

Boy Scout Workshops

Note: Lake Superior Zoo badge workshop will help your Scout group prepare for earning a badge. The following list will help you to understand what Lake Superior Zoo covers, and what the Scout will need to do to complete the badge requirements. All badge workshops must be arranged in advance.

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Tiger Scout:

A tiger Cub earns 1 Tiger track bead for every 10 electives he earns.

Elective:	At Lake Superior Zoo throughout workshop:
42: Fun at the Zoo	Animal Presentation (Ele. 31) OR Enrichment Workshop (Ele. 32)
34: Conservation	Learn about Conservation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ways of saving our natural resources • Why it is important to use our resources wisely
32: Feed the Birds	Talk about birds Discuss enrichment Make enrichments for birds or a pinecone birdfeeder
31: Learn About Animals	Special animal presentation for your group to learn the following about an animal: Size, habitat, status, food, life expectancy, interesting facts
39: Go to Work	Learn about the work of a zookeeper. Things that they do, who they work with and why their job is important
43: Pet Care	Learn how the zoo keeps animals healthy and how they help with their own physical.
47: Reduce, Reuse, Recycle	What are some things that you can recycle? Learn what the zoo is doing to go green.

Wolf Scout: Each letter counts toward arrow points. (10 needed for each arrow point) This elective is part of the Cub Scout World Conservation Award

Elective:	At Lake Superior Zoo During workshop:
13: Birds	13A: identify the birds that you see on your visit to the zoo 13B: Create nesting material 13D: Point out 10 different kinds of birds 13E: Feed wild birds and describe which ones you fed

Bear Scout: Achievement 5: Sharing Your World with Wildlife

Note: 4 of the 5 are required to earn the badge. This badge is part of the World Conservation Award.

At Lake Superior Zoo

During workshop:

5A: LSZ will do an animal presentation for your group

5B: Make a pinecone bird feeder

5C: Talk about what wildlife conservation officers do. Explain why all animals need food, water, shelter, space. Explain how LSZ provides these for wild animals to help them survive.

Talk about various careers in conservation.

5D: LSZ serves as the place to visit for this requirement.

5E: Explain what endangered species are. Talk about some of the programs (SSP) that help to protect endangered species. Visit SSP animals and explain why they are endangered or threatened. Name an animal that is on the endangered species list. Name an animal that has become extinct in the past 100 years. Explain how animals become extinct.

Webelos Scout: Naturalist Activity Badge

Note: Number 1 and 5 others are required to earn the badge

At Lake Superior Zoo

During workshop:

1. With parent, guardian, or den leader, complete the Respect Character Connection.
4. Visit a zoo. Tell what you saw.
7. Identify poisonous plants and animals in your area.
8. Watch 6 wild animals in the wild. Describe the kind of place you saw them and what they were doing.
9. Give examples of:
 - Producers, Consumers, Decomposers
 - One way humans have changed the balance of nature
 - How you can help protect the balance of nature
10. Identify a plant, bird, or wild animal found only in our area. Tell why it survives only in this area.

Cub Scout Academics: Wildlife Conservation

<p>Belt Loop: complete all 3 requirements</p>	<p>At Lake Superior Zoo During workshop:</p>	<p>Scouts need to do on their own:</p>
	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Explain what natural resources are and why it's important to protect and conserve them. 2. Make a poster that shows and explains the food chain. Describe what happens if the food chain becomes broken or damaged. 3. Learn about an endangered species. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 3. Make a report to your den that includes a picture, how the species came to be endangered, and what is being done to save it.
<p>Academics Pin: Complete 5 of the following</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Visit a wildlife area. 3. Learn about 5 animals that use camouflage to protect themselves 6. Make a plaster cast of an animal track. 7. Visit with a person who works in wildlife conservation. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Collect and read five newspapers... 4. Make a birdbath and keep a record for one week of the different birds that visit it. 5. Make a collage of animals that are in the same class: fish, bird, etc... 8. Visit a state or national park 9. Participate in an environmental service project.

Girl Scout Workshops

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DAISY SCOUT: Life Takes Shape

<p style="text-align: center;">At Lake Superior Zoo (during your badge workshop)</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Learn about shapes• Observe eggs from various birds to see egg shapes.• Take a walk with an education staff member to look for different shapes that you see.• Draw some of the shapes you see on your walk.• Draw a picture using various shapes.

BROWNIE SCOUT: Animals

<p style="text-align: center;">At Lake Superior Zoo (during your badge workshop)</p>
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. We will do a special animal presentation for your group. Girls will learn what animals need to be healthy.2. At the animal presentation, Education staff will also explain the difference between pets and wild animals, and how to safely watch wildlife.3. Play the Animal Movement game.4. Discuss how animals have different characteristics. Ask the Scouts to identify animals that have:<ul style="list-style-type: none">· 2/4/6/8/no legs· fur/feathers/scales/shells· wings but no feathers· paws/claws/flippers/hooves5. Play animal sound charades.

**JUNIOR GIRL SCOUT:
Wildlife**

6 are required to earn the badge

At Lake Superior Zoo
(during your badge workshop)

- 1.** Wildlife symbols
- Learn our state bird, flower, tree, and mammal.
- 3.** Creature feature
- Match each bird with a tool that shows how the bird uses its beak:
- 4.** We are family
- Learn what characteristics members of these 2 animal groups share: birds and mammals.
- 5.** Touch me not!
- Learn about poisonous plants in your area.
- 6.** Staying alive
- Learn about endangered animals.
- 10.** How was your day?
- Observe our primates.

**JUNIOR GIRL SCOUT: Plants
& Animals**

6 are required to earn the badge

At Lake Superior Zoo
(during your badge workshop)

- 3.** Creature teacher
- Learn about positive and negative reinforcement in animal training, and try your hand at clicker training with a game.
- 4.** Wild relatives
- Note how wild animals differ from domestic ones: wolf/dog; lion/house cat.
- 5.** Creature clusters
- Create animal groupings by cutting out 15-25 pictures and group them in at least 2 ways.
- 7.** Seed Art
- Create a piece of art using at least 2 kinds of seeds.
- 9.** What a pest!
- Learn about 1 plant and 1 animal that are pests. Find out why they are harmful and what is being done to control them.
- 10.** Go on zoo tour
- Learn about animal adaptations