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November 2021



THIS MONTH'S SAFETY MOMENT

WINTER ACTIVITY SAFETY

There is magic to camping in winter. It is one of the most challenging outdoor adventures. However, potentially extreme weather conditions, cold temperatures, and unique hazards associated with outdoor winter activities require careful planning to ensure safety.

For more information visit <https://bit.ly/3H3Zzyy>



FREE Social Media Advertising Available

The Michigan Crossroads Council is supporting your Scouting unit with digital recruitment marketing this fall. Through digital Facebook ads, we'll ensure that families in your community understand the incredible benefits of Scouting and know how to join.

We're working hard to ensure families understand that Scouting can help them make the most of the time they have together and that Scouting can help them set their children on the path to success.

With a strong recruiting effort, we can ensure every family has the opportunity to join Scouting.

For more information

<https://bit.ly/3CvAH0i>



SCOUTS BSA COUNCIL-WIDE SUMMER CAMP KICKOFF

Join us as we kickoff the 2022 Summer Camp season. All leaders and parents are invited to attend. Pre-registration is required.

Register at <https://ringcentr.al/3COTyTT>



CHRISTMAS SHOE BOX PROJECT

Each year over Christmas Eve and Christmas Day volunteers with Footprints of Michigan travel to Detroit, Grand Rapids and Lansing to distribute useful gift-wrapped items to the homeless community. Footprints of Michigan volunteers help with the distribution of gifts, shoes and sometimes a warm meal (depending on the location). Most of the people are supported through this project are adults but there are several children who are present as well. Any gifts leftover after these scheduled events will be taken to local homeless shelters.

MORE INFORMATION COMING SOON



DAY EVENTS

December 11th Camp Rotary's 5th annual Breakfast with Santa

\$8 (Clare, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-CRSantaBreakfast21>

December 18th Cub Winter Family Fun Day - Lakeshore District

\$22 (Twin Lake, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-familyfun>



SHOOTING SPORTS EVENTS

November 11th Rifle Merit Badge @ Gerber

\$15-\$25 (Twin Lake, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-rifle>

**May 7 NRA Range Safety Officer & BSA
Rangemaster Training**

(Clare, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-CRRSO2201>



CAMP ROTARY

CAMPOUTS & CAMPOREES

December 4-5th Cub Scout Winter Camp at Camp Rotary (Clare, MI) \$15-\$22

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-CRCubWinterDays21>

December 26th-30th Scouts BSA Winter Resident Camp (Clare, MI) \$150

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-CRSBSAWinterCamp21>



PROGRAM PARTNERS

December 10th K Wings (Kalamazoo)

<https://bit.ly/3ENjrUG>

December 29th Detroit Pistons (Detroit)

<https://scoutingevent.com/?ORgKey=BSA272&calendarID=338417>

January 15th & Feb. 26th Scout Night with the Red Wings (Detroit)

<https://scoutingevent.com/?ORgKey=BSA272&calendarID=338416>

February 19th Grands Rapids Griffins (Grand Rapids)

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VENTURING EVENTS

November 5-7th Intro to Leadership Skills for Crews (ILSC) at Gerber (Twin Lake, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-ilsc>



ADVANCEMENT SYMPOSIUM

**Note, if you want to watch previously
Advancement symposiums held in October go to:**
<https://michiganscouting.org/unit-resources/advancement/>



POSITION SPECIFIC TRAINING FREE

**November 6th Scouts BSA Leader Position
Specific Training I (East Lansing, MI)**

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-chiefokemostrooptraining>

**November 13th All Leader Position-Specific
Training (Livonia), MI**

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-LPST111321>



ADDITIONAL TRAININGS OFFERED

November 13th Wilderness First Aid, Gerber Scout Reservation (Twin Lakes, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-wildernessfirstaidgerber>

November 20th Fundamentals of Training & Trainers Edge (Waterford, MI)

https://scoutingevent.com/272-TrainersEDGE_112021

December 11th Red Cross & Adult Pediatric First/Aid CPR/AED (Tecumseh, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-CPR121121>

April 29th-May 1 Leave No Trace Course (Jackson, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-LNTTrainer04292022>



I LOVE MY CAMP DAYS

(Volunteer cleanup/refresh/repair projects to support camp)

November 6th Camp Rotary

(Clare, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/?ORgKey=BSA272&calendarID=306259>

November 6th Camp Teetonkah

(Jackson, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/?ORgKey=BSA272&calendarID=306258>

November 6th Cole Canoe Base

(Alger, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/?ORgKey=BSA272&calendarID=306260>

November 13th D-bar-A Scout Ranch

(Metamora, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/?ORgKey=BSA272&calendarID=306261>

PREMIER ADULT LEADER TRAINING

**SIGN
UP
NOW!**



SPACE IS LIMITED

michiganscouting.org/woobadge

WOODBADGE

November 6th Wood Badge Dinner

Camp Rotary (Clare, MI) | \$15

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-woodbadgedinnernorth>

2022: February 4-6 & 26th-27th

D-bar-A Scout Ranch (Metamora, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-WB02042022>

2022: April 1-3 & Apr 30th-May 1

Camp Rotary (Clare, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-WB412022>

2022: September 16-18 & Oct 1-2

D-bar-A Scout Ranch (Metamora, MI)

<https://scoutingevent.com/272-WB9152022>

Scholarships available:

https://scoutingevent.com/Download/27252795/OR/Wood_Badge_Scholarship_Application.pdf



**NOT AVAILABLE NOVEMBER 15TH –
30TH DUE TO HUNTING SEASON
SAFETY PRECAUTIONS**

UNIT FACILITY RENTALS

If your unit is looking for things to do, don't forget to consider our MCC camp properties!

Campsite Rentals are FREE year-round to registered Scout units as part of your program fee unless they are blocked out for specific council closings or resident camps

Cabin Rentals are Open

Contact your local camp director to see if it is possible to add on some program experiences for a small fee (such as shooting sports, COPE/Climbing, etc.) while you are there!

More information

<https://michiganscouting.org/facility-rental/>



HOLIDAY CLOSURES

All MCC Camps closed **November 15-30th** for safety precautions during hunting season

November 24-26th

In observance of Thanksgiving

December 23-24th

In observance of Christmas