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Purpose of the BSA

The BSA endeavors to develop American citizens who are:

- physically, mentally, and emotionally fit;
- have a high degree of self-reliance as evidenced in such qualities as initiative, courage, and resourcefulness;
- have personal values based on religious concepts;
- have the desire and skills to help others;
- understand the principles of the American social, economic, and governmental systems;
- are knowledgeable about and take pride in their American heritage and understand our nation's role in the world;
- have a keen respect for the basic rights of all people;
- and are prepared to participate in and give leadership to American society.

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Scouting Programs

- Cub Scouting (Boys 7-10 yrs.),
- Boy Scouting (Boys 11-17 yrs.),
- Venturing (Boys & Girls 14-20 yrs.)

Our Mission:

The Winnebago Council, Boy Scouts of America will offer young people a fun, value based, leadership experience, applying the moral and ethical traditions of the Scout Oath and Law.

Our Vision:

The Winnebago Council, Boy Scouts of America is committed to being:

- An accessible, effective and innovative youth development organization
- A trusted, supportive community resource.
- A meaningful, life-long friend to all young people.

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About the Winnebago Council

The Winnebago Council covers **17 counties in Northeast Iowa** including: Black Hawk, Buchanan, Butler, Bremer, Cerro Gordo, Chickasaw, Fayette, Floyd, Franklin, Grundy, Hancock, Howard, Mitchell, Winnebago, Winneshiek, Worth, and Wright. **Four Districts and One Service Area** encompass the Winnebago Council: Lakeland, Sun Rivers, Twin Rivers, Wabuha Districts & The Cedar Valley Service Area.

The Winnebago Council has **5 Professional Staff** (Todd Wordel, Stephen Becker, Amy Simon, Mike Broadston, & Mark Curran), **7 Support Staff** (Jean Draude, Susan Kempf, Tammy Nicholson, Carol Meyer, Nate Prehm, James Leffler, & Chris Erschen), & **2 Camp Rangers** (Cortney Webber & Tim Cook).

The Character Education programs of the Winnebago Council, Boy Scouts of America provides **character education, moral and physical fitness, and leadership development** to all youth members and participants of our programs. Programs focus on youth first grade through age 21 in encouraging them to achieve their full potential. Programs are offered after school, weekends, before school and during school.

Through our year long Scouting plan we are able to fulfill the missions and vision of Scouting. Specifically, using the methods of Scouting (ideals, youth leading youth, outdoors, advancement {recognition}, association with adults, personal growth, leadership development and group association), we are able to meet the aims of Scouting (**a values based program of Character Development, Citizenship Training, Mental and Physical Fitness**). In being successful with the aims of Scouting we are successful in our respective missions of developing young

people to the best of their ability so that they will become active, productive adults living up to their full potential.

The Winnebago Council provides service to **over 7,000 youth and 2,100 volunteer leaders** with 258 Cub Scout Packs, Boy Scout Troops, Venture Crews, Explorer Posts, and Learning for Life groups chartered to community organizations.

The Council operates two resident camps - **Camp Ingawanis** near Waverly, IA and **Winnebago Scout Reservation (WSR)**, near Marble Rock, IA; and maintains 15 horses for the Scout Wrangler program and trail rides at Camp Ingawanis.

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