

# **UNIVERSITY OF SCOUTING**

## **MIDDLE TENNESSEE COUNCIL**

### **SPRING 2021 COURSE CATALOG**



**Saturday, March 20, 2021**



## Foreword

Do you want to be a better youth leader? Join us for the 2021 University of Scouting on Saturday, March 20th, from 8 AM - 4 PM at Boxwell Scout Reservation. You may also earn your degree safe in your own home's comfort with our Zoom Classes. This catalog provides degree requirements and trek descriptions to assist participants with online registration. Please review page 6 in regards to our COVID-19 precautions.

### What is the University of Scouting?

The University of Scouting (UoS) is Middle Tennessee Council's premier one-day supplemental training opportunity for all registered adult Scout leaders. UoS goes beyond Fast Start, Specific, and even Advanced Training to give Scout Leaders the knowledge & skills on specific topics that will help them in their efforts to deliver the promise of Scouting. UoS Instructors have skills and insights that have developed through years of scouting experience. UoS is also an excellent opportunity to network with other Scout leaders, make new friends, and share best practices across the Council.

### What will I do at UoS?

UoS is structured so that you can take classes and earn a Bachelor, Masters, or Doctorate Degree in Scout Leadership, or you can simply take the Treks of interest to you without earning a degree. The specific degree requirements are found in this Catalog.

### How Do I Register?

To register, go to [www.mtcbsa.org](http://www.mtcbsa.org) and click on the training tab. Through Friday, **March 5th**, the cost for UoS is \$25 for in-person Boxwell Trek participants, which includes a UoS patch, lunch, a Degree Certificate, and a 2021 UoS memento. **After March 5th, 2021, the registration cost increases to \$35.** During online registration, you will select your classes, degree choice, and make your lunch selection. **UoS online registration will close on March 14th at midnight. THERE WILL BE NO WALK-ONS.** Please arrive at 8:00 am to Boxwell to start your day.

Zoom registration cost will be \$15 per person through Friday, March 5th, after that will be \$20 a person, and will also close at midnight March 14th to allow instructors to contact participants. Zoom participants will also receive a patch and certificate.

*NOTE: A valid email address is required when registering to receive important details ahead of the event. Your valid email address will allow us to keep you informed of ANY changes and updates as we prepare for the event.*

### How Can I Volunteer to Teach or Serve as Staff for UoS?

The Deans for each College select volunteer instructors for their courses. Instructors receive credit hours for classes taught. If you have a particular topic that you would like to instruct at UoS, contact the Dean of the applicable College. Their contact information is found at the end of this catalog.

### Questions?

**Contact:** Chancellor Chris Warner [warnerchris@bellsouth.net](mailto:warnerchris@bellsouth.net) or MTCBSA Professional Advisor Phillip Heikkinen [pheikkinen@mtcbsa.org](mailto:pheikkinen@mtcbsa.org).



## Schedule for University of Scouting 2021

### **Boxwell**

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| <b>7:30 am</b>         | <b>Instructor Check-In</b>               |
| <b>8:00 am</b>         | <b>Participant Check-In/Registration</b> |
| <b>8:30 am</b>         | <b>Ice Breaker Games in Treks</b>        |
| <b>9:00 – 12:00 pm</b> | <b>Classes</b>                           |
| <b>12:00 – 1:00 pm</b> | <b>Lunch</b>                             |
| <b>1:00 – 4:00 pm</b>  | <b>Classes</b>                           |

### **Zoom**

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| <b>7:30 am</b>         | <b>Wake up and Power Up!</b>                             |
| <b>8:00 am</b>         | <b>Participant Check-In Best Back Screen Competition</b> |
| <b>8:30 am</b>         | <b>Ice Breaker Games in Treks</b>                        |
| <b>9:00 – 12:00 pm</b> | <b>Classes</b>   |
| <b>12:00 – 1:00 pm</b> | <b>Lunch Break</b>                                       |
| <b>1:00 – 4:00 pm</b>  | <b>Classes</b>   |

*NOTE: Lunch preferences will be selected online during registration. Lunch types include Ham Sandwich, Turkey Sandwich, or a spinach veggie wrap. All meals come with a cookie, a bag of chips, and a water. Zoom Participants WILL NOT have a box lunch, price reflects a discount; however, they will have a break time to grab some nibbles from home.*

### **Boxwell Packing List**

- **Camp Chair**
- **Water Bottles (at least 2)**
- **Personal Hand Sanitizer**
- **Durable Facemask**
- **Rain Gear/Warm Jacket (Classes may be located under outdoor pavilions)**
- **Bug Spray**
- **Sunscreen**



## DEGREE INFORMATION AND REQUIREMENTS

**NOTE** - Credits from other Universities towards Bachelor's and Master's degrees will be considered by the Chancellor. Please submit your request via double knot. Core Training and Leader Specific Training Courses do not count toward degree requirements. At this time there is not an award structure for the youth. However, youth will receive a UOS participant patch.

### **Bachelor Degree Requirements:**

- Scouters must earn at least six credit hours from the courses offered in UoS. Any combination of courses from the four colleges is acceptable.
- Scouters must be trained in their registered position.

### **Master Degree Requirements:**

- Scouters must have earned a UoS Bachelor degree.
- Scouters must earn an additional six credit hours since earning their Bachelor degree.

### **Doctorate Degree Requirements:**

- Doctorate Candidates should complete the application at the end of this catalog and submit it to the Chancellor before the 2021 UoS. Earning your Wood Badge beads is a requirement of a Doctorate.

If you require instructor hours to complete your degree, you will need to contact the Deans to arrange to teach a class. Their contact information is found below.





## The University of Scouting - Application for Doctorate

### Doctorate Degree Requirements:

- Scouters must have completed a UoS Master’s degree.
- Scouters must have earned their Wood Badge beads or apply after earning their beads.
- Scouters must earn an additional six credit hours since earning their Master degree, including at least three credits from the teaching requirement below.
- Scouters must teach University of Scouting courses totaling three credit hours since earning their Master’s degree or, with the current UoS Chancellor’s approval, serve on the UoS Staff.
- Doctorate candidates should complete this application and submit it to the Chancellor before the 2021 UoS.

1. Bachelor’s Degree, date completed: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Master’s Degree, date completed: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Wood Badge

Course taken and completion date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Ticket Completion: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Courses: List all courses taken and any non-staff teaching positions served since earning Master’s Degree:

| Course or non-teaching Staff Position | Date taken | Hours | Instructor or Student? |
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| Doctorate approved/not approved |
| Chancellor signature/date       |



## COVID PRECAUTIONS

*Working with the Council, we have developed a plan that takes all current guidance for gatherings, social distancing, and use of masks as provided by the Centers for Disease Control, the State of Tennessee (The Tennessee Pledge), and the Middle Tennessee Council. Attendees will be screened (including a temperature check) upon entrance to Boxwell Reservation. Any gatherings will have no more than 50 people, social distancing and mask usage will be required, food will be served in individual containers, and indoor facilities will be minimally used.*

- *While precautions will be taken, by attending or allowing your minor youth to participate in this event, you acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk of exposure to or infection of COVID-19 by attendance; and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and/or death. You understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at Boxwell may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of you, your minor youth, and others, including, but not limited to, MTC employees, volunteers, and program participants and their families.*
- *All attendees of the event must follow all safety precautions as directed by event staff. Failure to follow safety precautions is disrespectful to all event participants' safety and will result in dismissal.*
- *Everyone must bring a durable protective mask and personal-size hand sanitizer for use when required or desired. Please note that masks must cover the nose and mouth and be solid masks without open mesh or holes or other issues which would prevent their effectiveness. Face-shields will not be allowed unless there is a documented medical reason for its use rather than a durable protective face mask.*
- *Everyone is required to bring a mask and wear it when they are either within 6 feet of another person or indoors. Should you go indoors for any reason, a mask is required at all times, 6 feet apart or not.*
- *You will need to complete a pre-event medical screening form upon arrival and pass a temperature check at the gate. Please note that we will turn away anyone who does not pass those tests. If you feel sick or have symptoms of any kind, please do not come to the event for the safety of you, us, and our community.*



## UoS Course Schedule Overview

| COLLEGE OF CUB SCOUTS                          | Subject Titles   | Description  |
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| <b>CS Trek 1 – Cub Scout Program (6 Hours)</b> | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We Do?  | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done, so what can we do?   |
|  | CS101 How to Implement the Lion Program                                  | Welcome to your new adventure! This class will supply the information to help you get off to the right start, including planning, preparing, and conducting meetings for our youngest scouts.  |
|  | CS102 Cub Campfire WOW!  | Night falls at camp, and the campfire is a way to bring a wonderful day at camp to an end. Campfires can be impressive, and this class will tell you how to put the spark in your Pack’s activities.   |
|  | CS103 Make the Most of your Pack Meetings                                | Learn how to give advancements to the youth, how to use ceremonies in your meetings, and how to make pack meetings memorable.  |
|  | CS104 Gathering Activities for Cub Scouts                                | Get your meeting started on time by providing Gathering Activities that your Cubs won’t want to miss! Activities, games, ice-breakers, and other ideas will help you master the skill of Gathering Activities.   |
|  | CS105 Make the Most of your Den Meetings: Putting the Outing in Scouting | Take your meetings (den and pack) outside for a change of pace. Best practices and how to make it safe and fun.  |
| <b>CS Trek 2 – Webelos Program (6 hours)</b>   | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We Do?  | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done, so what can we do?   |
|  | CS201 Being a Webelos Den Leader   | Learn how to transition Cub Scouts into Webelos and plan an excellent program for both years. This class will help the leader to understand the transition involved in switching from adventures to Pins. You’ll also learn about other resources and materials to help you along the way. |
|  | CS202 How to Make Meaningful Crossovers                                  | As we add females to the units and see growth and change, how do we keep Crossovers meaningful? Discuss options such as including the Order of the Arrow in ceremonies or doing a group crossover at Camporee with the District and single unit Crossover options.                         |



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|   | CS203 Webelos to Scouts                                     | Moving to a Troop can be a BIG change. Don't lose Scouts. Learn how to prepare your Webelos to become Scouts, what they need to know about The Patrol Method, patrols and merit badges, and how to choose a troop.   |
|   | CS204 Cub Camping at Boxwell, Grimes, Parish, & Latimer     | The Middle Tennessee Council has three reservations with available activities for Cub Scouts. Learn what these locations have to offer and how to use them to their full potential.  |
|   | CS205 Planning Great Camp Outs for Cubs                     | Learn how to plan a campout for a whole pack? We will make it easy and break it down into steps for you to follow. Your campout may just be your Den's or Pack's favorite part of Cub Scouting!  |
| <b>CS Trek 3 - Shooting Sports (6 hours)</b>                              | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We Do?                               | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done, so what can we do?   |
|   | CS301 Archery & BB  | This course is a 5-hour class covering the rules and regulations, the range rules, how to set up a range safely, and how to be safe on and off the range, so all those participating are safe and have fun in both Archery and BB-gun programs.                        |
| <b>CS Trek 4 - ZOOM ONLY TREK Pack Structure and Leadership (6 hours)</b> | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We Do?                               | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done, so what can we do?   |
|   | CS401 Service Projects for Packs                            | Learn about service projects ideas designed explicitly for Cub Scout Packs and Dens  |
|   | CS402 Awards for Packs, Dens, Cub Scouts, and Adult Leaders | Learn all about the types of awards earned by adults and scouts in the Cub Scouting program.   |
|   | CS403 Special Needs Cub Scouts                              | This course will help Scout leaders learn about Autism Spectrum Disorder, how to recognize characteristic behaviors, understand the benefits Scouting offers for youth with ASD and develop strategies to help Scouts with ASD to succeed within the Scouting program. |
|   | CS404 Pack Finances and Popcorn Sales                       | When compared to the cost of sports and many other activities, there is no doubt that Scouting delivers great value to its members! This class will teach how to offset these costs by unit fundraising and other scholarship opportunities.                           |



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|  | CS405 Cub Scout Recruiting and Retention        | Learn how to recruit all year long and to make the most out of your recruiting events, then learn how to keep them coming to Pack activities.  |
| <b>COLLEGE OF GENERAL STUDIES</b>              | <b>Subject Titles</b>                           | <b>Description</b>   |
| <b>GS Trek 1 - Outdoor Adventure (6 hours)</b> | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We Do?                   | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done. What can we do?  |
|  | GS101 - BSA Outdoor Ethics Orientation          | This is a course to give participants enough knowledge to engage their units into the pursuit of the Outdoor Ethics awards and help them begin their adventures in OE trainings. It will introduce the participant in Land Ethics, T.R.E.A.D. Lightly! & Leave No Trace. |
|  | GS102 - Outdoor Ethics Guide / Advisor Training | The course is to give participants enough knowledge and understanding to help the Outdoor Ethics Guide and their advisor to help their troop plan and conduct an outdoor program that emphasizes effectively practicing the principles of outdoor ethics.                |
|  | GS103 - Order of the Arrow                      | Overview of the importance of the Order of the Arrow. How the OA directly impacts the success of a Council, District, and your unit.   |
|  | GS105 - Next level! (BALOO/IOLS/WB)             | Overview of the importance of a well-trained leader and what training opportunities are available.   |
|  | GS106 - Location, Location, Location!!!         | Units use various locations for events that are either non-BSA, not charter organization property, or military locations. There may be specific challenges that must be addressed for the event to be successful.  |
| <b>GS Trek 2 - Toolbox Tools (6 hours)</b>     | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We Do?                   | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done. What can we do?  |
|  | GS201 - Scouting while on the spectrum.         | Address issues of special youth in your unit. You will learn the resources that are available within the scouting community and from private sources.  |
|  | GS202 - Duty to God                             | Increase your understanding of religious opportunities and how to plan a Scout's Own Service.  |



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|   | GS203 - Adults in the back of the room.          | There are numerous opportunities within a unit for adult participation. This course explains each of the roles in a unit committee. Great committees help provide a quality program.   |
|   | GS204 - Bling matters!!                          | Adult appreciation increases commitment. Learn about the awards available and the importance of the District Leadership Banquet.   |
|   | GS205 - No money? No problem!                    | Units sometimes need assistance in accomplishing the goals they set for themselves, and these challenges may involve financial aid. This class will show various options for each unit in fundraisers and engage the youth to participate.                                   |
| <b>GS TREK 3 - T3<br/>Teacher Training<br/>EXCLUSIVE Be a<br/>Trained Trainer (6<br/>hours)</b> | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We DO?                    | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done, so what can we do?   |
|   | GEN301 The Fundamentals of Training              | This session introduces new Scouting trainers to effective teaching techniques and skills. Help freshen and be more confident in your training skill no matter what level trainer you currently may be.  |
|   | GEN302 The Trainers EDGE                         | The Trainer’s EDGE course provides and helps develop the level of skill a trainer brings to the staff experience such as NYLT and Wood Badge. This course intends to “train the trainer” on behaviors and resources while offering hands-on experience in methods and media. |
| <b>GC Trek 4 -<br/>ZOOM ONLY TREK<br/>Prioritize<br/>Paperwork (6<br/>hours)</b>                | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We Do?                    | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done, so what can we do?   |
|   | GS401 - Registration/Recharter                   | Learn the Best practices and tips on how to complete the Charter Registration and the Recharter process.   |
|   | GS402 - To record or not                         | When, how, and what to record along with storage and availability options.   |
|   | GS403 - Zooming tricks!                          | Experience The “Do's and Don'ts” of online meetings, group chats, and social media.  |
|   | GS404 - Scoutbook is a unit's best friend!       | Scoutbook provides a way for each unit to be organized and offer an excellent program while keeping up with all the advancements and information needed for the unit.  |
|   | GS405 - my.scouting (it really is all in there!) | Understand the Highlights and best practices on the BSA scouting.org website.  |



| COLLEGE OF<br>SCOUTS BSA                                       | Subject Titles                      | Description   |
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| <b>SBSA Trek 1 -<br/>Tenderfoot (6<br/>Hours)</b>              | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We Do?       | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done, so what can we do?  |
|  | SBSA101 PLC & the Patrol Method     | How do you build a Scout led troop? What does an effective Patrol Leaders Conference look like? What is the Patrol Method? Learn how to build a robust PLC and strong patrols. How to help your patrols work together as teams, share responsibility, and strive to make their patrol and the troop the best possible!                |
|  | SBSA102 A Hiking, we will go!!      | Learn how to plan, train, organize, and prepare for rewarding backpacking trips into our beautiful Tennessee outdoors. Get ideas for short, medium, and long journeys.  |
|  | SBSA103 Tie 'em Up!!                | This session will provide a hands-on review of all knots, lashings, and hitches required for advancement and construct those impressive campsite gateways.  |
|  | SBSA104 Beginner Map & Compass      | This hands-on session will show you how to read and orient a map with a compass and how to prepare and walk through an introductory compass course. Bring your compass to class.  |
|  | SBSA105 Effective Scout Meetings    | Let's put it all together! We'll walk through the outline of an effective meeting from the moment the Scouts arrive to when they walk out the door. This session will give you tips and ideas to make your weekly meetings run effectively. We'll also talk a little about behavior and resources available to you as a Scout Leader. |
| <b>SBSA Trek 2 - First<br/>Class and Beyond!<br/>(6 Hours)</b> | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We Do?       | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done, so what can we do?  |
|  | SBSA201 Strengthen Troop through OA | What is the Order of the Arrow, and what is its purpose? How does it fit into the Scouting program? Learn all about the OA, from service projects to camping. Learn what the OA has to offer and what they can do for your troop.   |



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|   | SBSA202 Lightening Your Backpack     | What does it mean to "go lightweight?" What are the advantages? This session will talk about the cost versus benefits of lightweight backpacking. It will also cover comfort and safety and any other additional outdoor skills associated.  |
|   | SBSA203 Go Big, or Go Home!!         | Philmont, Northern Tier, Sea Base, and The Summit!!! All high adventure requires preparation to ensure the participants are physically and mentally ready with the right gear and skills. Learn how to "Be Prepared" for high adventure!!  |
|   | SBSA204 Troop/Crew Relations         | How can you create a scouting program that recognizes older youth's desire to take on higher adventure activities? A great way is partnering troops with crews! This session will show you how to develop a strong network between two different units, focusing on youth development and retention.                                 |
|   | SBSA205 Trail Cooking                | Learn how to plan, prepare, and, best of all, enjoy sumptuous meals in the backcountry. You will learn the best practices regarding cooking gear, menus, and techniques for making your meals more enjoyable than ever.  |
| <b>SBSA Trek 3 - The Kitchen Sink (6 Hours)</b> | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We Do?        | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done, so what can we do?   |
|   | SBSA301 Merit Badge Counseling       | Merit badges are more than opportunities to learn new skills. They help Scouts gain confidence, develop self-reliance, and explore fields of study that could become careers or lifelong hobbies. Attend this class to learn how you can impact a memorable, engaging merit badge experience.  |
|   | SBSA302 Effective Troop Committee    | The unit committee is essential to a successful Troop. Explore how to build a cohesive leadership team engaged and support the delivery of a wicked awesome scouting program.  |
|   | SBSA303 Conducting BoR and Eagle BoR | The Board of Review is required for advancement, but it also provides one of our best opportunities for adult association with scouts. A well-prepared board can learn from the conversation as they are reviewing the scout's progress. Learn what to ask, what to say, what to do, how to get the most out of these conversations. |



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|   | SBSA304 Eagle Project Workbook & Coaching            | Being an Eagle Coach can be a rewarding role! But what do you need to do to be successful in this role? Take this course to find out we will review the importance of this role and how you can be an effective Eagle Coach. Learn about adults' roles and responsibilities that help Life Scouts successfully navigate the Life to Eagle process. Also, learn how to handle those exceptional circumstances and answer those tricky questions that arise along the way!  |
|   | SBSA305 SM Conf & Minute                             | Discuss and explore those precious opportunities to guide and counsel your Scouts. This class will cover Scoutmaster Minutes and Scoutmaster Conferences. Discuss approaches to counseling and how to develop ideas for SM minutes.   |
| <b>SBSA Trek 4 - ILST (6 Hours)</b>           | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We Do?                        | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done, so what can we do?  |
|   | SBSA401 Intro to Leadership Skills for Troops (ILST) | The purpose of the ISLT course aims to teach Scouts with leadership positions about their new roles and how to reach success in those new roles most effectively. It is intended to help Scouts in leadership positions in their troops understand their responsibilities and equip them with organizational and leadership skills to fulfill those responsibilities. ILST is the first course in a series of leadership training offered to Scouts and is a replacement for Troop Leadership Training. Completion of ILST is a pre-requisite for Scouts to participate in the more advanced leadership courses National Leadership Youth Training (NYLT) and the National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience (NAYLE). It is also required to participate in a Kodiak Challenge Trek. |
| <b>SBSA Trek 5 - ZOOM ONLY TREK (6 hours)</b> | GEN2020 COVID - What Can We Do?                      | This class will share ideas of what other units are doing around the council and the country.   |
|   | SBSA501 Scoutbook                                    | From the first knot tied to the final hours of service is performed, the Scouting experience is a journey like no other. Learn how Scoutbook ensures not a moment is missed - tracking advancement, milestone achievements & all the fun along the way in real-time and in the palms of your hands.   |



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|   | SBSA502 ZOOM-ing Basics         | As Scouting faced the global pandemic, technology came to the fore to keep Scouts and Scouters active and connected. This course reviews safe practices associated with scouting in this new environment.   |
|   | SBSA503 My.Scouting.com         | This valuable tool can help keep track of not only your training but your leaders' training. Learn how to update the training and how to use the website.   |
|   | SBSA504 SLACK Basics            | Learn all about Slack, an instant communication/messaging tool, to help improve interaction among and within teams, discuss specific topics, and direct messages to any team member.                        |
|   | SBSA505 Awards-Adult & Youth    | Experience the comprehensive course that explains special awards for Scouts and Leaders. Learn how to help your troop get the most out of the program and get special recognition for those who deserve it. |
| <b>COLLEGE OF VENTURING</b>                                     | <b>Subject Titles</b>           | <b>Description</b>  |
| <b>VNT Trek 1 – Developing Your Crew (6 Hours)</b>              | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We Do?   | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done, so what can we do?  |
|   | VNT101 Crew Communication       | Emails and GroupMe's and Slacks, oh my! Discover how to relay information within your crew effectively and efficiently with Crew Communications.  |
|   | VNT102 Recruiting and Retention | I was wondering how to foster growth and retain membership in your crew? Look no further.   |
|   | VNT103 Conducting ILSC/COO      | The course will prepare you to help deliver ILSC training to your crew to develop your crew's leadership capabilities.  |
|   | VNT104 The "S" in ALPS          | What's it stand for again? And why is it so important? How can my crew provide service to others and our communities?   |
| <b>VNT Trek 2 - Developing Your Leadership Skills (6 Hours)</b> | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We Do?   | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done, so what can we do?  |



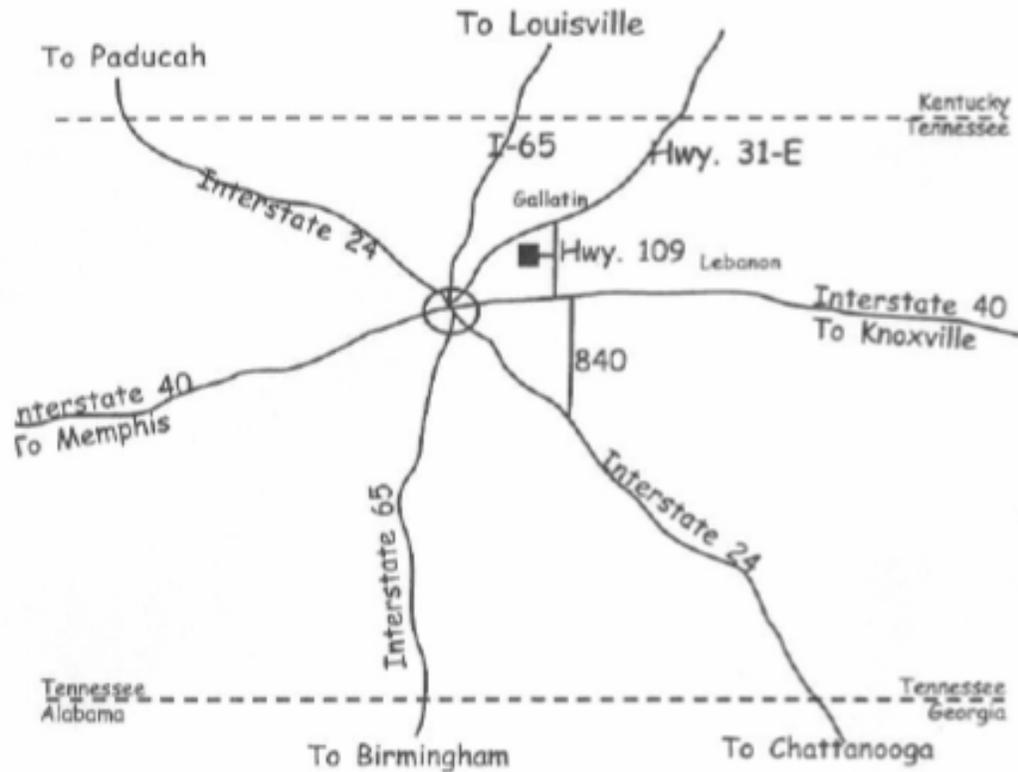
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|   | VNT201 Crew Officer Orientation     | This course helps orient new crew officers to the duties of their positions, and shows how an effective team of officers can lead a crew to success   |
|   | VNT202 Mentoring                    | Mentoring is a form of leadership and can be performed in a variety of circumstances throughout the Venturing program. This training is designed to help Venturers understand how to mentor other members of the crew and appreciate the role mentoring plays in personal growth and leadership for both the mentee and mentor. |
| <b>VNT Trek 3 –<br/>ZOOM ONLY TREK -<br/>Venturing<br/>Sampling Platter (6<br/>Hours)</b> | GEN2020 COVID-What Can We Do?       | COVID-19 made a challenging environment where lots of things could not be done, so what can we do?  |
|   | VNT301 Intro to Venturing           | Are you curious about what those people in “the green shirts” are thinking and doing? This course will get you properly acquainted with the BSAs program for 14-21-year-olds.   |
|   | VNT302 Venturing and the OA         | Scouting’s National Honor Society-its more than just a white sash. Find out how Venturing is involved in the OA and its importance in this course.  |
|   | VNT303 Administering the ALPS model | With Adventure, Leadership, Personal Growth, and Service, there's a lot to cover. Learn how to administer every aspect of the ALPS model.   |
|   | VNT304 Outside the Core Awards      | The Venturing, Discovery, Pathfinder, and Summit awards are engaging and life-changing, but there are more opportunities to Lead the Adventure in personal achievement.   |
|   | VNT305 Recruiting and Retention     | I was wondering how to foster growth and retain membership in your crew? Look no further.   |



## Directions to Boxwell

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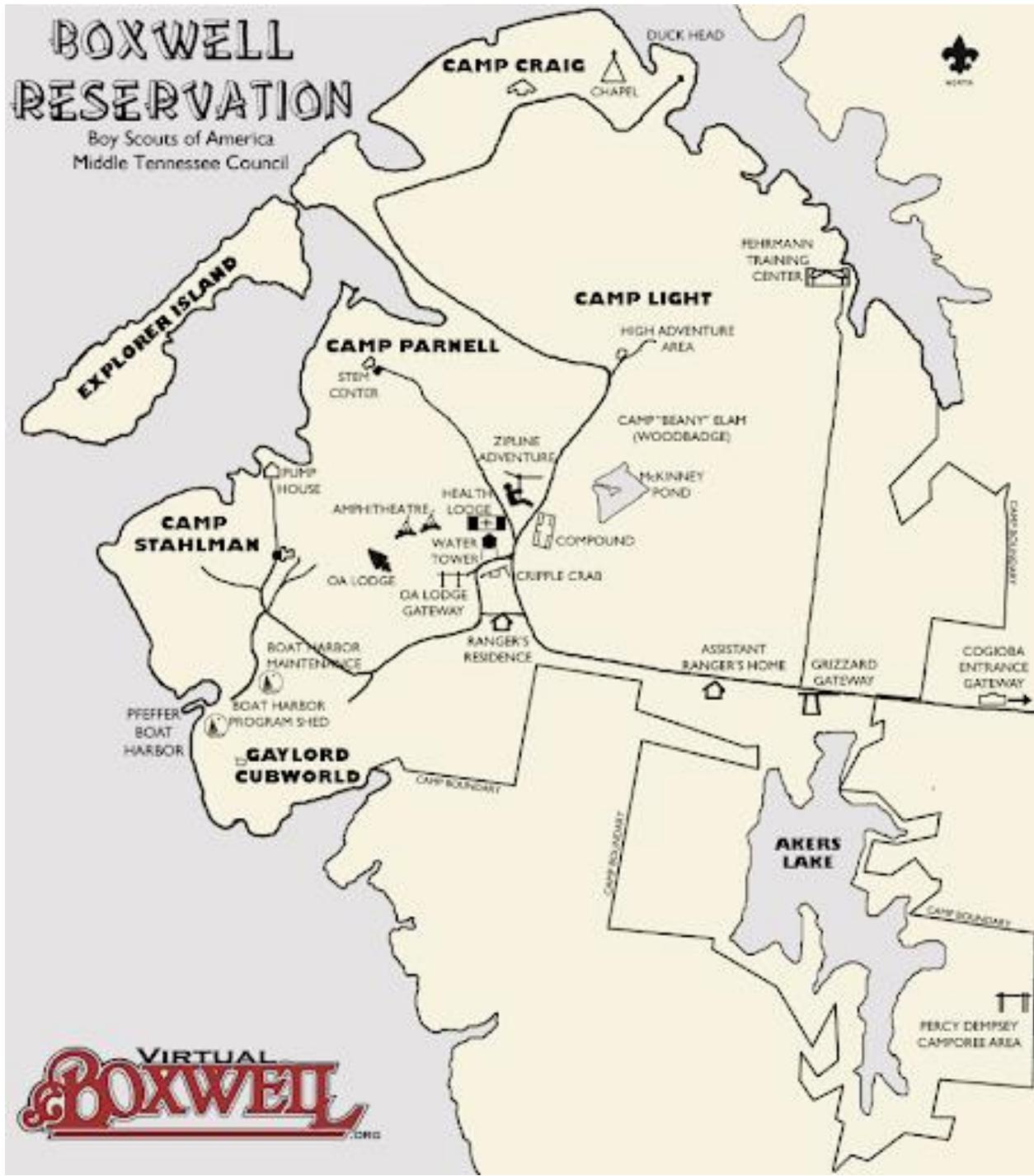
Boxwell Scout Reservation 1265 Creighton Ln, Lebanon, TN 370876



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| <b>From I-40:</b>  | Exit at Hwy 109 (Exit 232B) and travel north 9.2 miles. Turn left on Creighton Lane (Boxwell Reservation sign)   |
| <b>From I-65N:</b> | From North of Nashville – Take Vietnam Veterans Parkway, State Route 386 which turn into State Route 174 Long Hollow Pike, turn right onto Hwy 109 Bypass East, go 3 miles to Hwy 109 South towards Lebanon, go approximately 4 miles turning right at Boxwell Reservation sign. |
|                    | From South of Nashville (I-65 or I-24) Exit SR-840. Take East towards Murfreesboro, Lebanon, Knoxville. Exit at Highway 109. Take North approximately 11 miles. Turn left at Boxwell Reservation.  |
| <b>From I-65S:</b> | Exit Long Hollow Pike and turn left. Turn right onto Conference Dr. Turn left on Vietnam Veterans Boulevard. Follow directions above.  |
|                    | If coming from KY, Exit at TN-25 (Exit #112). Turn right and take towards Gallatin. Turn right onto Hwy 109 S. Boxwell will be on the right.   |
| <b>From I-24:</b>  | From Clarksville – Take I-24 East to Nashville. Take I-65 North to Vietnam Veterans Blvd. Follow directions above for I-65 N.  |
| <b>From 840:</b>   | From Murfreesboro exit 72B, State Route 265, Central Pike, turns into State Route 109 N. Go 13 miles towards Gallatin, to Creighton Lane, turn left at Boxwell Reservation sign on left.   |



## BOXWELL MAP





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**“The most important object  
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is to educate, not instruct.”**

**Sir Robert Baden-Powell**

