

# Program Area Materials

## All-Terrain Vehicles (ATV)

Scouting is Outing! And, can you think of a better way to enjoy the many acres of Griswold Scout Reservation than on an All-Terrain Vehicle? Daniel Webster Council is one of only a select group of Councils across the USA to run an ATV Program. 2019 is the sixth year of this program and we once again encourage you to have your oldest Scouts or Venturers participate!

**There are no exceptions to the following conditions...**

- Riders must:
- Must be at least age 16+ Submit a permission slip / waiver form – signed by a parent
- Pay additional \$25, as necessary
- Wear long pants, long-sleeve shirt and ankle-covering closed-toe footwear

### ASI TRAINING & TRAIL RIDE

All-Terrain Vehicle Safety Institute® (ASI) is a not-for-profit division of the Specialty Vehicle Institute of America® (SVIA). SVIA was formed in 1988 to implement an expanded national program of ATV safety education and awareness. ASI's primary goal is to promote the safe and responsible use of ATV's, thereby reducing accidents and injuries that may result from improper ATV operation by the rider.

This program features a 4.5-5hour ASI rider safety course (complete with certification) which will teach the rider all parts of the ATV, how to care and maintain an ATV and all rules of the road and operational techniques. Riders will be challenged to perform proper riding and control techniques on Camp Bell's one-acre 'terrain neutral' course in order to complete the certification.

Once the ASI rider course is complete, the day culminates with a trail ride – based on time remaining and the overall ability of the group through the many trails, roadways and beautiful sections of the Griswold Scout Reservation.

### ATV EXTENDED TRAIL RIDE

Only riders who are already ASI-certified are eligible for participation in this program.

Riders will begin their day preparing their machines and reviewing the parts, basic care and rules of the road. After properly reviewed, a visit to Camp Bell's one-acre 'terrain-neutral' course will retest the rider's aptitude and familiarize him/her with the machine.

Once satisfactorily prepared, the remainder of the day will feature trail riding throughout the expansive and beautiful roads, trails and byways of Griswold Scout



ATV OUTPOST (Tues. or Thurs., only)

For those riders who are ASI-certified, you might consider leaving on an ATV to a remote spot in the back country. After dinner, you will meet at the ATV Barn and depart for some riding until you come to the location you wish to stay overnight in the GSR back-country! Wake up early and return in time for breakfast and program.

