



Arrow of Light Safari 5th Grade



Arrow of Light Scouts will meet at Eisenhower Pavilion for a morning filled with activities, games, and completion of the requirements listed below.

Outdoor Adventurer – Required

- 1. Learn about the Scout Basic Essentials.
- 2. Determine what you will bring on an overnight campout including a tent, sleeping bag/gear and how you will carry your gear.
- 3. Review the four points of the BSA SAFE Checklist and how you will apply them on the campout.
- 4. Locate the campsite where you will be camping on a map.
- 5. With your patrol or a Scouts BSA troop, participate in a campout.
- 6. Upon arrival at the campout determine where to set up your campsite; kitchen, eating area, tents, and firepit. Help the patrol set up the patrol gear before setting up your own tent.
- 7. Explain how to keep food safe and the kitchen area sanitary at the campsite. Demonstrate your knowledge during the campout.
- 8. After your campout, discuss with your patrol what went well and what you would do differently next time. Include how you followed the Outdoor Code and Leave Not Trace Principles for Kids.

Into the Woods – Elective

- 1. Visit an area with trees and plants and conduct a tree inventory. Select one tree and complete the remaining requirements based on that tree.
- 2. Determine if your tree is deciduous or evergreen.
- 3. Identify a tree and determine if the tree is native or was introduced to your area.
- 4. Find out how your tree deals with wildfire.
- 5. Learn how wildlife uses your tree.

Visit as many of the stations as you like:

- Take A Walk (hike)
- Giant Inflatable Haunted House
- BB Gun and Sling Shot Range
- Nature Study Safari Monopoly Game
- Petting Zoo
- Hiking Skills
- Rock Coloring and Garnet Mines
- Games



At check-in, be sure to get your official Safari Hat (one per youth). At each station or activity you visit, you will receive a sticker to decorate your hat with.

Bring the Cub Scout Six Essential — These are items every Cub Scout should carry in their personal gear when going on hikes or campouts:

1. First-aid kit: adhesive bandages, moleskin, gauze, antibiotic ointment, etc.
2. Water bottle: filled and large enough to last until it can be filled again
3. Flashlight: for emergency use only
4. Trail food: can be made as a den activity prior to hike or campout
5. Sun protection: sunscreen of SPF 30 or greater and a hat
6. Whistle: also for emergency use only

PERSONAL CAMPING GEAR CHECKLIST

Use this checklist every time you go on a Scout outdoor trip. Use a pencil to check off each item as you pack it.

The Scout Basic Essentials	Sleeping gear	Optional personal items
<input type="checkbox"/> Pocketknife	<input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping bag	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal medications
<input type="checkbox"/> Water bottle	<input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping pad	<input type="checkbox"/> Watch
<input type="checkbox"/> Matches and fire starters	<input type="checkbox"/> Ground cloth	<input type="checkbox"/> Fishing pole and gear
<input type="checkbox"/> First-aid kit	Eating kit	<input type="checkbox"/> Camera
<input type="checkbox"/> Flashlight	<input type="checkbox"/> Eating utensils	<input type="checkbox"/> Pencil or pen
<input type="checkbox"/> Sun protection	<input type="checkbox"/> Plate	<input type="checkbox"/> Insect repellent
<input type="checkbox"/> Extra clothing	<input type="checkbox"/> Bowl	<input type="checkbox"/> Small notebook
<input type="checkbox"/> Trail food	<input type="checkbox"/> Cup	<input type="checkbox"/> Swimsuit
<input type="checkbox"/> Map and compass	Cleanup kit	<input type="checkbox"/> Bible, testament, or prayer book, according to your faith
<input type="checkbox"/> Rain gear	<input type="checkbox"/> Soap	<input type="checkbox"/> Other gear for specific activities
<input type="checkbox"/> Clothing appropriate for the season and the weather	<input type="checkbox"/> Dental floss	
<input type="checkbox"/> Backpack with rain cover	<input type="checkbox"/> Toothbrush	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Comb	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Toothpaste	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Small camp towel	