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PINE TREE COUNCIL  
POWDER HORN 2017



**POWDER HORN** is the Boy Scouts of America's high adventure expedition training course. It is designed to help adult and youth leaders become comfortable and knowledgeable in the planning and conducting of safe and fun high adventure programs. The course is open to all Boy Scout and Venture Crew adult leaders, all Venture Scout youth, and Boy Scout youth leaders who are 13 years old and First Class rank or above.

In 2017 the POWDER HORN course will again be conducted with our partners at the L.L.Bean Outdoor discovery School. It will take place over a series of consecutive Thursday evenings, at the LL Bean Flagship Store in Freeport, Maine. It will also include one overnight campout.

The Cost of the training will be \$60.00 per person. Classes will begin at 6:30 pm and will conclude approximately at 8:30 pm.

Participants must attend 11 of the 14 CLASS dates to complete POWDER HORN.

March 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> campout will be at Camp Hinds. This campout will serve as a practical application of the 5 prior classes and will also be our classroom for both astronomy and biathlon. Because of the importance of the campout it will count as 2 class dates.

For more info visit [www.pinetreebsa.org](http://www.pinetreebsa.org) or contact Ken Sparta at [ken.sparta@scouting.org](mailto:ken.sparta@scouting.org).

Signup now to reserve your spot at <https://scoutingevent.com/218-10143>

**POWDER HORN class dates and subjects:** Feb

2 - CLASS - Trip Planning

Feb 9 - CLASS - Snowshoeing

Feb 16 - CLASS - Winter Survival Camping

Feb 23 - CLASS - Cross Country Skiing

Mar 2 - CLASS – Hunting and Firearm Sports

Mar 4&5 CAMPOUT – Biathlon & Astronomy

Mar 9 - CLASS – Wilderness Cooking

Mar 16 - CLASS - Fishing

Mar 23 - CLASS - Hiking

Mar 30 - CLASS - Geocaching

Apr 6 - CLASS - Cycling

Apr 13 - CLASS - Plant and Wildlife Identification

Apr 20 - CLASS - Canoeing & Kayaking

May 13 - GRADUATION - Scout O Rama