



MERIT BADGE INTRO WORKSHOP & DEN CHIEF TRAINING

SPONSORED BY PATRIOTS' PATH COUNCIL ADVANCEMENT COMMITTEE

Saturday, November 23, 2013

Brooklawn Middle School

250 Beachwood Road at Route 202, Parsippany NJ

Check-in at Cafeteria beginning at 8:00 AM, program ends at 1:00 PM

For class information contact event chair, Bruce Benson at ppbsambws@gmail.com

Fees: \$10 registration per Scout ONLINE ONLY,
register through the council calendar at www.ppbsa.org
additional class fees below – schedule is posted online

- \$4 for each 1 hour session (per Scout)
- \$8 each 2-session class: Citizenship in the Nation/World, Disabilities Awareness, Electricity, Engineering, Fire Safety, Robotics, Environmental Science
- No additional charge for **Den Chief Training Class** – *must register*
- No additional charge for **Trail to Eagle** – *must register*
- No additional charge for **Eagle Project Management**** – *must register*

**Introductory Project Management skills presented to Eagle Scout candidates preparing for their Service Project. Using concepts in the Project Management Institute Body of Knowledge and Eagle Scout Service Project Workbook, the purpose of the training session is for Scouts to learn how to develop a clear plan to accomplish their goals.

*** FREE SESSION FOR PARENTS ***

**“Everything You Always Wanted To Know About Boy Scout Advancement
But Were Afraid To Ask”**

Offered between 10 AM and 12 Noon

	8:45–9:45 AM	9:50–10:50 AM	10:55–11:55 AM	12:00–1:00 PM
Merit Badges and Eagle Project Management	Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4
Den Chief Training	<i>(sessions 1-3)</i>			
Trail To Eagle				<i>(session 4)</i>
Intro Advancement <i>for Parents</i>		<i>Sessions 2-3 (no registration required)</i>		

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR MERIT BADGES

No walk-ins on the day of the workshop

Scouts must give their 1st and 2nd choices

Class sizes are limited to 20



- EACH SCOUT MUST BRING A BLUE CARD SIGNED BY HIS SCOUTMASTER FOR EACH MERIT BADGE
- EACH SCOUT SHOULD BRING THE CURRENT MERIT BADGE BOOK AND/OR THE INTERNET PRINTOUT FOR EACH BADGE
- EACH SCOUT MUST READ AND BE FAMILIAR WITH THE MB REQUIREMENTS BEFORE GOING TO THE CLASS
- EACH SCOUT MUST WEAR THEIR CLASS A UNIFORM & BRING REGISTRATION PRINTOUT
- A RESPONSIBLE ADULT MUST SIGN IN EACH SCOUT IN PERSON AT THE REGISTRATION TABLE

THE PURPOSE OF THE WORKSHOP IS TO INTRODUCE BADGES TO THE SCOUTS AND TO HELP THEM UNDERSTAND THE MERIT BADGE PROCESS. FOR MOST OF THE MERIT BADGES SCOUTS WILL BE ABLE TO OBTAIN A “PARTIAL” BUT WILL NOT BE ABLE TO COMPLETE THE MERIT BADGE AT THIS EVENT.

MERIT BADGES OFFERED

Each session will include an explanation of how to earn merit badge; how to approach merit badge counselors in general; and what steps are necessary at both the troop and personal level before contacting a counselor.

- *Where listed, prerequisites must be done prior to the class.*
- *Scouts will receive “partials” for the work they complete in class and they will then contact either the instructor or a Scoutmaster-assigned MB counselor in their area to finish the badge.*
- **AMERICAN CULTURES (DO REQUIREMENT 1)**
- **AVIATION**
- **BUGLING (BRING INSTRUMENT)**
- **CHESS I**
- **CHESS II (OPTIONAL BUT MUST TAKE CHESS I)**
- **CINEMATOGRAPHY**
- **CITIZENSHIP IN THE NATION (2 SESSION CLASS)**
- **CITIZENSHIP IN THE WORLD (2 SESSION CLASS)**
- **DISABILITIES AWARENESS (2 SESSION CLASS)**
- **ELECTRICITY (2 SESSION CLASS)**
- **ENGINEERING (2 SESSION CLASS)**
- **ENTREPRENEURSHIP (DO REQUIREMENT 1)**
- **ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE (2 SESSION CLASS)**
- **FIRE SAFETY (2 SESSION CLASS)**
- **GENEALOGY (DO REQ. 2,3, 4, 6 & 7 BEFORE CLASS)**
- **INVENTING (DO REQUIREMENT 1)**
- **MUSIC**
- **PUBLIC HEALTH**
- **READING**
- **ROBOTICS (2 SESSION CLASS)**
- **SCHOLARSHIP (MUST DO REQ. #1 BEFORE CLASS)**
- **SCUBA DIVING**
- **SCOUTING HERITAGE (DO REQ. 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8 BEFORE CLASS)**
- **SPACE EXPLORATION**
- **WELDING**