

**SOUTHWEST FLORIDA COUNCIL**  
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## **BALOO & IOLS**

Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation (BALOO) Training is an introduction to the **Cub Scout** outdoor program. A MINIMUM OF ONE adult is required to have BALOO training on a pack overnighter. **You must take the online pre-requisite training prior to arriving and bring your Completion Certificate with you.**

Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills (IOLS) Training is a hands-on course providing adult leaders with the practical outdoor skills they need to lead **Scouts BSA** in the out-of-doors. Leaders should feel comfortable teaching Scouts the basic skills required to obtain the First-Class rank. This course (along with Scoutmaster Specifics and YPT) is required of all direct contact leaders in a Scouts BSA troop to be considered "trained".

These courses are taught separately; therefore, you cannot receive training certificates for both courses. Becoming a trained leader means you must actively take the reins to ensure a quality program – every Scout deserves a trained leader. Enjoy camping, cooking, fellowship, and great training. If you are a new leader, this training is essential to help you make the most of your time and effort while having a lot of fun. Grab your tent and join us!

Questions, please contact: **Michael Brauer** District Training Chair, at: **239-877-7808** or email: [michael.c.brauer@gmail.com](mailto:michael.c.brauer@gmail.com)

- Dates & Times:** **Friday, Sept. 20, 2024 (5:00pm) through Saturday, Sept 21, 2024 (8:00pm)**  
**Registration Deadline: Thur., September 12, 2024; Payment is due at time of registration.**
- Location:** North Naples Church  
6000 Goodlette-Frank Rd  
Naples, Florida 34109
- Cost:** \$15 - Minimum of 10 participants per course to hold each training course.
- How to Register:** Simply go to: <http://www.swflcouncilbsa.org> and click on the calendar button on the upper left-hand side of the page. Go to the date of the training in which you would like to attend and click on that training. Scroll to the bottom of the page and click on the register button. Once you have gone through the whole process of registering, you will receive an instant confirmation of your registration.
- What to Bring:** Food (shopping list will be provided), Water bottle/cup, mess kit, personal camping gear, pen/pencil, and notebook.  
**BALOO Participants MUST take the BALOO Training on my.scouting.org and bring a copy of the certificate with them.**  
Log into my.Scouting.org → Menu → My Training → Expanded Learning → BALOO

**Cancellation Policy:** Once registration fees have been paid, an individual may become ill or otherwise be unable to attend an event. As the event has already incurred expenses related to the activity such as program supplies, insurance, food, patches, etc., event fees are non-refundable & non-transferable. You may request a refund by submitting it in writing to the Southwest Florida Council Office by the individual no less than 72 hours before the date of the event. In most cases, only a partial refund can be made. **Refunds for inclement weather will be made only if the event is cancelled.** No refunds will be given on the Event Processing Fee.