



# Environmental Programs

*Fun Adventures—New Experiences*

## Programs for Scouts

The Nottawasaga Valley Conservation Authority offers outdoor learning opportunities that support healthy, confident and community-minded Scouters!

We have several programs tailored to meet Scout-specific program goals and interest badges.



Discovering Nature

### PROGRAMS

#### Beavers

- Life in the Pond, Nature Discovery Hike, Instincts for Survival, Interacting with Ecosystems, Bird Study, Bugaboo

#### Cubs

##### *The Natural World*

- Black Star Activities (B Requirements), Naturalist, Observer and World Conservation Badge, Canadian Wilderness Award

##### *The Outdoors*

- Green Star Activities (A & B Requirements), Camping Cooking, Hiking, Trailcraft, and Winter Cubbing Badges
- Canadian Camper Award, Canadian Heritage Trails Award

##### *Canada and the World*

- Purple Star Activities

#### Scouts

##### *Voyageur Scout Award*

- Citizenship 1, 4
- Leadership 1, 2, 5
- Outdoor Skills 1-5, 7, 9-17

##### *Pathfinder Scout Award*

- Outdoor Skills 1-2, 9-11, 13-14

##### *Challenge Badges*

- Exploring, Winter Scouting, Fish & Wildlife, Forestry, Naturalist, Soil & Water Management

#### Venturers/Rovers

The Tiffin Center can assist your unit in volunteering and stewardship opportunities.

Your group could help us in trail maintenance, themed projects, clean up blitz or assist with special events.

If your unit has an idea of how you can help, contact us and we will try to accommodate your request.

### FACILITIES

In addition to unique natural features, the Tiffin Centre boasts a wide range of facilities to accommodate your group:

- the 6,000 sq. ft. John L. Jose Environmental Learning Centre (for up to 100 people)
- outdoor classroom
- picnic pavilion
- 10 km network of trails
- an operating maple sugar bush
- Group Campground (\$5 per person, per night)
- Low Ropes Challenge Course (Cubs, Scouts, Venturers/Rovers)

Our buildings and trails are wheelchair accessible.

An all-terrain wheelchair is available.

# BOOKING AT TIFFIN

## Our Programs

- All programs must be reserved in advance.
- All programs involve outdoor activity.
- Programs run rain or shine; proper outdoor dress is essential.
- The Tiffin Centre has a **boomerang meal** program: all food waste is returned home. Please remind students to bring garbage-free snacks!
- Break time activities and discipline are leaders' responsibility.

## Reservation Procedure

**Step 1:** Email us at [outdoored@nvca.on.ca](mailto:outdoored@nvca.on.ca) or call 705-424-1479 ext. 280 to select a date and discuss program availability.

**Step 2:** Once your date has been selected and confirmed, complete and submit your booking form.

At Tiffin, we place a special emphasis on safety—first-aid certified staff and an on-site defibrillators.



## Developing Teamwork

The Tiffin Centre's Low-Ropes Course Challenges Scouts to work together to solve problems.

## Program Fees

**Full Day: \$15.00 per Scout**

**Half Day: \$10.25 per Scout**

Leaders and adult volunteers attend free-of-charge.

We require a minimum of 20 students per program, or a minimum fee of \$300 for a full-day or \$205 for a half-day program.

## Campfire meals available!

Let us provide the hot dogs and all the fixings for \$2 each! Scouters roast their own hot dogs over an open fire.

Hot chocolate is available for \$15 per unit.

## Cancellation Policy

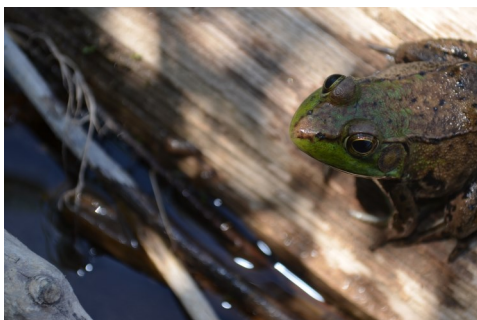
There is no charge to cancel if at least two weeks' notice is given before your scheduled visit.

If a cancellation is received with less than two weeks' notice, your group will be charged for 50% of the scheduled number of participants or the minimum fee.

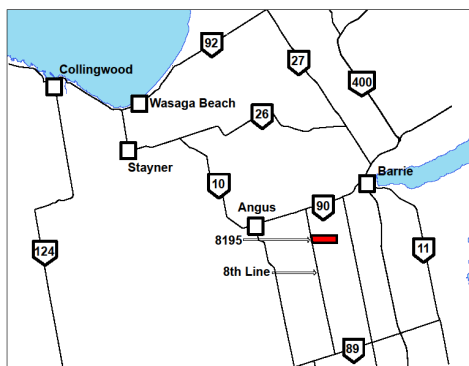
An exemption is given for inclement weather. Please call to reschedule.

## Transportation

Leaders are responsible for arranging their own transportation.



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