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## Scout Troop Visitation and Tour Information

### General Information

Scout groups comprised of children in **grade four or higher** may visit the bison and the Interpretative Trail without advance notice when the Lab is open. (See <http://www.fnal.gov/pub/visiting/hours/index.html> for information on Lab hours and access restrictions.)

Groups may also visit the Lederman Science Center during regular hours (9:00–4:30 Mon.–Fri., 9:00–3:00 Sat.). Group leaders must contact Nancy Lanning at 630-840-5588 or [lanning@fnal.gov](mailto:lanning@fnal.gov) to schedule a visit to the Center. Fermilab will not provide docents, but any group larger than ten individuals must be added to the Center's calendar. One adult chaperone for every five children is required. We especially encourage visits on school holidays, after school and Saturdays.

### Badge Information

Fermilab docents offer two-hour sessions that allow Boy Scouts, Webelos, and Girl Scouts to complete the badges listed below (except *Citizenship in the Nation*, which is only partially completed). Each session is \$50 for 20 scouts.

If you have questions about the activities associated with the badges, please contact Sue Sheehan at 630-840-5058 or [sheehan@fnal.gov](mailto:sheehan@fnal.gov).

#### Boy Scouts

*Nuclear Energy*

*Citizenship in the Nation* (A Fermilab tour completes one requirement for this badge.)

#### Webelos

*Scientist*

*Engineer*

#### Girl Scouts

*Sky Search*

*Earth Connection* (Most of the activities for this badge take place in our tallgrass prairie.)

*Science Sleuth*

*Science for Everyday Life*

*Making It Matter*

*Finding Your Way*

*Wildlife*

*Science Discovery* (This should be completed during the work week, as visiting with a scientist is one of the planned activities.)