



Sea Scout Ship 940

Based on Stillwater Lake at
Camp Minsi in Pocono Summit, PA



What is Sea Scouts?

Sea Scouts, BSA is a program of the Boy Scouts of America for young men and women ages 14 to 20. A Sea Scout Ship (like a "troop" or "crew") is like a Venture Crew that is heavily focused on water-based action. This can be any type of watercraft on any type of body of water. It does not have to be a tall ship on a bay or the ocean. Most Sea Scout Ships are based around a sailboat on a local lake. The largest growth of ships is in the paddle sport craft segment.

Why Sea Scout Ship 940?

- ⚓ Reintroduces Sea Scouts to Minsi Trails Council
- ⚓ Initial Ship is for Council-wide membership
- ⚓ Young men & women ages 14-20
- ⚓ Coordinating with the USCG Aux.
- ⚓ Home port is the 314-acre Stillwater Lake at Camp Minsi
- ⚓ Access to the 100+ watercraft housed at Camp Minsi's waterfront

Sea Scout Sessions University of Scouting

College Center Building
Room 285

Session 3 (11:05 - 12:00)
Session 4 (12:55 - 1:50)

Check-in at Lipkin Theater
Kopecheck Hall

Where can I learn more about Sea Scouts and Ship 940?

- ⚓ General information on Sea Scouts is available at: seascout.org
- ⚓ Specific information on Ship 940 is available at: ship940.org
- ⚓ University of Scouting will host informational sessions on Saturday March 9th, during periods 3 and 4. You can register for University of Scouting at: minsitrails.org. See the calendar of events.
- ⚓ Camp Minsi will host an informational session on Saturday, April 27th. You can register for the Ship 940 informational session at: campminsi.org. See the calendar of events.
- ⚓ You can complete a youth or adult Sea Scout application and either of these events.

When will the Ship 940 launch? (When is the first meeting?)

The first meeting will be in early May, at a time and place to be determined. An email will be sent to all who have submitted an application. You can also send an email stating your interest and contact information to: contact@ship940.org. Finally, you can monitor ship940.org for updates. At this meeting, the Ship's Boatswain, pronounced "bow-sun" (like the Senior Patrol Leader) will be selected.

Anxious to jump in? How about New York Harbor during Fleet Week 2019?

An Annual event in New York Harbor is tentatively slated as the Ship's initial activity. Ship 940 will do a port of call at the Coast Guard Base in Bayonne, NJ, adjacent to New York Harbor. Sea Scouts will get to visit the USCGC Sturgeon Bay (center left), an ice breaker on the Hudson and the USCG Katherine Walker (center right), a buoy tender in New York Harbor and the Hudson River.

