

2021 ANNUAL REPORT



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POTAWATOMI AREA COUNCIL

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SCOUT EXECUTIVE REPORT



On behalf of the 4,121 registered youth members served and 1,943 registered adult volunteers, the Potawatomi Area Council is pleased to present you with the 2021 Annual Report.

In 2021, the Potawatomi Area Council had a successful year, developing the next generation of community leaders and celebrated the 75th Anniversary of Camp Long Lake. As we kicked off the 75th celebration with a new event called

Opening Day, which brought over 600 Scouts and Scouters to Camp Long Lake. In addition, we had a memorable anniversary celebration in July, several Scouters from the past and present were able to attend, and many great Scouting stories were shared. The celebration culminated in a record attendance of 1,197 Scouts attending summer camp. The Potawatomi Area Council is looking forward to building even more memories during the next 75 years and beyond.

Although Covid continued to challenge us in 2021, we balanced the budget which is a direct result of our continued community support and generosity. By doing this, we were able to invest more dollars in improvements to the jewel of our council, Camp Long Lake.

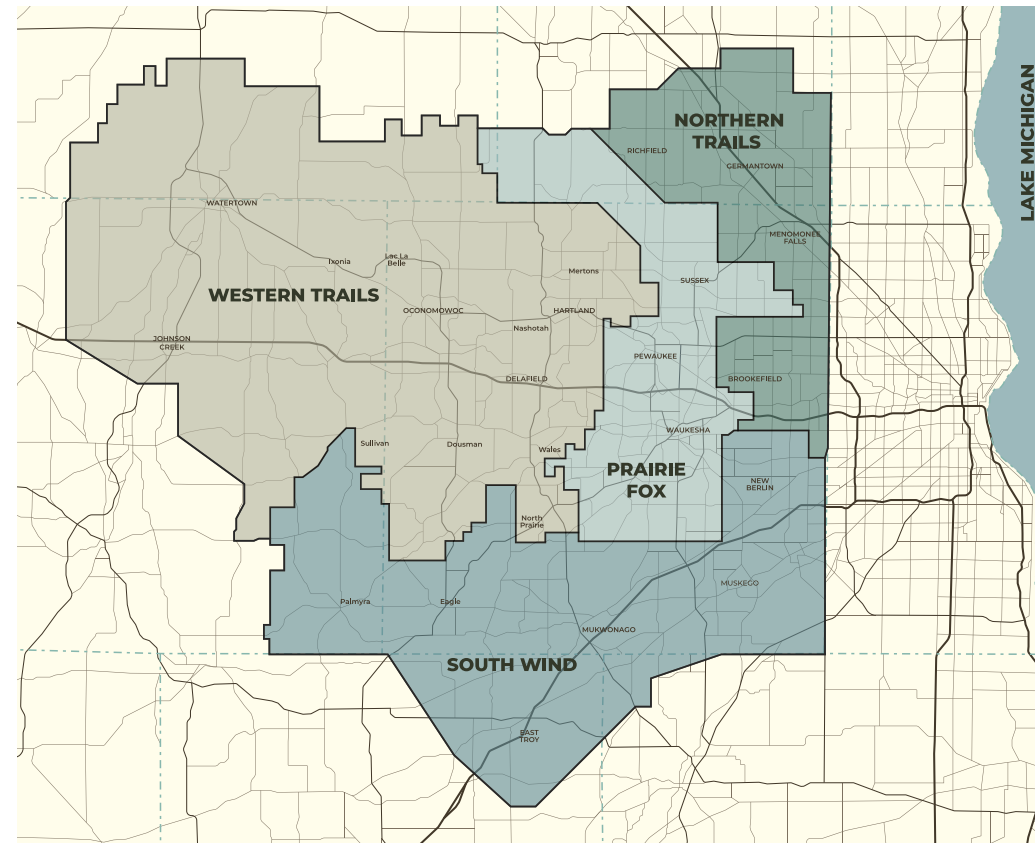
Not only was it a great year financially, it was also a great year for activities. Our Scouts participated in several high-quality programs like: Winter Blasts, Swamp Fox, River Rats, Webelos Resident Camp, Fall Camporee, Creep-O-Ree, and National Youth Leadership Training, just to name a few. My commitment to our Scouts, leaders, donors, and you are to maintain these great programs and expand them to a growing number of Scouts year after year.

I am grateful to all who helped make 2021 so successful, and I'm even more excited about building a greater future for Scouting and our community.

Yours in Scouting,

Paul W. Schwartz
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Scout Executive

COUNCIL MAP



MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Potawatomi Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, in cooperation with chartered partner organizations is to help an ever-increasing number of youth mature into adults exhibiting traits of participating citizenship, character and personal fitness founded upon the moral and ethical values expressed in the Scout Oath/Promise and Law.

SCOUT OATH

On my honor, I will do my best
To do my duty to God and my country
and obey the Scout Law;
To help other people at all times;
To keep myself physically strong,
mentally awake and morally straight.

SCOUT LAW

Trustworthy | Loyal
Helpful | Friendly
Courteous | Kind
Obedient | Cheerful
Thrifty | Brave
Clean | Reverent



CUB SCOUTS

Cub Scouts is the first opportunity for girls and boys to join a Scouting program in our organization. Starting in Kindergarten and going through Grade 5 , youth ages 5-10 can begin learning new skills, enjoying outdoor adventures and building their character through the Potawatomi Area Council Cub Scout program in the greater Waukesha County area. We help create the building blocks for youth to become compassionate leaders in our community.

127

CUB DAY CAMP
ATTENDEES

212

PINEWOOD DERBY
ATTENDEES

139

**WEBELOS RESIDENT
CAMP**
ATTENDEES

337

**RIVER RATS SPRING
FAMILY CAMP**
ATTENDEES

446

**SWAMP FOX FALL
FAMILY CAMP**
ATTENDEES

321

**WINTER BLAST
ADVENTURE**
ATTENDEES

SCOUTS BSA

Our Scouts BSA program has promoted generations of leaders in the greater Waukesha County area . Young men and women ages 11-17 can embark on new adventures while gaining advanced skills, personal growth and commitment to service. Scouts BSA includes youth-led programs that build service, leadership and community engagement, working up through the ranks to the pinnacle rank of Eagle Scout.

378

OPENING DAY CAMP
ATTENDEES

253

FALL CAMPOREE
ATTENDEES

29

**HIGH ADVENTURE
SHOOTING SPORTS**
ATTENDEES

331

**CREEP-O-REE
CO-ED CAMP**
ATTENDEES

72

**NATIONAL YOUTH
LEADERSHIP**
ATTENDEES

33

**OKPIK COLD
WEATHER CAMPING**
ATTENDEES



VENTURING, EXPLORING AND SEA SCOUTS

9

VENTURING CREWS



Venturing Is one of our teen Scouting programs, introducing youth to fun and exciting adventures. Teens and young adults ages 14-20 can enjoy friendships and learning new skills in this active lifestyle Scouting program. Venturing is youth-led with adult advisors that plan and attend various activities and events throughout the year.



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EXPLORING POSTS

The Exploring program is an innovative opportunity for Scouts to receive hands-on experiences in different career fields. Scouts can choose a Post in a career field that interests them and meet professionals in the field while learning more about their possible career choices.

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SEA SCOUTS SHIPS



Sea Scouts is a great way for young adults that want to improve their boating and water safety skills while making new friends. For over a century, Sea Scouting has been imparting water skills and personal growth for teens and young adults.

HIGHLIGHTS

4,121

REGISTERED
YOUTH

122

EAGLE
SCOUTS

1,370

CUB CAMP
ATTENDEES

1,943

ADULTS
TRAINED
IN YPT

30,255

SERVICE
HOURS

1,182

SUMMER
CAMP
ATTENDEES

13,261

NIGHTS OF
CAMPING

\$1,304,33

PRODUCT
SOLD

1,328

LBS. DONATED
FROM PAC
GARDEN

1,624

CUB SCOUT
RANKS
EARNED

936

SCOUT BSA
RANKS
EARNED

4,465

MERIT BADGES
EARNED

CAMP LONG LAKE

The Potawatomi Area Council has invested in our Camp Long Lake Scout Reservation facility for decades to create a superb camping experience for our Scouts. The facility was obtained in 1945 and it has become the premier outdoor program for thousands of Scouts over the decades. Camp Long Lake is located 10 miles northeast of Campbellsport, WI in the Kettle Moraine State Forest.

Camp Long Lake offers excellent customer service to our Scouting units and wonderful facilities for our campers and staff. There are multiple cabins and dining hall available, plus over a dozen campsites for Scout units. Scouts can choose from over 50 merit badges at camp, through the following programs offered at Camp Long Lake shown in the images below.



1,182
SUMMER CAMP
ATTENDEES

667
OFF-SEASON
CAMPING
ATTENDEES

32
PACK & TROOPS
CAMPING
ATTENDEES



FINANCE

All funds solicited by the Potawatomi Area Council, BSA throughout the course of the year are generated through voluntary contributions from the public and are solely used for Scouting Programs.

- **Camp & Activity - 38%**
- **Product Sale - 19%**
- **Special Events - 13%**
- **Friends of Scouting - 12%**
- **Other - 12%**
- **United Way - 7%**



TOTAL SUPPORT - \$1,966,665



- **Program - 90%**
- **Fundraising - 6%**
- **Administration - 4%**

TOTAL EXPENSES - \$1,959,108

COUNCIL BOARD

2021 OFFICERS

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2021 EAGLES

UNIT L. FIRST NAME

71	S	Aarav
139	W	Adam
T47	K	Aidan
359	J	Aidan
152	P	Aidan
21	N	Alex Lee
224	H	Alexander
38	K	Alexander
271	D	Alexander
139	K	Alexander
47	R	Alexander
109	D	Andrew
271	M	Andrew
67	S	Andrew
175B	E	Atticus
32	K	Augustine
109	T	Beattie
49	V	Benjamin
53	C	Bennett
67	S	Bernard
63	R	Carter
119	B	Charles
24	K	Charles
54	E	Christian
53	C	Connor
68	M	Connor
47	P	Daniel
183	D	David
95	L	Dayton
321	S	Derrick
87	H	Dominic
152	E	Dominick
47	S	Dylan
80	T	Dylan
152	B	Elijah
229G	R	Erin
38	D	Ethan
55	W	Evan
53	O	Evan
165	W	Evan

UNIT L. FIRST NAME

43	W	Evan
53	O	Gabriel
56	T	Gavin
32	K	George
119	F	Hayden
47	H	Hayden
43	B	Jackson
47	P	Jacob
183	R	Jacob
115	S	Jacob
90	F	James
139	D	Janson
71	F	Jeremy
321	G	Jeremy
26	H	John
21	B	Johnathan
152	H	Jonathan
4 B	K	Jonathan
141	T	Jonathan
224	G	Jordan
175	W	Jordan
13	K	Joseph
18	P	Joseph
32	W	Joseph
119	W	Joseph
115	D	Joshua
321	M	Joshua
87	W	Justin
159G	L	Kelsey
12	S	Klaus
71	H	Kyle
119	H	Liam
224	G	Logan
119	K	Luca
109	V	Luca
175B	E	Lukas
12	F	Luke
122	K	Luke
87	T	Luke
115	D	Mario

UNIT L. FIRST NAME

175	B	Matthew
139	B	Matthew
13	K	Matthew
47	S	Matthew
119	R	Maxwell
38	W	Maxwell
4G	A	Miranda
224	H	Nicholas
110	J	Nolan
359	J	Owen
119	K	Peter
71	S	Peter
359	K	Quinn
183	S	Raj
165	W	Reece
5	C	Riley
90	G	Ryan
165	H	Ryan
49	K	Ryan
109	L	Ryan
24	P	Ryan
229G	O	Sarah
159G	R	Sarah
55	R	Sean
122	P	Seiler
175	Z	Shaine
49	I	Spencer
169	H	Stephen
115	S	Stephen
63	P	Tate
38	P	Trent
90	J	Ty
49	H	Tyler
41	H	Tyler
14	C	Vincent
183	G	Vishnu
12	B	William
20	F	William
109	B	Zachary
175	W	Zachary

QUARTERMASTER

UNIT	L.	FIRST NAME
Ship 2	R	Jacob

SUMMIT

UNIT	L.	FIRST NAME
Crew 4	S	Ashlyn



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