

# **2013 Unaka Merit Badge College**

## **January 5, 2013**

Thank you for your interest in the Unaka Merit Badge College program! This event is held annually on the first Saturday in January. The main location (registration and check-in) is Mars Hill Presbyterian Church in Athens, TN

**This year's program has expanded to include 25 merit badges and 2 Webelos Activity Pins!**

**ADVANCE REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED!** All registrations are processed in the order received. All seats in all classes are "first come, first served" based upon when a properly completed Registration Form. In fairness to others, we do not "hold" or "reserve" spaces without Registration Forms. Registration will open for Unaka District units at the October 2012 Roundtable meeting. Registration will open for any unit in any district/council on November 1, 2012. Advance registration closes on December 15, 2012.

Lunch is served on-site and the cost is included in the registration fee. For the safety and security of participants, scouts are not permitted to leave campus except for class-related field trips in the company of their counselor and at least one other adult. (All activities are conducted in accordance with BSA Youth Protection Guidelines.)

This list is a "working list" and subject to change. Cost is \$12 per scout from the Unaka District (\$20 for out of district scouts) and \$7 for adults. This fee includes facility use fees, lunch and the Merit Badge College Collector's Patch. Send the Troop Registration form to Stacey Dixon (ricevegasdixons@live.com) to register scouts for courses. Registration is by troop only--no individual registrations please.

As always, we are in need of counsellors and assistant counsellors so please volunteer if you have the skills and ability. Our scouts need you!!! Contact Jack Isbill, Art Ewing or Phil Seibert if you can help.

Contact Phil Seibert (423/309-8096) (phil@safetyvet.com) for more information.

Webelos are not permitted to earn Boy Scout ranks or merit badges.

This is a SCOUTING EVENT and participants are required to be in SCOUT FIELD SERVICE UNIFORM (commonly called "Class A Uniform.") This includes the general neatness

Each unit with scouts attending the college will be expected to have at least one adult leader present for the entire day. Additionally, some merit badges will be taught at locations other than the main location, so transportation assistance will be greatly appreciated.

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## Boy Scout Merit Badges

Code	Merit Badge	Extra Fee?	Prerequisites
AS	Animal Science		
AT	Art	\$5 for art supplies	
AM	Automotive Maintenance		
AV	Aviation	\$30 for airplane ride	
CC	Coin Collecting		
DT	Dentistry		
EL	Electricity		
FC	Fingerprinting/Collections/ Leatherwork	\$5 for supplies	Bring Collection to Show
FA	Fire Safety		6(a)
FO	Forestry		
GO	Golf		Bring your clubs
ME	Medicine		
MW	Metal Working	TBD	
PA	Painting		
PH	Photography	\$10 for photo developing	Bring your own camera
PL	Plumbing		
PP	Pulp & Paper		
SE	Space Exploration	\$10 for rocket & engines	
SV	Surveying		
TT	Truck Transportation		
VS	Veterinary Science		
WE	Weather		
WC	Woodcarving	\$10.00 for carving knife	must have Totin' Chit!
WL	Welding	TBD	Must be 13 and First Class

## Webelos Activity Pins

AQ	Aquanaut		Bring swimming trunks & towel
SC	Scientist		

