

2009

Wood Badge 1

Company / Crew





Sessions: 7 - 10 p.m.

April 25, 2009 – Sessions 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Location: Scout Headquarters, Baseline Rd. Ottawa

Dear Participant:

Welcome. By receiving this letter, your application has been accepted at Headquarters for the Woodbadge I for Company or Crew, Course #837.

The course is based on the latest Scouts Canada Course Training Standards. Attached to this letter, is a "**Needs Assessment Survey**". In order for us to tailor the training to your needs, I ask that you fill in the attachment and return it me by e-mail, by April 4th in order for the training team to finalize their plans for the delivery of the course.

To tailor the program to meet your needs and time constraints, we ask that you familiarize yourself with the course pre-requisites. The links are listed below.

- a. How to Protect Your Child from Child Abuse a Parent's Guide found at the following link: Scouts Canada Official National Web Site: Protecting your child; and
- b. Woodbadge 1 Backgrounder Information for Participants, found at the following link:

 http://www.scouts.ca/media//documents/Woodbadgebackgroundparticipants.pdf

To cover all of the material and to fit into the timeframe requested, you will also find attached an "**Outdoor assignment**" to be completed prior to the beginning of the course. The reference book for this assignment is "<u>Field Book for Canadian Scouting</u>". Please bring your <u>completed assignment</u> with you at time of registration on Friday night.

The multipurpose room has been booked for the course. However, if we find that the weather is nice, we will move outdoors. For that purpose please bring a chair for your needs.

Registration begins at 6:30 p.m. with the first session starting at 7 p.m. Your diligence on our start time will keep us on schedule. The material being covered does not give us much free time; however we will accommodate all of your questions/concerns.

Full uniform is requested.

If you wish to take notes, please bring something for that purpose. Handouts will be kept to a minimum. If however you wish to have information, it will be sent upon request either by e-mail or slow mail.

To keep the cost to a minimum, we ask that you bring your own lunch on Saturday. Coffee Tea and snacks will be provided Friday evening and Saturday.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know.

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