



Counselor in Training

L.E. Phillips Scout Reservation 2019

The Counselor in Training program at L.E. Phillips Scout Reservation is open to First Class Boy Scouts age 14 and older. We offer you an opportunity to work at camp, receiving training and personal growth that could turn into paid summer staff positions.

We ask all participants to commit to at least two weeks to Camp Service. A CIT spends each day working for camp and growing personally into a productive young man. All assignments will come with training from the Area Directors and Program Staff.

CIT's should plan to be members of the camp staff for two weeks that are in addition to their normal attendance at Camp. CIT's should not be on camp staff the same week that their Troop is attending Camp.

Please fill out this form and return it to:

Chippewa Valley Council Service Center
Attn: CIT Program
710 S. Hastings Way
Eau Claire, WI 54701

(Please reproduce this form if needed)

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email Address _____

Troop _____ Rank _____ Council _____

Birth Date _____ Age _____ Phone _____

Parent's Name _____ Scoutmaster's Name _____

How many years have you come with your unit to summer camp at Phillips? _____



Counselor in Training Camp Phillips Session Sign-Up

Please select the sessions that you would be most interested in working by rating them 1 to 4.

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| <p>_____ Session 1 June 16-22</p> <p>_____ Session 2 June 23 – 29</p> <p>_____ Session 3 June 30 – July 6</p> <p>_____ Session 4 July 7 – 13</p> | <p>_____ Session 5 July 14 – 20</p> <p>_____ Session 6 July 21 - 27</p> <p>_____ Session 7 July 28 – Aug 3</p> |
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Cub World Session Sign-Up

Please select the sessions that you would be most interested in working by rating them 1 to 4.

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| <p>_____ Session 1A June 16-18</p> <p>_____ Session 1B June 21-23</p> <p>_____ Session 2A June 23-25</p> <p>_____ Session 2B June 30-July2</p> <p>_____ Session 3B July 5-7</p> <p>_____ Session 4A July 7-9</p> | <p>_____ Session 4B July 12-14</p> <p>_____ Session 5A July 14-16</p> <p>_____ Session 5B July 19-21</p> <p>_____ Session 6A July 21-23</p> <p>_____ Session 6B July 26-28</p> <p>_____ Session 7A July 28-30</p> <p>_____ Session 7B Aug 2-4</p> |
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AOL Adventure Camp Session Sign-Up

(All are welcome to come help with AOL Adventure Camp, select if available)



- _____ Only Session August 3 – 6

Why do you want to be a CIT?

Which of the below Scout activities are you participating in this summer (To be eligible to CIT you must participate in at least one 5 night Scouting camping experience, the CIT program exists to complement your Scouting summer experiences, not to be your only experience).

- Camp Phillips Boy Scout Camp
 Council or National High Adventure
 Troop Trip/High Adventure (At least 5 days)

I affirm that the above information is correct to the best of my knowledge and promise to live out the Scout Oath and Law during my tenure as a Consoler in Training.

Date _____ Signature _____

Position Responsibilities

Aquatics:

- 16 years old
- Swimming Merit Badge
- Must be a Swimmer
- Not required but appreciated- BSA Lifeguard
- Will instruct, guard, man the buddy board, and participate in evening activities

Cub World:

- Assist with various programs
- Facilitating games
- Food serving
- Teaching skills
- Flag ceremony

Outdoor Skills/FYC:

- Build a fire each morning
- Retrieve food
- Cutting wood
- Helping with cooking merit badge
- Help during free time
- Participate in Wilderness Survival outing- do not have to stay overnight (Scoutcraft)

COPE/Climbing:

- Must be at least 15 years old
- Must have climbing merit badge or some background in climbing
- Must be willing to help teach merit badges
- Will catch people coming down zip-line
- Must be willing to belay during COPE
- Must be available during free time and Leader’s COPE

Shooting Sports:

- Background in shooting sports
- Must be willing to help coach on the shooting line
- Must be willing to load ammo blocks and help with gun maintenance
- Helping during all free time and program time

Handicraft:

- Help maintain equipment and materials
- Must be willing to help teach merit badges
- Must be available during free time to help with activities

Eco-Con:

- Must be available for all free time and evening activities
- Must be willing to help teach merit badges
- Clean and maintain animal cages/habitats

Civics:

- Must be available during free time to help with activities
- Must be willing to help with merit badges

Please select your primary and secondary choices from the following areas: Aquatics, Shooting Sports, Handicraft, COPE/Climbing, Scoutcraft, First Year Camper, Cub World, Civics, or Ecology/Conservation.

***if an area is in need of a CIT and it was not your first choice, please keep in mind that you may be asked to step up and rise to the challenge**

Primary Choice

1. _____

Secondary Choice

2. _____

Third Choice

3. _____

Scout Master Recommendation Form
Counselor in Training Program
L.E. Phillips Scout Reservation
Chippewa Valley Council
Boy Scouts of America

Dear Scout Master,

Your Scout, _____, has applied to be a Counselor in Training at camp this summer. Please take a moment to fill out the following form and return it to the council office at 710 South Hastings Way, Eau Claire WI 54701-3425. The applicant should have provided you with a stamped envelope. While all of scouting is focused on an opportunity to learn new skills, the CIT program is designed as a showcase for the skills that the scouts have learned while in the troop. The CIT program is not designed to be a "free week" at camp; the week is to be spent demonstrating one's ability to work with others and to explore what it is like to work on staff. Please answer the following questions honestly and understand that some scouts that may not be ready for the CIT experience this year will mature and expand their knowledge in order to be better prepared in future years. Your help allows us to provide a positive experience for your scout by ensuring that they are ready for the rigors and expectations of our CIT program.

Yours in the Spirit of Scouting,

Camp Director
L.E. Phillips Scout Reservation
Chippewa Valley Council
Boy Scouts of America

Feel free to elaborate when needed.

Is the scout an active member of the troop?

Has the scout held any leadership positions?

Can this scout function independently when it comes to preparing food and personal hygiene, etc?

Is this scout reliable and punctual?

Is the scout helpful?

Does the scout live by the law and oath?

Has the scout ever been disciplined for his actions?

Is the scout a "people person"?

Will the scout be able to successfully complete the CIT program?

Will the scout be able to function for two weeks away from home?

Do you recommend placing the scout into the CIT program for the upcoming year?

Yes_____ No_____ No, wait a year_____