

CAMP Freeland Leslie

Camp Freeland Leslie has proudly served Scouts with a quality summer camping experience since 1972. This premier camp is located near Oxford, Wisconsin (23 miles north of Portage, Wisconsin) and includes over 450 acres of forest, field, and lakefront. The camp is staffed with over 50 highly trained and dedicated personnel offering a wide range of programs. Opportunities are available for both units and individuals.



FISHING

HUMAN FOOSBALL

There's a
BADGE for that!

MERIT BADGE OFFERINGS:

- Archaeology
- Archery
- Art
- Astronomy
- Basketry
- Bird Study
- Canoeing
- Camping •
- Citizenship in the Nation •
- Citizenship in the World •
- Cinematography
- Communications •
- Cooking
- Emergency Preparedness •
- Environmental Science •
- Fingerprinting

- First Aid •
- Fish and Wildlife Management
- Fishing
- Forestry
- Geocaching
- Geology
- Golf
- Horsemanship
- Indian Lore
- Insect Study
- Leatherwork
- Lifesaving •
- Mammal Study
- Nature
- Orienteering
- Painting

- Personal Fitness •
- Pioneering
- Photography
- Radio
- Reptile and Amphibian Study
- Rifle Shooting
- Rowing
- Sculpture
- Shotgun Shooting
- Small-Boat Sailing
- Soil and Water Conservation
- Space Exploration
- Swimming •
- Weather
- Wilderness Survival
- Wood Carving
- REQUIRED FOR EAGLE

OTHER PROGRAMS OFFERED

- Climbing Tower
- C.O.P.E.
- Flying Squirrel
- High Adventure
- Human Foosball
- Instructional Swim
- Kayak BSA
- Mile Swim BSA
- Snorkeling BSA

The list of Merit Badges are subject to change with approval from the Council Advancement Committee.

www.freelandleslie.com

HIGH ADVENTURE PROGRAMS

Available for Scouts this year at CFL is the High Adventure program, which is designed to meet the needs of those Scouts experienced in the CFL summer camp program. Scouts will leave camp after breakfast and return no later than 5:00 PM. Scouts participating in the program can choose to participate on certain days so they can also do advancement in camp. The schedule is flexible and changes to meet the needs of the participating Scouts. This is a program for older boys; Scouts must be 13 by January 1, 2011 to participate. Camp consists of day long trips. A Scout can do one trip during the week or partake in all of the trips. Each trip has a nominal fee to offset the cost of travel and equipment.

Enjoy the experience of canoeing, bicycling, C.O.P.E., spelunking, rappelling/rock climbing and much more. There is an additional charge of \$30 for those Scouts participating for the week.

PROJECT C.O.P.E.

Project C.O.P.E. stands for Challenging Outdoor Personal Experience. It is a unique opportunity for older Scouts and adults with a focus on leadership, problem solving, self-esteem, communication, trust, decision-making, and teamwork. The course is broken into divisions such as the team course, where participants may ride the "sonic surfboard" or work together to get the team out of a giant "meat grinder." The finale of the week is the High Course, where participants complete challenges well off the ground.

Participants of C.O.P.E. must realize that the program will take up their entire afternoon (Scout) or morning (adult) schedules. Often called, "an experience we will never forget" by those who have participated, we encourage all who are interested to participate. We hope to see you there! You must be age 13 by January 1, 2011 to participate.

FIRST CLASS TRAIL

The First Class Trail is designed for first-year Scouts who have not yet achieved First Class. The major goal of the program is to familiarize Scouts with the basic outdoor skills taught at CFL, including first aid, orienteering, nature, knots and lashings, fires and cooking, and wood tools. The program is not designed to replace the troop's current training programs or to cover all of the requirements for all three badges. However, the Scouts should leave camp at the end of the week having completed many of the requirements on the trail to First Class and be better prepared to handle themselves in the outdoors.



TRADING POST

Our camp Trading Post is well stocked with a variety of camp supplies: handicraft supplies, toiletries, advancement materials, souvenirs, camping gear, Scouting literature and equipment, and snacks. Scouts should bring enough money to cover the cost of items such as handicraft kits, merit badge books, camp souvenirs, and other program costs - \$50 to \$70 should be an ample amount. The Trading Post will be open Friday night and Saturday morning for the convenience of parents picking up their Scouts. Troop pizza parties are also available at a reasonable cost.

SCOUTS ARE WELL FED AT CAMP

Our food service staff go the extra mile in making sure each Scout gets plenty at each tasty and nutritious meal. The Friday night meal prepared by the staff is the highlight of the week. The staff will make every possible accommodation for Scouts or leaders that have any religious, physical, or medical dietary restrictions.

HEALTH and MEDICAL

An Annual Health and Medical Record #34605 (Replaces Class 1, 2, 3) form is required for each youth and adult participant. Part B requires a medical examination having been completed within the past 12 months by a licensed medical physician, nurse practitioner or physician's assistant. Their signature on the form is required. In accordance with state law, medical forms cannot be returned. **Please keep a copy for your files.** Certified medical personnel are available at camp 24 hours a day. Note: please see 2011 leaders guide for full details.

Make Your Plans Today!!!

2011 Summer Camp Dates • Camp Fee \$245

Week 1 June 26-July 2 (Sun.-Sat.)

Week 2* July 3-9 (Sun.-Sat.)

Week 3 July 10-16 (Sun.-Sat.)

Week 4 July 17-23 (Sun.-Sat.)

Week 5* July 24-30 (Sun.-Sat.)

*Provisional Weeks

Refer to the website for the full refund policy. New Scouts transferring from Webelos are eligible for the \$245.00 per week fee at any time. All fees are collected by your unit leader. Please see CFL leaders guide for fee structure on adult leaders.

* Add \$10.00 for out of council or provisional campers. ⁵⁰ of the camp fee is a non-refundable deposit.

New High Adventure Program: Week 6 July 31-August 6 (Sun.-Sat.)

Camp Fees \$275.00 if paid in full on or before June 1, 2011; \$295.00 if paid after June 1, 2011

\$50.00 of the camp fee is a non-refundable deposit.

The week of July 31-August 6 will be a special High Adventure week for Boy Scouts age 14-17 and Venturer's (co-ed age 14-20). This will be an enhanced high adventure program with a combination of exciting trips and advanced training. Participation can be as a troop or crew or provisional with the camp providing the adult leadership. Please see the web-site (www.freelandleslie.com) for more details. Please fill out the High Adventure Program interest form as this will help us to plan the specific program based on the participants interests. Estimated cost is \$275.00 and may vary slightly if more expensive options are selected.

Program Opportunities

MERIT BADGES

A total of 48 merit badges (10 Eagle required) are offered for 2011! Geocaching was added for 2011! Check with your Scoutmaster for a complete list of what is available. Some merit badges do require pre-camp work. So get started today in planning your camp advancement goals! You may register online for merit badges after March 1, 2011 at www.freelandleslie.com.

FISHING

If you like fishing, be sure to bring your tackle because Lake Emrick offers some of the best fishing in Central Wisconsin. Perch, bluegill, and bass await you! If you haven't fished before, Camp Freeland Leslie is a great place to start. We have some equipment available at camp.

HIKING

The Ecology/Conservation department will have hikes available for Scouts, both staff-led and self-directed. Ask the area staff about hiking opportunities. Don't miss out on the chance to enjoy the natural beauty of Camp Freeland Leslie!

SHOOTING SPORTS

Archery: at the archery range, you can learn to practice the skills needed to master the bow and arrow, always under

the guidance of qualified instructors. Field archery range is also available.

Rifle and Shotgun: Our trained instructors will teach safe methods for handling a rifle, shotgun or black powder rifle. With a little practice, you too can learn to be an accurate and safe shooter. Learn the correct way to shoot and the basics of gun safety from experienced instructors.

AQUATICS

Everyone has fun at the waterfront, regardless of ability. You will have a chance to improve your swimming and boating skills on Lake Emrick, our private, crystal clear spring-fed lake. All waterfront activities are supervised by trained lifeguards who are excellent teachers. Many Scouts learn to swim at camp. Additional waterfront activities include:

Snorkeling BSA: Explore the depths of Lake Emrick in this underwater adventure!

Sailing: Bring a buddy and let the wind take you where it will in one of our many sailboats.

Boating: Choose your craft: canoe, sailboat, kayak or rowboat. Mile Swim - for those looking for a real challenge, test your ability to swim a mile.



CAMP FREELAND LESLIE (CFL)

CFL is a great place year round - not just during the summer. Fall, winter, and spring are ideal times to enjoy Camp Freeland Leslie. The Deicke Visitor Center is available year round on weekends, and it's heated, has bunks for 32 people, showers, flush toilets and a kitchen. There are also campsites available for weekend use in the off season. There are ski resorts, the Wisconsin Dells and many other great attractions to visit in the area.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS

Order of the Arrow

The Order of the Arrow, Scouting's National Honor Society, is very active at Camp Freeland Leslie. The Lowaneu Allaque Lodge has a full-time Camp Chief that oversees a call-out ceremony for all campers, an Ordeal Induction, and Brotherhood Ceremony for eligible individuals.

PROVISIONAL SUMMER CAMP OPPORTUNITIES

If you can't attend Summer Camp with your troop or if you would like a second week at camp to work on merit badges, we will provide a provisional troop (CFL provides the leadership). An application is available on the council website (www.ThreeFiresCouncil.org) or call Pete Dillenburg at the Council Service Center (630) 584-9250 Ext. 100. This camp is offered during weeks 2 & 5. If you are unable to attend one of these two weeks please contact us, and we will try to match you with a troop attending Camp Freeland Leslie (CFL). Cost is \$240 if paid in full by June 1, 2011.



CAMP STAFF

We are still looking for a few highly motivated individuals to serve on our camp staff. Paid staff must be at least 15 years of age and Counselors in Training (serve unpaid for a week or two) must be at least 14 years of age. Applications are available at www.threefirescouncil.org or at the Norris Service Center located at 415 N. 2nd Street, St. Charles, IL.

Notice - Swimming Test Information for Campers at CFL

Part of the experience at Camp Freeland Leslie is swimming and boating in beautiful Lake Emrick. In accordance with national BSA safety policies, to fully enjoy the aquatics program opportunities at CFL a swimming ability test is required. Three Fires Council offers several chances to take the swimmer's test prior to camp. The pre-camp tests are optional and offered as a convenience to make check-in at camp easier. Watch the website for details in the spring of 2011. The swim test may also be taken upon arrival at camp.

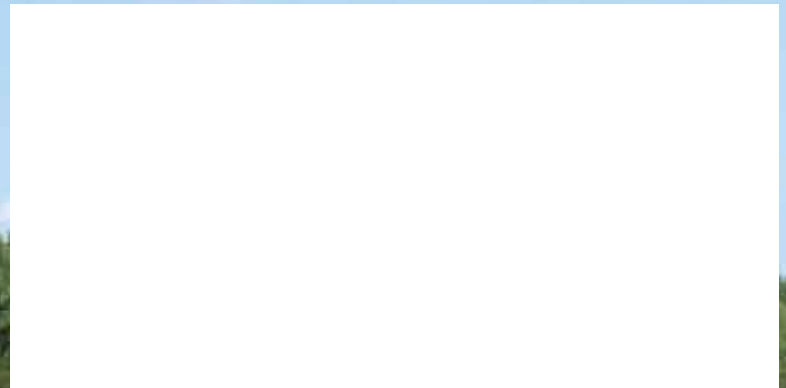
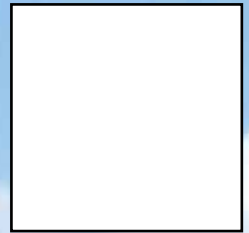
In Scouting, all participants are one of three defined classes of swimmers; non-swimmers, beginners, and swimmers. In order to be classified as a swimmer, participants must be able to swim 100 yards in a strong manner (no dog-paddle) including 25 yards using a resting backstroke, and complete the test by floating motionless. Beginners must swim 50 feet on the surface including making a sharp turn. The swim tests are conducted in water over the swimmers head. Please see the council web-site (www.threefirescouncil.org) under the camping section for more complete details on the swimming test and policies.





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at the home page, click on Scout Shops!*



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National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT)

Learn how to be a top notch leader in your troop.

Where: Scout Adventure Camp - Rochelle

When: June 19-25, 2011

Who Attends: Scouts 13 or older and First Class

See website for details.

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Oct 7-9, 2011 at Sandwich Fair Grounds

1401 Suydam Road

Sandwich, IL (815)786-2389

(Rain or Shine)

- * Adult Leader Training will be offered at CFL.
- * Wireless internet for leaders is available at CFL.

Unit online registration and merit badge
registration now available at www.freelandleslie.com

Looking for the best Scouting camp experience. View the new 2011 Camp Freeland Leslie video at www.freelandleslie.com or visit a CFL kick-off meeting to learn more and sign up today!
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