

Webelos Woods 2017 presents  
***Back to Baden Powell***  
A Webelos Scout Camping Event Held at  
Camp Marin Sierra  
September 1 - 3, 2017

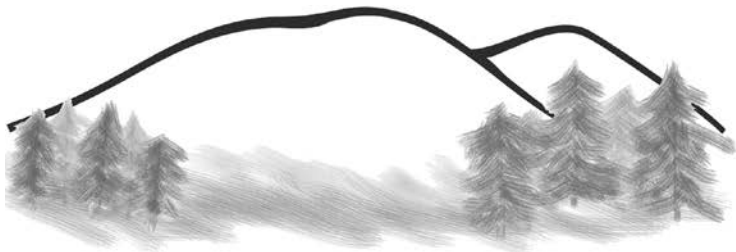
**Games with a Purpose:** Webelos Woods is designed with Lord Baden-Powell's simple description of Scouting as the guiding principle. *Back to Baden Powell* will have Scouts and parent's alike developing key skills and putting them to use as they overcome mixed challenges spread throughout camp in the Sierras. Good sportsmanship is required; sample activities may include swimming, boating, archery, pellet guns, outdoor skills, first aid, cooking, handicraft, nature, and especially good Scouting FUN!

**What is Webelos Woods?** Webelos Woods is a weekend program for current or prospective Webelos I and II Scouts, and their parent or adult guardian/partner. The adult partner must be a family member or legal guardian over 18 years of age. If your son is entering 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> grade in the fall of 2017 he is eligible to attend. This camp is an opportunity to work on Webelos-specific advancement activities in the beautiful setting of Camp Marin Sierra. Webelos I and Webelos II Scouts will be grouped into patrols of up to 8 similarly ranked boys, lead and mentored by Boy Scouts and Crew members from the Marin Council. This is truly a chance for the boys to develop skills and sportsmanship in a fun environment, and be inspired by the

promise of the next level of Scouting. Don't miss out!

**Fees and Registration:** The fee for the camp is \$45 per Scout and \$45 per adult partner. Registration is on line at [boyscouts-marin.org](http://boyscouts-marin.org). Medical forms—parts A and B, plus the shooting sports waiver must be sent to the council office no later than August 25, 2017. Attendance is limited to the first 64 teams (youth and adult). A waiting list may occur if registration is full before the deadline date. Please call if registration is full and you'd like to be on the wait list. Please note, no refunds after August 15, 2017.

**Check-in and Check-out:** Arrival at Camp Marin-Sierra should be between 5:30pm and 8:00pm on Friday evening, September 1<sup>st</sup> OR by 8:00 am Saturday morning, September 2<sup>nd</sup>. This is a holiday weekend, so allow extra drive/traffic time up Interstate 80 and into the Sierras. Registration is at the large "Ibach Lodge" next to the camp's main parking lot. Friday night program begins at 8:30pm. As part of the check-out process on Sunday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>, all personal gear will be packed and your campsite inspected following the morning camp-wide Interfaith Worship Service.



**What to Bring to Camp:** Webelos handbook, Scout uniform, hat, toiletries, tent, backpack, sleeping bag and pad, flashlight, lantern, medical forms for both youth and adult partner, medications, first aid kit, swim suit, towel, clothing for warm and cool weather, insect spray, sunscreen, water bottle, plate, bowl, cup, eating utensils, compass, pocket knife and a copy of scout's Whittling Chip card. (Please note: all youth electronic devices; iPods, Gameboys, laptops, tablets, etc. must be left at home!)

**Camping at Marin Sierra:** All participants will camp in campsites by pre-assigned groups. Tent platforms are provided, but please bring your own tent and other camping gear. We encourage the Scouts to set up their own tents. No food allowed in tents. Bear boxes are provided for all "smellables" (i.e. sun screen, soaps, shampoos, toothpaste, deodorant, gum, candy, etc.).

**Meals:** Eat before you arrive Friday. Provided meals are Saturday breakfast, lunch, and dinner, and Sunday breakfast. Some of these meals will be prepared at your campsite. If you are arriving Saturday morning, you will likely want to eat on the way up prior to camp arrival. Please alert us to any special dietary needs and/or food allergies. No food is allowed in tents. Bear Boxes are at each campsite for your use.

### **How to Get to Camp Marin Sierra:**

Marin Sierra is located on Highway 20 just west of the junction of Interstate 80 and Highway 20. From Eastbound Interstate 80, take the Grass Valley, Highway 20 exit number 161 and head toward Grass Valley for approximately  $\frac{3}{4}$  mile. The driveway for Marin Sierra will be on your right (3<sup>rd</sup> driveway).

**Medical Forms Required:** Only **Parts A and B** of the BSA medical form are required for all participants *including adult partners*. These forms must be sent in after registration AND a copy must be brought to camp with you. This medical form is only a health history and contact form and **does not require a physician exam or physician's signature.**

**Refund Policy:** No refunds after August 15, 2017. Refund requests must be in writing and sent to the Marin Council office.

**Confirmation:** A confirmation email (using your provided email) will be sent before the event with extra details and information. Due to pre-camp patrol assignment logistics, it is critical that we have your email address and cell phone. Parents will be coordinating with other unit parents prior to this event.

*Registrations accepted on a first come, first served basis.  
Due to the nature of this program the attendance at Webelos Woods  
is limited to the first 64 registered boys.  
A "Wait List" will be established.  
More slots may be added.*