



# Program Highlights



## NEW to Cedars in 2018:

Radio and Chess merit badges, Monday evening cowboy campfire, Friday Fun Day.



## Program Updates:

- Kit Fox (First-Year Camper Program) – The program will take two class periods, leaving three periods to work on merit badges of their choice, like Swimming, First Aid, and Space Exploration merit badges. Kit Fox Scouts will not automatically be registered for First Aid or Swimming.



### • This is the list of what a Scout will work on in the Kit Fox program:

Scout Rank: 1a, 1b, 1c, 1e, 1f, 4a, 4b, 5

Tenderfoot: 1c, 3a, 3b, 3c, 3d, 4a, 4b, 4c, 4d, 5a, 5b, 5c, 6a, 7a, 8

Second Class: 1b, 2a, 2b, 2c, 2d, 2f, 2g, 3a, 3c, 3d, 4, 8a, 8b

First Class: 3a, 3b, 3c, 3d, 4a, 4b, 5a, 5b, 5c, 5d, 7a, 7b, 7c



### • Optional Requirements offered at camp:

Tuesday Night First Aid Requirements: Tenderfoot 4a, 4b, 4c, 4d

Second Class: 6a, 6b, 6c, 6d, 6e

First Class: 7a, 7b, 7c

Wednesday Night Swimming Requirements: Second Class: 5a, 5b, 5c, 5d

First Class 6a, 6b, 6c, 6d, 6e



## Dutch Oven Competition

- Dutch Oven Cook Off – Tuesday evening at the Scoutcraft area. Bring your cooking equipment, ingredients, and best-kept dessert recipe.



## Operation: Eagle:

- Scouts at least 14 years old, or 13 and completed the 8<sup>th</sup> grade, may experience Camp Cedars and Camp Eagle like never before. This program is an all-day, Monday-Thursday program where Scouts participate in mountain biking, backpacking, and tubing down the Platte River.
- In addition to the personal packing list in the Leader Guide (page 5), Scout will need to bring the following:
  - Sunscreen and bug repellent
  - Closed toed shoes to wear while on the river (**Required** for tubing down the river)
  - Hat or bandana
  - Swimsuit
  - Backpack suitable for a 6-mile overnight hike
  - Water containers to carry at least 2 liters
  - A willingness to challenge themselves mentally and physically
- Mountain bikes will be provided, but Scouts can bring their personal bike if desired. Camp can lock up bikes when they are not being used.





**Trades Program:**

- Expanded to week 5, July 8-14, and week 6, July 15-21
- This program is an all-day, all-week program where Scouts will be transported to the union's businesses and learn from professionals. Transportation will be provided.
- The program is limited to 24 people, and it's recommended for Scouts 13 or older.
- Scouts will be required to wear a 100% cotton long sleeve shirt, jeans, and hiking boots, preferably leather during the program times. Scouts will wear their Class A shirts to the program locations.
- Scouts may attend week 5 or 6 as a provisional Scout in addition to another week of camp. Adult leadership can be provided for those Scouts.
- Participating scouts can earn up to eight merit badges in the Trades Program.

**Tri-State High Adventure Base Option (T-SHAB):**

- Scouts at least 14 years old, or 13 and completed the 8<sup>th</sup> grade, may travel to Cedars with their troop and be transported to Little Sioux Scout Ranch to participate in the 164-mile Missouri River Canoe Trek.
- Separate registration is required for T-SHAB. Go to [www.TSHAB.org](http://www.TSHAB.org) to register.
- Units utilizing the T-SHAB option (Transportation from Cedars to LSSR) must have T-SHAB scouts arrive at Cedars by 9:30 a.m. for a 9:45 departure on Sunday.
- Reference the Participant Guide online at [www.TSHAB.org](http://www.TSHAB.org).

**Order of the Arrow:**

- Brotherhood Ceremonies – Tuesday night ceremony for those eligible. Must be members of the Kit-Ke-Hak-O-Kut Lodge.

**Nani-Ba-Zhu:**

- Nani-Ba-Zhu is for older Scouts (3<sup>rd</sup> year campers) and leaders who participate in long-term camping at Cedars. Talk with the NBZ Coordinator upon arrival to camp for youth advancement opportunities and adult nominations.

**Additional Resources at [www.GoScoutCamping.org](http://www.GoScoutCamping.org)**

