



Salt River District

Petroglyphs

August 2012

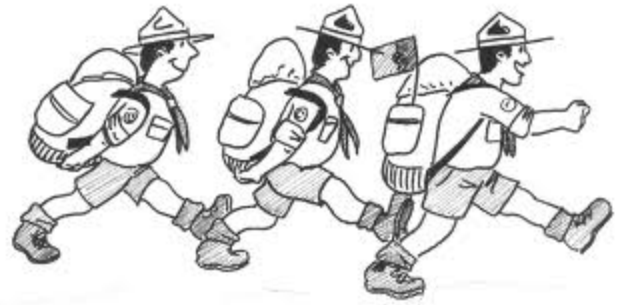


District Happenings
Flyers and further details may also be available on the District Web Site

FUN AT CAMP



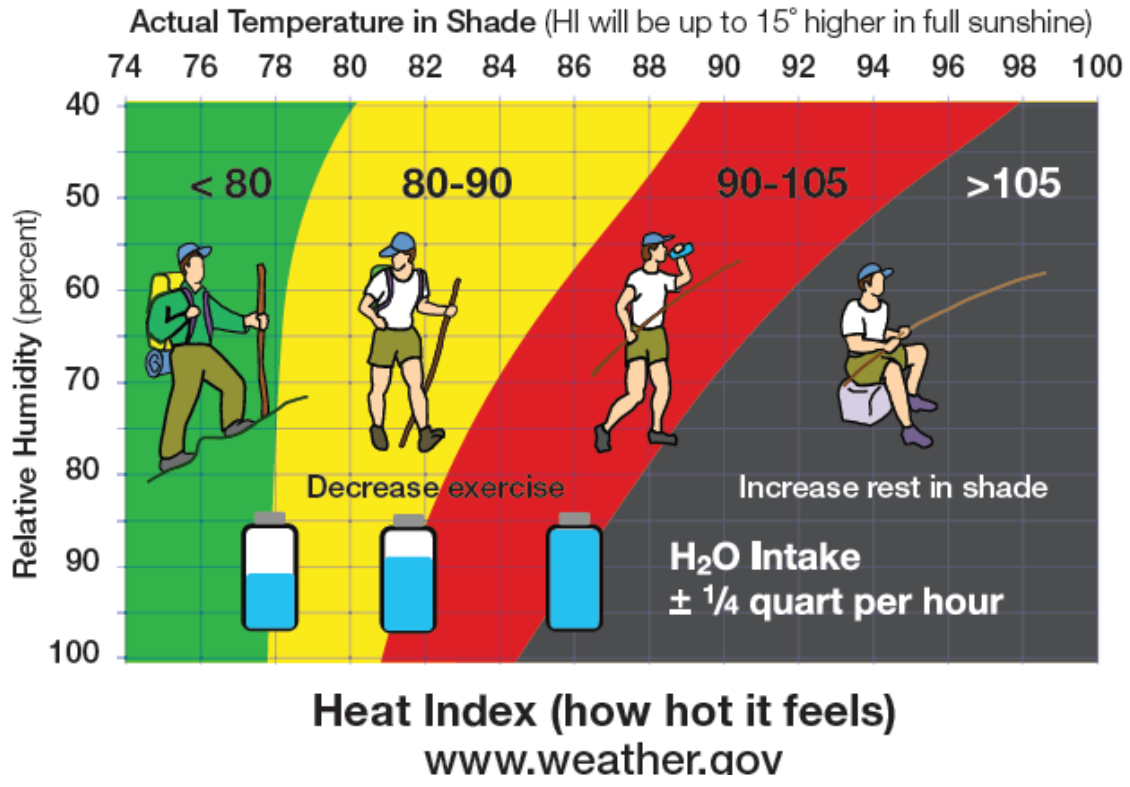




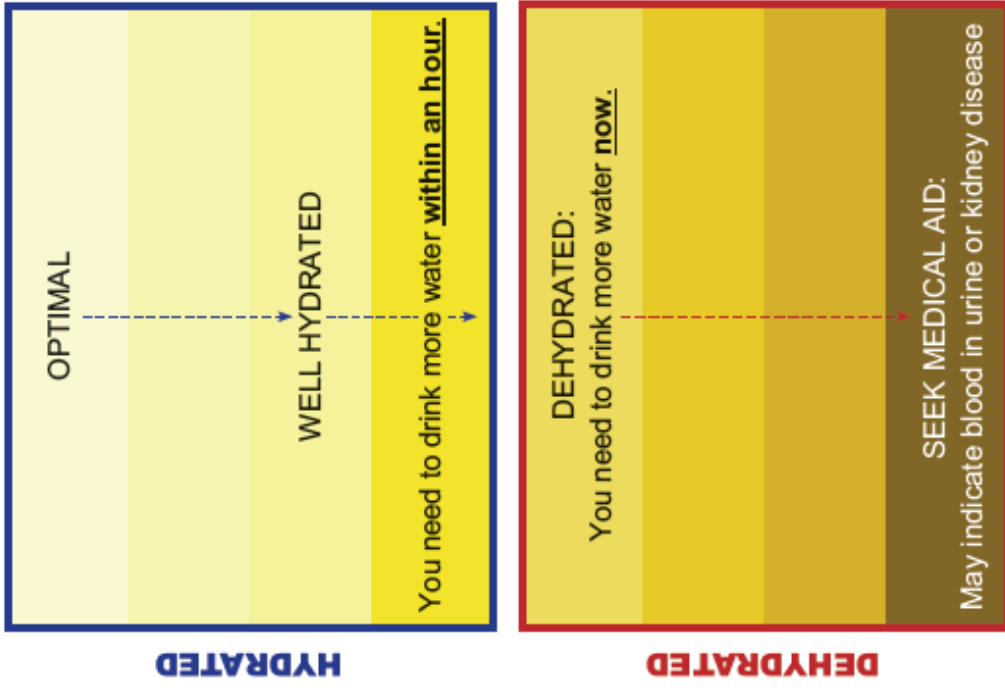
SUMMER PRECAUTIONS

It's easy to get caught up in a Scouting activity on a hot summer day and not pay attention to how the heat is affecting your body. Heat index is defined by the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration as "a measure of how hot it really feels when relative humidity is factored with the actual air temperature." [The heat index/urine color chart](#), which can be downloaded and used to produce a sticker, pocket card, or hang tag, describes situations when you should increase your rest and water intake. Tools such as this will help you pay attention to the warning signs.





Urine Color Chart*

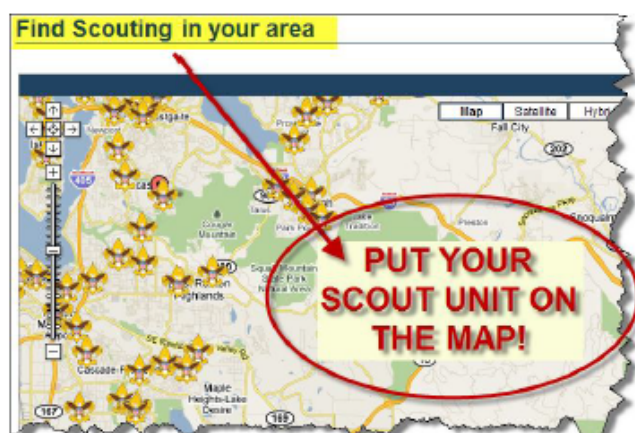


*This color chart is not for clinical use.



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA®

Attention Volunteers: The "Be A Scout" Campaign has been live on the National BSA site for a couple of years now, but you should check out your information there. Youth and Parents IN YOUR AREA will be using this Map feature to find Scout Units so it is important that it is accurate. The website is:



www.bsascout.org Note: Only the following Registered Leaders in your Unit have the ability to update your Unit's Meeting Location on the "Be A Scout" Map, and to change to your Unit's

(A) **Unit Leader:** this means your Cubmaster, Scoutmaster, Varsity Coach, Crew Advisor or Skipper.

(B) **Unit Committee Chair.**

(C) **Chartered Organization Representative.**

Here's what you need to do if you are one of the above – the whole process should take less than 10 minutes:

- **Step 1.** Log onto your account at "MyScouting.org" and select "BeAScout" from the Unit Tools section on the left-hand Menu. A new page will be displayed: There are two "tabs" on this Window, and you should be on "Unit Pin Management" – if not, then click the "Unit Pin Management" tab.
- **Step 2.** Take a moment to look-over the Unit Pin Management screen: If at any time you are lost, look for the "Help" link in the upper right-hand

corner of the page for help. Also, note that the "Google Pin Preview" section, in the bottom-right area of the page, will display what will appear on the Google Map. It will change as you enter/edit information in these steps.

- **Step 3. Check the "Unit Description"** – this box contains a combination of your unit name & your chartered organization. If that the information is incorrect then reach out to your District Executive (DE) for assistance.
- **Step 4: if your Scout Unit has a web site, then enter the web address** (URL) here. Otherwise, enter <http://www.grandcanyonbsa.org> so they will be directed to the Grand Canyon Council web site. You can always edit this field later if your Unit establishes a Web site.
- **Step 5. update the Alternate Unit Description:** many Units opt to type their Unit type & number followed by their Meeting location (example: "Pack 867 – Lincoln Elementary")
- **Step 6: make sure the Pin Status says "Active"** if you want your Pin visible to perspective Scouts and Parents on the Google Map.
- **Step 7a: select your Primary Contact.** This person will receive all emails from prospective Scout parents, so be sure to let the person know that they will be responding to all parent leads. If the fields in this section are "grey" then you must check the "Contact Person" box in the "Fields Displayed on Google Pin" section at the bottom-left side of the page. If the person is already a Registered Adult Leader in your Scout Unit, then

their name will be selectable from a list. Once selected, all information is automatically provided in this section's fields.

- **Step 7b: Also be sure to check all the information with the Primary Contact Volunteer** & edit fields that are no longer current (Example: a phone number or email address changes). It is very important that you keep this information up-to-date as Volunteers & contact information will change over time.
- **Step 8. Enter the location where your unit holds its meetings** (address information). This address will dictate where your unit pin will appear on Google Maps. Note that it may be helpful to enter the name of your Meeting Location "Address 1" and the street address on "address 2"
- **Step 9. Check the Google PIN Preview – this is a preview of what will appear on the map.** Parents will only be able to see what is in this box, so please Review it carefully for accuracy.
- **NOTE:** There is an option to change the icon from a Scouting map symbol representing your unit type to something else. **Please DO NOT change the unit logo icon.**
- **Step 10. Once you are done, click the "SAVE" button** and your information will be uploaded.

That's all you need to do to set up your unit for BeAScout.org. Be sure to do this as soon as possible so your unit will get Recruiting leads.

DID YOU KNOW.....

SRP helps Scouts learn about electricity through clinics that offer hands-on activities as well as classroom instruction. For more information go to srpnet.com/community

The District Calendar contains the dates for Salt River District Events. NOTE TO BE ABLE TO ALIGN BETTER WITH THE OTHER DISTRICTS OUR DISTRICT CALENDAR HAS MOVED

To get to the new calendar do the following:

Go to www.grandcanyonbsa.org/saltriver

Then select Calendar on the left

Cub Scout Leaders! Have your Cub Scouts earn the Video Game Belt Loop! Every Tuesday from 5:00 to 8:00 pm at the Microsoft store. Thank you Microsoft for supporting the Scouting program and sponsoring this clinic! For registration and more information, please click here.

<http://www.grandcanyonbsa.org/registration/calendardetail.asp?ActivityKey=1173238>

Average Age of Eagle Scouts



1949

14.6 years



2011

17.1 years

The National Advancement Team is now on Twitter, @AdvBSA

Recent “tweets” that may be of interest:

Nat'l Advancement Committee resolution on Hiking MB 20 mile hike: Short rest stops or stop for 1 meal ok. Extended stop (overnight) not ok.

Personal Fitness MB pre/post test: EACH strength test must show improvement, but going from 1/4 of a pull up to 1/2 of one is "improvement."

The alternative of using unregistered adults for non-Eagle BORs does not mean "grab any parent if an MC doesn't happen to show up."

Using unregistered adults for non-Eagle BORs is the exception not the rule. If you have MCs schedule BORs when/where they can attend.

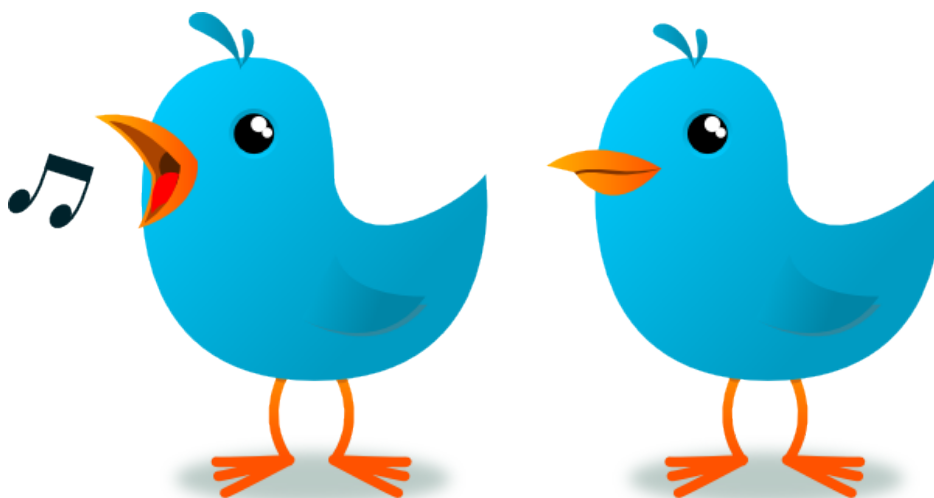
If parents counsel too many MBs for their own sons, council advancement committee should more closely examine MBCs' skills & education.

Follower asked what “tipping point” is for too many MBs counseled parent for son. This is a local call. Different from rural to urban, etc.

All MBCs, including those who counsel their own sons, must be approved by council advancement committee for all the badges they counsel.

Most common complaint we receive: Scouts getting MBs at camp w/o completing all the requirements. See GTA 7.0.3.3, "Group Instruction."

If Scouts are qualifying for MBs at camp w/o passing all requirements, this should be called to attention of council advancement committee.





Save-The-Date

Friday, September 28, 2012
D-backs vs. Marlins
First Pitch @ 6:40 PM

Tickets start at \$21

Camouflage Arizona Diamondbacks hat included
with every ticket purchased!

\$5 of every ticket goes back to Scouting Initiatives

Pregame festivities on 4th street prior to the game
Scout Parade for those in uniform

To purchase your tickets or for questions
please contact:

Daren Heaton at 602.462.4233 or dheaton@dbacks.com

YOU CAN BE PART OF THE 2013 NATIONAL JAMBOREE

The first National Jamboree held at The Bechtel Summit in West Virginia



SCOUTS LISTEN AS A LOCAL TOUR GUIDE EXPLAINS THE HISTORY OF BOSTON



SCOUTS VISIT TIME SQUARE IN NEW YORK CITY



SCOUTS GATHER IN FRONT OF MASSACHUSETTE STATE HOUSE FOR A TROOP PHOTO



SCOUTS WAVE AT THE PHOTOGRAPHER AT HILL CUMORAH, PALMYRA, NY



SCOUTS FROM ACROSS THE NATION GATHER AT JAMBOREE FOR THE OPENING SHOW AT THE ARENA



A FEAST FIT FOR ANY GROWING SCOUT OF LOBSTER, CORN and POTATOES



SCOUTS GATHER IN FRONT OF THE MARINE CORPS MEMORIAL (IWO JIMA MEMORIAL) AT ARLINGTON



SCOUTS LOOKING OVER THE RAILING AS WATER FLOWS OVER NIAGARA FALLS

EAST COAST HISTORICAL TOUR STARTING IN BOSTON MASSACHUSETTS

Day 1: Fly from PHX to Boston, MA

Day 2: Visit Historical Boston, Lexington
Concord, and dine on fresh Maine Lobster.

Day 3: Visit the home of President's
Adams and Kennedy, Plymouth Rock, the
Basketball Hall of Fame and the
Springfield Armory in Springfield,
Massachusetts.

Day 4: Travel to New York City visiting
the USS Intrepid, Ellis Island and the
Statue of Liberty

Day 5: Ground Zero, Central Park, Wall
Street, The United Nations and Times
Square

Day 6: Board your bus with a local step-on
Tour Guide as you travel throughout NYC.

Day 7: Visit Historical Philadelphia, dine
on a genuine Philly Steak Sandwich, run
the steps of the Philadelphia Art Museum
(think Rocky). Visit the Lancaster PA
Amish community.

Day 8: Tour the Gettysburg battlefield and
town of Gettysburg then off to Ft. McHenry
the birthplace of the Star Spangled Banner.
Arrive Washington DC for evening tour.

Day 9: Visit the historical and government
sites in Washington DC.

Day 10: Visit the historical and government
sites in Washington DC.

Day 11— 20: On Monday, July 15, 2013
we will journey to the site of the 2013
National Jamboree to begin your Jamboree
experience.

Day 21: Depart the National Jamboree and
travel to Kings Island, located outside of
Cincinnati, OH for a day of water fun, fast
moving roller coasters and relaxation.

Day 22: Depart Cincinnati, OH for the
flight back home.

UP STATE NEW YORK TOUR of LDS CHURCH HISTORY STARTING IN WASHINGTON DC

Day 1: After red-eye flight from PHX to
Washington DC, begin visit of historical
and government sites.

Day 2: Visit the historical and government
sites in Washington DC.

Day 3: Visit the historical and government
sites in Washington DC.

Day 4: Travel to Ft. McHenry, the
birthplace of the Star Spangled Banner,
then off to Gettysburg battlefield. Visit the
Lancaster PA Amish community.

Day 5: Visit historic Philadelphia, dine on
a genuine Philly Steak Sandwich, run the
steps of the Philadelphia Art Museum
(think Rocky) and then on to Valley Forge.

Day 6: Travel to New York City visiting
the USS Intrepid, Ellis Island and the
Statue of Liberty

Day 7: Board your bus with a local step-on
Tour Guide as you travel throughout NYC.

Day 8: Visit Baseball Hall of Fame in
Cooperstown and then on to church history
sites in Fayette and Palmyra and view Hill
Cumorah Pagant

Day 9: Visit church history sites in
Palmyra then travel to Niagara Falls and on
to Kirtland.

Day 10: Visit historic Kirtland, OH and
surrounding areas

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WASHINGTON DC TOUR AND NATIONAL JAMBOREE

Day 1: Fly from PHX to Washington DC.
Enjoy an evening tour of the Washington
DC area before checking into your hotel.

Day 2-4: Tour sites will partially be
determined by the Troop members. Scouts
will have three days to visit historical and
government sites in and around the
Washington DC area.

Day 5: On Monday, July 15, 2013 will we
journey to the site of the 2013 National
Jamboree to begin your Jamboree
experience.

Day 14: Depart the National Jamboree and
travel to Kings Island, located outside of
Cincinnati, OH for a day of water fun, fast
moving roller coasters and relaxation.

Day 15: Depart Cincinnati, OH for the
flight back home.

FOR DETAILED INFORMATION ON HOW YOU CAN BE PART OF THE 2013 NATIONAL JAMBOREE CONTACT

Scoutmaster Tim Wolf
twolfdaf@cox.net
(602) 790-9211

Follow us on Facebook;
2013 Grand Canyon Council-
National Jamboree Troop-1

All tour information is based on the best information we have at this time. Tour sites and itinerary will be subject to change as we move closer to the actual dates.

Merit Badge Counselor Application Process (Grand Canyon Council)

New Merit Badge Counselors or Dropped Membership as a registered Merit Badge Counselor can follow the below Merit badge application Process:

1. Submit a completed [Adult Registration](#) form and Disclosure form (Both are the standard two part registration form).

The only signature required is of the person applying to be the Merit Badge Counselor. It is required by National that a separate application be turned in to register as a Merit Badge Counselor.

Notes:

- a. If the Individual on the application wants to register as a Merit Badge Counselor and as a Scout Unit Leader or as a Member of Committee the two additional signatures will be required to approve the Scout Unit Position. With two positions being applied for it is required to have a copy to process **two separate applications**.
- b. If the applicant is already approved and registered in a unit as a leader or as Member of Committee, another adult application is still required be filled out and turned in to register as a Merit Badge Counselor.
- c. The Merit Badge registration is good for the current year. Annual registration starts in March and drops the end of February. Please check with your District Executive to know if your leaders are currently registered as Merit badge counselors.

2. Submit a copy of the Youth Protection Card (always required to be turned in with every adult application)

3. Submit the [Merit Badge Counselor registration form](#)

Notes:

- a. This form is a separate form that explains what merit badges will be taught and specifies in which areas the Counselor prefers to assist (unit scouts, district wide scouts, or council wide scouts).
- b. If the applicant is already registered as a Merit Badge Counselor for the current year and would like to update or add additional merit badges they would like to teach; this form can be submitted without the Adult registration form.

Newest Eagle Scouts Congratulations!

JUNE

Ryan Scott Andrew	Crew 9470
Alex William Becker	Troop 379
John Matthew Donoho	Troop 77
Stephen Lawrence Kendall	Team 6074
Tyler Andrew Pfister	Troop 679
Joseph Patrick Russell	Troop 379
Michael Christopher Tyler	Crew 2172
Quintin Delane Woods	Crew 2068

JULY

Collin Daniel Mortensen	Crew 9778
Christopher Ross Norton	Troop 78
Jacob Stanley Rak-Kinonen	Troop 77
John Louis Wolfson	Troop 707

Thank you to the Eagle Board for all that you do!!

Helpers are needed at the Eagle Boards held the *FOURTH* Tuesday of each month (except in December when it's held on the third Tuesday.) If you can assist or for more information – please contact the new Eagle Board Chairman - Jeff Koski; 480 361-3052 . **August Eagle Board 8-27-12.**



Please remember that final projects are due to the Eagle Board Chairman 2 weeks prior to each month's Board of Review!!



NOTE ALL ASSISTANT SCOUTMASTERS
(including 18 year old ASMs) and
SCOUTMASTERS MUST BE BASIC TRAINED THIS
YEAR TO RE-REGISTER!!

You can see what training anyone has by doing the following:

- 1) Log onto www.myscouting.org
- 2) Click on Training Validation on the left
- 3) Click on All Training
- 4) Select search by: membership ID
- 5) Enter the membership ID of the registered adult

WHAT MAKES A TRAINED LEADER?



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Adult leaders in units are considered trained, and eligible to wear the official *Trained* emblem, once they have completed Youth Protection Training and the training courses outlined below, or have completed Youth Protection Training and a previous basic training course when it was current.

Youth Protection Training* is a joining requirement for all registered adults and must be retaken every two years!

CUB SCOUTING

Leader-Specific (by position)

BOY SCOUTING

Leader-Specific (by position)**
Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills***

VARSITY SCOUTING

Varsity Scout Leader-Specific
Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills***

VENTURING & SEA SCOUTS

Adults in Crews: Venturing Leader Specific
Adults in Ships: Sea Scout Adult Leader Basic

Need Help?

Contact the National Council – Boy Scouts of America
Program Impact – Volunteer Training Team

Mark Griffin	mark.griffin@scouting.org	972-580-2211
Ron Timmons	ronald.timmons@scouting.org	972-580-2459
Peter Self	peter.self@scouting.org	972-580-2417
Oscar Santoyo	oscar.santoyo@scouting.org	972-580-2488
Judy Maldonado	judy.maldonado@scouting.org	972-580-2449

- * E-Learning page at www.myscouting.org
- ** Troop Committee Challenge* is position specific for troop committee members
- *** Not required for committee positions
- + Chartered Organization Representatives take *This Is Scouting**, and Chartered Organization Representative Training

3/15/2012

Age Guidelines for Tool Use and Work at Elevations or Excavations

Training and Supervision

The use of tools, by any youth or adult, requires training in the proper use of those tools before a project starts and continuous, qualified adult supervision and discipline during the project. Manufacturers' literature and age and skill restrictions shall supersede the recommendations on the chart below. If there is a conflict, leaders shall follow the most restrictive guidelines. The table below is not comprehensive; if in doubt, adults should be recruited for all tool use or job functions that might be dangerous.

Note on Personal Protective Equipment

Appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) must be used at all times when using hand or power tools. Types of personal protective equipment include the following:

- Work gloves
- Safety glasses
- Safety helmets
- Earplugs or muffs
- Steel-toed shoes
- Protective aprons
- Safety face shields
- Other personal safety equipment as defined by OSHA standards

Hand Tools

Type of Tool	Youth Up to Age 14	Youth 14 Years and Older	Youth 16 Years and Older
Leaf/grass rake			
Hoe			
Shovel			
Hand clipper (small)			
Screwdrivers			
Nail hammer			
Handsaw			
Trowel			
Hose spray washer			
Wood sanding block (handheld)			
Wood chisel (Scouts with Totin' Chip)			
Pocketknife (Scouts with Whittling Chip or Totin' Chip)			
Pickaxe			
Mattock			
Posthole digger			
Wheel cart (1-, 2-, or 4-wheeled)			
Paint roller with extension pole			

Note: Shaded areas indicate age-appropriate use.

Power Tools

Type of Tool	Youth Up to Age 14	Youth 14 Years and Older	Youth 16 Years and Older
Screwdriver (electric)			
Handheld sander (small)			
Cutting tools (e.g., Dremel®, small)			
Paint sprayer (small, less than 50 psi)			
Residential lawn mower (self-propelled, riding)			
Commercial lawn mower (push, self-propelled, riding)			
Line trimmer (electric, gas-powered)			
Edger (electric, gas-powered)			
Leaf/grass blower (electric, gas-powered)			
Hedge trimmer (electric, gas-powered)			
Belt sander (electric, cordless)			
Pressure washer (>50 but <100 PSI)			
Circular, reciprocating, jig, or radial saw			Age 18 and older
Band and scroll saws			Age 18 and older
Router/planer			Age 18 and older
Chain saws			Age 18 and older
Log splitters			Age 18 and older
Wood chippers			Age 18 and older

Note: Shaded areas indicate age-appropriate use.

Working at Heights and Elevations

Heights and elevations are measured from the bottom of the shoes or boots above the ground level or floor.

Elevation of Work	Youth Up to Age 14	Youth Age 14 or Older
Up to 4 feet	Step stools*	
Above 4 feet	Not permitted	A 6-foot ladder is permissible with the manufacturer's recommended practices.
On scaffolds (above 4 feet)	Not permitted	Age 18 or older
Open platforms (above 4 feet) with proper fall protection**	Not permitted	Age 18 or older

Fall Protection Requirements According to OSHA Standards

29 CFR—Subpart M, 1926.500, 1926.501, 1926.502, and 1926.503

*Step stools, with one or two steps, are permissible for use by youth if the total height is 4 feet or less.

**Proper fall protection would require the use of full-body harnesses, helmets, and the ability to be anchored to a stable object. Refer to safety practices from the BSA's Project COPE and climbing national standards.

Note: Pioneering projects, such as monkey bridges, have a maximum height of 5 feet. Close supervision should be followed when Scouts are building or using pioneering projects.

Excavations

Youth or adults are not permitted to work in any excavation areas greater than 4 feet in depth, such as trenches for plumbing, digging wells, or building foundation work.

Youth can work on hiking and biking trails or other similar work where the depth of digging is not greater than 4 feet. Digging postholes for fences, gates, etc., is permissible if the depth is limited to 48 inches (4 feet) and the width is limited to 18 inches (1.5 feet).

It is critical to locate all underground utilities (e.g., water, gas, electric) at the site before any work begins. Most states have "call before you dig" call centers to assist with this effort.



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA®



University of Scouting 2012

NEWER, BIGGER,

November 3, 2012

Saturday, 8 am to 4 pm, at Heard Scout Pueblo

Registration is open at www.grandcanyonbsa.org

Cost: \$15 - Adult Participant; \$10 - Staff-Participant (Staff also taking at least 1 course)
\$5.00 discount for participants registered before **Monday, October 15, 2012**

University of Scouting now has more options:

Academics

The traditional outstanding classes for you to learn about areas in which you are most interested. Choose courses in the colleges of Advancement, Leadership, Outdoor Skills, Programs, Scout is Reverent, Varsity, Venturing, and Unit Management.

Over 50 different courses to choose from!

Midway

Browse displays, ask questions, get snacks, buy Scout items, network with Scouters. Representatives will be on hand from the Audubon Society, AZ Game & Fish, Herpetological Society, Scouting Museum, Scout Shop, Liberty Wildlife, Tonto Nat'l Forest, and more!!!



ACTIVITY CENTERS



Just want to practice skills? Itching to challenge your friends? Spend time at our activity centers for hands on fire building, pioneering projects, mountain biking, knot tying, orienteering and more!! No class, no sitting, just doing!!

REGISTER NOW!!!

Contact: Tom McKinley, tom.mckinley@cox.net, 480-794-1156
for more information or to volunteer!

Better Trained Adults = Better Youth Programs

SALT RIVER DISTRICT -- FALL CAMPOREE
Sept 21-23, 2012 AT CAMP GERONIMO

100th Anniversary of the State of Arizona

Our District Fall Camporee will celebrate AZ being a State – 100 yrs. ago. Do you know what Arizona is known for? It's called the 5 "Cs".

Cotton, Climate, Cattle, Copper and Citrus

Dress the part at this year's camporee – You have lots of choices – you can come as a Copper miner (Copper), or a Cowboy (Cattle). They are both part of our theme this year. Be proud of our State – come and celebrate a great 100 years. Rename you patrol to a name with a brand from an AZ cattle ranch – or pick a copper mine name.

Cost - \$6.00 per scout or adult
Scouts and Webelos invited
Lunch is provided on Saturday

Awards for top 3 Troops or Packs – 350 points possible
50 Points for Early Registration –by Sept Roundtable
100 Points for Campsite Inspection – go with the theme
100 Points - Uniform Inspection including 10 for kerchief
50 Points for attendance at Cracker-barrel 9 PM - SM & SPL
50 Tour Permit posted at camp site

Each of the 7 Activity events will also award 1st, 2nd and 3rd place recognition and prizes to best three patrols.

Lunch on Saturday will be provided –

On-Line registration available through District website

Each Scout and Adult will receive Camporee Patch

See you there.

SALT RIVER DISTRICT -- FALL CAMPOREE

Sept 21-23, 2012 AT CAMP GERONIMO

Agenda

Friday Sept 21, 2012

Registration – 3:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Arrive and set up Camp – Eat dinner at your campsite
Cracker-barrel at Dinning Hall - 9 PM to 10 PM (SM and SPL)
Lights out 10:30 PM

Saturday Sept 22, 2012

Wake up - 6:00 AM
Breakfast - get camp site ready for inspection
Uniform Inspection - 7:30 AM by Flag Pole by dining hall
Flag Ceremony right after uniform inspection.
Go back to Camp to get ready for classes

Saturday Morning Activities

30 Minute Activities offered 6 times as follows – No tickets needed.
Patrol chooses which activities to go to and in what order. If you go to Gold Panning you will only have time to go to 4 activities below.

Period 1: 8:00 to 8:30	Period 4: 10:00 to 10:30
Period 2: 8:40 to 9:10	Period 5: 10:40 to 11:10
Period 3: 9:20 to 9:50	Period 6: 10:20 to 10:50

Careful walking the Plank, you will get wet! – by the Lake
Cotton ball shooters – Webelos required activity – Scoutcraft
Copper Miners Fire and Cooking - near Scoutcraft (cooking MB area)
Current event debaters - Inside Dinning Hall - Staff area
Citrus (water balloon) launcher - Open area by flagpole
Crazy Wild West Show - Quick Draw Contest – First Aid Bldg.

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Copper and Gold Panning – 70 Minute Activity (need ticket) – need a 5 gallon plastic bucket and at least one shovel for each patrol – you may get your feet wet going into the stream – if your patrol has gold pans please put your name on them and bring. Get Ticket when you check in on Friday night – adults do not need tickets.

Class 1: 8:00 to 9:10 Where stream meets road near Scoutcraft.

Class 2: 9:20 to 10:30

Class 3: 10:40 to 11:50

Lunch Noon to 1:00 PM – provided in the dining hall –

Award Ceremony 1:30 PM to 2:00 PM

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Early check Out Procedures

Those troops that will be checking out after Award Ceremony – please arrange a camp site inspection from staff before the awards ceremony (Right after lunch). We ask that you officially check out so we know you are leaving and so we can give you your camporee patches. Each scout and adult will receive a custom – Fall Camporee 2012 patch.

Saturday afternoon activities – 2 PM to 5 PM we will discuss what Sat Afternoon activities will be available during the Cracker Barrel Friday Night.

This is also a great time to get to know Camp Geronimo – will have instructions for the Toten to Toten hike during check in Friday night.

SALT RIVER DISTRICT -- FALL CAMPOREE Sept 21-23, 2012 AT CAMP GERONIMO

Dinner Saturday 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM – each troop on your own

Campfire 7:30 PM to 8:30 PM - turn in skit on Friday at check in
Lights out 10:30 PM

Sunday – September 23, 2012

Wake up – Breakfast – Pack everything up – arrange for a camp site inspection so you get your custom 2012 Camporee patch. Also we appreciate if you fill out an evaluation form. Mark your calendar for the same weekend next year - 2013 Fall Camporee –at Geronimo.

Sunday Camp Check out Procedures.

This year the camp requires that each troop must have a formal check out procedure. When you are ready to check out please contact one of the staff and request a check out time. We will come with you to inspect your campsite to be sure that all platforms have been put back in SM cabin or in a protected area , that fires are completely out (you must be able to put your bare hand into the fire as far as possible) and that there is no damage or trash. Toilet and Ramada areas must be clean. Upon checking out of camp we will give you your Camporee patches. No trace – please leave our campsites better than what we found.

Fire Restrictions

We will keep everyone posted as to fire restrictions. It may not be possible to have a campfire in your camp if fire restrictions are in place. If fire restrictions are not in place we must be careful with campfires. Fires that are not attended must be completely out. Fires can only be built in designated campfire places.

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Weather - Toilets - Water

Expect the weather to be warm - Should go down at night but during the day may be in the 80s or higher. Always prepare for rain. There will be flushing modern toilets in most campsites. Please bring your own toilet paper and garbage bags. There will be dumpsters to put trash in. All trash put in dumpsters must first be put in a plastic bag. Water will be available at all campsites. There are no tents, each unit should bring their own tents.

First Aid - Safety

Please report any injuries to medical staff at Dining Hall. Each unit should bring a first aid kit and plenty of water for scouts to have during Saturday. Suggest that leaders provide cold water bottles to their scouts on Saturday. Encourage scouts to drink water often. Please be sure that no rocks are thrown and that your scouts act safely in all they do. Please have scouts follow the buddy system. Let's do our best to make this an accident free Camporee.

Preparation for Events

Please bring a shovel and bucket for gold panning. Events will be competitive with prizes given out to the three best patrols/packs at the award ceremony. Each event will require the patrol to give their patrol name and yell. Points will be awarded not only for best time or score but also for conduct, working together and organization.

Uniform Inspection

As in prior years - SPL will be expected to perform the uniform inspection for their troop - this will be done on the attached uniform inspection form – at 7:30 AM on Saturday morning. Additional forms are available during registration. The SPL will inspect each scout's uniform just before the flag ceremony, complete the form, and stand first in line with the completed form. An inspector will come by either before or just after the flag ceremony and review and collect the forms. This year ten points (out of 100) will be given for either a matching scarf, arm band or hat

SALT RIVER DISTRICT -- FALL CAMPOREE

Sept 21-23, 2012 AT CAMP GERONIMO

Campfire Skits

Campfire Saturday Night 7:30 to 8:30 - turn in skits on registration form.

Campsite Inspections

Camp Sites – 10 extra points for going with the theme – when you prepare your menu, use theme names for the food with a “C” and be sure to post your menus. Consider Renaming your camp site to a theme name – a famous copper mine or cattle brand. Be sure to post the name so we can see it. Post an Arizona Flag – you could make your camp look like a cattle camp, miner camp, citrus farm or cotton farm. Be creative – have fun.

Be sure to post your unit number somewhere and if you are sharing a campsite be sure inspectors know where each unit is.

Vehicles

After you check in at the Dining hall upon entering camp, only one equipment vehicle will be allowed to transport camp equipment to camp site. Scouts are expected to walk. All vehicles must be removed to parking lot before or Council said they will be subject to a \$50 fine. We want to be sure we follow all Camp rules and ask that you pay particular attention to this rule – thanks for understanding. All vehicles must be out of Camp by Cracker-barrel (9 PM), unless special permission has been obtained with a special pass for a medical concern. Equipment trailers can stay at campsite so long as two vehicles are in parking lot.

If you would like to Help

We need troops and adults to help run events, help with lunch, registration, uniform inspection, camp site inspection and many other items. Please contact Dan Bang or Roy Hollis or let us know on your registration form. Thanks so much for making this a great camporee.

Evaluation Questionnaire

This questionnaire was developed to help improve your next Camporee. Please discuss this with the members of your unit, and turn it in when you check out. Any ideas or suggestions are welcome.

Please grade us on a 100 point scale ... just like summer camp ... we use this stuff ... please participate

	Points	Comments
Camporee Packet		
Basic instructions at Roundtables		
Instructions given at competition		
Camp		
Registration Process		
Cracker barrel		
Flag Ceremonies		
Events		
Campfire		
Awards Ceremony		
Camporee (overall)		

What events were best-liked?

What events were least-liked?

(optional) Name _____ Unit _____

I would like to help plan next year's Camporee. My phone number is _____.

Thanks! See you next year!

ATTENDANCE ROSTER

Please turn this in at Registration

Unit Number _____ Troop or Pack _____ Leader Name _____

Other Leader Names _____

Total Adults _____ Scouts _____ Webelos _____ Grand Total _____

Youth Leaders _____

Patrol Name _____ Patrol Name _____

1. P.L. _____ 1..P.L. _____

2. A.P.L. _____ 2. A.P.L. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

4. _____ 4. _____

5. _____ 5. _____

6. _____ 6. _____

7. _____ 7. _____

Patrol Name _____ Patrol Name _____

1. P.L. _____ 1. P.L. _____

2. A.P.L. _____ 2. A.P.L. _____

3. _____ 3. _____

4. _____ 4. _____

5. _____ 5. _____

6. _____ 6. _____

7. _____ 7. _____

Duty Roster and Menu

Be sure to post in your camp for camp inspection

TROOP: _____ Patrol: _____

M E N U	<u>Friday Dinner</u>	<u>Sat Breakfast</u>	<u>Sat Dinner</u>	<u>Sun Breakfast</u>
DUTY ROSTER				
HEAD COOK				
ASST COOK				
FIREMAN				
WATERMAN				
CHIEF CLEANUP				
ASST CLEANUP				
ASST CLEANUP				
CAMPSITE CLEANUP				

CAMPSITE INSPECTION CHECKLIST

Troop # _____

Campsite # _____

Each item is worth 10 points each.

Points	Inspection Items	Comments
	Tents are arranged by Patrol. All tents are zipped closed, personal gear stowed <u>or</u> inside the tent. ALL GUY LINES ARE MARKED WITH SAFETY RIBBON.	
	Patrol Duty Rosters posted and Patrol Menus posted. (5 pts each)	
	Troop gear is stowed neatly.	
	Kitchen Area clean and neat. (If no Kitchen area then it is Clean and Neat!)	
	Food is properly stored (If no food storage visible then assume it is properly stored.)	
	Campfire and circle shows evidence of proper fire treatment.	
	First Aid Kit is easily accessible and is clearly marked.	
	American flag is properly displayed and Troop flag is displayed. (5 pts each)	
	Surrounding area is free of trash and the Latrine is neat and clean.	
	<p>Exceptional campsite that exceeds basic campsite requirements</p> <p>Examples of an exceptional campsite include, but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. A removable gateway b. Campsite definition – go with the Theme c. Useful camp gadgets (Lashed items) 	

	Total Points Awarded
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Inspector: _____

CAMPSITE CHECKOUT FORM

Troop # _____

Campsite # _____

Completed	Inspection Items	Comments
	Campsite is clean, looks good – no paper on ground	
	Campfire is completely out (must be able to put your bare hand all the way into the ashes – as deep as you can – no warmth)	
	Tent platforms are in SM cabin	
	All trash has been put in plastic bags and put in dumpster	
	Tables have been wiped clean	
	Toilets are clean, hose, if any, is coiled. Floor around toilets is clean,	
	Fire circle area is clean – seats (if any) wiped clean.	
	Bulletin boards (if any) are empty – no papers hanging (unless they were there before you came)	
	Extra wood has been stacked nicely -	
	Water is turned off.	

Senior Patrol Leader _____ All of the above is complete

Inspector: _____

When you are ready to check out – Please complete this form – Senior Patrol Leader should check each area as completed and sign form. Then please find a staff person to have them also sign and bring form to Dinning Hall to check out and get your patches. Thanks for coming. Please also turn in your evaluation form.

CALENDAR

August 2012

- August 2,
2012
- [LDS Relations Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#)
 - [District Program Kick-Off \(Salt River District\)](#) - 7:00PM/8:00PM
 - [District Commissioner Staff Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#) - 7:15PM/8:15PM
 - [LDS Relations Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#) - 7:15PM/8:00PM
 - [Popcorn Training \(Salt River District\)](#) - 7:30PM/8:00PM
- August 21,
2012
- [District Key 3 Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#) - 5:30PM
- August 25,
2012
- [First Aid Day \(Salt River District\)](#)
 - [BALOO Training \(Salt River District\)](#) - 8:30AM/5:00PM
 - [Charter Renewal Training \(LDS S. College Bld\) \(Salt River District\)](#) - 9:00AM/10:00AM
- August 27,
2012
- [Fall Recruitment Round-Up \(Salt River District\)](#)
- August 28,
2012
- [Fall Recruitment Round-Up \(Salt River District\)](#)
 - [District Eagle Boards \(Salt River District\)](#)
- August 29,
2012
- [Fall Recruitment Round-Up \(Salt River District\)](#)
- August 30,
2012
- [Fall Recruitment Round-Up \(Salt River District\)](#)
 - [District Committee Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#) - 7:00PM/8:00PM
- August 31,
2012
- [Fall Recruitment Round-Up \(Salt River District\)](#)

September 2012

- September 6,
2012
- [District Nomination Committee Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#) - 6:15PM/7:00PM
 - [District Roundtable \(Salt River District\)](#) - 7:00PM/8:00PM
 - [District Commissioner Staff Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#) - 7:15PM/8:15PM
 - [District Commissioner Staff Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#) - 7:15PM/8:00PM
- September 8,
2012
- [Cub Scout Specific Training \(Tempe\) \(Salt River District\)](#) - 8:00AM/11:30AM

- September 15, 2012 - [On Target \(Salt River District\)](#)
 - [Charter Renewal Training \(LDS Knox Bld\) \(Salt River District\)](#) - 9:00AM/10:00AM
- September 18, 2012 - [District Key 3 Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#) - 5:30PM
- September 21, 2012 - [Fall Camporee \(Salt River District\)](#) - 5:00PM
- September 22, 2012 - [Fall Camporee \(Salt River District\)](#)
- September 23, 2012 - [Fall Camporee \(Salt River District\)](#) - 10:00AM
- September 25, 2012 - [District Eagle Boards \(Salt River District\)](#)
- September 27, 2012 - [District Committee Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#) - 7:00PM/8:00PM
- September 28, 2012 - [Intro to Outdoor Leader Skills Training \(Phoenix\) \(Salt River District\)](#) - 5:00PM
- September 29, 2012 - [Intro to Outdoor Leader Skills Training \(Phoenix\) \(Salt River District\)](#) - 5:00PM
 - [Charter Renewal Training \(LDS Lakeshore Bld\) \(Salt River District\)](#)

October 2012

- October 1, 2012 - [Online Charter Renewal Begins \(Salt River District\)](#)
- October 4, 2012 - [District Nomination Committee Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#)
 - [LDS Relations Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#)
 - [District Roundtable \(Salt River District\)](#) - 7:00PM/8:00PM
 - [District Commissioner Staff Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#) - 7:15PM/8:15PM
 - [LDS Relations Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#) - 7:15PM/8:00PM
- October 16, 2012 - [District Key 3 Meeting \(Salt River District\)](#) - 5:30PM
- October 20, 2012 - [Scoutmaster Specific Training \(same as Boy Scout Leader Specific\) \(Phoenix/Ahwatukee-Foothills\) \(Salt River District\)](#) - 7:25AM/5:00PM
 - [Varsity Leader Specific Training \(Phoenix - Ahwatukee/Foothills\) \(Salt River District\)](#) - 7:30AM/5:00PM
 - [Venturing Leader Specific Training \(Phoenix/Ahwatukee-Foothills\) \(Salt](#)

River District) - 7:30AM/12:30PM

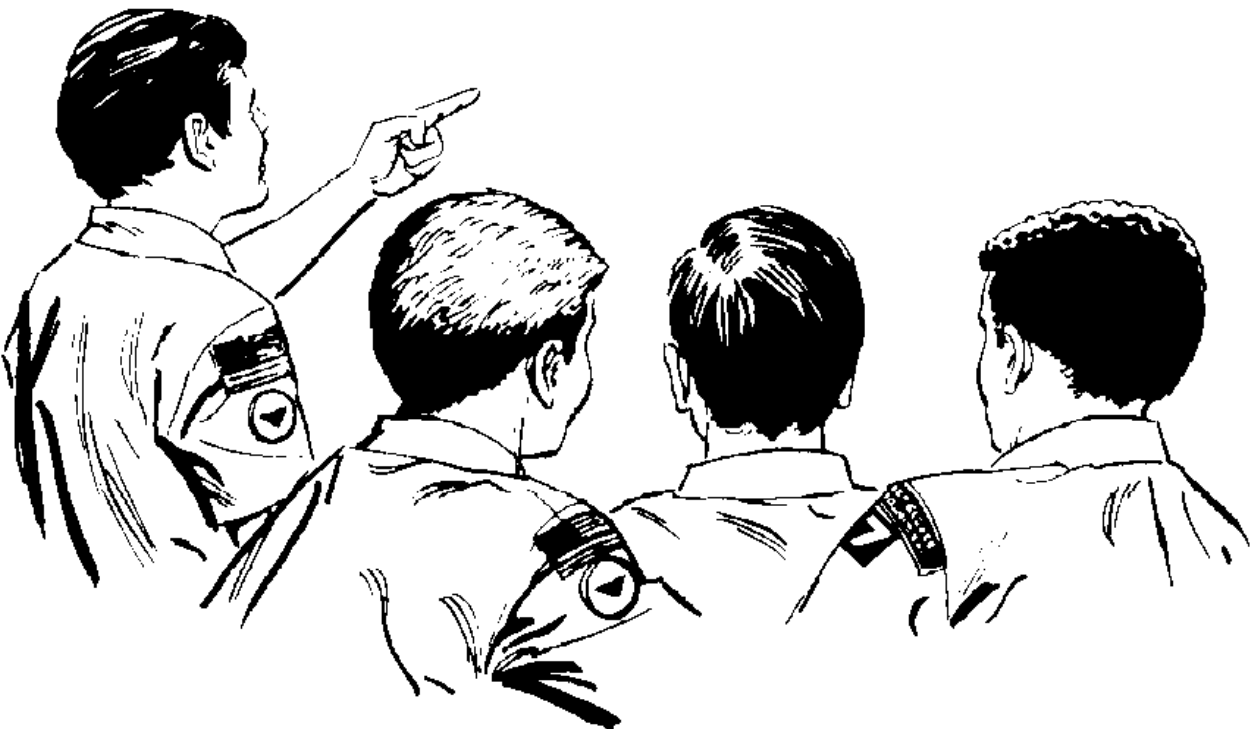
- Chartered Organization Representative (COR) Specific Training
(Phoenix/Ahwatukee Foothills) (Salt River District) - 9:00AM/11:00AM

October 23,
2012

- District Eagle Boards (Salt River District)

October 25,
2012

- District Committee Meeting (Salt River District) - 7:00PM/8:00PM



Join BSA National's Scouting Research Panels

WANTED: Boy Scouts and Venturing Scouts 14 years of age or older, adult volunteers of any program, and parents of Cub Scouts who want to give their opinions! The Research & Program Innovation Department is looking for people to be a part of our research panel. As a member of the panel, you will receive surveys (no more than three per year) regarding new programs or proposed changes to existing Scouting programs. To register, click on the link below:

<http://www.scouting.org/about/research/ResearchPanel.aspx>.

For those who don't know: Council has changed the Tour Permit form - it is now called a Tour Plan. You can submit it by paper or online (the online version will be updated next month.) For more information see:

<http://grandcanyonbsa.org/openrosters/ViewOrgPageLink.asp?LinkKey=33766&orgkey=62>

Cub Scout Leaders! Have your Cub Scouts earn the Video Game Belt Loop! Every Tuesday from 5:00 to 8:00 pm at the Microsoft store. Thank you Microsoft for supporting the Scouting program and sponsoring this clinic! For registration and more information, please click here.

<http://www.grandcanyonbsa.org/registration/calendardetail.asp?ActivityKey=1173238>





Come join us and help Kickoff the 2012 Scouting Program Year!!!!

One stop shop for all Fall 2012 - Summer 2013 program information! All leaders/parents are invited to attend. Information will be available regarding the following activities:

- District and summer camping opportunities
 - Fall 2012 popcorn sale
 - Leadership training information
- Fun activities, such as Advancement Day, Scouting for Food, and more!

All units should send someone

LDS Church
Lakeshore just north of Guadalupe Rd
7PM – Thursday August 2

<p>Roundtable</p>	<p>The first Thursday of each month (except July) at the Lakeshore LDS Church (north of Guadalupe on Lakeshore)</p> <p>Next meeting Thursday, August 2</p> <p>Please submit announcements at least one week in advance to George Harris, gdh2796@cox.net</p>
<p>District Website</p>	<p>http://www.azscout.org <i>Select Salt River District for the Unit.</i></p>

Want Ads

The District is in need of Volunteers to help keep it running smoothly, keeping units informed, trained, and ensuring more fun for all our scouts. We have some specific positions to be filled, but there are a lot of other places where we can use members at large. Come join us and share your heart and brain with the rest of us.

Trainers – All Levels, Commissioners – All Levels

Many areas need committees or several scouters to make things work. We are always in need of Commissioners and Trainers. Individual events, like Camporee, Webelos Woods, Pinewood Derby, Fishing Derby, etc. need committees to run these events.

For cost reasons, the Grand Canyon Council will no longer be distributing flyers at roundtable. We will send announcements out via this email group. Adult leaders please join this group and receive all the info!!!

Cub Scout Leaders should send an email to:

srdcubs-subscribe@yahogroups.com

Boy Scout, Varsity, Venturing and District leaders should send an email to:

srdscouts-subscribe@yahogroups.com

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