Sunday, Jan. 26, 2020
Camp Stigwandish
Saturday, Feb. 8, 2020 - Sunday, Feb. 9, 2020
Firelands Scout Reservation

Trainers EDGE
Saturday, Jan. 18, 2020 - 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.
Unit Service Center
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Beaumont Scout Reservation
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Firelands Scout Reservation (Camp Wyandot)

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Tuesday, Jan. 28, 2020 - TBD
Thursday, Jan. 30, 2020 - 6:30 P.M. - 7:30 P.M.
Firelands Scout Reservation
Saturday, Feb. 1, 2020 - TBD
Saturday, Feb. 1, 2020 - 6:30 P.M. - 7:30 P.M. at Camp Stigwandish
Feb. 3, 2020 - 6:30 P.M. - 7:30 P.M.
Unit Service Center

Council Impact Meeting
Saturday, Feb. 1, 2020 - 8:30 A.M. - 12:30 P.M.
To be Determined

Order of the Arrow Winter Banquet
Saturday, Feb. 1, 2020 - 5:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M.
Wagner’s Westlake

NRA- Range Safety Officer Training
Saturday, Feb. 8, 2020 - 7:45 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.
Unit Service Center

Make Believe Overnight
Sunday, Feb. 16, 2020 - Monday, Feb. 17, 2020
Make Believe Family Fun Center

Sap Camp
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Saturday Feb. 29, 2020 - 10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.
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Beaumont Scout Reservation

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Tuesday, Feb. 25, 2020 - 6:30 P.M. - 8:30 P.M.
Firelands Scout Reservation
Wednesday, Feb. 26, 2020 - 6:30 P.M. - 8:30 P.M.
Unit Service Center