

TRUSTWORTHY
LOYAL
HELPFUL
FRIENDLY
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words to live by

OBEDIENT
CHEERFUL
THRIFTY
BRAVE
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REVERENT

“It is a commonly quoted saying that ‘Only those can lead who have first learned to obey.’ Yes, but like many truisms it has its limits. I prefer also as a leader the man who has learned to lead.”

— Baden-Powell, *Headquarters Gazette*, June 1918.

What is Wood Badge?

Wood Badge is a leadership course designed for all adult Scouters. It has been designed so every adult leader for Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Varsity Scouts, or Venturing, as well as district and council leaders and professionals, can take the Wood Badge course within two years of becoming a Scouter (though it is never too late).

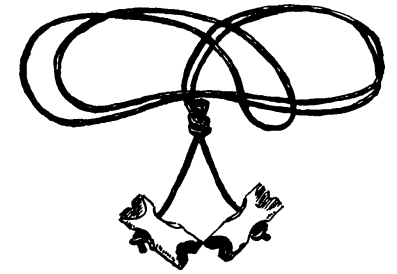
Established in 1919 by Robert Baden-Powell, Scouting’s founder, Wood Badge has been the training ground for hundreds of thousands of Scouters around the world. As the challenges in the world have changed, Wood Badge has also evolved to give leaders the skills they need to strengthen Scouting. The latest version of Wood Badge training reflects the most significant changes in the program since the early 1970s. Wood Badge will improve your leadership skills.

As a participant you will take part in many presentations, discussions, and activities that explore a wide range of leadership philosophies and tools. A key area of exploration is the process of team development. By recognizing the stages through which developing teams must pass, you will learn to apply appropriate leadership strategies that enable teams to reach their highest level of performance.

The Ticket

There are two parts to Wood Badge training. The first is the course itself and the second is the ticket. While on course, you will choose a set of personal goals relating to your Scouting position. This is your ticket. Accomplishing these goals allows you to apply and practice the skills learned on course. After you have completed the course and your ticket, you will be awarded your Wood Badge - your beads.

Scout Training for Real Life



WOOD BADGE Leadership Training

Spring 2007

May 18-20 and June 1-3
(Fridays - Sundays)

Fall 2007

Aug. 23-25 and Sept. 6-8
(Thursdays - Saturdays)

Camp Pigott



Wood Badge Application 2007

Spring: May 18-20 & June 1-3

Fall: Aug. 23-25 & Sept. 6-8

Name _____ Name for Nametag _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phones (Home) _____ (Work) _____ (Cell) _____
Email _____ DOB _____ Male/Female _____
Council _____ District _____

Unit Type and No. _____ Primary Position _____

Years in Scouting: (Youth) _____ (Adult) I am interested in a Campership

I understand that attendance at all sessions is required. I have completed the basic training and outdoor skills training required for my position in Scouting. I am a registered adult with the Boy Scouts of America.

Signature _____

Date _____

Complete and return with your payment to:

Boy Scouts of America

Wood Badge
Chief Seattle Council
PO Box 440408
Seattle, WA 98114

Course Information

Six Full Days
(Each weekend begins at 7:30 am the first morning)
at Camp Pigott north of Monroe, WA.

Spring 2007

May 18,19,20 AND June 1,2,3
(Fridays - Sundays)

Course Director: Mike Kelly
woodbadge@seattlebsa.org
425-486-2973

Fall 2007

Aug. 23,24,25 AND Sept. 6,7,8
(Thursdays - Saturdays)

Course Director: Larry Conrad
woodbadge@seattlebsa.org
425-821-7547

Who May Attend:

You may attend Wood Badge if:

- You are currently registered as an adult in the Boy Scouts of America (Cub Scouting, Boy Scouting, Varsity, Venturing, district, or council).
- You have completed Basic Training for your registered Scouting position, including any outdoor skills training required.
- You have submitted the attached application along with the deposit.
- You have a BSA Class 3 Medical form completed (Yes, even if you are not yet 40 years of age!)

You may attend again if you participated in a Wood Badge course before 2001 (the old Cub Scout Trainer Wood Badge or Boy Scout Wood Badge).

Cost: \$205

Payment: A deposit of at least \$50 must accompany your application. The remainder of the fee (\$155) is due **2 months before course starts**. A few partial camperships may be available.

Refunds: All deposits are non-refundable, unless council cannot place you in the course chosen. The remainder of the fees **may** be refundable as stated in council's camping refund policy and requests **must** be made to council in writing.

For more information, visit Wood Badge on the Chief Seattle Council web site at http://www.seattlebsa.org/sbsa_training/advance.htm or feel free to contact the Course Directors listed above.