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Crab Orchard

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Boy Scouts Merit Badge Wilderness Survival

Wanting to learn how to survive in the wilderness and earn your Wilderness Survival merit badge at the same time? Come join the Crab Orchard Refuge AmeriCorps staff in a fun filled day of survival skills.

In this program the Scouts will learn the hazards of wilderness survival, how to Anticipate, help prevent, mitigate or lessen the hazards, maintain morale when lost, and identify different weather conditions and what needs to be done, learn different methods to build a fire, learn different ways to attract attention when lost, learn how to read a map and compass and navigate using them. Scouts will also learn Basic First Aid in this program. The program will be outdoors so please dress accordingly.



When: April 18th, 2020

Where: Pine Ridge Boy Scout Reservation

Time: 12:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Cost: Free

What to Bring: Your Totin chip and your fire starter cards and a tarp if you

have one

Registration: To register for this event please call the Crab Orchard Refuge Visitor

Center. 618-997-3344 Ext 1