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On behalf of the 5,577 registered youth and 2,056 registered adult volunteers, the Potawatomi Area Council is pleased to present you with the 2019 Annual Report. 2019 was a successful year full of positive

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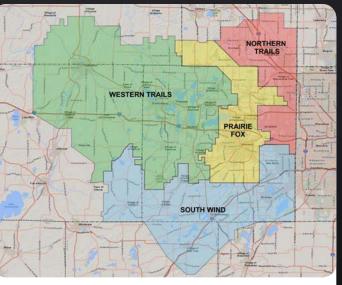
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changes and enhancements to develop the next generation of community leaders. This year was special because it was the first time in the history of the Boy Scouts of America, that we welcomed girls to our Scouts BSA program, impacting more youth and instilling in them the values of Scouting.

The Council saw a very strong financial year in 2019, ending with a balanced budget, but more importantly, we were able to invest over \$170,000 in Camp Long Lake. Camp improvements included new GPS Units, staff housing buildings that will also provide off-season rentals to units, new stand-up paddle boards for Aqualand, and a new lawn mower. Camp Long Lake continues to be the jewel of the Council and we will continue to invest in its future.

New activities were abundant in 2019. Despite a storm that destroyed over 1,500 trees at Camp Long Lake, we were able to open on time - due to a very dedicated volunteer group - and as a result, we served 996 youth at summer camp. Our Scouts participated in several high quality programs like: Winter Blast, Swamp Fox, River Rats, Day Camp, Webelos Resident Camp, Creep-O-Ree, National Youth Leadership Training to name a few. My commitment to our Scouts, Leaders, donors, and you is to maintain these great programs and expand them to a growing number of Scouts. I am grateful to all who helped make 2019 so successful and more excited about what we can do to change the lives of future Scouts in our community.

# **Council Map**



#### MISSION STATMENT

The Mission of the Potawatomi Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, in cooperation with chartered partner organizations is to help an ever-increasing number of youth mature into adults exhibiting traits of participating citizenship, character and personal fitness founded upon the moral and ethical values expressed in the Scout Oath/Promise and Law.

#### **SCOUT OATH**

On my honor I will do my best to do my duty to God and my country and to obey the Scout Law; to help other people at all times; to keep myself physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight.

#### **SCOUT LAW**

Trustworthy | Loyal | Helpful | Friendly | Courteous | Kind Obedient | Cheerful | Thrifty | Brave | Clean | Reverent



Cub Scouts is a program that serves youth 6–11 years old. This program contains five different rankings:



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Grade 3

As a Cub Scout the fun and exciting activities are endless:

- Pinewood Derby
- Camping
- Family Camp Weekends

- · Blue and Gold Banquet
- Field Trips
- · Webelos Resident Camp

Potawatomi Area Council proudly serves: 86 Packs and a total of 3,534 Cub Scouts

**CUB DAY CAMP** 



**Attendees** 

RIVER RATS SPRING FAMILY CAMP

850

**Attendees** 





**SWAMP FOX FALL FAMILY CAMP** 

**Attendees** 

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WEBELOS RESIDENT CAMP



**Attendees** 

WINTER BLAST ADVENTURE

**Attendees** 



PINEWOOD DERBY



**Attendees** 





Scouts BSA is a year-round program for youth 11-17 years old. It is designed for youth to achieve the aims of Scouting through a vigorous outdoor program and peer group leadership with the counsel of an adult Scoutmaster and other volunteers.

Potawatomi Area Council proudly serves: 70 Troops and a total of 1,869 Scouts BSA

**FALL CAMP-O-REE** 

349
Attendees

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425 Merit Badges – 264 earned | 161 partial CREEP-O-REE

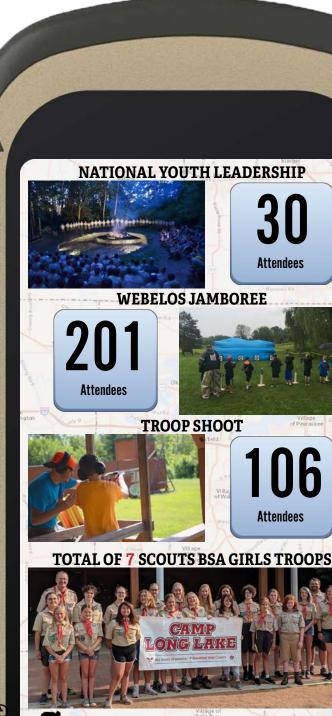


257 Attendees

HIGH ADVENTURE SHOOTING SPORTS

17
Attendees





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# **Camp Long Lake**

Camp Long Lake Scout Reservation is located approximately 10 miles north-west of Campbellsport, WI tucked in the northern portion of the Kettle Moraine State forest. Since 1945, Camp Long Lake has been providing an outdoor program to thousands of Scouts each summer.

Camp Long Lake prides itself on a commitment to providing excellent customer service and working with units to customize their experience. The more than 35 full time summer staff members provide programs in multiple areas such as:

- Archery
- Aquatics
- Project First Class
- Scout Craft
- STEM/ECON

- ATV
- · COPE/Climbing
- Rifle

- Shotgun
- Watercraft

996 Youth Attended

**Summer Camp** 

2,224

Youth Attended **Camp Off-Season** 

**Packs and Troops Attended Camp** 











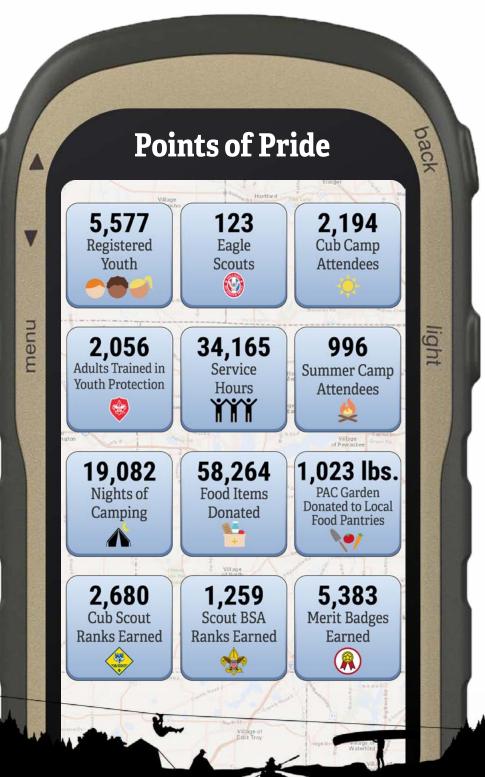


CAMP LONG LAKE



SCI Five Stand/Skeet/Trap

Shotgun Range



# Venturing, Exploring & Sea Scouts

#### **VENTURING**



13 Crews back

A program for youth 14-20 years old that emphasizes four main areas:

· Adventure, Leadership, Personal Growth, and Service

#### **EXPLORING**

9 Posts

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A career based mentor program designed to shape the workforce of tommorrow by engaging today's youth.

# **SEA SCOUTS**



2 Ships

Sea Scouts is an age appropriate co-ed program for youth ages 14–20. For over 100 years, Sea Scouts has instilled better citizenship and improved boating skills through instruction and practice in boat and water safety, appreciation for the outdoors, service experiences, and knowledge of our maritime heritage.



# **2019 Eagle Scout Class**

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				Total Line Line	-
A. Kyle	Troop 12	H. Derek A	Troop 38	R. Alexander James	Troop 119
A. Noah	Troop 183	H. Ethan	Troop 141	R. Nathanael Richteld	Troop 21
A. Cameron John	Troop 109	H. Trevor	Troop 47	R. Tyler Timothy	Troop 56
A. Carson Jacob	Troop 47	J. Clayton R	Troop 26	R. Cullen	Troop 167
A Kameron	Troop 4	J. Kevin Thomas Donald	Troop 152	R. Travis Robert	Troop 167
A Andrew Ivan	Troop 175		Troop 71	S. Sutton	Troop 38
B. Aarav	Troop 71	K. Calvin	Troop 26	S. William August	Troop 18
B. Gavin Thomas	Troop 169	K. Jude	Troop 99	S. Kevin Michael	Troop 141
B. Ryan James	Troop 183	K. Patrick Edwin	Troop 32	S. Hans Stephan	Troop 169
B. Tyler David	Troop 183	K. Tyler Michael		S. Lukas Kenneth	Troop 224
B. Sawyer	Troop 54	K. Michael William	Troop 49	S. Jared Toby	Troop 109
B. Jaden P	Troop 109	K. lan	Troop 152	S. Bradley	Troop 38
B. Adam	Troop 16	K. Ryan Kenneth		S. Peter	Troop 175
B. Nicholas Joseph	Troop 93	1.11	Troop 20	S. Luke Anthony	Troop 23
B. Evan Michael		K. Nolan William	Troop 23	S. Joshua Michael	Troop 363
B. Jack Thomas		L. Connor Herman	Troop 92	S. Logan Christopher	Troop 169
B. Jon		L. Benjamin	Troop 26	S. Peter Harry	Troop 53
B. lan		L. Alec Robert	Troop 67	S. Nathan Alan	Troop 63
C. Julian	Troop 71	L. Brandon James	Troop 23	S. Jack	Troop 12
C. Jack Richard		L. Adam Michael	Troop 72	S. Jarid Robert	Troop 544
C. Jordan Patrick	Troop 93	M. Brandon James	Troop 19	S. Alex James	Troop 19
C. TY Steven Village	Troop 43	M. Casimer Joseph	Troop 359	S. John Edward	Troop 224
D. Alexander	Troop 20	M. Joshua	Troop 99	T. Alec Robert	Troop 18
D. Hunter Todd	Troop 169	M. Sheen	Troop 135	T. Nathaniel A	Troop 95
D. Walter Jamess	Troop 18	M. Andrew Joseph	Troop 87	T. Nathan Andrew	Troop 141
D. Joshua David	Troop 115		Troop 24	T. Nathan	Troop 135
D. Sean	Troop 16	O. Robert	Troop 23	T. Andrew Michael	Troop 49
D. Dereck Joseph	Troop 12	O. Daniel Village of North	Troop 19	T. Maxillian	Troop 122
E. Jacob William		O. Michael Manning	Troop 71	V. Tyler James	Troop 4
F. Joshua Francis	Troop 24	O. Sean Garrilck	Troop 87	W. Daniel Tyler	Troop 16
F. Connor Michael	Troop 71	P. Joshua Philip	Troop 24	W. Jonathan Wallace	Troop 109
F. Jack	Troop 12	P. Tyler Brian	Troop 24	W. Jacob	Troop 38
F. Connor Matthew	Troop 38	P. Nathan Joseph	Troop 109	W. Gabriel Warren Dewey	Troop 38
G. Joseph Mark	Troop 63	P. Dane Matthew	Troop 175		Troop 71
G. Aaron		P. Matthew	Troop 71		Troop 109
H. Thomas	Troop 32	P. Nicholas Brian	Troop 109	W. Jacob Benjamin Dougla	
H. Matthew John	Troop 71	P. Steven Edmund		W. Jacob Taylor	Troop 4
H. Zachary Frederick		P. Ethan A.			Troop 49
H. Garrett Lee		P. Jack Charles	Troop 72	Z. Trevor William	Troop 20
H. Stephen Jeffrey	Troop 141	P. Garrett Alyn	Troop 53	Z. Kristian Michael	Troop 67
H. Daniel	Troop 38	R. Pranay Atthivarapu	Troop 23	Z. Tanner Andrew	Troop 4
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# **Eagle Service**

### **HIGHLIGHT STORY**



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Hans Schiefelbeins' Eagle project was comprised of a two phase; supporting an Honor flight and an Oconomowoc High School assembly paying tribute to the 100th anniversary of the end of World War I.

On Saturday, October 13, 2018, Hans secured a bus for veterans and Scouts BSA youth to take everyone from Oconomowoc to greet a Stars and Stripes

Honor Flight for veterans at General Mitchell International Airport, in Milwaukee. As a special touch, Hans set up a line of 10 Scouts to do a silent salute, to the veterans, as they exited the plane and walked into a large welcome group.

On Friday, November 9, 2018, Hans created and held a Veterans Recognition Assembly at Oconomowoc High School for over 2,200 guests to recognize the 100th anniversary of the end to World War I and honor all veterans and. The assembly included keynote speakers, Retired US

Navy Vice Admiral Dirk Debbink and World War II Veteran Jerry Stern. At the end of the presentation, Hans presented Oconomowoc High School with "Thank You For Your Service" plaque to be hung in their hall to pay tribute to all veterans.



Hans' project took 78 volunteers a total of 501 hours to complete. To make his project successful, Hans raised almost \$7,000 from over 100 donors. In the end, Hans only needed \$5,000, so he donated the remaining funds to a local veterans organization.



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# **Operating Budget**

All funds solicited by the Potawatomi Area Council, BSA, throughout the course of the year, are generated through voluntary contributions from the public and are solely used for Scouting Programs.



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END OF YEAR ASSETS \$5,345,557

