

Just for Leaders

There is still plenty to do at Raven Knob. We promise that you won't be just sitting in your campsite, unless of course, that is what you want to do. We encourage you to register your Leaders for training through the online registration portal. It is the same process you complete for scout sessions.

Training

[M-F 9-12]

Climbing Instructor (Level I)

This course trains adult leaders to help supervise climbing and rappelling activities. Previous climbing experience is helpful. Participants are required to spend three hours each morning at the climbing tower and assist with other activities throughout the week, such as the Climbing merit badge field trip and the Thursday evening Open Climbing twilight activity.

Participants who complete the program will qualify as a Level I Climbing Instructor. This qualification enables the holder to assist as the required second instructor during an event (they may only supervise under the guidance of a Level II Climbing Instructor or National Camping School Climbing Director).

Climb On Safely ?

Climb On Safely is the BSA's safety standard for organizing BSA climbing/rappelling activities. Any adults interested in learning about these policies and procedures are invited to attend the training. The session is entirely classroom-based and will be held at an announced time and location during the week.

CPR [\$20. w 2-5]

A course in basic Adult and Child CPR/AED will be offered for leaders during the week; time and location to be determined. A materials fee of \$20 per person will apply. BSA/ARC Lifeguard candidates will take a separate CPR course while at camp, which is included in the lifeguard program fee.

Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills [M, Tu, Th : 2-5]

This hands-on course provides adult leaders the practical outdoor skills they need to lead Scouts in the out-of-doors. Upon completion, leaders should feel comfortable teaching Scouts the basic skills required to obtain the First Class rank.

Safe Swim Defense & Safety Afloat [M, 9-11]

These two trainings are designed for leaders who are interested in gaining a better understanding of BSA Aquatics policy as it applies to swimming and boating activities. The sessions are entirely classroom based and will be held in the Aquatics area on Monday at 9:00am.

Aquatics Supervision [M, Tu, W 9-12]

These two courses (Swimming & Water Rescue; Paddle Craft Safety) are designed to give hands-on experience to leaders who are interesting in leading aquatic activities in their units, such as troop swims and boating trips. Attendance at the Safe Swim Defense and Safety Afloat trainings (Monday at 9:00am) is mandatory. Participants in the Aquatics Supervision courses will then put the policies into practice on the water during the rest of the course by learning reaching rescues, throwing rescues, going rescues, spinal management, and some basic boating skills. Bring a bathing suit, towel, and shoes for boating that can get wet.

BSA Lifeguard [M-F, 9-12, 2-5]

This rigorous program certifies a leader as a BSA Lifeguard and American Red Cross Lifeguard. Participants will spend most of their time in the Aquatics area. See BSA Lifeguard description in the Aquatics section for more information.

Mile Swim : [11-12 or 4-5
M-F]

Level I Climbing Instructor:
[M-F, 9-12]