Wood Badge provides training for adults on two fundamental principles of Scouting, one new and another old. Lord Baden Powell believed that the premier learning method for Boy Scouts was through the patrol method and secondly the way to learn about the patrol method was through the EDGE model. Most adult leaders did not experience the patrol method while scouts Scouters through themselves. their previous training had the philosophy of the patrol method

Explained to them and later **Demonstrated** to them. Wood Badge completes that training by **Guiding** and finally **Enabling** them to learn the patrol method first hand and gives them the confidence to take what they learned back to their own units.

Greg Holt - Troop Guide





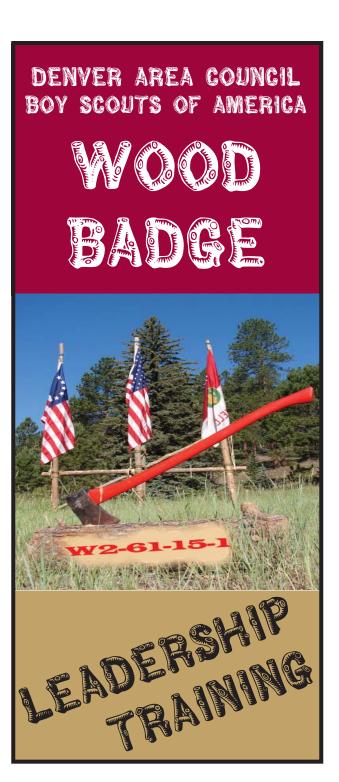
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WHAT IS WOOD BADGE?

Wood Badge for the 21st Century is for all Scout Leaders - Cub Scout, Boy Scout, Varsity and Venturing Leaders. Its focus is on leadership skills, not out-of-door skills.

The first part of Wood Badge course reflects the unit meeting, while the second part of the course uses a unit camping activity as its delivery model during Wood Badge. The model Boy Scout Troop will serve as the laboratory for the training purposes.

The Boy Scout Troop simulation provides a good framework in which to practice the leadership skills introduced during the course.

Boy Scouting provides a natural bridge between the various programs in Scouting. And leaders should understand the importance of transitions.







Wood Badge 2016 Fall Course

Spring 2016
Chris Hall - Course Director
Email: Wood.Badger@yahoo.com
Dates: April 15-17, 2016
April 29, 30, May 1, 2016
Peaceful Valley Scout Ranch

Fall 2016

Mark Stang - Course Director email: woodbadgemark@gmail.com Dates: August 25-27 September 8-10 Camp Tahosa Scout Ranch

Online Registration for the course may be completed at: http://www.denverboyscouts. org/openrosters/ view_homepage. aspx?orgkey=1896



Prerequisites:

- * Registered Member of BSA
- * Complete BSA Basic Training and Leader Specific required for registered position.
- * Completed Outdoor Training if required for registered position.
- * Be capable of functioning in an outdoor environment.



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