



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.

[www.NTier.org](http://www.NTier.org)



**Course Fee: \$425 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 14-20, 2022

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 14-20:

Sunday:

Plan to Arrive: 1:00-2:00, Sunday  
Checkin, Orientation, Dinner  
Course Introduction

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/training/](http://www.ntier.org/training/)

Scholarships are available for scouts  
needing financial assistance to attend a BSA  
Leave No Trace Master Educator Course:  
[OutdoorEthics-BSA.org/scholarship/](http://OutdoorEthics-BSA.org/scholarship/)

