



**ESTABLISHED 1946**

**NORTHERN STAR SCOUTING**



# PROGRAM CATALOG

2024

More Information Online — [www.ManyPoint.org](http://www.ManyPoint.org)



# ABOUT MANY POINT

## QUICK FACTS

- Established in 1946
- 1669 Acres
- 13 Miles of Shoreline
- 40 Campsites
- 50+ Merit Badges Available
- Specialty older Scout programs

## 3 CAMPS TO CHOOSE FROM:

**Buckskin** - Enjoy all three meals in Granny's Dining Room at the Dining hall

**Ten Chiefs** - Patrol cooking, un-cooked food delivered to your campsite for all three meals

**Voyageur** - Patrol cooking, un-cooked food delivered to your campsite for all three meals

## 2024 CAMP FEES

**Youth Camper**— \$375

**Adult Leader**— \$135



## OLDER SCOUT PROGRAM

Many Point offers unique adventures for Scouts going into 8th grade or older. Older Scouts can come to camp as youth leaders, while also having new adventures every summer.

## INNOVATIVE PROGRAM

Many Point prides itself on providing unique experiences each summer. No matter how many times you've come to camp, there will always be something new for you to experience. For Scouts seeking leadership development, check out our CIT program.

## FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

For Northern Star Scouts, there is financial support available through the Northern Star Campership program. The funds to provide camperships are supplied by donors in Northern Star Scouting and are earmarked for Northern Star Scouts only. Please review the financial assistant page online for more information.

## PAYMENT TIMELINE

1. \$100.00 non-refundable campsite deposit made at time of the reservation.
2. \$50.00 per youth deposit (non-refundable) due by April 15
3. Full camper fee payment is due on June 1, prior to camp.

Any incidentals incurred at camp will be due upon checkout.





# SCHEDULE

## ADVANCEMENT TIME

Scouts will focus on merit badges and advancement during the morning hours. In addition, another session will occur in the afternoon.

## UNIT ACTIVITIES

Unit activities will be the focus of the afternoon where troops will participate in three hours of program. These will be scheduled with your commissioner.

## FREE TIME

After supper, all of the areas of camp are open. Scouts should buddy up and head to their favorite areas of camp for some fun!



2024 Weekly Program Camp Schedule

	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	
6:45 AM	Travel to Many Point				Polar Bear Swim			
7:30 AM		Breakfast						
8:15 AM		Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	Assembly	Check Out
8:30 AM		MB Session 1	MB Session 1					
9:30 AM		MB Session 2	MB Session 2					
10:30 AM		MB Session 3	MB Session 3	Travel Home				
11:30 AM	Lunch							
1:00 PM	Unit Activity	Unit Activity	Unit Activity	Unit Activity	Unit Activity	Unit Activity		
2:00 PM	Unit Activity	Unit Activity	Unit Activity	Unit Activity	Unit Activity	Unit Activity		
3:00 PM	Check in, Beach Demo, Campsite Setup	Unit Activity	MB Session 4	Unit Activity	Unit Activity	Unit Activity		
4:00 PM	MB Session 4	Iron Scout	Campsite Troop Time	MB Session 4	MB Session 4	MB Session 4		
5:00 PM	Campsite Troop Time	Campsite Troop Time	MB Session 4	Campsite Troop Time	Campsite Troop Time	Campsite Troop Time		
6:00 PM	Dinner							
7:00 PM—9:00 PM	Camp Tours, Free Time, SM Meeting	Free Time	Free Time	Free Time	Free Time	Mile Swim, Free Time		
9:30 PM	Opening Campfire					Closing Campfire		



# ADVANCEMENT

## MERIT BADGES

Many Point offers a quality assortment Merit Badges and Advancement appropriate for its environment. Using the table called "Advancement Schedule", have Scouts select the merit badge and advancement opportunities they would like to work towards accomplishing during the week. Boxes that are shaded take two advancement sessions.

**Swim Lessons** are offered at Many Point to support every skill level. Though these do not necessarily have a merit badge attached to them, they are beneficial for the Scouts swimming ability and helping them to the next level of achievement.

**BSA Lifeguard** is a certification that can be taken by adult leaders as well. BSA Lifeguard will be hosted at Ten Chiefs beach during the 1 & 2 merit badge slots for all participants.

**First Class Adventure** works toward many of the requirements in the Scout, Tenderfoot, Second Class, and First Class ranks.. For a complete list of requirements worked towards, please visit [www.manypoint.org/Article/first-class-adventure](http://www.manypoint.org/Article/first-class-adventure).

## MERIT BADGE PRE-REQUISITES

Some merit badges have requirements that need to be completed before coming to camp. Please review the [merit badge pre-requisites](#) form on the Many Point website for work to be completed. The MB Prerequisite form also shows any additional fees associated with specific merit badges, as well as any special items the Scouts may need to bring with them to camp.

## OLDER SCOUT PROGRAMS AND MERIT BADGES

Scouts registered in older Scout programs may miss a day or two merit badges. They can make up missed requirements during free time or campsite unit time.

Scouts accepted into Tier 2 older Scout programs will only be able to participate in Session 4 advancements.

## AGE/GRADE REQUIREMENTS

To help manage class sizes, some merit badges have a grade requirement.

## PROGRAM REGISTRATION

Once a unit has a campsite reservation, it will be given access to Many Point's on-line advancement features. The camping coordinator for each troop should administer program requests. Parents and Scouts should work with the camping coordinator to submit their requests. At Many Point, all Scouts will be accepted into the sessions they request.

Go to [www.manypoint.org/Registration](http://www.manypoint.org/Registration) to understand the full process for advancement registration.

## EAGLES NEST

Summer Camp is a fantastic time for Scouts to earn Merit Badges as Scouts work towards Eagle Scout. To support this, Many Point offers a program called Eagle's Nest. Eagle's Nest is a program in which Scouts can meet with counselors for Eagle-required merit badges in the evenings during open program and either start or finish up a badge.

## INDEPENDENT STUDY MERIT BADGES

Some advancement can be accomplished outside of scheduled advancement times. Scouts can work with Many Point's counselors and be provided with resources to accomplish these independent efforts. Counselors are available by appointment and all completed requirements should be submitted by noon on Friday.



# ADVANCEMENT SCHEDULE

Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4	Eagles Nest / Independent Study
Camping	Cooking		Swimming	Citizenship in the Nation
Communications	Lifesaving		Swimming Lessons	Personal Fitness
Environmental Science	Geocaching		Emergency Preparedness	Hiking
Rowing	Climbing		Photography	Geology
Search and Rescue	Archery		Snorkel BSA	Reptile and Amphibian Study
Weather	Sailing		Golf	
First Class Adventure		Canoeing		
Shotgun		Rifle		
Fishing & Fly Fishing		Archeology	Chess	
BSA Lifeguard (TC Beach Only)		Astronomy	First Class Aquatics	
Wilderness Survival	Music & Theater	Art		
Woodcarving	<b>Environmental Science</b>	<b>Citizenship in Society</b>		
	Indian Lore	<b>First Aid</b>		
	<b>Camping</b>	Fish and Wildlife & Mammal Study		
	Pottery	Forestry		
	Radio	Leatherwork & Basketry		
	Salesmanship	Nature		
		Signs, Signals and Codes		



# FIRST CLASS ADVENTURE

## A FUN SKILL FOCUSED PROGRAM!

The First Class Adventure program is an outdoor advancement program that focuses on Tenderfoot, Second Class and First Class requirements that can be done in a camp setting. Scouts will work with Many Point's engaging staff to become experienced at Scouting skills. After witnessing the Scout's advancement, unit leaders and Troop Guides can mark the advancement complete!



## ADULT LEADER SUPPORT

At least one leader from each unit with Scouts enrolled in the First Class Adventure program should attend alongside the Scouts to help with instruction, organization, and skill testing.

## TIMES OFFERED

First Class Adventure is offered during the 1 & 2 morning advancement sessions. First Class Aquatics will be offered during session 4.



## OTHER INFO

- First Class Adventure Hike: On Wednesday evening Scouts will have the opportunity to complete their five-mile hike requirement
- Scouts will also have the opportunity to earn Totin' chip and Fire'n Chit during the sessions



# UNIT ACTIVITIES

## WHAT IS A UNIT ACTIVITY?

Many Point was the first camp built and designed for unit development, and in staying true to our mission, we have structured program hours just for your unit!

Each afternoon, your unit will do three hours of activities together.

For program descriptions, please visit [www.manypoint.org/program](http://www.manypoint.org/program)

## HOW DO I SIGN UP?

**STEP 1:** At a unit meeting, Scouts review available activities.

**STEP 2:** Have your Patrol Leaders work with their patrol to determine which unit activities they'd like to do during their camp week.

**STEP 3:** Have the Patrol Leaders Council meet and determine your unit's top 15-20 programs to do at Many Point.

**STEP 4:** Unit camping coordinator can go to the [Unit Activities](#) page and can enter the units preferences into the "Unit Activity Interest" form.

Once your preferences have been submitted, camp staff will review all the requests from your unit and build your schedule. Your schedule will be given to you at camp by your commissioner.





# TROOP/CREW ACTIVITES



**CANOE SNORKEL**



**CHOPPED!**



**CLIMBING TOWER**



**DELTA**



**DISC GOLF**



**DR. DNA**



**FIREM'N CHIT & TOTIN CHIP**



**FISHING**



**FLOAT FOR FLOATS**



**GA GA BALL**



**GPS & GEOCACHING**



**GREASED WATERMELON**



# TROOP/CREW ACTIVITIES



**HEMP CRAFT**



**HISTORY CENTER**



**ITASCA STATE PARK**



**KNOTS AND LASHINGS**



**LEAVE NO TRACE**



**LOON LORE**



**MONKEY'S FIST**



**NATURE CANOE**



**ORIENTEERING**



**OVERNIGHT CANOE**



**OVERNIGHT HIKE**



**RESERVE SHOWERHOUSE**



# TROOP/CREW ACTIVITES



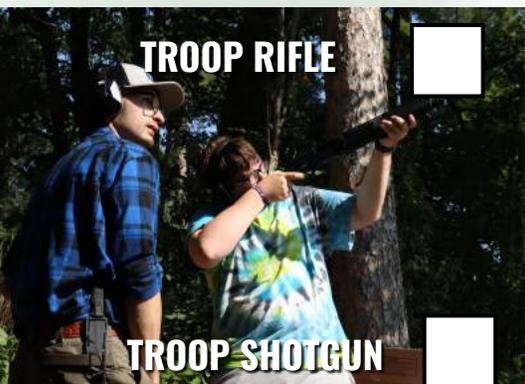
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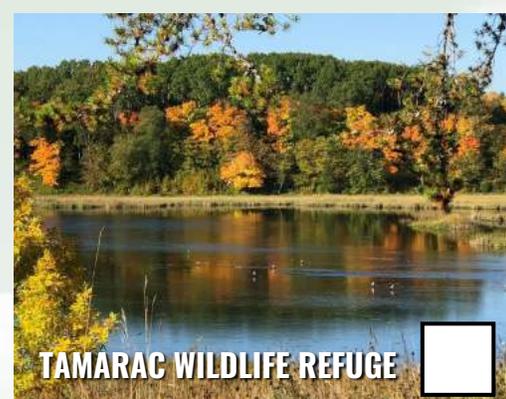


TROOP RIFLE

TROOP SHOTGUN



SNORKELING



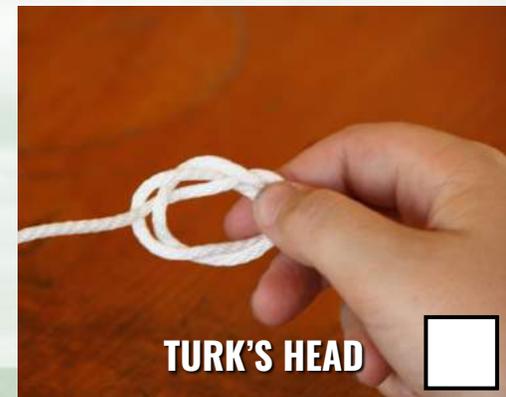
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TIE DYE



TROOP SWIM



TURK'S HEAD



ULTIMATE SURVIVOR



WATER POLO



WHAT'S COOKING?



# ALL-STAR CAMPER PROGRAM

## GET MORE CAMP HAVE MORE FUN

Are you looking for more summer camp? Are you unable to go to summer camp with your own Troop or Crew? Join the All-Star Troop at Many Point.

### WHAT IS THE ALL-STAR TROOP?

You and Scouts from other units will come together to form a special unit for one week at camp. Many Point will provide all the equipment and adult leadership necessary for the Troop to function.

The All-Star Troop stays in Buckskin and utilizes the dining hall. The campsite is near the Nature Center and Beach.

### ALL STAR IS AVAILABLE 5 WEEKS IN 2024!

The All-Star program is offered during four weeks this upcoming summer.

In 2024 they are:

- June 23rd - June 29th
- July 7th - July 13th
- July 21st - July 27th
- August 4th - August 10th
- August 11th - August 17th



### SIGN UP FOR ALL STAR!

Go to the Many Point website, click on "Registration" in the top header, then head to the All-Star Page. Visit [www.manypoint.org/Article/all-star-camper-program](http://www.manypoint.org/Article/all-star-camper-program) to start you reservation!

### WHO ARE THE ADULT LEADERS?

Two 21+ year-old trained Camp staff that have experience leading Scouts throughout a camp week!



# OLDER SCOUT PROGRAMS – TIER 1

## MANY POINT OFFERS SPECIAL PROGRAMMING FOR SCOUTS GOING INTO 8TH GRADE!

These programs are available for Scouts to register as individuals. Many Point takes all requests for each camp week and then assigns program times. Your Scouts will learn their programs when they arrive to camp on Sunday. Scouts must be going into **8th Grade**.

### TIER 1

Older Scout programs that are single day or overnight adventures for different groups of Scouts each day. This means that you can take multiple Tier 1 Programs within a single week. Some programs have a small fee.

### PREREQUISITES

Some programs have age minimums and some programs will require Scouts to earn swimmer from a swim test.

### EXTRA COMMITMENTS

Older Scout programs will overlap with traditional program schedule. If a Scout misses a MB due to attending a Tier 1 Program, requirements can be made up during free time.

## 5-STAND - TIER 1

A next-level shotgun challenge for more experienced Scouts. Put your sharpshooting skills to the test by tackling our unique set of 5 difficult stations.

**\$35 per Scout**



More Information Online — [www.ManyPoint.org](http://www.ManyPoint.org)



# ATV SAFETY TRAINING - TIER 1

Master the basics, learn advanced maneuvers, then conquer the wild! This program is all about your skills and decisions - which to strengthen and which to forget.

As you drive throughout the session, you'll understand what it takes to control the vehicle in many different hands-on lessons: all leading up to a ride on the trails to demonstrate you have what it takes!

**\$45 per Scout**  
**Scouts must be at least 14 years old to participate**



# BIG BOAT SAILING - TIER 1

Set sail and explore Many Point Lake. Scouts will learn how to set up and sail these boats with the help of our staff members.



More Information Online — [www.ManyPoint.org](http://www.ManyPoint.org)



# BIKE TREK - TIER 1

Start on our mountain bike challenge course and then move on to exploring trails. The forested trails at Many Point are a summer haven for mountain biking enthusiasts, with some technical stretches of trail that will test even the most experienced cyclists.



# CHARACTER ADVENTURE CHALLENGE - TIER 1

The Character Adventure Challenge is a half-day program located off-site where Scouts will learn teamwork and have the opportunity to work together to complete many high ropes course activities

**\$55 per scout**



More Information Online — [www.ManyPoint.org](http://www.ManyPoint.org)



# FISHING OUTPOST - TIER 1

Explore the world of fishing on Many Point lake during the Fishing Overnight Outpost. Experienced guides will teach you the basics and more advanced angling techniques to help you explore the wonders of Many Point Lake.



# HUCK FINN OVERNIGHT - TIER 1

Swimming, jumping, fishing, cooking, snorkeling, competing in contests, playing capture the flag by canoe, and more, all from our 40ft by 40ft rafts in Flintlock Bay. Do some incredible stargazing from the middle of Many Point Lake.



More Information Online — [www.ManyPoint.org](http://www.ManyPoint.org)



# TREEHOUSE OVERNIGHT - TIER 1

As seen in Scouting Magazine, Scouts will spend the evening in one of two villages hovering in the trees above a 30ft bluff. Activities include cooking, spar pole climbing, yard games, and our new and improved throwables range.



# WATER SKIING - TIER 1

Slalom and jump waves as you waterski around Many Point Lake behind one of our camp speedboats. This adventure is for both new and experienced water skiers.

**\$10 per Scout**



More Information Online — [www.ManyPoint.org](http://www.ManyPoint.org)



# OLDER SCOUT PROGRAMS— TIER 2

## TIER 2

Tier 2 Programs are older Scout programs designed for those who have already taken a majority of the merit badges they are interested in. As such, all Tier 2 programs take place during morning merit badge sessions 1 -3. Due to this, a Scout can only take one Tier 2 Program and one merit badge (during session 4) per week at Many Point.

Registration for these programs opens **April 1**. Scouts will submit a deposit to secure their spot. After April 15, Tier 2 programs become first come, first served.

## PREREQUISITES

- Some programs have age minimums
- Some programs will require Scouts to earn swimmer from a swim test

## ALL THINGS AQUATICS - TIER 2

Does your troop need BSA Lifeguards for a Boundary Waters canoe trip? Are you always thirsty for another water based activity? Now is your chance to sign up for a great program offering at Many Point Scout Camp! Only offered 7/14-7/20



Scouts will earn all of the following in a single week: Red Cross Lifeguard Certification, BSA Lifeguard, Motor Boating Merit Badge, Kayaking BSA,

**\$450 total cost for the entire week**



More Information Online — [www.ManyPoint.org](http://www.ManyPoint.org)



# WATER SPORTS OUTPOST - TIER 2

Spend your mornings all week jet skiing, water skiing, kayaking, and motorboating on Many Point Lake. Scouts will go through safety training to earn their Personal Watercraft Operator's Permit and Motorboating merit badge.

**\$60 per Scout**



# OLDER SCOUT ADVENTURE BLAST - TIER 2

Replace your traditional morning activities with wild adventures all week long! With this all-encompassing program, you'll be able to experience older scout activities without missing afternoon time with your troop.

**\$60 per Scout**



More Information Online — [www.ManyPoint.org](http://www.ManyPoint.org)



# MOUNTAIN BIKE OUTPOST - TIER 2

Spend your mornings all week learning all about mountain biking and improving your technique on our challenge course. Scouts will complete several rides around Many Point and even complete some of the requirements for Cycling merit badge.

**\$30 per Scout**



# ALL THINGS SCUBA - TIER 2

Scouts can earn their PADI certification, Scuba BSA, and Scuba MB. Only offered July 7-13 and July 14-20

**\$850 total cost for the entire week, includes the regular attendance fee.**



More Information Online — [www.ManyPoint.org](http://www.ManyPoint.org)



# FAMILY CAMP

## FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

Family Camp is your fun-filled, affordable vacation destination for Scouting Families. At our Family Camp, we offer programs and facilities for families so that you can see what your Scouts are enjoying here at Many Point Scout Camp. We offer cabins for rent, wonderful tent camping sites, and a recreational vehicle area. Reservations are available, and we encourage all Scout families to come and enjoy a week at Many Point.

Go to [www.manypoint.org/Family-Camp](http://www.manypoint.org/Family-Camp) learn more about Family Camp and book a cabin, RV, or tent site.



More Information Online — [www.ManyPoint.org](http://www.ManyPoint.org)



# ADULT LEADER OPPORTUNITIES

Many Point has many opportunities to keep adults busy. Whether you're looking to learn something new, try something you haven't been able to, or help out the Many Point staff, there is plenty to be done!

## Programs

- **Adult Leader Climb:** The climbing tower is set aside for an adult climb at Friday mornings during first session.
- **Adult Leader Five Stand:** We've set aside a time for just adults to have a chance to try out our next-level shotgun experience.
- **Adult Leader "Merit Badge":** Be actively engaged with your troop and training to earn a special "adult leader merit badge" during your week at Camp.
- **Adult Leader Recognition Dinner:** As a symbol of our thanks, we provide you with a great dinner while we take care of your Scouts.
- **Adult Leader Sauna:** Want a moment of peace? The sauna will be reserved for adults one evening during your week.
- **BSA Lifeguard:** Make a splash - save lives! Earn the BSA lifeguard certification in one week while at camp.
- **DELTA training:** Learn how to run teambuilding activities for your unit!
- **Flintlock Adventure Tour:** See all of the great things your older Scouts will do at Flintlock Adventure Base!
- **Safe Swim Defense & Safety Afloat:** Learn all the procedures for your unit to safely operate your own beach or run a float trip.

## Adult Leader Assistance

**Merit Badge Assistance:** Are you a content expert and able to help us out? Is your troop sending a lot of people to one badge and you'd like to help out? We'd love your help!

**Overnight Help:** Ever wanted to try out the Treehouse Overnight or the Huck Finn Overnight? We could use your help! According to BSA Regulations, there need to be two adults aged 21 years or older for every overnight program. You can help us out by volunteering to go along with one of the trips and being one of those two adults.

# INTRODUCTION TO OUTDOOR LEADERSHIP SKILLS

This hands-on program gives adult leaders a practical introduction to the patrol method of a Scout-led troop by teaching many of the practical outdoor skills they need to lead Scouts in the out-of-doors. In addition, the teaching methods, activities, and games model the variety of teaching used in effective and engaging Scouting programs.

**Cost:** \$30 per adult

**Location:** Many Point Learning Center

**Times Offered:** Tuesday- Thursday mornings from 8:30am- 11:45am.

**How to sign up:** Sign up through your unit's online registration, similar to how youth are signed up for merit badges.



More Information Online — [www.ManyPoint.org](http://www.ManyPoint.org)



# EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

## BE A STAFF MEMBER

Your time on camp staff is an experience that you will never forget! Although camp work is often demanding because we keep a packed schedule running for the campers we serve, the resulting opportunities, rewards, and experiences available to you are endless. Serving on camp staff is definitely the best way to spend a summer.

Applications can be found online at [www.manypoint.org/staff](http://www.manypoint.org/staff)

### As a Many Point staff member you will gain:

- Free room and board for summer
- Competitive salary
- Strong experience sought by employers
- Unique teaching and learning opportunities daily
- Memories and friendships to last a lifetime
- A chance to make a difference in a child's life
- Personal growth and self confidence
- Unlimited fun!



## BE A COUNSELOR IN TRAINING

The Counselor in Training (CIT) program at Many Point Scout Camp has been designed to develop the future staff members for Many Point and to provide personal development for Scouts. Many Point has been continually rated as one of the top camps in the nation. This outstanding record is due largely to the quality of its staff and the continued development of future staff members.

CITs spend five weeks living and working with the staff of Many Point. Through close association they will learn first-hand the challenge and fun of being a Many Point Staff member.

In addition to gaining valuable life skills, CITs can also work on Scout advancement like BSA Life-guard and merit badges while at camp.

The CIT program is open to all registered Scouts and Venturers who will be at least 15 years old during the summer that they are a CIT.

Each summer there are two sessions, but each session is limited to 20 participants so interested Scouts should apply quickly. The dates for the this year's sessions are :

Session 1: June 16 – July 20, 2024

Session 2: July 14 – August 17, 2024

Apply online at [www.manypoint.org/CIT](http://www.manypoint.org/CIT)





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