2020/2021 Training Opportunities
Greater Niagara Frontier Council

Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation (BALOO)
October 10-11, 2020 & May 1-2, 2021
Camp Schoellkopf

BALOO training is a one-and-a-half day course for Cub Scout Leaders that details BSA Cub Scout camping policies and provides hands-on instruction in the outdoor skills needed to plan and carry out a successful Pack overnighter. A minimum of one Pack leader is required to have completed this training in order for a Pack to conduct a campout.

Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills Training (IOLS)
October 10-11, 2020 & May 1-2, 2021
Camp Schoellkopf

Working as patrols, this hands-on course provides Scouts BSA and Venture leaders the practical outdoor skills they need to lead Scouts in the outdoors. Upon completion, leaders will feel comfortable teaching Scouts the basic skills required to earn the First Class rank. Along with the online “Scoutmaster Specifics” this course is required for all Scoutmasters and Assistant Scoutmasters in order to be considered “trained” for their position.

Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops (ILST)
November 7, 2020
at the University of Scouting

The purpose of the ILST course is to teach Scouts with leadership positions about their new roles and how to most effectively reach success in that role. It is intended to help Scouts in leadership positions within their Troop understand their responsibilities and to equip them with organizational and leadership skills to fulfill those responsibilities. ILST is the first course in the series of leadership training offered to Scouts. Completion of ILST is a prerequisite for Scouts to participate in the more advanced leadership courses National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT) and the National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience (NAYLE).

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