

Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan

Scout Reservation



Coeur de Bois

Voyageurs of the Forest



Voyageur Program (Ages 13+) — High Adventure, One Day at a Time

The Voyageur Program is designed for Senior Scouts (13+) who are ready to push their outdoor skills and sample the thrill of true High Adventure. This “trek sampler” delivers a new challenge every day—both on-campus at Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan Scout Reservation and off-campus throughout Langlade County.

Voyageurs stay overnight with their home troops, allowing them to continue serving in key leadership roles such as SPL, ASPL, and other senior positions while still experiencing high-adventure action during the day.

Voyageurs are expected to bring strong outdoor experience, solid Scout skills, and mature judgment. They take an active role in planning and leadership, working in small groups that develop teamwork, responsibility, and strong camaraderie through immersive, challenging, and unforgettable adventures.

Each day brings a different adventure trek, with activities such as:

- Backpacking
- Canoeing
- Climbing & zip-lining
- Archery, .22 rifle, and shotgun
- White-water rafting
- Mountain biking
- Fishing & hiking
- Horseback riding
- Team challenges

These experiences build the skills and confidence needed for full treks at Philmont, Summit Bechtel Reserve, Northern Tier, or Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan's own High Adventure Base.



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Representative Daily Schedule

Monday–Ma-Ka-Ja-Wan Expedition

Hiking, Setting up a Base Camp, and range activities including archery, rifle, and shotgun.

Tuesday–The Northern Tier Expedition

Field trip canoeing on Wolf River and Lake Bannard, portaging, and relaxation in “Hammock City”.

Wednesday–The Summit Expedition

Climbing Wall, Crate Stacking, Zip Lining, followed by an afternoon mountain biking at Jack Lake.



Thursday–The Philmont Expedition

Hiking and hands-on interaction with horses at Triangle M Ranch.

Friday–The Sea Base Expedition

Whitewater Rafting on the Wolf or Peshtigo Rivers.

One overnight experience is Included during the week.

Weather-related adjustments to schedule may be made as needed.

Important Notes

- Enrollment is limited.
- Pre-camp application is required.
- The Coureur des Bois coordinator will interview all applicants.

