

Dear Friends,

The Spirit of Adventure Council has been working closely with local health authorities and the CDC in regards to the Coronavirus and Scouting activities. Our goal is to share this information with you in a way that is reasonable and that shares the facts. We have created a webpage to share this information. Please feel free to look over the information on this page:

<https://www.scoutspirit.org/coronavirus/>

On that page, you will find a heading called “Our Camp Protocols” that was shared yesterday. In that communication, we share 24 different action points that have been developed, in conjunction with health officials, that we will be implementing at New England Base Camp and Base Camp Express in Woburn.

Under the facilities point, we mention multiple times about sanitation of our facilities. We have started this process and will continue to sanitize all the facilities at both locations. This process will continue tonight, tomorrow and into the weekend.

For this reason, we will not be offering any programs at Base Camp Express this weekend. Both “Signs, Signals and Codes” and “Surveying” Merit Badges will be rescheduled to a later date. No new programs will be released until after the Governor lists the State of Emergency for Massachusetts.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to me directly. Also, please keep an eye on communication from the Council. We will be updating with event information and changes.

Thank you for what you do for Scouting,

Darrin Johnson  
Director of Program

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