

BSA Northern Tier offers wilderness canoeing expeditions in Northern Minnesota, Northwestern Ontario and Northeastern Manitoba through three canoe bases.

The Charles L Sommers Canoe Base, located twenty miles northeast of Ely, Minnesota has hosted Boy Scout canoe expeditions on the shores of Moose Lake since 1941. The Base outfits over 4,000 scouts each year on wilderness canoe trips in the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness (BWCAW) of Minnesota and the Quetico Provincial Park of Ontario.

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## Course Fee: \$325 per person

\$100 deposit is due with your registration. Balance of fees is due 30 days prior to the start of the course.

All food, housing, class materials, and group gear are provided. Participants will be required to provide personal gear similar to what is required on a standard Northern Tier trek.

## Participants also receive:

1 year membership in Leave No Trace Master Educator Handbook Skills and Ethics booklet Ethics reference card (hangtag) set BSA outdoor ethics program handouts Master Educator Patch Northern Tier souvenir A wilderness canoeing experience!

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# Leave No Trace Master Educator Course

August 12-18, 2018

BSA Northern Tier High Adventure Base

Ely, Minnesota





# **Leave No Trace Seven Principles**

- Plan Ahead and Prepare
- Travel and Camp on Durable Surfaces
- Dispose of Waste Properly
- Leave What You Find
- Minimize Campfire Impacts
- Respect Wildlife
- Be Considerate of Other Visitors

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# Course Schedule - Aug 12-18:

Sunday:

Plan to Arrive: 1:00-3:00, Sunday Checkin, Orientation, Dinner

Course Introduction: Sunday Evening

Monday:

Classroom Instruction & Activities Trek Planning and Preparation

Tuesday:

Pack Up and Start the Paddling Trek

Tuesday afternoon - Friday morning: On Trek: Application and practice of Leave No Trace and teaching skills.

Friday:

Return to canoe base Additional Instruction Topics Individual Action Plans Graduation Evening Campwide Rendezvous

Saturday morning: Depart for home

Course Information and Registration: www.ntier.org/TrainingCenter/LNT.aspx







