Day One:
Course Overview

BSA Training Continuum
• Fast Start training
• New Leader Essentials
• Leader Specific training
• Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills
• Wood Badge for the 21st Century
• Lifelong learning

What can you expect from Wood Badge?
• A global view of Scouting
• Contemporary leadership concepts
• Team development experience
• Leadership practice
• Fun and fellowship
Wood Badge for the 21st Century Central Themes

- Living the Values
- Bringing the Vision to Life
- Models for Success
- Tools of the Trade
- Leading to Make a Difference

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Living the Values

- Values
- Mission
- Vision

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Bringing the Vision to Life

- Listening to learn
- Communication
- Valuing people and leveraging diversity
- Coaching and mentoring
Models for Success

• High-performance teams
• Team Development Model
• Team Leadership Model

Tools of the Trade

• Project planning
• Leading change
• Problem solving and decision making
• Managing conflict
• Self-assessment

Leading to Make a Difference

Leaving a legacy
Why a troop setting?
- Framework to practice leadership
- Translates to any Scouting program
- Days One through Three = Three weeks of troop meetings
- Days Four through Six = Outdoor experience

The Gilwell Gazette
- Provides full access to information
- Tells what’s going on
- Is distributed each morning

Patrol Project
- Each patrol plans and produces
- Covers a universal aspect of Scouting
- Presentation involves all members
- Is presented on Day Five
Wood Badge Ticket

- A Wood Badge tradition
- Action plan for your goals
- A plan to take home

Summary

- Central themes
- Troop format
- The Gilwell Gazette
- Patrol project
- Wood Badge ticket