



WASATCH DISTRICT 11 MIDVALE & MURRAY

December 2013

December is here and Thanksgiving has been eaten up. The cold temperatures have arrived and everyone is in preparations for Christmas holidays. We need your help to find leadership from each of the Zones/Stakes. There are many different areas where we need support and Scouters to help run the District. Below is a list of positions within the District that need volunteers to help. Please email me at chrishwaterman@gmail.com if you can help us in the district.

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See the complete list and descriptions on our Web page

1. 1 person from each Stake/Zone to sit and participate on the District Nomination Committee
2. Roundtable Varsity Commissioner
3. Roundtable Venture Commissioner
4. Roundtable Webelos Instructor
5. Roundtable Den Leader Instructor
6. District Relationships Chair
7. Assistant District Roundtable Commissioner
8. District Fun Development (Finance) Chairman and Assistant Finance Chairman
9. District Popcorn Sales Chairman and Assistant
10. Assistant FOS Chairman
11. District Program Chairman
12. District Membership Chairman
13. Assistant Training Chairman
14. District Scouting Expo Chairman
15. District Camping Chairman
16. Assistant Advancement Chairman

Merry Christmas

Acoustic Christmas Music with

Charley Jenkins

7 PM December 9th, 2013

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Camp Tracy Lodge



This is a District 11/Unit Fundraiser

Troops buy groups of tickets and then sell them to friends and family

"Out of 45,000 contestants Charley was a top 12 finalist on NBC's hit show, Nashville Star. He has also appeared on the Today Show and opened up for over 30 national acts such as Lady Antebellum, Allan Jackson, Lean Rymes and many others. He has recorded and released three albums."

See: <http://www.reverbnation.com/charleyjenkins>

Start planning for your unit to sell tickets for our Acoustic Christmas Music Night with Charlie Jenkins

See Ticket Information at: <http://www.gslc-bsa.org/event/1380437>

Merry Christmas



Roundtable

We are going back to Monthly Roundtable. Monthly roundtable will be held with all of the families of scouting including Charter Organization Representatives (COR's), Cub Scout Leaders, Zone and Unit Commissioners, except July. The Roundtable schedule has been posted on the website and here for your information.

District 11 Roundtable Schedule	
Starting October 3, 2013 all Scouting families will meet together during the monthly Roundtable.	
o	September – All families will meet for Roundtable
o	October – All families will meet for Roundtable
o	November – All families will meet for Roundtable
o	December – All families will meet for Roundtable
o	January – All families will meet for Roundtable
o	February – All families will meet for Roundtable
o	March – All families will meet for Roundtable
o	April – All families will meet for Roundtable
o	May – All families will meet for Roundtable
o	June – Cubs and Leadership will meet for Roundtable
o	July – No Roundtable
o	August – All families will meet for Roundtable

2014 University of Scouting Come learn about Scouting

Event Date: Saturday, January 11, 2014
 Time: 8:30am to 3:00pm
 Location: Salt Lake University Institute on the University of Utah campus.
 (just north of the Great Salt Lake Council Service Center.)

For Whom? All adult Scouters serving Boy Scout, Varsity Scout, or Venturing programs at the unit, district or council level and Religious leader, Venturing Crew Presidents. Cub Leaders are welcome - however, no curriculum is designed with Cub Program in mind.

Why? Trained Leaders are More Successful, Safer, and Have more Fun!

What: There is something for Everyone!
 Leader Specific Training, Boy Scout Vision Tracks, Boy Scout Skills Tracks, Boy Scout Camping Tracks, Varsity Vision Tracks, Varsity Skills Tracks, Varsity Activities Tracks, COR and Institutional Head Tracks, Great Committees/Great Units Track, District Leadership Tracks, General Elective Classes, Masters Program, Doctorate Program, Curso Administrativo, Curso Lideres De Unidad, Venturing Visions Summit.

COST: \$15.00 per person by December 31, 2013. This includes lunch.
 \$20.00 per person after December 31, 2013. This includes lunch.
 Lunch selections are part of registration with options: Your choice of Cafe-Rio:
 Southwest Chicken Wrap or Veggie Wrap-with creamy tomatillo dressing
 chips and salsa, fresh fruit, and a drink.

Register at: <http://www.gslc-bsa.org/event/2014-university-of-scouting/1446863>



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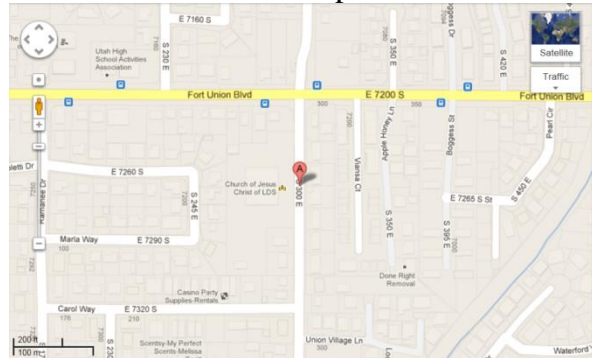
DISTRICT II EVENTS CALENDAR

- Dec 5. – 7:30pm, Round Table. @ LDS Chapel located at 300 E. 7250 S. Training for new leaders will be available if needed
- Dec 9. – 7:00pm District 11 Christmas Concert with Charley Jenkins @ Camp Tracy Lodge, Email Chris Waterman for Tickets: chrishwaterman@gmail.com .
- Dec 17. – 8:00pm District Committee and Roundtable Staff Meeting @ LDS Chapel located at 300 E. 7250 S.
- Dec 19. – 7:00pm Council Coordinating Meetings @ University Stake Center 470 Mario Capecchi Dr.
- Jan 2. – 7:30pm, Round Table. @ LDS Chapel located at 300 E. 7250 S. Training for new leaders will be available if needed



District 11 Round Table Schedule & Location

The new Roundtable Location is:
7250 South 300 East
LDS Chapel



Roundtable is held EVERY Month except July.

How to encourage volunteers to get trained

By Mark Ray

Illustrations by Dave Wheeler

From the November-December 2013 issue of *Scouting* magazine

The article talks about how to encourage training among your Scouting leadership.

1. Set a good example
2. Establish expectations
3. Eliminate obstacles
4. Keep good records

See the below Link for a good lesson:

<http://scoutingmagazine.org/2013/10/encourage-volunteers-get-trained/>



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Our District Key Three wants to help you have the best year ever as a Scout Leader. The Key Three is made up of two volunteers and one Scouting professional.

Patrick Colvin is the new Scout Executive assigned to our District. His email is:

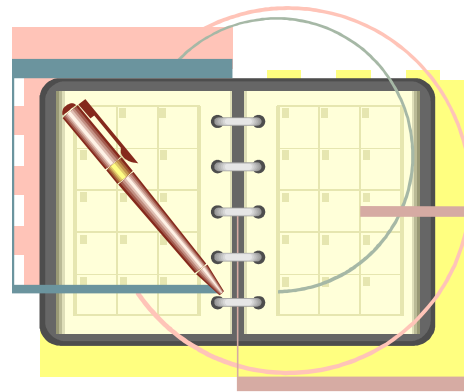
patrick.s.colvin@hotmail.com

Chris Waterman is the District Chairman who has volunteered to help the District. His email is:

chrishwaterman@gmail.com

Les Price is the District Commissioner who has volunteered to help lead the District. His email is: price_les@msn.com

The many volunteers of District 11 want to help you and your Scouts be successful. We are ready to help you and your Scouts achieve all that they can during their Scouting adventures.



Planning is Key

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AND PROVIDE SAFE, FUN SCOUTING!

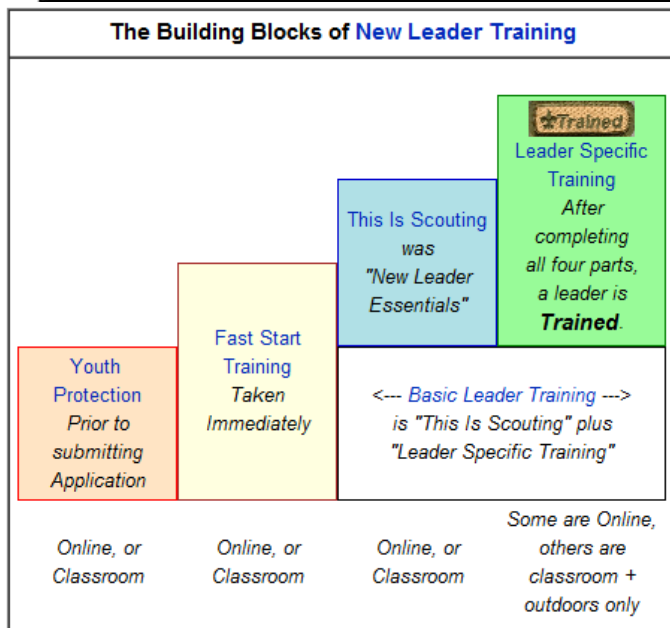
TRAINING PLANS!

As a District we want to help your leaders stay current and to help we have set up monthly Leader Specific Training at Roundtable.





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Also, anyone can take the following training online at the Great Salt Lake Council web site.

ONLINE TRAINING OPTIONS Fast Start Training Online Links

Cubmaster

- [Fast Start: Cubmaster Training Online](#)
- ### Tiger Cub Den Leaders

- [Fast Start: Tiger Cub Den Leaders Training Online](#)

Wolf/Bear Den Leaders

- [Fast Start: Wolf/Bear Cub Scout Den Leaders](#)
- ### Webelos Den Leaders

- [Fast Start: Webelos Den Leaders](#)

Pack Committee

- [Pack Committee Fast Start](#)

Boy Scouting

- [Fast Start: Boy Scouting Training Online](#)

Venturing

- [Fast Start: Venturing Training Online](#)

ScoutParent Unit Coordinator

- [ScoutParents Unit Coordinator Fast Start Training Online](#)

Training is made up of 2, two hour sessions. We will hold one of the two sessions each month at Roundtable to allow your leaders full access to the training they need.

For Training RSVP to Paul Sorensen at the following

email: WasatchDistrictTrainer@yahoo.com.

The Leader Training will take place at the Roundtable location: @ LDS Chapel located at 300 E. 7250 S. during Roundtable

[Training Schedule 2013-2014](#)

- Every Roundtable



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Unit Commissioner

- [Unit Commissioner Fast Start Training Online](#)

**CUB SCOUTING IS KEY TO SUCCESS
 IN
 BOY SCOUTS**
2013-2014 Monthly Core Value Themes

Month	Cub Scout Theme
October	Responsibility
November	Citizenship
December	Respect
January	Positive Attitude
February	Resourcefulness
March	Compassion
April	Faith
May	Health & Fitness
June	Perseverance
July	Courage
August	Honesty
September	Cooperation
October	Responsibility
November	Citizenship
December	Respect

Try the following links for Cub Scout Resources:

<http://www.scouting.org/scoutsorce/CubScouts/Parents/Literature.aspx>



District 11 Web Site QR Code

Unit Commissioners



Unit commissioners will focus on the following four primary areas:

- Supporting unit growth in the Journey to Excellence criteria:** JTE measures performance characteristics that unlock the door to a successful unit. We should analyze the unit's program



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and identify JTE areas where help is needed to move the unit to a higher level of JTE success.

2. **Linking district committee resources to the unit:** We should support the district committee's delivery of a "catalog of services" to support the specific JTE elements needed for a particular unit's health and success.
3. **Visiting units and logging the visits into the Unit Visit Tracking System (UVTS):** Our core task remains visiting the unit. UVTS input feeds critical information to the district committee to help link resources to the unit.
4. **Supporting on-time charter renewal:** The commissioner's focus is the retention of the unit, though we should be especially mindful of supporting new youth membership efforts as we move more toward a volunteer-led, professionally guided approach to increasing membership.

From www.scouting.org. For More information on Unit Commissioners see: <http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/Commissioners.aspx>

HELP US HELP YOU!

Please help us understand what tools/support you need to make it the best program it can be for the youth. The District Staff is here to help you find creative ways to improve and expand the program. Please feel free to contact us. chrishwaterman@gmail.com ✉



Remember to get you own copy of it

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<http://www.scouting.org/sitecore/content/Home/HealthandSafety/GSS.aspx>

OR the

National Scout Shops

Locations

Foothill Scout Shop

525 Foothill Blvd
Salt Lake City, UT 84113
[See the map](#)

(801) 349-3760

Scout Shop Hours

8:30 am - 6:00 pm Mon - Fri
9:00 am - 2:00 pm Saturday

North Valley Scout Shop

(Inside Ace Hardware)
380 E. Pages Lane
Centerville, UT 84014
[See the map](#)

(801) 951-0691

Scout Shop Hours

9:30 am - 6:30 pm Mon - Fri
10:00 am - 5:00 pm Saturday

South Valley Scout Shop

8395 S. 700 West
Sandy, UT 84070
[See the map](#)



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(801) 571-2727

Scout Shop Hours

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Recognition

District Awards Night Dinner

March 18, 2014

7:30 pm @ Roundtable Building

7250 S. 300 E. Midvale

Please suggest award candidates via email to

Chris Waterman at: chrishwaterman@gmail.com

And Sign up at: <http://www.gslc-bsa.org/event/1460345>

Also see the Wasatch District 11 Web Site for a link to a PDF version of the District Award of Merit that you can fill out and turn in for our upcoming awards dinner.

See: <http://www.gslc-bsa.org/document/district-award-of-merit-nomination-worksheet/130093>

*Please let us know of any others who should receive recognition via our my email address:

chrishwaterman@gmail.com