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The GEM Golden Eagle Monthly

Newsletter
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Great Salt Lake Council

Calendar Events

Aug 11 – 7:30 Roundtables; 8:30 District Mtg
Aug 11– 13 Varsity Big Event
Aug 22– 26 Powder Horn
Sep 1 -- 7:00 Committees 7:30 Commissioner's
8:15 Zone Mtgs, 9:00 LDS Relations Mtg
Sep 8 -- 7:30 Roundtables; 8:30 District Mtg
Oct 6 – 7:00 Committees
7:30 Commissioner's Meeting
8:15 Zone Meetings,
Oct 1 – On line rechartering starts
Oct 13 -- 7:30 Roundtables; 8:30 District Mtg
Oct 15– Basic Training (Sunset Ridge – Host)
Oct 21-22 Fall Camporee

2010-2011 calendar is available online

District Meetings & Roundtables are held at 8385 S 4800 W

When: August 22-27 2011
Where: Camp Tracy, Training Center
Cost: $199.00 per participant before Aug 14,
$225.00 per participant after Aug 14

Powder Horn is designed to help units safely conduct outdoor activities of a fun and challenging nature. It provides an introduction to the resources needed to successfully incorporate a program of outdoor adventure.
This course is based upon the Ranger requirements giving participants an exposure to some outdoor/high adventure activities and not a certification event. Even though the course is based upon the Ranger program, it is still useful for anyone involved in delivering a unit-level high adventure program.

Youth Protection Training is a 2-year requirement. Update yours now.

Friends of Scouting

The Great Salt Lake Council is dedicated to delivering a quality program to our youth and their families and serves four counties in Utah.

All Friends of Scouting funds collected stay here and benefit our youth in the Great Salt Lake Council.

The mission of the BSA is "To prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law".

Our annual campaign will begin in August this year with a target to complete by early September. The goal this year is to contact every home within the council and provide them the opportunity to contribute to this campaign.

Contact a member of the District Key 3 or your ADC for more information.

Recharter this Fall

On Your Mark!!
Get Set!!
GO!!!

Rechartering time is almost here. Now is the time to do a complete membership inventory of all your scouting units. This should include both youth and adults. Compare your list with the Council Charter list. Fill out applications for any individuals not currently registered and submit them to the Council office.

THE TRAINER'S EDGE

When: September 10, 2011 8:00 am – 1:30 pm

Where: Westland LDS Stake Center
7265 So. 2700 West, West Jordan, Utah

Register: saltlakescouts.org or any scout office

Purpose: The purpose of the Trainer's Edge is to develop the presentation skills of the trainer, with a focus on the participants. This new training replaces Train the Trainer. It is targeted for ALL Scouters who deliver training, including District and Council Training and Roundtable Staff members as well as camp staff members. **It is required for all Wood Badge and NYLT staffs, including On-Belay and Silver Moccasin youth and adult staff members.

Roundtables

Cub Scout Roundtable

Exciting, invigorating and a barrel of laughs. Learn new ideas that will keep the fun in scouting. Our boys deserve the best. Join us.

Boy Scout Roundtable

Put some zest in your scouting adventure by attending roundtable. Share experiences and make new friends..

Varsity Huddle

The Varsity program is alive and well in the district. Come learn and share how it works in your units.

Venturing Roundtable

Come join our discussions in a true roundtable environment of sharing successes and challenges. Together, we can improve the Venturing efforts.

> "A smile will carry twice as far as a snarl. A pat on the back is a stronger stimulus than a prick with a pin."
> *Baden Powell, September 1911*

Order of the Arrow

OA is still collecting used ink cartridges of any type. Bring them to roundtable.

If you are not yet a member, contact us for details.

Jeff Augason 801-403-7038

2011 Varsity Big Event

Location: East Fork of the Bear
Date: Aug 11 - 13
Cost: $18.00 per person.
Climbing, rappelling, canoeing, shotgun, black-powder, competition.

Dan Beard's Recipe For Scouting

"Take a bowl full of unbounded love for boys, one pint of absolute faith in American institutions, two tea cups of American pioneer blood, one tablespoon of thrills, one tablespoon of romance, two heaping tablespoons of adventure, a teaspoonful of Indian traditions, a tea cup of vigor and grit of the Puritans, a tea cup of chivalry of the cavaliers, a quart of the idealism of Thoreau, John Burrows, and Henry Van Dyke, one heaping cup of sentiment, the whole seasoned well with patriotism and character and stirred up with the Golden Rule, after which sprinkle well with the Stars and Stripes and SERVE RED HOT!"

Sign up for Woodbadge

The following courses are available this year.

Sep 8-10 & 15-17	Camp Tracy
Oct 13-15 & 20-22	Camp Tracy
Nov 3-5 & 10-12	Camp Tracy

Key Resources:

Council and District Web Site – www.gslc-bsa.org or www.saltlakescouts.
National Scouting web site – www.scouting.org
BSA Online Learning Center – olc.scouting.org