



June Norcross Webster Scout Reservation



2016 Specialty Camp Programs

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Ashford, Connecticut

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LIVE THE GAME

2016 BASE CAMP Dates

Week 1	June 26-July 2, 2016	BS & T2E
Week 2	July 3-9, 2016	BS
Week 3	July 10-16, 2016	BS
Week 4	July 17-23, 2016	BS
Week 5	July 24-30, 2016	BS
Week 6	July 31- August 6, 2016	BS, T2E & SC
Week 7	August 7-13, 2016	SC, WOW

BS = Boy Scout Resident Camp
 SC = Boy Scout & Venturing Specialty Camps
 T2E = Trail to Eagle Camp
 WOW = Webelos Only Week (Project WOW)

Visit our Website for 2016 Cub Country, Day Camp & Family Programs



Apprentice & Trades Camp August 7-13, 2015

Apprentice Week is a chance to 'get your hands dirty' and enjoy a week of working within various trade fields. Work will include personal projects as well as supervised maintenance to various buildings and areas of need at Webster Scout Reservation. All guidelines found in the current edition of the "Guide to Safe Scouting" will be adhered to at all times. Scouts will work with Master Craftsman and will earn Merit Badges in various trades. This week is not to be missed!



All Things Sportsman August 7-13, 2015



For one week only, JNW will be offering its All Things Sportsman's Advancement and Adventure week. This is NOT a typical week with the troop or crew. This program is focused on **fishing, hunting, shooting, and the outdoors**. Space is limited to 16 participants, so sign up early!

All Things Robotics & Technology August 7-13, 2015

Join us to earn the **Robotics Merit Badge, Game Design Merit Badge, Welding, Metalworking**, as well as the **NOVA Awards** in an intensive course that teaching robotics design, video game creation, and program ming at the same time! camp is a great way to earn some additional merit badges while pursuing a hobby or skill that could turn into a life-long passion or even a future career path!



All Things Helmets & Harnesses August 7-13, 2016

Put on a helmet and harness and you're good to go for The JNW's climbing, challenge course, and nearby canopy tour facilities. Helmets and Harnesses challenges you in different ways. Whether, you're solving climbing problems, negotiating the high ropes, or soaring through the trees, you'll learn more about yourself than ever before and you'll be amazed at what you can do. The week includes: some of CT's best Outdoor Rock Climbing locations, The exceptional COPE Course at Camp Mattatuck, and a Canopy Tour in Storrs.



FISH CAMP August 7-13, 2016



Being a good angler requires more than just fancy gear and lots of tackle; you have to possess basic techniques and understand how environment and biology combine to influence fish behavior. Join our expert anglers as they instruct everything from fly tying to fish frying. Campers will fish local rivers, ponds, lakes, and streams from boat and from shore. An introduction to Ocean Fishing will also take place. Fishing Merit Badge & Fly Fishing Merit Badge will be part of the program.

Adventure Photography July 31- August 6, 2016



Take your photography hobby to the next level. This week-long adventure photography workshop teaches you how to take great pictures while you are involved in the action. The Adventure Photography program teaches you to use your camera to tell the story of your outdoor adventures. You will learn about composition, lighting, exposure, and processing. More importantly, you will spend your days engaged in adventure activities that lend themselves to opportunities to apply what you learn.

Archeology: Raiders of the Lost... July 31- August 6, 2016



Do you feel like you are Indiana Jones yourself? Always looking for the Holy Grail or other ancient artifacts? Come to JNW for a fun and exciting week doing just that! This week is designed for a Scout of any age; just make sure to bring your trowels! Come excavate an 18th century mill site, learn about ancient civilizations, visit local archaeological sites in Connecticut, and learn from real archaeologists all while earning the Archaeology Merit Badge. This week is designed to be part classroom learning and part hands-on learning. Explore the history of the camp and visit an archaeology lab, museum, and archaeological site. Learn from local archaeologists about their work and how to make stone tools! Can you dig it? Sign up today!

Sea Scout Camp Nautical August 7-13, 2016

Camp Nautical is an opportunity for any Sea Scout attending to gain skills and experience. Advancement can be a source of pride and measure of your success in Scouting. Advancement in Sea Scouting is a measure of your nautical knowledge and your performance as a leader.



Trail to Eagle Camp Session #1 - June 26-July 2, 2016 Session #2 - July 31- August 6, 2016



These camps are open to all Scouts who have earned First Class rank. These fun-filled weeks allow Scouts to concentrate on those sometimes "hard to get" Eagle-required merit badges. All Scouts are placed in a "Trail to Eagle" troop at camp and work together as a troop, attending merit badge sessions and participating in other fun-filled camp programs. Experienced leaders will help Scouts understand how to select and conduct an Eagle Scout Service Project and how to prepare for an Eagle Scout Board of Review.

Can't attend with your Troop? Want to attend a second week? **BE A THUNDERBIRD!**

No Troop.....No Problem!

There is no reason for you to miss out on all the fun just because your troop isn't going to summer camp, or because other summer plans mean you won't be able to go to camp with your troop. Many Scouts will return for an additional week of camp, just because they had such a great time. Scouts who wish to go to camp without their troop can attend as part of the very prestigious Thunderbirds. All scouts taking part of the T-Birds will earn your special "Thunder Loops".



NEW FOR 2016 - Chef Prep – Cooking Techniques – JULY 31 – AUGUST 6, 2016



Cooking is more than just warming up Mac-N-Cheese! This is a cooking specialty camp where Scouts & Venturers can learn some gourmet camp cooking techniques and how to enhance their camping experience with some fine, outdoor dining. Beside learning basic skills, techniques and definitions, the Scouts will practice their craft in both the commercial kitchen and wilderness settings. Skills will completely cover, and move beyond, the basic Cooking Merit Badge requirements. The program will be run by Camp Alumni who are professional Chefs and come to JNW specifically to work with Scouts in this program. This looks to be one of our most popular programs this summer. Make your reservations early!

Counselor in Training

The Connecticut Rivers Council is proud to continue an exciting counselor-in-training (CIT) program during its 2016 season. This program is the first of its kind and serves as a model for CIT programs at all other scout camps at both council and national levels. The CIT program offers an intensive and challenging educational opportunity for anyone seeking to expand leadership abilities, knowledge of camp operations, and teaching skills. The 2016 CIT program is a one (1) **week commitment**. During the week, participants must undergo a rigorous schedule of training sessions aimed at developing outdoor skills, presentation and public speaking abilities, teaching methodologies, and an overall understanding of all areas of camp operation. The first part of the program is designed to instill the knowledge and values that JN Webster expects from all its staff members. Also a second week of the CIT program serves as a practical application of all the topics covered during the first week. Participants will work in all areas of camp and gain first-hand experiences to understand what it really takes to operate the high-quality programs and facilities found at JN Webster. Candidates who successfully complete this program will be closely considered for open positions on the 2016 JN Webster camp staff. However, please note that participation in the CIT program in no way guarantees employment at JN Webster. Visit us online www.jnwebster.org for additional information and registration.



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Lumberjack Rendezvous – Week 6

The 2nd Annual Lumberjack Rendezvous only offered on Thursday of Week 6. This afternoon into evening event will include traditional Lumberjack Competitions like Log Roll, Saw Competitions, Flapjack Cooking, Raft Racing and Pole Climbing. After the games, the camp will gather for a Corn Harvest Festival Dinner and Music. This event is not to be missed. Troops will compete to be crowned the Lumberjack King!

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