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Merit Badge / Activity	9:00	10:00	11:00	12:00	1:00	2:00	3:00	4:00	5:00	Notes and Prerequisite:
AQUATICS										
Canoeing	9:00-10:30		10:30-12:00				2:00-3:30			Pass the swimmer's test; 1b*
Instructional Swim			11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00				Learn to swim program
Kayaking	9:00-10:00	10:00-11:00	11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00				Pass the swimmer's test; 1b*
Lifesaving	9:00-10:30					2:00-3:30				Swimming MB; 2ab, 17*
Mile Swim BSA (Conditioning)		10:00-11:00								Pass the swimmer's test
Motorboating (M,Tu)			11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00				Pass the swimmer's test; 1bc*
Motorboating (Th,F)	9:00-10:00	10:00-11:00	11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00				Pass the swimmer's test; 1bc*
Personal Watercraft (PWC) Safety Course	9:00 - 10:30					2:00 - 3:30				Personal Watercraft introductory course. Pass the swimmer's test, Age 15+ . Must have a Boater Education Course Certificate*, photo ID, & signed waiver form
Rowing (M,Tu,W)	9:00-10:00	10:00-11:00								Pass the swimmer's test; 1b*
Small-Boat Sailing			10:30-12:00			2:00-3:30				Pass the swimmer's test; 1b*
Swimming	9:00-10:30	10:30-12:00				2:00-3:30				Pass the swimmer's test; 1b*
Water Sports	9:00-10:30	10:30-12:00				2:00-3:30				\$15 fee; pass swimmer's test; Age 13+
OPEN Boating							3:30- 4:50			Bring a buddy. Open program, no sign-up required.
OPEN Swimming							3:30- 4:50			Bring a buddy. Open program, no sign-up required.
Stand Up Paddle Boarding							3:30- 4:50			Bring a buddy. Open program, no sign-up required.
Troop Canoe Trek										See the Aquatics Director
Troop Swim										See the Aquatics Director

Notes *CPR/First Aid requirement only indicates knowledge of CPR and First Aid. If completed at a troop meeting or have First Aid MB, that will fulfill the prerequisite. **PWC: Indiana Boating Safety Course link and additional information is available on our website. Out of state Boating Safety Courses need to meet the NASBLA requirements.

Baden-Powell

Citizenship in the Nation	9:00-10:00		11:00-12:00				3:00-4:00			2 , Recommended age 14+
Citizenship in the World		10:00-11:00				2:00-3:00		4:00-5:00		Recommended age 14+
Game Design	9:00-10:00					2:00-3:00				8
Personal Management		10:00-11:00	11:00-12:00				3:00-4:00			1b, 2, 8 , Recommended age 14+

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COMMUNICATIONS										
Moviemaking		10:00-12:00								
Communication	9:00-10:00					2:00-3:00	3:00 - 4:00	4:00-5:00		5, 8
Photography	9:00-10:00					2:00 - 3:00	3:00-4:00			1a (Cyber Chip). Bring a personal digital camera, if possible.
Music								4:00-5:00		
EAGLE QUEST										
First Year Camper	9:00-11:00		OPEN*			2:00-4:00		OPEN*		Covers only Tenderfoot and Second Class reqs. AM and PM sessions are exactly identical to each other, so Scouts only need to sign up for one of the two sessions. *Open hours indicate open program to complete any requirements. No sign-up required.
First Class			11:00-12:00					4:00-5:00		Covers only First Class reqs. AM and PM sessions are exactly identical to each other; Scouts only need to sign up for one of the two sessions.
Totin' Chip			OPEN					OPEN		No sign-up required.
Firem'n Chit			OPEN					OPEN		No sign-up required.
Paul Bunyan			OPEN					OPEN		No sign-up required.
HANDICRAFT										
Art			11:00-12:00					4:00-5:00		
Basketry	9:00-10:00					2:00-3:00				3 projects cost \$25-\$27 total
Fingerprinting (Th,F)		10:00-11:00					3:00-4:00			
Leatherwork	9:00-10:00	10:00-11:00	11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00				Projects cost \$5-\$15 total
Metalwork	9:00-11:00					2:00-4:00				\$20 shop cost
Model Design and Building			11:00-12:00				3:00-4:00	4:00-5:00		
Sculpture (M,Tu,W)		10:00-11:00					3:00-4:00			Project material cost \$5
Woodcarving	9:00-10:00	10:00-11:00	11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00	3:00-4:00	4:00-5:00		Projects cost \$5-\$8; Totin' Chip req.
OPEN Handicraft								OPEN		Open program for Scouts to work on projects and learn different art mediums. No sign-up required.
HIGH ADVENTURE										
Climbing	9:00-11:00					2:00-4:00				Age 13+
COPE	9:00-12:00					2:00-5:00				*Challenging Outdoor Personal Experience*, Age 13+
Open Climbing								4:00-4:50		No sign-up required.
Open Rappel - Youth (Tu.)								4:00-4:50		Occurs Tuesday. No sign-up required.

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NATURE CENTER										
Bird Study	9:00-10:00									5
Fish and Wildlife Management (M,Tu,W)			11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00				7
Fishing	9:00-10:00	10:00-11:00	11:00-12:00							7 ; Recommend bringing own fishing rod and tackle, if possible.
Forestry								4:00-5:00		
Geology (Th,F)			11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00				
Insect Study		10:00-11:00								9,10
Mammal Study (Th,F)	9:00-10:00	10:00-11:00	11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00	3:00-4:00	4:00-5:00		3
Nature	9:00-10:00		11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00	3:00-4:00	4:00-5:00		
Oceanography							3:00-4:00			
Reptile and Amphibian Study		10:00-11:00					3:00-4:00			8
Soil and Water Conservation						2:00 - 3:00				
Weather (M,Tu,W)	9:00-10:00	10:00-11:00	11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00	3:00-4:00	4:00-5:00		9
OPEN Nature								4:00-5:00		No sign-up required
RANCH										
Animal Science (M, Tu,W)	9:00-10:00					2:00-3:00				
Farm Mechanics (M,Tu,W)			11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00				
Horsemanship	9:00-11:00									\$20 fee, long pants. Recommended Age 13+
Landscape Architecture (Th,F)			11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00				
Vet. Medicine (Th,F)	9:00-10:00					2:00-3:00				6
Wrangler						2:00-3:30				\$20 fee, Age 13+ , long pants, Horsemanship MB
Trail Rides							3:15-4:15	4:00-5:00		\$10 fee, sign-up in Trading Post; please wear long pants

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SCOUTCRAFT										
Camping	9:00-10:00	10:00-11:00				2:00-3:00	3:00-4:00			4b, 5e, 7b, 9abc
Cooking		10:00-12:00				2:00-4:00				\$20 fee
Emergency Preparedness	9:00-10:00		11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00		4:00-5:00		First Aid MB, 2c, 8b
First Aid	9:00-10:00	10:00-11:00	11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00	3:00-4:00			5
Pioneering	9:00-11:00					2:00-4:00				
Search and Rescue								4:00-5:00		
Signs, Signals, and Codes			11:00-12:00					4:00-5:00		
Wilderness Survival	9:00-10:00	10:00-11:00					3:00-4:00	4:00-5:00		
OPEN Scoutcraft								OPEN		A time for Scouts to complete need requirements (and partials) and experience different Scoutcraft Skills; No sign up required.
SHOOTING SPORTS										
Archery	9:00-11:00	10:00-12:00				OPEN*				*Open Program - no sign-up required. Fully enclosed shoes required.
Rifle Shooting	9:00-11:00	10:00-12:00				Practice (Optional)	OPEN*			\$12 range fee for MB only. *Open program - no sign-up required. Fully enclosed shoes required.
Shotgun Shooting	9:00-11:00	10:00-12:00				Practice (Optional)				\$20 range fee, Age 13+; Fully enclosed shoes required.
OPEN Sporting Arrows								OPEN*		No sign-up required. Shoot arrows at moving targets. Fully enclosed shoes required.
SPORTS										
Athletics (M,Tu,W)		10:00-11:00	11:00-12:00							3, 6b
Geocaching	9:00-10:00		11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00		4:00-5:00		7, 9
Orienteering	9:00-11:00					2:00-4:00				10
Personal Fitness (M, Tu,W)	9:00-10:00	10:00-11:00	11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00				1b, 7, 8
Sports (Th,F)	9:00-10:00	10:00-11:00	11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00				4,5
Mountain Biking							OPEN	OPEN		5+ feet tall, starts on the hour. No sign-up required.
OPEN Sports							OPEN	OPEN		Various pick-up sports and games will be played on an open basis. No sign-up required.

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STEM CENTER										
Archaeology						2:00-3:00	3:00-4:00			
Astronomy						2:00-3:00				4c,6, night hikes required
Aviation (Th,F)	9:00-10:00							4:00-5:00		4
Chemistry			11:00-12:00				3:00 - 4:00	4:00-5:00		
Electricity	9:00-10:00					2:00-3:00				2
Energy (M,Tu,W)								4:00-5:00		4
Engineering	9:00-10:00		11:00-12:00					4:00-5:00		
Environmental Science	9:00-10:00	10:00-11:00	11:00-12:00			2:00-3:00	3:00-4:00			3e, 4
Exploration (M,Tu,W)	9:00-10:00									
Nuclear Science		10:00-11:00								Recommended age 13+
Robotics	9:00-11:00		OPEN*			2:00-4:00		OPEN*		*For enrolled Scouts only. No sign-up required.
Space Exploration		10:00-11:00	11:00-12:00							\$17 project cost
Welding	9:00-11:00					2:00-4:00		PRACTICE* (Optional)		Leather boots and long jean pants required; Recommended age 13+. *Practice for enrolled Scouts only.
		10:00-12:00								
Mad Science								4:00-5:00		Open program for fun and exciting science experiments and activities. No sign-up required.
TRADING POST										
Salesmanship (M,Tu,W)						2:00-3:00				5
ATV										
ASI ATV Safety Training (M,Tu)	9:00-12:00									Age 16+. Must complete ASI eCourse online prior to camp (link on Ransburg website). Long sleeve shirt, long jean pants, & sturdy ankle boots required. A signed permission form is also required on the first day.
ASI ATV Safety Training (Th,F)	9:00-12:00				2:00-5:00					

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FIRECRFTER											
Camper Rank	OPEN			OPEN							
Woodsman Rank	OPEN			OPEN							
Firecrafter Rank	OPEN			OPEN							
SPL											
SPL Leadership Program								4:00-5:00	A leadership development program designed for troop SPLs at summer camp. All SPLs are encouraged to sign up. Other youth leaders (ASPLs, acting SPLs) are welcome as well.		
RansburgX											
RansburgX	9:00-5:00									Get ready for fun and adventure! This exciting older Scout program is designed for Scouts who want to come to camp for an adventure! Focus will be adventure type activities and not advancement. Day to day activities are subject to change, depending on the interests of the group. This program is designed for Scouts age 16+. Waiver forms are required for ATV & Marengo Cave & can be found on website.	
Activities	Scouts in Ransburg-X could participate in the following activities while at camp: Caving at Marengo Cave, ASI ATV, climbing, mountainboarding, mountain biking, overnight trek, water skiing, sailing, and more.										

OVERALL NOTES	
Open Programs:	It is encouraged for Scouts to leave an hour during the day of open time to enjoy the numerous open programs offered. The majority of open programs occur from 4:00pm - 5:00pm. Open programming does not require prior sign-up. A Scout can simply show-up at a program area when he/she would like to participate in an open program.
Age Restrictions:	Some programs have required age minimums and some programs have recommended age minimums. The purpose of age restrictions varies from program to program. When listed as "Recommended Age 13+", if the Scout is under the recommended age, it is suggested that the Scout have a conversation with his/her Scoutmaster or Summer Camp Coordinator prior to signing-up for that merit badge.
Partial Week Programs:	All programs meet Monday through Friday unless indicated otherwise next to the Merit Badge/Activity name. For example, Kayaking meets on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. There are numerous opportunities in the program schedule to match-up two partial week activities so that a Scout has a full week of activities during a particular hour.
Electronic Schedule:	An electronic version of this schedule is available at www.ransburgbsa.org . Viewing of this schedule is best done printed in color ink or electronically on our website.
Program Fees:	A select number of merit badges and programs have program fees to help partially cover the cost of the program. All program fees are payable (individually or as a Troop) in the Trading Post during your week at camp. Fees do NOT need to be paid prior to the Scout's first day of program.
Selection & Registration:	The Troop Summer Camp Coordinator should register Scouts for merit badges and activities on the Scouting Event Registration website. It is recommended that Scouts pick a first and second choice for each program hour to make registration/scheduling simpler for the Troop's Camp Coordinator. Additional information for each program area can be found in the Camping Guide available on our website. If you have any questions about registering or merit badge selection please reach out to the Crossroads of America Council office.