

CAMP WORKCOEMAN SPECIALTY CAMPS

TRAIL TO EAGLE CAMP

July 29 - August 4

At Camp Workcoeman we feel that earning the rank of Eagle Scout requires three main components: merit badges, the service project, and leadership development. With that in mind, our weeklong program is designed to address more than just the merit badge requirements. Scouts form a troop with a dedicated Trail to Eagle Scoutmaster with whom we've partnered for nearly a decade. As part of the troop, the boys work in patrols, are counseled on unit leadership skills, and take on the roles as would happen in their typical troop. There are additional discussions/seminars about leadership styles and how to grow in one's own troop. Lastly, the Trail to Eagle unit works together to plan and carry out a service project at camp that emulates the stages of the Eagle service project. Additionally, considerable time is spent reviewing the Eagle Project Workbook and guiding Scouts through what is expected when completing the necessary paperwork.

In addition to our regularly provided merit badges which can be seen in the program guide, there will be additional Eagle required classes including: Camping, Citizenship in the Nation, Citizenship in the World, Communication, Cooking, Emergency Preparedness, Environmental Science, First Aid, Lifesaving, Personal Fitness, and Swimming.

CONSERVATION CAMP

July 15 - 21

Minimum Rank: First Class

The goal of the week is to prepare participants to develop and complete a significant conservation project towards earning the Hornaday Badge. Participants will work with Ecology staff and professionals to complete simple conservation projects at camp. Scouts will learn project development and planning skills, create a plan to lead and carry out significant conservation work, team building and training skills, and understand what is required to complete Hornaday awards. Participants will be guided through necessary procedures and work needing to be done outside the week at camp in order to complete the Hornaday Badge. Participants will be matched with Conservation Advisors to help plan and carry out their individual projects.

Merit badge activities may include Environmental Science, Fish and Wildlife Management, Soil and Water Conservation, Forestry, and others from the required merit badge list. Minimum Rank: First Class

HANDYMAN CAMP

July 15 - 21

Minimum Age: 15 Years Old

Ever want to fix something around the house or work on a home improvement project? Want to learn the right tools for the job at hand so the work can be done right? Want to try your hand at power tools?

As part of Handyman Camp, participants work with camp staff to learn about project planning and management to develop the skills they need to complete general home improvement projects. Through hands-on experiences, Scouts will get to use power tools, learn tool maintenance, project planning and budgeting, all while working to develop and complete projects at camp.

As part of participation, merit badge activities may include Home Repairs, Painting, Plumbing, Wood Working, and other trade related skills.

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