

Keep outdoor activities and camping alive all 12 months of the year! Our Train the Trainer program will provide you with the knowledge and materials to share knowledge and skills learned to conduct cold weather activities and camping within your units. Learn about Cold Weather Travel, Sleep Systems, Equipment and Tents, Cooking and Nutrition, Snow Shoes, Cross Country Skiing and Outdoor Cold Weather Games.

#### WHAT IS AN OKPIK EXPERIENCE?

- \* Hands-on, patrol based cold weather camping adventure
- \* Learning from experienced cold weather campers
- Developing skills to lead safe & fun cold weather campouts
- Learning to be comfortable in cold weather
- Learning how to take your unit on cold weather adventures
- Sharing the joys of cold weather with fellow Scouts & Scouters

### THE OKPIK PROGRAM

First Aid **Equipment Making** Sleep Systems

Cooking & Nutrition Tents & Shelters

Cold Weather Travel

Clothing Systems

Cold Weather Games & Activities

**Nature** 

Snowshoes & Cross Country Skiing

## **ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT:**

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#### **REGISTER AT:**

www.scoutingevent.com/456-70061

# **SESSION INFO**

**SESSION 1 -** October 8, 2023

**SESSION 2 -** November 12, 2023

**SESSION 3 -** December 10, 2023

12:30pm Check-In & Sessions are 1pm-5pm

First United Methodist Church 1903 Euclid Ave, Arlington Heights, IL

PRACTICAL WEEKEND - Jan 13-14, 2024

7:30am Check-In Jan. 13th & end noon Jan. 14th

Camp Frank S. Betz 3858 Snow Rd, Berrien Springs, Michigan

### **COURSE FEES**

**\$65** – Prior to 9/23/23

- **\$75** On & After 9/23/23
- All participants should be at least 14 years old & First Class Rank
- Attendance to all 3 Sessions & the Practical Weekend are required to complete the course

