

I meet the qualifications
for Wood Badge and request
an Invitation
(Please print clearly)

Include your \$50.00 deposit with this
application to hold your place in the
course.

Mail to: Revolutionary Trails Council
1401 Genesee Street
Utica, NY 13501
E-mail: pgrogan@bsamail.org

Request an Invitation – Wood Badge for the 21st Century – Course NE-III-191

Name _____ E-Mail _____
Address _____ Phone _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Primary Scouting Position _____ Years in Scouting _____
Unit _____ District _____ Council _____



Information on Wood Badge Course **NE-III-191**



Course Limit: 48 Participants. A waiting list will be created in the order that fees are received.

Course Dates:

1st Weekend – August 20-22, 2010

One or two mid-course patrol meetings as determined by your patrol.

2nd Weekend – September 17-19 2010

Note:

- Both weekends will begin FRIDAY morning at 8:00am and ends SUNDAY at 5:00pm
- All sessions must be attended

Location:

Camp Russell, Woodgate, NY

Cost: \$225.00

Fee includes all meals, program materials, insurance, administrative costs, tee shirt and recognition items. \$50.00 deposit will be required with completed application. Make checks payable to Revolutionary Trails Council.

(Some financial assistance may be available – contact the Course Director)

Medical Examination:

Wood Badge requires an Annual Medical and Health form to be completed by all participants within one year of the course start date. A form will be sent with your confirmation letter.

??? Questions ???

Course Director:

Pat Grogan (315-363-1065)

E-mail: pgrogan@bsamail.org

or

Revolutionary Trails Council

1401 Genesee Street Utica, NY 13501

315-735-4437

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WHAT IS WOOD BADGE?

Wood Badge was originally presented by Baden Powell as a means of strengthening and preserving the Scouting movement in every country in the world.

Today, in America, Wood Badge is a team-based, advanced leadership training program. Scouters learn to view Scouting globally, as a family of interrelated, values-based programs for youth. Wood Badge combines the best of Scouting traditions with contemporary leadership concepts recognized in leading business and governmental organizations and relevant to our movement.

To the unit leader, Wood Badge often makes the difference between offering Scouts just recreation and providing a program which will have a profound influence on the lives of young men and women.

To all Scouters, the Wood Badge experience teaches leadership and management skills that can help leaders to become truly effective in working with others in our units, districts, and councils.



WHAT IS A TICKET?

The primary purpose of the Wood Badge Experience is to strengthen Scouting in our units, districts, and local councils. Wood Badge has two parts: the practical and the application. Both must be completed before final recognition is given.

The practical part is a six day outdoor experience based on the aims and methods of Scouting which exposes participants to leadership concepts, and guides them in applying these concepts. In a supportive and enthusiastic environment Scouters are motivated to do the best job possible in their Scouting positions.



The application part of Wood Badge is a period of up to 18 months. The participant practices and demonstrates a working knowledge of the leadership concepts and skills presented during the course. The Wood Badge "Ticket" represents the participant's commitment to complete a set of personal goals related to his or her Scouting position. These goals will significantly strengthen the units and programs in which the participant is involved.

Throughout the application period each participant is assigned a ticket counselor. Upon completion of the Wood Badge Ticket, as certified by the ticket counselor and Scout executive, the participant will be presented with the Wood Badge - two wooden beads worn on a leather cord around the neck, a neckerchief, woggle, and certificate.



WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Wood Badge for the 21st Century is for all leaders: Cub Scout, Boy Scout, Venturing, and Varsity Scout Leaders, as well as district and council volunteers and professionals.

Each Scouter invited to attend a Wood Badge course must be a registered member of the Boy Scouts of America, and must have completed "Basic Training" for whatever Scouting position they hold. The Annual Medical and Health form is also required of all participants.

Many Scouters consider Wood Badge to be one of the highlights of their Scouting careers. It has served as leadership training and inspiration to thousands. In return, Wood Badgers have positively influenced the lives of millions of America's youth. If you have any questions about the value of Wood Badge, ask someone who has taken it.



"Climb in company, but when you reach a glorious summit with its vast unearth-like outlook, sit down alone apart and think. And as you think, drink in the wonderful inspiration of it all. When you come down to earth again, you will find yourself another person in body and mind and spirit"

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