



Outdoor Ethics Orientation Course

2017 NEGA BSA Outdoor Ethics Orientation Courses

Outdoor ethics is deeply ingrained in the BSA program. The Cub Scout, Boy Scout, Varsity Scout, Venturing, and Sea Scout programs all include outdoor stewardship, care for the environment, and Leave No Trace as part of their programs.

If you are prepared to venture down the path of becoming aware of your surroundings, of building the skills that will allow you to leave no trace on the land, then the Outdoor Ethics Awareness and Action Awards are for you. The Outdoor Ethics Action Awards can be earned by both youth and adult.

A requirement for the Boy Scout, Varsity Scout, Venturer, and Adult Outdoor Ethics Awards is to *Complete the BSA Outdoor Ethics Orientation Course*.

All courses, except the December course, will be at Scoutland and of course, there is no charge for the course.

January 21, 2017 – 9:00am – 12:00pm Scoutland, Admin Bld – this session is for Boy Scouts, Venturers and adults

February 18, 2017 – 9:00am – 12:00pm Scoutland, Admin Bld – this session is for Cub Scouts and their parents/leaders

March 18, 2017 - 9:00am – 12:00pm Scoutland, Admin Bld – this session is for Boy Scouts, Venturers and adults

April 15, 2017 – 9:00am – 12:00pm Scoutland at the Big House – this session is for Boy Scouts, Venturers and adults

May 20, 2017 – 9:00am – 12:00pm Scoutland Craft Shack – this session is for Cub Scouts and their parents/leaders

August 19, 2017 - 9:00am – 12:00pm Scoutland, Admin Bld – this session is for Boy Scouts, Venturers and adults

November 18, 2017 - 9:00am – 12:00pm Scoutland Craft Shack – this session is for Cub Scouts and their parents/leaders

December 2, 2017 – at the University of Scouting – Adult Class

To Sign up for a Course, send an email to: outdoor-ethics@nega-bsa.org

Include your name and the number of Scouts and Adults that will be joining you to ensure that sufficient course materials are on hand.

See the session date on the council calendar for a link to the registration.

This course is open to anyone interested in living and playing in the outdoors. Especially for: Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Varsity Scouts,

Venturers, Sea Scouts, Adult Leaders, and Parents. Plan to arrive early and be prepared to learn about: Outdoor and Land Use Ethics Outdoor Code

- Outdoor and Land Use Ethics
- Outdoor Code
- Leave No Trace
- Tread Lightly
- BSA Outdoor Ethics Programs and Awards

To find out more and to get started on the awards and activities, visit [Outdoor Ethics Awards](http://www.scouting.org) on www.scouting.org.