

**DAN BEARD (FIRST YEAR CAMPER) (COU-TOU-SEE)**

Onteora's Dan Beard program will focus on Tenderfoot, Second, and First Class skills. We recommend new scouts take **1-2** badges, so they have time to work with the Dan Beard program and participate in unit and other camp activities. We strongly recommend all first time summer campers participate for:

1. Camp Orientation/Familiarity
2. Rank Advancement Instruction through First Class.
3. Camp and Citizenship Training

Cost	DAN BEARD (1st YEAR SCOUTS)	9AM	10AM	11AM	1:30PM	3PM	4PM	Pre Req.
	Dan Beard Sessions	SESSION ONE				SESSION TWO		
	NOTE: SCOUTS REGISTER FOR A SESSION OF DAN BEARD PROGRAMMING, PRIOR TO ARRIVAL. DURING OFF TIME, THEY'RE ENCOURAGED TO EARN BADGES & EXPLORE OTHER PROGRAMS.							

The Dan Beard Program meets at the Cou-Tou-See Campsite every weekday (during each scout's registered session). Dan Beard is a half-day program, in the morning (Session 1) or afternoon (Session 2), paired with free time for merit badge and alternative programming opportunities.

<b>SUGGESTED MERIT BADGES FOR FIRST YEAR CAMPERS</b>		
<b>Basketry</b>	Materials may be purchased at camp. No prerequisites.	\$25 to \$30
<b>Fish and Wildlife Management/Soil &amp; Water Conservation</b>	Any Scouts may take. <b>Work on req. 7 before camp.</b>	No Costs
<b>Fishing</b>	Bring a fishing pole & lures. Limited supplies are available at the program area. Additional supplies can be purchased at the Trading Post.	No Costs
<b>Leatherwork</b>	Materials may be purchased at camp. No prerequisites.	\$10 to \$15
<b>Mammal Study</b>	Writing required. No prerequisites.	No Costs
<b>Nature</b>	<b>Work on req. 4 prior to camp.</b>	No Costs
<b>Space Exploration</b>	Rocket kits will be purchased at the Trading Post. No prerequisites.	\$15