
Outdoor Skills

A big part of scouting centers on outdoor skills. Scouts learn early on how to live outdoors safely and effectively. This includes instruction on hiking, camping, cooking, and orienteering.



Eligibility

Tiger Cubs

Age 7 or 1st grade

Cub Scouts

Ages 8 or 9, or 2nd or 3rd grade

Webeles Scouts

Age 10, or 4th or 5th grade

Boy Scouts

Ages 11-17

Venturing

Ages 14-20

If you are interested in becoming a Scout, please come to any of our meetings with a parent or guardian. The Boy Scout Troop meets every Wednesday at 6:30 p.m.

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St. Vincent de Paul RC Church
Bayonne, NJ

Meetings every Wednesday at 6:30
p.m. while school is in session.

Troop 25
Boy Scouts of America



*It is the mission of Troop 25, BSA, St. Vincent de Paul Roman Catholic Church, Bayonne, New Jersey, to provide a **quality** program for all eligible youth in its **diverse** service community so that in the future its members will be prepared to make ethical decisions throughout their lifetimes based upon the values contained in the Scout Oath and Law.*

Leadership & Citizenship



Empowering boys to be leaders is the core of Scouting. Scouts learn by doing, and what they do is lead their patrols and their troop. The boys themselves develop a troop's program, and then take responsibility for figuring out how they will achieve their goals.

An essential component to helping the boys achieve their goals is through junior leader training. Scouting takes pride in giving youth members unique leadership opportunities and training.



The Adventure of Scouting

Scouts have the opportunity to take many exciting trips. In the past Troop 25 has visited England, the birthplace of scouting, and the Caribbean. Regularly scheduled trips include:

Bayonne Community Pool

Scouts learn aquatic skills and water safety at regular trips to Bayonne's indoor pool.

Canoeing

The beginning of the school year brings about a fun, exciting canoe trip in the Pine Barrens.

Skiing

Scouts enjoy a January weekend trip to Vermont every year.

Appalachian Trail

Scouts spend their Spring Break on a 20-mile hike through a portion of this famous trail.

Whitewater Rafting

Warm weather is welcomed with an adventurous Pennsylvania rafting trip each May.

Summer Camp

Scouts have the opportunity to stay a week at Camp NoBeBoSco in Blairstown, NJ, learning aquatic skills, how to fire a rifle and shoot a bow and arrow, just to name a few.



Message to Parents

The Boy Scouts of America is a values-based organization that has its own code of conduct: the Scout Oath, Law, motto, and slogan.

Scouts have many opportunities to learn skills of leadership, of the outdoors, and of life. Each boy decides what he will learn and how quickly he will do it.

Every Scouting activity moves boys toward three basic aims:

- Character Development
- Citizenship training
- Mental and physical fitness

Scouting is a game with a purpose.
FUN is the GAME.
VALUES are the PURPOSE.
LEARNING is the PROCESS.

