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DATE: October 22, 2020

TO: National Camping School Participant
H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation
May 15-21, 2021
5525 NE Scout Camp Road
Osceola, MO 64776

FROM: Clifford Crismore, DIRECTOR N.S.C.

Welcome to the 2021 **National Camping School** at **H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation** near **Osceola, MO**.

Your application has been received and on behalf of the camping school faculty, we eagerly look forward to having you with us at **H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation** this spring. It is my honor and pleasure to serve as the Director for this session of National Camp School. Should you need anything in preparation for this training, please feel free to contact me at clifford.crismore@scouting.org

Covid-19 and National Camping School - Local council host sites will continue to practice any locally required COVID-19/communicable disease mitigation strategies. Prior to your arrival, you will receive additional information about what precautions will be in place at your NCS site. If local area restrictions do not allow a course to be held, you will be contacted no less than 14 days in advance and given an alternative training option.

These precautions are important, but these efforts cannot eliminate the potential for exposure to COVID-19 or any other illness while at camp. Information from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) states that older adults and people of any age who have serious underlying medical conditions are at higher risk for severe illness from COVID-19. *If you are in this group, please ensure you have approval from your health care provider prior to attending National Camping School.*

An Annual medical examination (parts A, B, and C) and health record, completed within the past 12 months, is required and must be completed prior to your arrival. Please bring a copy of the completed form with you. If you do not have this required form, you will need to obtain one at your own expense prior to beginning class. Cost will likely be a MINIMUM of \$100.

Please plan to arrive between **9:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.** (Central Time) on **Saturday, May 15, 2021** unless noted below. Departure will be after breakfast on **Friday May 21, 2021.** ***All participants who are enrolled in any retraining sections will be able to depart after Noon on Tuesday May 18, 2021.***

Complete, correct BSA uniforms are required. The BSA Field Uniform (Scout shorts or long trousers, Scout shirts, Venturing shirts, Scout socks) or the BSA Activity Uniform (Scout shorts or pants with Scouting golf or t-shirts) will be worn at camping school. A complete Field Uniform is required for evening meals, worship services, campfires, and other formal activities.

Housing will be in cabins with electricity. A bunk and mattress are provided as well. Bedding and linens will not be provided, you will need to provide your own sleeping bag/pillow etc. Internet WiFi will be available in the Dining Hall. Cellular coverage is available throughout the camp property. The H. Roe Bartle website is <https://www.hoac-bsa.org/bartle>. The telephone number at H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation is 417-646-8115 in case of emergency. The Council Liaison for this camp school will be David Riker who can be contacted at david.riker@scouting.org.

If you are needing to arrive early due to travel arrangements, you may arrive Friday May 15th. The early arrival fee is \$55, which includes dinner on Friday and breakfast on Saturday. Your council will be billed if you arrive early so be sure to consult with them prior to arriving early.

The host council **has made** arrangements for ground transportation from the **Kansas City International Airport**. If you plan to travel by air you need be on the ground at Kansas City International Airport (MCI) by 6:00pm Friday or by 8:00am on Saturday to catch a shuttle to camp. Contact **David Riker** at david.riker@sccouting.org to make arrangements for a pickup time and location. The fee will be \$40 and will be billed to your council.

Shooting Sports, Aquatics, COPE, and Climbing, Resident Camp Director and Resident Program Director- **Please note** that there are pre-requisite trainings which you **MUST** have before you attend your sections of NCS. Please ensure you have these trainings and bring support materials with you as proof. Persons who attend without these trainings complete may be sent back to their home councils.

Shooting Sports: NRA Rife and Shotgun Instructor Certification

Aquatics: Current Lifeguard certification (BSA Lifeguard, Red Cross Lifeguard, YMCA Lifeguard, Starfish Aquatics Institute Starguard, Ellis & Associates International Lifeguard Training Program, or equivalent) Safe Swim Defense and Safety Afloat training and proven swimming skills.

COPE: COPE Level I Instructor

Climbing: Climbing Level I Instructor

Resident Camp Director and Program Director: Online NCAP training is available at on the NCS page @ <https://www.scouting.org/outdoor-programs/national-camping-school/>

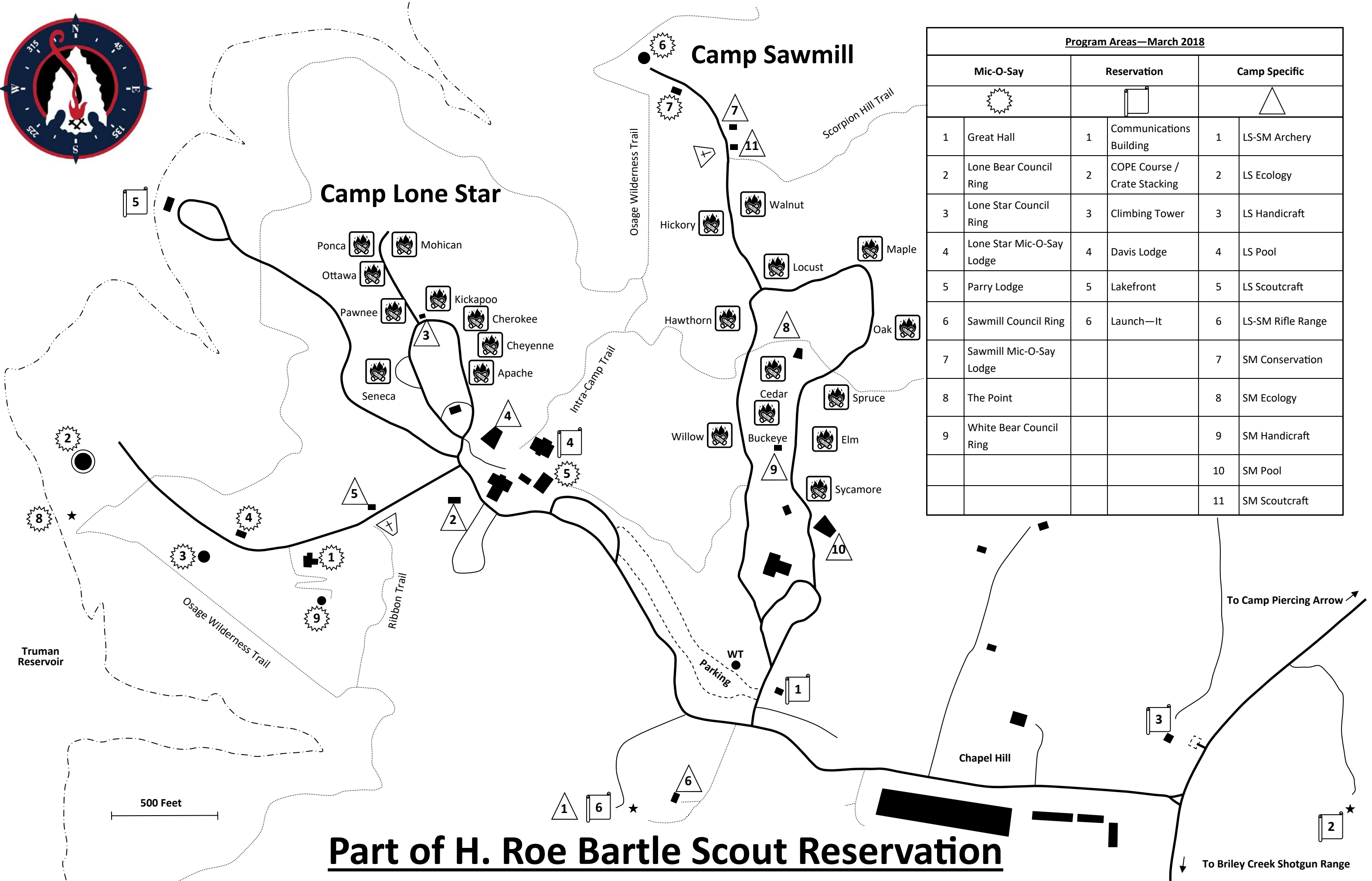
In addition to the items listed above, please bring an open mind, a cooperative attitude, a willing smile, a lot of enthusiasm, and we'll have a great course.

The H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation will have a trading post at National Camping School where you will have an opportunity to purchase camp merchandise and food items. National Supply **will not** have a trading post at National Camping School this year. If you are interested in purchasing National Camping School items you can download the flier at <https://www.scouting.org/outdoor-programs/national-camping-school/> and have them sent directly to your home. Please see your confirmation email for the email address to get FREE shipping on your order.

Also download: Directions & Map Equipment List of "What to Bring"

Personal Resource Questionnaire (Bring completed form with you to camp.)

Medical Form (download from: <http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/HealthandSafety/ahmr.aspx>)



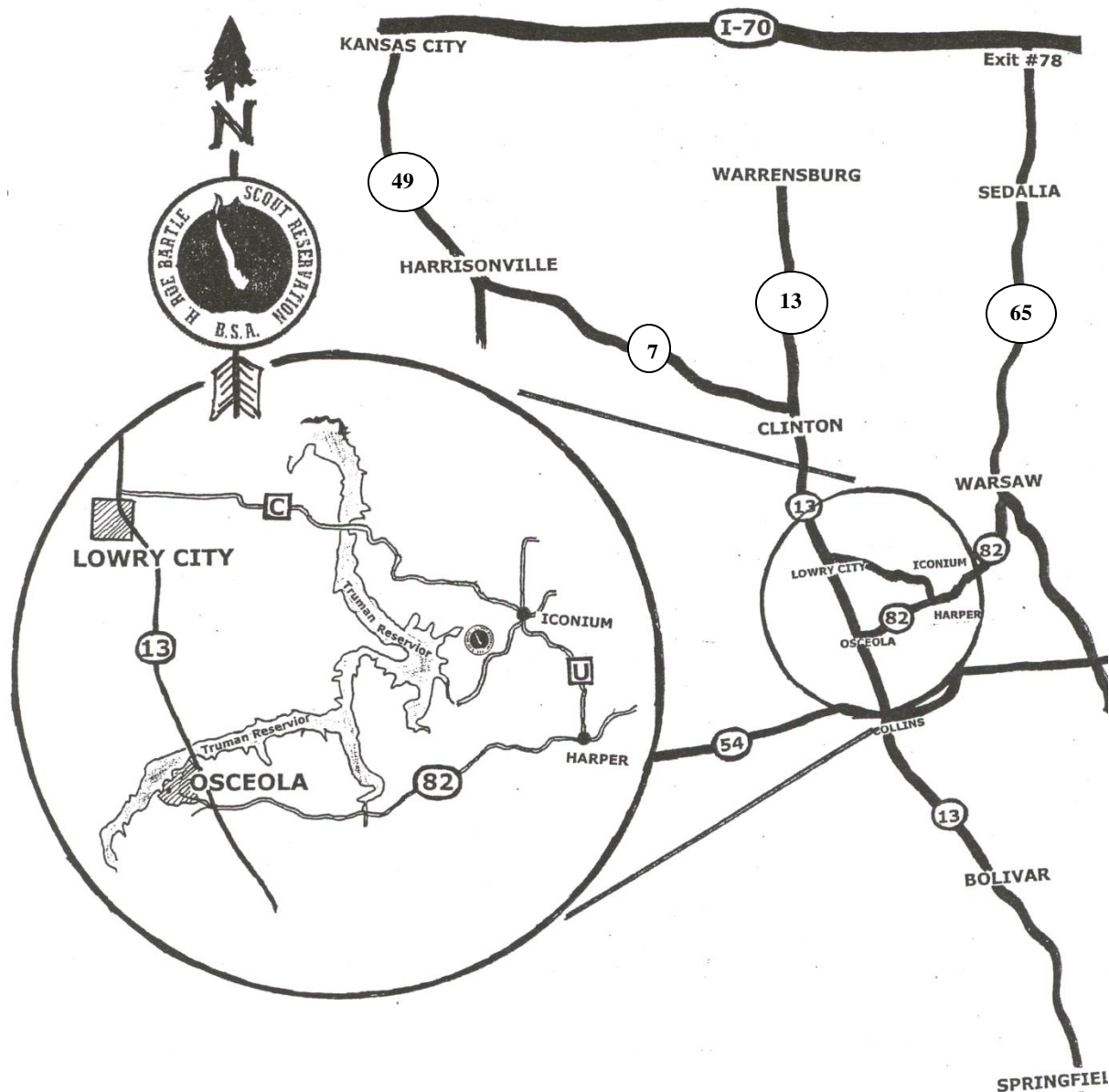
Program Areas—March 2018					
Mic-O-Say		Reservation		Camp Specific	
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1	Great Hall	1	Communications Building	1	LS-SM Archery
2	Lone Bear Council Ring	2	COPE Course / Crate Stacking	2	LS Ecology
3	Lone Star Council Ring	3	Climbing Tower	3	LS Handicraft
4	Lone Star Mic-O-Say Lodge	4	Davis Lodge	4	LS Pool
5	Parry Lodge	5	Lakefront	5	LS Scoutcraft
6	Sawmill Council Ring	6	Launch—It	6	LS-SM Rifle Range
7	Sawmill Mic-O-Say Lodge			7	SM Conservation
8	The Point			8	SM Ecology
9	White Bear Council Ring			9	SM Handicraft
				10	SM Pool
				11	SM Scoutcraft

Part of H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation

To Briley Creek Shotgun Range

To Camp Piercing Arrow

DIRECTIONS TO H ROE BARTLE SCOUT RESERVATION



How to get there

South from Kansas City via Harrisonville – Interstate 49 south to Harrisonville. Highway 7 from Harrisonville, south to Clinton. Highway 13 from Clinton to St. Clair County Highway C. Stay on Highway C approximately 12 miles to a stop sign. Turn right (south) through the town of Iconium, Missouri. The camp entrance is less than a mile from Iconium on County Z. Signs will point the way.

North from Springfield - Highway 13 through Lowry City to St. Clair County Highway C. Stay on Highway C approximately 12 miles to a stop sign. Turn right (south) through the town of Iconium, Missouri. The camp entrance is less than a mile from Iconium on County Z. Signs will point the way.

West from St. Louis - Take I-70 to exit 78, and then go south on Highway 65 through Sedalia, Missouri to Warsaw, Missouri. Stay on Highway 65, two miles south of Warsaw to State Highway 82 to Harper, Missouri (approximately 17 miles). At Harper, take St. Clair County U to Iconium, Missouri. The camp entrance is less than a mile from Iconium on County Z. Signs will point the way.