Opened on May 23, 1917, Camp Miakonda is the sixth oldest Boy Scout camp in the United States, and the oldest in the State of Ohio. Come help us celebrate by going to camp and enjoying the program and facilities and natural surroundings that we have here in Erie Shores Council. For more information, visit our website: www.erieshorescouncil.org.

This is your camp. Camp Miakonda. Adventure starts here!

SAVE THE DATE
Annual Scouter Recognition Dinner

Thursday, June 1, 2017
5:30 p.m. Fellowship  7:00 p.m. Program
6:00 p.m. Dinner  8:30 p.m. Dessert Reception
The Toledo Club, 235 14th St., Toledo, OH 43604

You are cordially invited to join us as we recognize the outstanding service of some of our fellow Scouters at the 91st Annual Scouter Recognition Dinner. It will take place on Thursday, June 1, 2017 at The Toledo Club. The cost of the dinner is $20 per person. Space is limited, so please make your reservations no later than Thursday, May 25, 2017 by visiting www.erieshorescouncil.org/srd. If you have any questions, please contact Jaci Cangealose at 419-340-4458, or email her at jaci.cangealose@scouting.org. We look forward to celebrating with you!

Early Bird Deadlines for Summer Camps

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Summer Job Fair

Wednesday, May 31, 2017
Financial Opportunity Center
2860 Lagrange Street
2:00–5:00 p.m.

Applicants will have the opportunity to complete on-site interviews, inquire about Summer and Fall employment, Fall internships, and volunteer opportunities.

Stay Connected
For information about district events and activities, please call your district executive, attend your district Roundtable, visit the district website, and/or link from the council website www.ErieShoresCouncil.org

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Fellow Scouters,

Scouting events during the spring and summer months are plentiful and full of excitement! Many special events are planned for the 100th Anniversary of Camp Miakonda. I hope to see both youth and adult scouters participate in these events.

Cub Scouts can attend day camp at Camp Miakonda or White Star in Gibsonburg (Eagle Bay). Boy Scouts can have a blast at Camp Frontier during their summer camp program. Staff are still needed for Camp Miakonda and Camp Frontier. Both camps are looking for anyone age 15 and up for summer employment. Youth age 14 may apply to be a CIT (counselor-in-training). For more information please go to: www.eriehorescouncil.org/CDC or www.psrweb.org.

Another important area in scouting is Youth Protection Training (YPT). The Boy Scouts of America places the greatest importance on creating the safest environment possible for our youth members. It is everyone’s responsibility to keep your YPT up to date. Go to my.scouting.org to renew online. YPT is also offered as a classroom training from 10 am to 12 Noon at the Jadel Leadership Center on Aug 26, Sep 30 and Dec 16. Additionally, there will be training on Nov. 4th at the University of Scouting.

I look forward to seeing you in the next few months and please take advantage of these wonderful summer time activities! If you have any questions or concerns, I will be happy to help.

Yours in Scouting,

Tim Myers, Council Commissioner
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Council Commissioner

SCOUTREACH DISTRICT NEWS

Scoutreach District Dinner
Scoutreach District Committee invites the entire Council to join us for our Annual District Dinner on Wednesday, May 10, 2017 at the Jadel Center. Tickets are $10.00 and proceeds support the district’s important work with youth. The online registration feature, allows guests and supports to sponsor additional tickets for youth in Scoutreach. (www.eriehorescouncil.org/content/18996/Scoutreach-District-Dinner). Doors open at 5pm and dinner available beginning at 6:00pm.

New Volunteers
Scoutreach District welcomes our two new district volunteers. Sajid Ali, MD is a Life Scout from Texas and is currently completing his residency at St. Vincent’s Mercy Hospital. Dr. Ali will volunteer as a District Vice President and focus on membership and programming. Angela January is a long-time Toledo resident, full-time real estate agency and former United North Board President. Ms. January will also volunteer as a District Vice President and focus on matters of the Finance and Nominating committees.

New Kernel Training - Whether this is your first year as a Popcorn Kernel or you just want to get a refresher, we have several training opportunities coming up in June for you! You are welcome to attend the one that is most convenient to you.

- Thursday, June 8, 2017 - 7:00 p.m. at Bass Pro
- Tuesday, June 13, 2017 - 7:00 p.m. at the Jadel Leadership Center, Camp Miakonda

For more information, please go to www.eriehorescouncil.org/popcorn or contact Erin Lalonde at 419-843-0111 or email her at erin.lalonde@scouting.org. Or, you may contact Taia Sutherland, ESC Popcorn Kernel, at 419-465-7197 or email her at ptjsuther@aol.com.

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Troops to Honor Scoutmasters for “Ring of Honor” at Camp Miakonda

As Erie Shores Council raises funds for the Ring of Honor at Camp Miakonda, of note are several Troops that are fundraising to honor their Scoutmasters. These grassroots efforts take advantage of resources available through the Development Department at Erie Shores Council as all Troops and Packs are reminded that many creative approaches may be used when fundraising.

The importance of the campfire circle as an institution at Camp Miakonda cannot be overstated. Every incident of the camping program is a factor in making the campfire circle the central attraction and the greatest joy of the camp. The evening with its gathering shadows, the physical weariness of the campers, the mystery of dancing flames—all tend to make the gatherings around the campfire circle the greatest single item in camp life. It is the psychological time of day; for the boys are a little exhausted with the strenuous activities of the daily program, and the mind is receptive and susceptible to the soothing influence of a story or a little entertainment. The gathering of dusk over the forest at Camp Miakonda and the falling of night during the happy hour at the fire seem to round off to the perfect day in camp.

We need your help. As you know, the Campfire Circle at Camp Miakonda has been condemned due to unforeseen structural damage and needs to be redesigned and rebuilt. We are asking 30 Scouting supporters to step forward and play a role in the rebuilding of this treasured space and continue our time-honored tradition of the Campfire Circle for generations of Scouts and their leaders. Erie Shores Council requests a gift of $10,000 from each of the 30 supporters that wish to be a part of this new dynamic feature at Camp Miakonda. As a result of this gift, you, your family, or others to be honored by you, will forever be recognized in the Campfire Circle as a member of the Ring of Honor. A plaque of your wording will be permanently affixed to the Campfire Circle seating for all to see and honor.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact: Dean Adkins, Director of Development, Erie Shores Council, P.O. Box 8728, Toledo, OH 43623, Phone: (419) 266-6856 or email at: Dean.Adkins@scouting.org

“Travels in Time”
2017 Camp Miakonda Cub Scout Camp

All Cub Scouts in grades 1-5 (for Fall 2017 enrollment) are invited to come to Camp Miakonda Cub Scout Day Camp. Cub Scouts can enjoy doing such activities as: BB Guns, Archery, BMX, Fishing, Nature/Wildlife, Handicrafts, Swimming, Showmanship, and so much more. By attending Cub Scout Day Camp, a Cub Scout is exposed to the best classroom Scouting has to offer – the great outdoors! For more information, or to register, please visit www.erieshorescouncil.org/cdc or call 419-241-7293, ext. 107. Brochures were mailed to all registered Cub Scouts in March. Packs and dens are encouraged to attend Cub Scout Day Camp together to get a great start to the Scouting year!

- Cub Scouts can sign up for multiple weeks and will receive a discount of $20 per additional week!
- A sibling discount of $20 per week is available for Cub Scouts from the same immediate family!

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Registration & Fees:

- $149 per Cub Scout - Early Bird Registration Fee by May 12.
- $169 per Cub Scout – After May 12.
- The registration fee will include program materials, patch and t-shirt. Additional information and the online registration link can be found at: www.erieshorescouncil.org/cdc
Scouting for Food

Great job to all the Packs, Troops, Crews, and Posts who participated in the Annual Spring Scouting for Food drive in April 2017. Your efforts ensured that local food pantries across our service areas receive valuable donations.

Unit leaders are encouraged to submit service hours reports online by visiting servicehours.scouting.org/UI/Security/Login.aspx. All service hours for Scouting for Food must be entered before “earned” patches are delivered. Unit leaders should include where donations were delivered, number of volunteers, and number of items collected with their online report. Contact your unit or district commissioner to receive assistance with service hour reporting.

The Council is currently seeking community partner to sponsor the next Scouting for Food campaign, which includes Fall 2017 and Spring 2018, sponsorship includes placement of your logo on the door tags used for donation collections. Contact Artisha Lawson at Artisha.Lawson@scouting.org for details.
2017 Mud Hens Scout Experience

Come join the Toledo Mud Hens for the Annual Scout Experience nights at Fifth Third Field! It’s a great way to meet new Scouts, enjoy a baseball game and have a ton of fun!

PRICING FOR THE SCOUT EXPERIENCE:
- Game Ticket: $12 (Includes Pregame Parade, Mud Hens game and postgame Fireworks)
- VIP Scout Sleepover Experience: $9 (Includes sleepover, movie, run the bases, and a special scout patch)
- Picnic Snack (hot dog, chips, soft drink): $5
- Breakfast Buffet: $8
- Scout Hat: $11

PLUS, we’ll return a portion of all proceeds to your Scouts’ council!

Parking Tip: Plenty of off-street parking is available nearby with easy access to Fifth Third Field. Surface lots and parking garages are also available.

Parents, Sleep in Style! Parents, Don’t want to sleep overnight at Fifth Third Field? Call Park Inn directly and mention the Mud Hens Scout Experience for your discount.

Earn Your Patch: By purchasing a Mud Hens Scout Sleepover experience, you will receive a scout patch.

Camping: Miakonda Webelos Overnight

Erie Shores Council would like to invite all Webelos (Fall 2017 4th Graders) to come to an exciting Webelos Overnight to be held at Historic Camp Miakonda. We hope to give the boys a taste of the leadership structure in a Boy Scout Patrol Method, work on some Webelos Adventures and have a ton of fun!

Session 1 - July 5-6*
Session 2 - July 7-8*
*Sessions are limited to 80 Webelos.

Cost per youth or adult:
By May 12, 2017 - $44.00
After May 12, 2017 - $54.00
The cost includes will include a t-shirt, patch, tent site, and three meals.

Packs must provide two-deep leadership (up to 8 Webelos) or ensure that a ratio of one adult to four Webelos is maintained.

Meet the Mascots: Muddy and Muddonna will be available for photos and autographs during the game.

Postgame Fireworks: Enjoy a spectacular fireworks show right after the game!

BOY SCOUT/CUB SCOUT SLEEPOVER SCHEDULE
- Friday, June 16th
- Saturday, June 17th (SOLD OUT)
- Saturday, July 15th
- Friday, July 28th
- Friday, August 11th

PREGAME PARADE:
Our Scout Parade start 40 minutes prior to game time! Bring your banners and signs!

Reserve your Scout Night TODAY as space is limited. It will not cost you anything to put in a reservation!

For more information, call Brian on the Mud Hens Scout line direct at 419-725-9292 or email scouts@mudhens.com.

Advance Planning for a Successful Fall Scouting Program

Unit committees, before you break for summer, take steps now to help your unit have a successful fall program:

1. Leadership analysis - Recruit parents now to fill vacant positions and get them trained.

2. Tiger leaders - See if an existing leader is willing to be the Tiger leader or to be a mentor to the new one.

3. Build your unit calendar and budget - Create a one-page calendar handout with dates and activities to distribute to new parents and Scouts during the Join Scouting Night (JSN).

4. Erie Shores Council Join Scouting Night - Thursday, September 14 is a one-night marketing/recruitment blitz for new Scouts. See your District Executive or Commissioner for details and support.

5. Lions Program - Packs interested in the new Lions program for Kindergarten boys can go to: www.erieshorescouncil.org/lions. This is the Pack resource page for the new Lions program. Questions? See your District Executive.

Now go and enjoy your summer knowing your unit is good to go this fall.
Calendar of Events (Check ESC Website for Event Details)

**MAY**

5-7  Northwest Spring Camporee
5-7  Wood Badge – 2nd Weekend
8    Scoutreach District Dinner
11   Northwest District Dinner
11   Swan Creek District Dinner
12-14 Camp Frontier Staff Weekend
13   Trainer’s EDGE Training
18   Commodore Perry District Dinner
20   Camp Miakonda 100th Anniversary Open House
23   Camp Miakonda 100th Anniversary Date
24   Council Membership Committee
27   Iott Scout Shop Closed
29   ESC Office & Iott Scout Shop Closed

**JUNE**

1    Annual Scouter Recognition Dinner
2-4  Order of the Arrow Ordeal & Service Weekend - PSR
7-16 Camp Frontier Staff Training
12-16 Cub Day Camp Staff Training
8    New Popcorn Kernel Training- Bass Pro
11-16 National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT)
13   New Popcorn Kernel Training – JLC
16-17 Mud Hens Sleepover
18-24 Camp Frontier – Boy Scout Summer Camp Week 1
19-23 Camp Miakonda – Cub Scout Summer Camp Week 1
June 25-July 1 Camp Frontier – Boy Scout Summer Camp Week 2
25-30 Camp Miakonda – Cub Scout Summer Camp Week 2
28   Council Membership Committee

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