# Lifesaving Merit Badge



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**Buckeye Council** 

#### **Information**

- -Any scout can sign up for Lifesaving Merit Badge but Swimming Merit Badge is required. Scout must have strong swimming skills!
- -Pool Class(s) at Perry Natatorium in Massillon, OH & Lecture Class at St Joseph's School in Canton, OH.
- -Cost \$40 prior to event day/\$50 at event.
- -The Merit Badge Booklet is given to each scout in our program
- -Registration Information at www.crew820bsa.com/registration! If you have any question email Crew820BSA@gmail.com

## **Prerequisites**

Prerequisites must be completed prior to the first class date! Proof of completion will need to be sent to us prior to the first class.

- -Safe Swim Defense must be completed! A copy of your Safe Swim Defense certificate.
- -Swimming Merit Badge must be completed! A copy of your Swimming Merit Badge Blue Card.

#### **Schedule**

- 01/08/23 5:30P to 8:00P 2nd/1st Class Requirements, Reaching Rescues, Throwing Rescues, & Recover a 10 lb. weight Feet first/Head first
- 01/22/23 6:00P to 8:00P In-Person Rowing Rescues & Avoiding Contact/Lead-and-Wait
- 01/29/23 6:00P to 8:00P Explain Buoyant Aids
- 02/05/23 6:00P to 8:00P Demonstrate Rescues of a Conscious/Unconscious Practice Subject with Buoyant Aids & Demonstrate Management of Spinal Injury
- 02/26/23 6:00P to 8:00P Swim Continuously for 400 yards using Proper Strokes/Strong Manner
- 03/05/23 6:00P to 8:00P Swim Continuously for 400 yards using Proper Strokes/Strong Manner, Perform Nonequipment Rescues for a Conscious/Unconscious Practice Subject, & Show How to Escape from a
- Victim's Grasp Wrist/Front/Rear Holds 03/12/23 6:00P to 8:00P Make Up Class (Class Isn't Required!)
- 04/02/23 5:00P to 8:00P Safe Swim Defense/Safety Afloat, Drowning Situation/Identify Person/Method of Rescue/Rescue Techniques/Rescues Not Undertaken, Heavy Clothing Removal, CPR, & First Aid.

## **Aquatic Opportunities/Activities**

Crew 820 BSA offers a variety of opportunities/activities please see reverse side for other programs!