



Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills (IOLS)

December 6-7, 2025 – Sat. 8:30 a.m. – Sun 10:00 a.m.

Weekend of Pumpkin Smash- Firestone Scout Reservation

IOLS Provides adult leaders with the practical hands-on skills they need to lead scouts in the out-of-doors. Upon completion leaders should feel comfortable teaching scouts the basic skills required to obtain the rank of first class.

Required for all direct contact leaders in Scout Troops to wear the TRAINED patch.

Skills:

- Campfire program and flag ceremonies, meal planning and cooking
- Setting up campsite, outdoor event planning
- Wood tools, knots, rope, lashings
- Packing techniques, Outdoor Ethics, plant identification
- Many more topics

Register through the Pumpkin Smash event on Council calendar

Fee: \$35 for Pumpkin Smash and an additional \$10 for this course

Registration is limited to 24 participants.

Please arrive having completed the Online Training for Scoutmaster/Asst. SMs

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