



CONNECTICUT YANKEE COUNCIL

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

**2009 Merit Badge College
Schedule**

Dates:	February 7, 2009	Classes	9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon
	February 14, 2009	Classes	9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon
	February 21, 2009	Classes	9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon
	February 28, 2009	Classes	9:00 AM – 12:00 Noon
	March 7, 2009	Snow Make-up	9:00 AM - 12:00 Noon

New Location: Lyman Hall High School, 70 Pond Hill Road, Wallingford, CT 06473

Tuition: \$20.00 tuition fee includes Merit Badge Pamphlets, Merit Badge College Patch, facility rental and all administrative fees. No refunds after class assignment.

Registration Process: **Completed registration forms and fees must be submitted no later than 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, December 23, 2008 to the Council Resource Center.** Fees must be submitted with your registration form. Registrations will not be processed without proper forms and payment.

Walk-ins will not be accommodated.

Scouts registered without a rank will not be considered. Proper registration forms must be used.

Merit Badges Course Offerings *

1	Aviation	11	Electronics	21	Oceanography
2	Chemistry	12	Emergency Preparedness**	22	Personal Management**
3	Cit in Community**	13	Energy	23	Photography
4	Cit in Nation**	14	Engineering	24	Public Speaking
5	Cit in World**	15	Family Life**	25	Radio
6	Coin Collecting	16	Fingerprinting	26	Railroading
7	Communications**	17	Landscape Architecture	27	Safety
8	Crime Prevention	18	Law	28	Space Exploration
9	Drafting	19	Model Design & Bldg	29	Stamp Collecting
10	Electricity	20	Nuclear Energy	30	Traffic Safety

* Subject to availability of Counselors, Classrooms and Chairs

** Scouts will be assigned no more than two Eagle required badges

**Please use assigned numbers on registration form
Forms with Merit Badge names written in will not be processed.**

Adult Training Opportunities:

Youth Protection Training will be offered at 9:30 a.m. at all sessions. No pre-registration required, your unit need not be attending Merit Badge College.

Troop Eagle Coordinator Training will be offered Feb. 14th and Feb. 21st at 10:30 a.m. No pre-registration required, your unit need not be attending Merit Badge College.

Enhancing Advancement for unit leaders and committee members will be offered Feb. 7th and 28th at 10:30 a.m. No pre-registration required, your unit need not be attending Merit Badge College.

Internet Advancement for unit leaders and committee members will be offered Feb. 14th and 21st at 9:00 a.m. No pre-registration required, your unit need not be attending Merit Badge College.



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AIMS AND OBJECTIVES

1. The purpose of Merit Badge College is to provide Scouts with an opportunity to receive instruction and earn merit badges in subjects where a counselor may not be available through their units. Attendance does not guarantee the award of the badge. All stated requirements must be satisfied. Credit will be given only where a specific individual requirement or project has been fulfilled. Some badges such as Family Life, Personal Management and Citizenship in the Community cannot be completed in the one month time frame of Merit Badge College.
2. **Scouts will be limited to two Eagle Merit Badges.** Space is limited in all classes. To be sure that your Scout is assigned three Merit Badges you must give us eight choices to pick from. Scouts who do not make the required eight choices may not be able to get into three classes.
3. Merit Badge College is open to Scouts **First Class and above only.** Scouts applying for admission must read and understand the requirements for those badges they wish to earn. Scouts should note any prerequisites for badges selected. Merit Badge requirements are found in the Boy Scout Requirements Book and in the individual Merit Badge pamphlets. Merit badges required for Eagle may be found in the back of the Boy Scout Handbook. Be sure to consult the most recent edition of each book.
4. Registrations should be completed by the Scoutmaster or Unit Advancement Chairman. Scouts may **not** register on their own. Reminder— **No walk-in registrations will be accepted.**
5. The Scoutmaster must sign the Merit Badge College registration form. This signifies approval by the Scoutmaster for Scouts to begin working on the Merit Badges.
6. Merit Badge class assignments will be mailed to the name and address on the registration form prior to Merit Badge College. **Blue cards will be mailed to this name/address after Merit Badge College.**

STUDY HINTS FOR SCOUTS

1. Review and understand all Merit Badge requirements.
2. Use a notebook to record all assignments, projects and special instructions.
3. Record the name, address and phone number of each of your instructors.
4. Each instructor will issue assignments to be completed by the Scout between sessions.
5. Complete assignments by the next session or schedule set by the instructor.
6. Projects and assignments should be completed by the final session.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

1. **All Scouts and Scouters are required to wear the official Boy Scout uniform shirt at all times.**
2. Each unit attending Merit Badge College is asked to send one (1) adult to assist with Hall monitoring and supervision. Hall Monitors may attend adult training sessions.
3. All Scouts must leave the Lyman Hall Campus by 12:30 p.m. each session.

For information contact Karen Andersen at W(203)205-8684, H(203)264-2408 or by e-mail Karen.Andersen@cartus.com or Staff Advisor, David Rennie at (203) 876-6868, Ext. 275 or by e-mail david.rennie@scouting.org

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Unit leaders e-mail address

Unit # _____ Town _____ District _____ Dist. # _____

Unit Leader _____ Tel(Home) _____ (Work) _____

Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

This is the person/address to which all confirmations, class assignments and blue cards will be mailed to.

Merit Badge College is open to Scouts First Class and above. Each Scout must select eight Merit Badges. Please list the Merit Badges in order of preference. Fees must be submitted with this Registration Form.

<i>please print</i>		<i>please print</i>		<i>Merit Badge Course Number's</i>							
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Scoutmaster Signature

Date Submitted _____

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Total Scouts Registered _____

Total Fees Paid \$20 x # reg. = \$ _____

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