

## New Scouts: Spring 2017 Webelos II to Tenderfoot Syllabus

- February 27:** Demonstrate Competency in the Scout Rank Requirements (1a – 1f).
- Pledge of Allegiance (p.60)
  - Scout sign, salute and handshake (p.18)
  - Tying a Square Knot (p.365)
  - Repeat from memory and explain in your own words the Scout Oath, Law, motto, and slogan. (p.11,13,16,17)
  - Understand and agree to Oath, Law, motto, slogan and Outdoor Code (p.223)
  - Describe Scout badge (p.20)
- Review Scout and Tenderfoot Requirements (p.439-441)

- March 6:** Planning for Natchez Trace State Park Shakedown Backpack (March 10-11)  
Continue to Demonstrate Competency in the Scout Rank Requirements (2 – 5)
- Understanding how Scouting works (p.24)
  - Set up the First Class Emphasis Patrol (p.25,26)
  - Whip and fuse a rope (p.361)
  - Learn how and then demonstrate how to tie the following knots/hitches and care pocketknife:
    - Two half hitches (p.366)
    - Taut-line hitch (p.367)
    - Bowline knot (p.369)
    - Pocketknife safety (p.380)

- March 10-11:** Hiking Requirement 5
- Explain the importance of the buddy system as it relates to your personal safety on outings and in your neighborhood. Use the buddy system while on a troop or patrol outing. (p. 252)
  - Describe what to do if you become lost on a hike or campout. (p. 254,255)
  - Explain the rules of safe hiking, both on the highway and cross-country, during the day and at night. (p. 252,253)

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## Complete all Scout Rank Requirements

**March 20:** No Meeting (Williamson County Spring Break)

**March 27:** Guest Speaker

Physical Fitness Test Requirement 6 – Part 1 (p. 441)  
Continue Tenderfoot Requirements (7 and 8)

- Using the EDGE method, teach another person how to tie the square knot. (p. 38,365)
- Demonstrate how to display, raise, lower, and fold the American flag. (p. 58,59)

- April 3:** Continue Tenderfoot Requirements (4)
- Identify local poisonous plants; tell how to treat for exposure to them (p. 191,192,127)

- Demonstrate how to care for someone who is choking (p. 441)
- Show first aid for the following:
  - Simple cuts and scrapes(p. 125)
  - Blisters on the hand and foot (p. 125)
  - Minor (thermal/heat) burns or scalds (superficial, or first-degree) (p. 136)
  - Bites or stings of insects and ticks (p. 131)
  - Venomous snakebite (p. 129)
  - Nosebleed (p. 126)
  - Frostbite and sunburn (p. 140,136)

**April 10:**

Camping, Outdoor Ethics, and Tools Requirements (1 and 3)

- Present yourself to your leader, prepared for an overnight camping trip. Show the personal and camping gear you will use. Show the right way to pack and carry it. (p. 267,268)
- Tell how you practiced the Outdoor Code on a campout or outing. (p. 223)
- Demonstrate how to use the following knots/hitches and tools:
  - Square Knot(p. 365)
  - Two half hitches (p. 366)
  - Taut-line hitch (p. 367)
  - Bowline knot (p. 369)
  - Proper care, sharpening, and use of the knife, saw, and ax. Describe when each should be used. (p. 380-383)

**April 17:**

Cooking Requirement 2

- Tell why it is important for each patrol member to share in meal preparation and cleanup. (p. 304)
- Demonstrate an appropriate method of safely cleaning items used to prepare, serve, and eat a meal (p. 307,308)

**April 21-22:**

Hiking Requirement 5 (make up if you miss the March Shakedown Backpacking Trip @ Mammoth Cave)

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**April 24:**

Physical Fitness Test Requirement 6 – Part 2 (p. 441)

**May 1:**

Elections and Follow up meeting to complete Tenderfoot Requirements, Scoutmaster Conferences, and Board of Reviews

**May 8:**

Court of Honor

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