



The Training “Buzz”

October 2019

Upcoming Events:

**November 1st-3rd
Leave No Trace
Trainer**
Belk Scout Camp

**November 9th - 10th
Outdoor Leader
Skills (OLS)**
Belk Scout Camp

**November 8th-10th
Scouts Excited
About Leadership
Skills (SEALS)**
Belk Scout Camp

**March 7th-8th
COPE and Climbing
Training**
Belk Scout Camp

**March 13th-15th
Scouts Excited
About Leadership
Skills (SEALS)**
Belk Scout Camp

**March 14th-15th 2020
Outdoor Leader
Skills
(OLS)**
Belk Scout Camp

**April 2020
Basic Adult Leader
Outdoor Orientation**
Belk Scout Camp

**May 1st-3rd
COPE and Climbing
Training**
Belk Scout Camp

**June 2020
National Youth Leader
Training (Top Gun)**
Belk Scout Camp

**July 31st – August 2nd
Aug 22nd-23rd 2020
Wood Badge**
Belk Scout Camp

Top 10 Units – Trained to Position

Pack 0141 Greenville Memorial AME Zion 100%
Pack 0049 Back Creek ARP Church 88.9%
Troop 0097 St Mark Catholic Church 87.9%
Pack 0087 Crosspointe Alliance Church - North Campus 83.3%
Troop 0035 Hickory Grove United Methodist Church 83.3%
Troop 0248 Mallard Creek Presbyterian Church 83.3%
Crew 0023 Christ United Methodist Church 77.8%
Crew 0148 Mallard Creek Presbyterian Church 77.8%
Troop 0010 Mt. Zion United Methodist Church 75.9%
Troop 0019 Huntersville Presbyterian Church 75%

Training News!

Thank you to Dennis Tucker for being our HN District Training Chair. We wish you the best of luck in your new role as the Council Training Chair!

Upcoming Courses

Outdoor Leadership Skills (OLS) is designed to help Scoutmasters and Assistant Scoutmasters to master and teach the basic camping skills required for Tenderfoot to First Class. This Course is required for Scoutmasters and Assistant Scoutmasters to receive the Trained Patch and attend Wood Badge. Instructors will help you learn how to set up camp, cook, work with woods tools, learn about ropes, planning campfire programs, map reading and compass skills, hiking, and packing techniques, nature identification, and Leave No Trace.

For Leave No Trace Trainer Course, this 16 hour course is designed for those who want to expand their knowledge of Leave No Trace practices and teaching skills, particularly as related to *teaching* Leave No Trace Awareness courses and understanding basic principles for "*FRONT COUNTRY*" camping. This course will cover the seven Leave No Trace principles and discuss wildland ethics, as well as give the participants the tools and techniques for disseminating low-impact skills to recreationists and the scouting community.

Please see all training information at the MCC Training website:
<https://sites.google.com/site/bsamccctraining/>