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May

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# Calendar Events

May 7 – 7:00pm – District Committees

May 7 – 7:30pm – Commissioner Meeting

May 7 – 8:15pm – Special District Mtg w/CORs

May 7 – 8:30pm – Zone Meetings (CORs)

May 7 – 9:00pm – LDS Relations Meeting

May 14 - 7:30pm - Roundtables

May 15 – Basic Training – Boy Scout Leaders

May 15 - Basic Training - COR

May 16 – Basic Training – All Scouting Leaders

May 29-30 - Outdoor Leader Training - Boy Scouts

May 29-30 - Outdoor Leader Training - Webelos

Jun 4 – 7:00pm – District Committees

Jun 4 – 7:30pm – Commissioner Meeting

Jun 4 – 8:15pm – Zone Meetings (CORs)

Jun 6 – District Webelos Day Hike

Jun 11 - 7:30pm - Roundtables

Jun 18-20 – Varsity Big Event (Council Event)

Jul 4 – West Jordan Parade – District to participate

Jul 18 – Varsity On Target (Council Event)

Note – No District meetings or Roundtable in July

A complete district calendar can be download from www.gslc-bsa.org - select District, then #15.

District Meetings & Roundtables are held at 8385 S 4800 W



## Scout-O-Rama

A BIG thank you to our District Scout-O-Rama co-chairs, Scott and Stace Briggs. They have completed a huge task of coordinating our district efforts.

Several individuals from our district took time to support our assignments at the Scout-O-Rama on Saturday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>. Many committed the entire day in order to cover the needs at the Souvenir store. the Merit Badge booth, and set-up/clean-up efforts.

We appreciate the dedication of these leaders.

# **Basic Training**

May 15th & 16th

Hosted by Sunset Ridge Zone Oaks Building About 6200 West 8200 South



If you have not received basic training for the scouting position you currently hold, join us for this district training event.

Before attending, please go to olc.scouting.org and complete the new online course called - This is Scouting. You may need to create a MyScouting account. This portion is required to complete your training and receive your patch.

If you are not able to complete the online segment, join us on Saturday, May 16th, at 8am for a video version of this training. A combined opening session will begin at 9am, followed by the leaderspecific training for each scouting group until Noon.

Friday, May 15th, training will be for all Boy Scout leaders from 7 to 10 pm.

Special note – COR training will be on Friday night for this May training event. No Saturday session is required unless you are not able to complete the online This is Scouting session. Bring your completion certificate if you do the online option.

## **Outdoor** Leader **Training**



May 29-30 Labrum

**Park** 

Register for this training by Roundtable, May 14th. Cost is \$5.00. The fee increases to \$7.00 after.

Check-in on Friday at 5:30pm with start at 6:15pm. Finish on Saturday by 1:30pm.

Training for Boy Scout, Varsity and Webelos leaders. No overnight portion for Webelos leaders.

Contact - Darin Furnell at 801-282-1282



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# Roundtables



#### **Cub Scout Roundtable**

With summer just around the corner, the theme this month is A Camping We Will Go. Come get ideas to use.

### **Boy Scout Roundtable**

Leave No Trace will be the focus of the May roundtable. Scouter helps will also be provided so join us.



## **Varsity Huddle**



Come learn skills that will help your young men enjoy the Varsity program and expand their experiences.

#### **Venturing Roundtable**

Learn more about this important program for the older young men and share your ideas and experiences.



#### Order of the Arrow

May 14th will be the final OA meeting until August. Come show your skill at

throwing the atlatls and participate in the election for new officers for the coming year. The meeting will be in the pavilion.

The OA has had a great year. A few more ordeals are available - May 29-30 and June 8-9. The Junior Leader Training (Takachsin) from July 6 to 11 will be the summer highlight. You will learn the eleven leadership skills, some Indian Lore, dancing and outfitting. If you have further questions, please contact the OA leadership.



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## **Varsity Big Event**

June 18-20 East Fork of the Bear



The Big Event is modeled after a traditional Mountain Man Rendezvous and has become the premier event for boys, age 14-21. There will be more than 50 activities unique to this age group.

Teams can arrive on the afternoon or evening of June 17<sup>th</sup> to set up camp. The program will run from 9am to 5pm on Thursday and Friday with a campfire in the evening. Events wrap up on Saturday by early afternoon. Get more details on the council web site and come join the experience.



### **Webelos Day Hike** June 4th

Get more information at Roundtable or contact Jack Grotepas at 801-280-7321

# **West Jordan** 4th of July Parade

Our district will join with our neighboring White Buffalo district to participate in the parade again this year and carry flags and help with other tasks as needed. The parade begins at 10:30am on July 4th. More details will be provided.

Jack Grotepas 801-280-7321



## **Key Resources:**

Council and District Web Site www.gslc-bsa.org or www.saltlakescouts.com

National Scouting web site – www.scouting.org BSA Online Learning Center - olc.scouting.org

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