



Mayflower Council Apr. 2025 Roundtable

Wed. Apr. 2, 7-8:00 PM, Furnace Brook Middle School Cafeteria, Marshfield

Main Topics:

- 1.) International Scouting (Rue Wilson)*
- 2.) Religious Awards (Kate Anderson)*
- 3.) Camp Squanto Summer Program (Mark McCulloch)*
- 4.) Non-advancement Awards*

No Breakouts tonight, meeting concludes at end of main session

**Let us
give you
a hand**



**New to Roundtable?
WELCOME and**

Thanks for participating!

*If you do not receive the roundtable emails
and would like to, email Dennis Gleason or put
a note on the attendance record*



Opening: Pledge of Allegiance



Opening Prayer:

Image from: www.ebay.com/str/cathymark4ever

Prayer adapted from:

<https://www.xavier.edu/jesuitresource/online-resources/prayer-index/leadership-prayers#>



Smart Phone Sign-in

Please, if you have your phone, please scan the QR Code use it to sign in.

NOTE: If you are viewing on your phone, and can't use QR Sign In – use this link:

<https://forms.gle/xEJ8vup8ggqHwQUTR7>

Or, use the sheets on the clipboards

Or, use the Chat if you are viewing virtually *THANKS!*



Mayflower Roundtable - Agenda



- If you have not already, please sign in
- On-Line “Parking Lot”: <https://forms.gle/sRbqQnKLmsPaNHrn8>
- Safety Moment: *Safe Transportation of Scouts*
- Announcements: NOTE – Not all event/announcement slides are shown due to time constraints. All slides will be included in the post on the council website.
- Discussion:
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Cranberry Harbors District will present District Awards here beginning at 8 PM

Headwaters' Last Hurrah! Roundtable, Awards and Party

6:30-8:30pm Monday, Apr. 14

Congregational Church of Westborough 57 W Main Street, Westboro, MA

Safety Moment: *Safe Transportation of Scouts*

Ref: <https://www.scouting.org/health-and-safety/gss/gss11/>



Transportation Checklist & Pre-Trip Checklists:

[https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/680-696\(21\)-SAFE-Transportation-Checklist-FPO3-5172021.pdf](https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/680-696(21)-SAFE-Transportation-Checklist-FPO3-5172021.pdf)

District Chair & Commissioner Minute





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International Scouting

Scouting is a global youth organization with over 55 million Scouters in 175 national Scout organizations.

We are Scouts: [World Organization of Scout Movement video](#)

Help your Scouts feel connected to their global Scouting friends around the world and to fulfill Baden Powell's lasting message to "leave this world a little better". Our Scouts are already globally minded - help them know it, share it, and wear it on their uniforms! [International Recognitions](#)



Messenger of Peace

[Messengers of Peace video](#)

MofP official [Guidebook](#)



Interpreter Strip

Guidelines and requirements:

[Language patch!](#)

[Interpreter Strip info](#)



International Spirit Award:

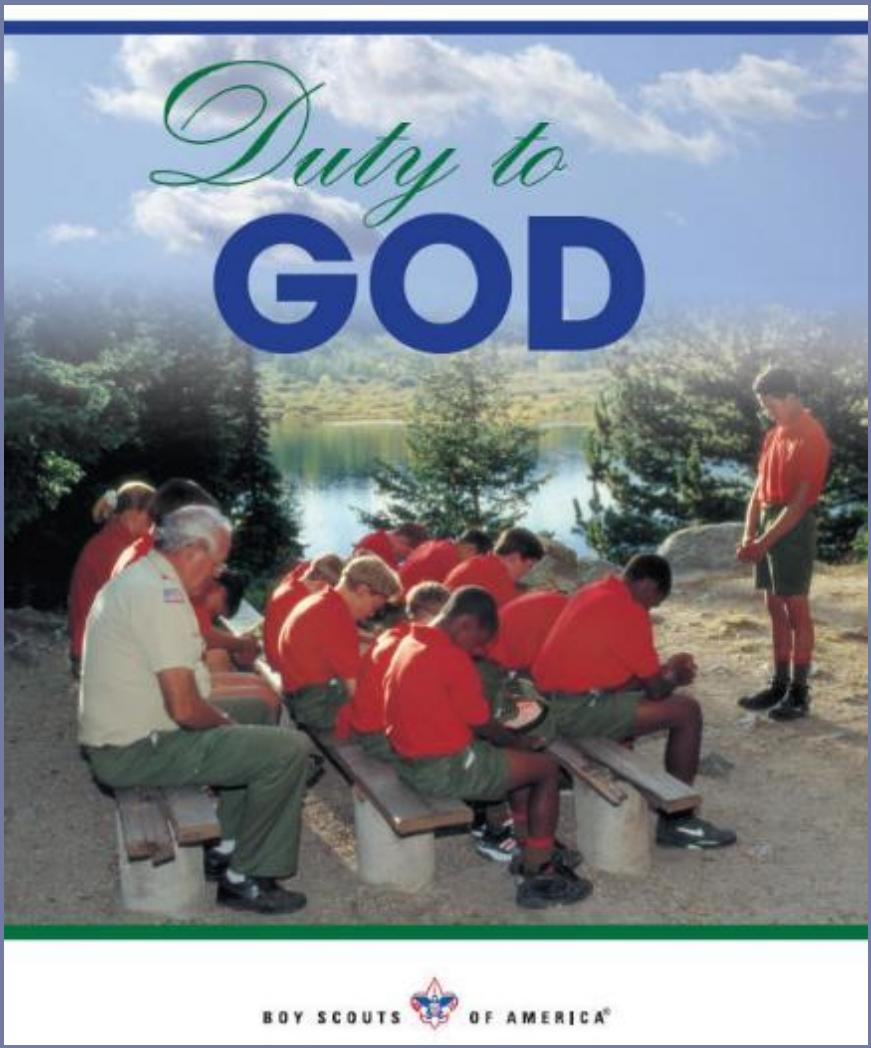
[Requirements](#)

Rue Wilson, Mayflower Council International Rep: [Email Rue - International at Council](#)

Please contact me with any questions about international Scouting, travel, awards, etc. I'll try to help!

RELIGIOUS EMBLEMS





What Are Religious Emblems?

- ▶ Developed by the individual faith groups
- ▶ Approved by BSA to be worn on the official uniform



Universal Religious Square Knot



“Devices”

- ▶ Religious Emblems Square Knot with 1, 2, or 3 devices



Earn the Emblem of YOUR Faith

- ▶ Parents and religious leaders will help you earn your religious emblem.
- ▶ These emblems are fun opportunities for you and your family to work on something together and get to know your clergy better.



How to Get Started: Step 1

- ▶ Step 1: Youth members must obtain the specific booklet for their religion.
 - ▶ Use the “Duty to God” brochure to identify the program for your faith.
 - ▶ Check with your council store or contact the religious organization directly.
 - ▶ Each Scout needs his own booklet to document progress.
 - ▶ Some religions offer adult manuals for counselors and mentors.



How to Get Started: Step 2

- ▶ Step 2: Parents must review the program guidelines.
 - ▶ Some programs require participants to be official “members” of the religious institution.
 - ▶ Age/grade requirements vary from program to program.
 - ▶ Each program sets its own guidelines as to who may serve as counselor. Some programs require clergy to serve as counselors; other programs allow parents or other family members to serve as counselors.



How to Get Started: Step 3

- ▶ Step 3: Families should talk to their religious leaders and show them the booklet before beginning any program.
- ▶ Most programs require that they be completed under the auspices of that religious organization.
- ▶ Many programs require the signature of the local religious leader.



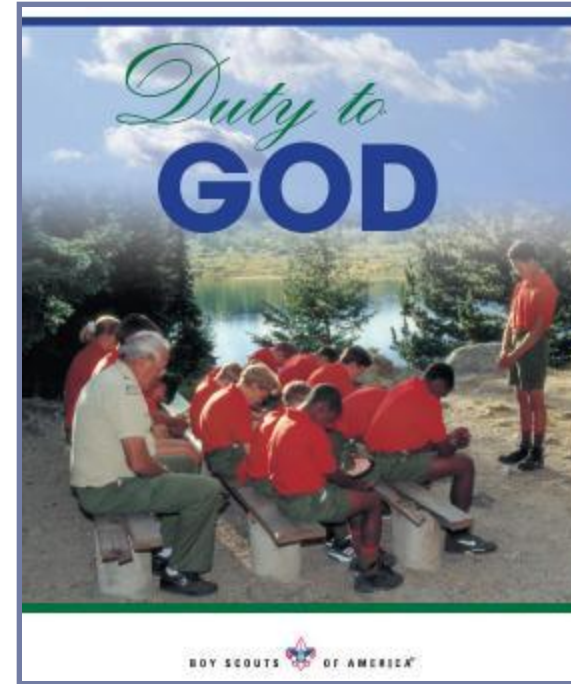
How to Get Started: Step 4

- ▶ Step 4: The youth member needs to complete the requirements, obtain the proper signatures, and follow the instructions to order the emblem.
- ▶ These emblems are not available from your local council store (follow instructions in your booklet).
- ▶ The emblem should be presented in a meaningful ceremony, preferably in the member's religious institution.
- ▶ The award can be presented at anytime of the year. Boy Scout Sunday/Sabbath in February is a perfect time to recognize recipients.



Handouts

- ▶ Duty to God Brochure
- ▶ Email with important links



Our Goals

- ▶ Talk to your parents and clergy
- ▶ Obtain booklet
- ▶ Set a schedule to earn award



Duty to God Promotion Patch



For More Information

- ▶ www.scouting.org
 - ▶ Religious Emblems Awards Program:
<https://www.scouting.org/awards/awards-central/religious-emblems/>
 - ▶ Duty To God – Religious Emblems Awards Booklet:
https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/512-879_VVB.pdf
- ▶ www.praypub.org





CAMP SQUANTO: 2025 Summer Program

Mark McColluch, Camp Director

Questions/Comments, email Mark:

[Link to Email Mark](#)



Non-Advancement Awards



Non-Advancement Awards

- Key Source: **Awards Central:**
 - <https://www.scouting.org/awards/awards-central/>
 - **Online version of Guide to Awards and Insignia:**
 - <https://www.scouting.org/resources/insignia-guide/>
- Numerous awards for:
 - Aquatics Activities (Kayaking, snorkeling, etc.)
 - Hiking (50-miler, historic trails, more)
 - Conservation Activities
 - Religious
 - NOVA (STEM related)
 - Cub Scout Outdoor Activity
- Leaders: Please review – recognize your Scouts (and fellow leaders)
 - Two activities highlighted in following slides

Cub Scout Outdoor Activity Award



- [https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/cubscouts/pdf/512-013-CS-Outdoor-Activity-Awd WEB-2021.pdf](https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/cubscouts/pdf/512-013-CS-Outdoor-Activity-Awd_WEB-2021.pdf)
- Award for Tiger, Wolf, Bear, Webelos
- Requirements:
 - Attend Day Camp or Overnight Camp
 - Complete a particular adventure (rank dependent)
 - Complete several (# dependent on rank) activities such as:
 - Participate in a nature hike in your local area
 - Participate in an outdoor activity such as a picnic or a fun day in a park
 - Explain the buddy system and tell what to do if lost. Explain the importance of cooperation.
 - Complete an outdoor service project in your community.
 - See requirements sheet for others.

Historic Trails Award

- Award for Scouts & Adults
- Requirements/Application Form:
 - <https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/pdf/430-066.pdf>
 - Locate historic trail/site, study information about it.
 - Hike or “Camp” 2 days & one night in vicinity of site.
 - Cooperate with an adult group such as a historic society to restore/mark trail/site. Or cooperate with such a group to plan and stage historic pageant, ceremony, or other public event related to this trail/site
- Numerous opportunities in our area – can provide a unique activity for Scouts of all ages!





Announcements

Note: Not all event/announcement slides can be displayed during the session due to time constraints. All slides available when this presentation was prepared will be included in the online posting after the session.



Announcement Slide Topics: See specific slides in the online posting for details

Note: slides available as of 3/29/2025 are included

All Programs:

- Camping Update:
 - BSA Overnight Camp - Squanto
 - Webelos & AOL Adventure Overnight - Squanto
 - Adventure Day Camp – Resolute
- 17th Masonic District Campership Fundraiser May 3
- Eagle Recognition Dinner – 6/16
- Squanto 100th Anniversary Limited Edition Gold Patch Set
- Squanto 100th Anniversary Patch Set

Packs:

- Council Pinewood Derby, April 5
- Chuckwagon Derby, Squanto June 7

Troops/Crews/Ships:

- Spring Camporee, Squanto, May 2-5
- OA events & Unit elections info:
 - Fellowship 4/25-27, Squanto
 - Induction May 9-11, Squanto
 - Squanto service: 4/5, 5/3, 5/17
- NYLT June 21-25, Squanto
- National Jamboree July 22-31, 2026
 - Zoom InfoSession: 4/3, 7PM Sign up at:
<https://bit.ly/JamboInfoZoom>
- Resolute Service Days & “engineers” recruiting

NOTE: All leaders should review the 2025 changes to the Guide to Advancement. See:

<https://blog.scoutingmagazine.org/2025/01/27/what-you-need-to-know-about-the-latest-updates-to-the-guide-to-advancement/>



THANKS
For Your Participation
AND
For all you do for our Youth



May Roundtable, Wed. May 7, Furnace Brook Middle School, 7PM

Planned topics: Planning to address menus for Scouts (all ages) more info to follow

If you have not yet done so, please sign in for attendance

(Use the form on the table, QR Code, link or chat)

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Questions/comments, use the Google forms “parking lot”:

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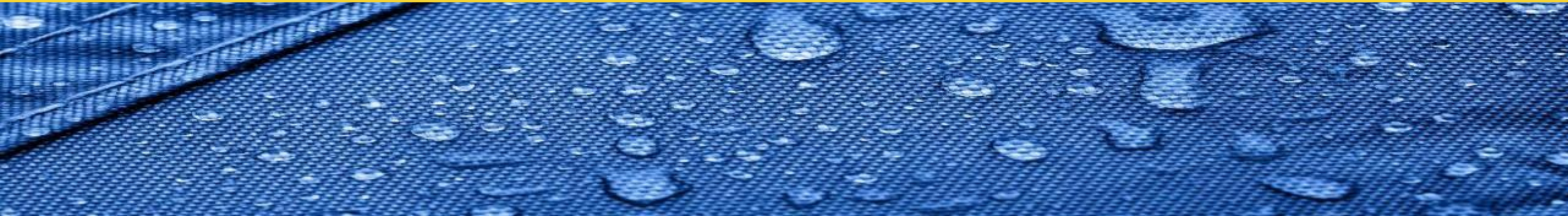


Mayflower Council Apr. 2025 Roundtable Event and Activity Detail Slides All programs



Summer Camp

**BSA - Overnight Camp (Squanto)
Adventure Overnight Camp (Squanto)
Adventure Day Camp (Resolute)**



BSA - Overnight Camp (Squanto)



- Mayflowerbsa.camp “Camp Squanto”
- July 6th thru August 9th 2025 (5 wks)
- Campers 6th – 12th graders
- 100th Anniversary | Philanthropy & Program enhancement
- Upgrades to the food service menu
- New programs for ACE participates



Discover, Explore, Thrive
– Summer Camp Starts Here!



Adventure Overnight Camp (Squanto)



- Mayflowerbsa.camp “Adventure Overnight Camp”
- August 10th - 13th 2025
- Campers 4-5 graders
- Introduction to overnight camping experience



Get ready for an unforgettable journey filled with outdoor exploration, thrilling activities, and the magic of Scouting camaraderie!



Adventure Day Camp - Resolute

- Realadventuredaycamp.com
- July 7th through August 8th (5 wks)
- Shifting from advancement curriculum to more elective programs to maximize fun!
- Based on sign ups will implement bus transportation & bag lunches

Summertime Learning is a must!



17th Masonic District Campership Fundraiser



"Best Ham & Beans
I've ever had"
- Lord Baden-Powell -



Saturday May 3rd, 5:00pm

All Proceeds for Scouting America, Mayflower Council
to fund Camperships for Scouts

Location
Tri-Town Masonic Lodge
38 Franklin St
East Bridgewater, MA 02333

RSVP
PRL JW Vince Belur
BroVinceBelur@gmail.com
781-341-5637

Suggested Donation
\$10 per Person
\$35 per Family



Mayflower Council NESA Chapter Eagle Recognition Dinner

Join us at the Annual Eagle Recognition Dinner
celebrating the Eagle Scout Class of 2024
June 16, 2025 - Lake Pearl, Wrentham, MA

Together we will celebrate:

- 4 New NOESA recipients.
- 2024 Eagle Project of the Year winner.
- The Eagle Scout Class of 2024.



Friends, Family, and most importantly Sponsors are all encouraged
to attend this popular event. Last Year we sold out, so sign up early
At <https://251sa.org/2025eagle>



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Camp Squanto 100th Anniversary Limited Edition Gold Patches Pre-Order

Pre-orders being taken until **Friday, May 30th, 2025**. (\$250 per set)

Scouting America
Mayflower Council



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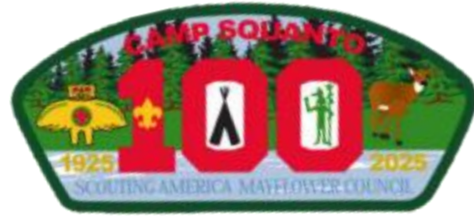


Celebrate Camp Squanto's 100th Anniversary with a limited edition set of six commemorative patches!

Each patch set will include six (6) patches with a gold metallic border honoring the history of Camp Squanto. Sets will be numbered 6 up to 100 on the front of each patch.

Included in set: Camp Squanto 100 CSP, OA Lodge Shoulder Flap, #1 Squanto Totem Pole, #2 Dining Hall, #3 Casoni Museum, #4 Waterfront.

Camp Squanto 100th Anniversary Patch Order



100th Anniversary CSP and OA Flap- \$50 (sold in pair only)



Set of four (4) CSPs- Camp Squanto Landmarks- \$150
(sold in set only)



Scan to Order

Pack Announcements & Events



Council Pinewood Derby

Saturday 04-05-2025 12:45 PM ET to 5:00 PM ET



Join us Saturday, April 5th for this year's Mayflower Council Pinewood Derby! Packs are encouraged to sign up the top 3 finishers from each rank year. Though some additional spots are available for close racers or small dens. Recently crossed over Arrow of Light Scouts are encouraged to attend!

Location: The Original Congregational Church , 1 East Street, Wrentham, MA 02093

Check-in and races staggered by rank throughout the day and latecomers won't to race.

Lion/Tiger (will race together but will be ranked separately)

Check-In 12:45 pm – 1:15 pm Races 1:20 pm – 2:00 pm Awards 2:00 pm – 2:20 pm

Wolf/Bear (will race together but will be ranked separately)

Check-In 2:00pm – 2:30pm Races 2:30 pm – 3:15 pm Awards 3:15 pm – 3:30 pm

Webelos & AOLs (will race together but will be ranked separately)

Check-In 3:15pm – 3:45pm Races 3:45 pm – 4:30 pm Awards 4:30:pm – 4:50pm

REGISTER: <https://scoutingevent.com/251-97364-228305>



Chuckwagon Derby – June 7

- <https://scoutingevent.com/251-Chuckwagon2025>
- **Save the Date Chuckwagon 2024**
Camp Squanto
Saturday 06-07-2025
7:00 AM ET to 4:30 PM ET



Troop, Crew & Ship Announcements & Events



Spring Camporee – May 2-4

- <https://scoutingevent.com/251-SpringCamporee2025>

- **Spring Camporee 2025**

Camp Squanto

Friday 05-02-2025 6:00 PM ET to

Sunday 05-04-2025 9:00 AM ET

Quest for Adventure - Spring Camporee

May 2-4, 2025 Camp Squanto

Early Bird Fee \$15- until 3/14

Regular fee \$ 25 until 4/1

Fellow travelers,

You and your clan will embark on The Quest, a journey through the woods of LeBaron Barker Scout Reservation (Camp Squanto).

Clans will travel through Realms which will test your skill, your knowledge, your accuracy and the bonds of your clan. May the spirits guide you well on The Quest.





Unit Elections

Tantamous Lodge 223

Schedule your Order of the Arrow Election today! Check your email for a email from Tantamous Lodge on 1/21/2025. Elections will be running from 2/3/25 to 5/30/25

If you need any help please contact us by using the QR code below



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Upcoming Events

Tantamous Lodge 223

Let all the OA members in your units know about these upcoming events!

April Fellowship

- April 25-27 at Camp Resolute
- There will be cracker barrel, Apache relay race, the Tantamous Cup, campfire programs, and more fun fellowship activities.
- Register with the QR code



May Induction Weekend

- May 9-11 at Camp Squanto
- Join us to complete your Ordeal, seal your Brotherhood, or help give back service to the camp
- Register with QR Code



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Camp Squanto Service Days

Tantamous Lodge 223

Tantamous Lodge will be hosting 3 service days this Spring to help prepare Camp Squanto for the 100th Year Anniversary and our lodge hosting New England Fellowship.

All scouts and scouters are encouraged to attend! This is NOT an OA only event. Troops are also invited to come and earn service hours



Register with the QR Code

Dates: Apr 5, May 3, May 17

Time: 9 AM - 3 PM (Check in starts @ 8:30)

Bring: Bagged lunch and work gloves



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National Youth Leadership Training

Mayflower Council is offering a week long NYLT at Camp Squanto
June 21-26 2025

Scouts BSA members (male and female) must be at least **13 and ranked a First Class Scout or higher**. They must have completed **Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops**.

Venturers and Sea Scouts (male and female) must be at least 14, or 13 and have completed eighth grade, and fall within the maximum age allowance for their program. **They must have completed Introduction to Leadership Skills for Crews or Ships**.



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2026 National Scout Jamboree and Mayflower Experience!

Attend Scouting America's premiere event!
2026 National Jamboree –July 22-31, 2026
Summit Bechtel Reserve, West Virginia

Scan the QR Code for Mayflower specifics and complete the
Interest Form to be the first to hear about joining the Mayflower
Contingent!

More information to come

Any questions, visit <https://jamboree.scouting.org/>

Or email

Jamboree@mayflowerbsa.org



Click Here for Jambo Info!



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Camp Resolute Service Days

Join us for spring cleanup as we prepare to open for our 106th season!

- Two Dates: April 12 and/or May 10
- Time: 8:30AM – 3:00PM
- If you are a unit camping at Resolute either weekend and can provide an hour of service, it would be greatly appreciated!
- Use the QR Code to RSVP to either weekend or both



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Camp Resolute Engineers

Are you retired? Work in a job that allows you flexible hours? Live near Camp Resolute? Then do we have a job for you!

The Resolute Engineers are a volunteer group who work at Camp Resolute on Wednesday, 9AM to 3PM (but can be rigidly flexible) to work on general maintenance and grounds keeping. The more the merrier to allow us to tackle more projects to maintain the camp. The projects are ever evolving.

Email use at: alumni@campresolute.org

Sample Projects

Painting
Painting....
and more Painting

Carpentry Repairs
Log Splitting
Mowing



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