

TOPICS COVERED

- How to get your unit out into the backcountry
- Trek planning
- Equipment ideas and options
- Food selection, preparation & packaging
- Clothing and layering
- Personal hygiene in the outdoors
- Backpack fitting, packing, & adjusting
- Land navigation (map, compass, GPS)
- First aid on the trail
- Water filtration / purification
- Backpacking stoves
- Tents, tarps and hammocks
- Sleep systems
- Leave no trace
- Hands on activities

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Scoutmasters, Assistant Scoutmasters, Venture Crew Advisors & Associate Advisors, District Outdoor Skills Trainers, and Scout youth (age 14 & up).

REQUIREMENTS

Prior Outdoor Leader Skills Training or equivalent experience.

PREPARATION

Completed BSA Annual Health & Medical Record Sections A & B and physical ability for backpacking.

COST \$100

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REGISTRATION:

More information and online registration at <http://www.baltimorebsa.org/programs/eaglesnest/41338>

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Advanced Outdoor Skills Training
Baltimore Area Council, BSA

2020



PART ONE

Saturday, Sept. 12, 2020
St. Mark Church, 30 Melvin Ave., Catonsville, MD

PART TWO

Weekend of October 2-4, 2020
Bee Tree Preserve, Parkton, MD