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Greetings

Summer mail has stacked up and is aggregated here for your units and unit planning. Sorry for the number of items, but there's good stuff for everyone all the way down to the end. Please think before you print (save resources and the planet by using electrons) and print two-sided.

Yours in Scouting

/s/ ron fong, LEED A.P.
RT newsletter editor Mission Peak

ROUNDTABLE AND POPCORN Thursday August 13

Get calendar updates / revisions

More info Steve Armstrong starmstr@comcast.net

SPOTLIGHT ON SCOUTING Thursday Sept 11

More info Steve Armstrong starmstr@comcast.net

Unit Commissioner Basic Training August 16

More info Steve Armstrong starmstr@comcast.net

Boy Scout Leader Specific Training August 29 Part I

Boy Scout Leader Intro Outdoor Skills Training Part II Sept 17, and 26-27

More info Thomas L. Testerman - Course Director for Tres Rancho Scoutmaster Leader Specific Training

thomastesterman@att.net

Cub Scout Specific Training and New Leaders Essential September 19

More Info Tom Simms Mission Peak District Training Chair trsims@att.net

FALL Camporee 2009 PUMPKINFEST October 9-11, 2009 at Camp Royaneh

Pumpkin Art, Costume Pageantry, Pumpkin pie eating, Flying Pumpkins and Camporee competitions

This is the correct date and location. and hosted by the OA

EVENT FLYER: http://www.sfbac.org/files/images/Halloween_09_Camporee_Flyer_Council.pdf

Centennial Scouting Coin

Silver Dollars recognizing the BSA Centennial will be issued February 8, 2010 (birthdate of BSA) More info

<http://www.scouting.org/Media/PressReleases/PreviousYears/2008/20081020.aspx>

International Scouting Day October 17 at Youth Leadership Training Center San Leandro

Join in learning about scouting worldwide, about the 2011 World Jamboree in Sweden

EVENT FLYER: <http://www.sfbac.org/programs/international/> Questions? Gary Jeans 510/ 895-9800 or cindysiehjeans@sbcglobal.net

Share Your Family Scouting Story!

Tell us about your family. Print a special (and free) BSA 100th Anniversary Generational Scouting Family certificate <http://ww2.scouting.org/100years/100years/GenerationsConnection.aspx> Learn also about planting a tree as part of the Scouting Centennial Forest and tracing your scouting ancestry at this webpage

International Jamboree on the Air / Jamboree on the Internet October 17 2009

A shortwave radio will be at Youth Leadership Training Center San Leandro so you can talk to scouts worldwide via shortwave radio or you can use the internet to talk to scouts around the world.

More info on how you can participate and get cool patches

http://www.scout.org/en/information_events/events/jota/the_52nd_jota_2009

Boys Life Happy Birthday BSA Photo Contest

Photo contest deadline September 1, 2009. Winners will be published in the Feb 2010 issue of Boy's Life. Contest Awards and details at

<http://contests.boyslife.org/engine/WelCome.aspx?contestid=5843>

SFBAC Order of the Arrow Fall 2009 Updates

Join in the Scout Honor Society - note calendar / location changes

Candidate Fall Ordeal October 23-25 @ Royaneh, Nov 6-7 @ Los Mochos

Conclave Party Sept 19 @ Royaneh, Fun Night Nov 28-29, Lodge Banquet Dec 12

EVENT FLYER: <http://www.achewonimat.org/>

Winter Awareness December 5, 2009

Get prepared / trained on how to winter camp Sat December 5, 2009

Questions? Jason.Lewis@scouting.org or 510-577-9204

Shooting Sports Camp October 2-4 2009 @ Los Mochos

Safety Instruction - .22 Rifle Marksmanship - Archery - Tomahawks - Wildlife Conservation Class - Trapshooting/Shotgun

Course - BIG FUN ! \$20-45 fee includes ammo and Merit Badge Instruction

EVENT FLYER: <http://www.sfbac.org/camping/boyscout/shooting>

Questions? Emily at (510)577-9218 or emilyv@sfbac.org

Venture Rendezvous Sept 25-27 2009 @ Wentle

Join other Venture Crews from all over northern California for a sizzling weekend of activities including rifle, shotgun, black powder, archery, swimming and boating, horseback riding, mountain biking, climbing, and much more. \$35-45 fee

EVENT FLYER: <http://www.sfbac.org/camping/boyscout/venture>

Questions? Emily at (510)577-9218 or emilyv@sfbac.org

100th Anniversary SFBAC Council Shoulder Strip Design Contest

Design the SFBAC Centennial CSP using the theme "Celebrating 100 years of Scouting in America". Patch must include the Council name: San Francisco Bay Area Council. All patch designs must be received by September 1st including name, address, phone, age, email, unit and district. This contest only open to scouts under 21 years old. Questions?

timb@sfbac.org

Coyote Creek Cycling Event October 10 2009

50 mile, 25 mile or 12 mile bike tour and other bike events.

\$25-35 fee includes scout patch. Event Tshirt and lunch extra.

EVENT FLYER: http://www.scccbsa.org/files/2009_req_packet.pdf

Questions? Shannon Shaffer shannon@scccbsa.org, 408-280-2154 x31

Note: This Santa Clara Council sponsored event conflicts with our SFBAC Fall Camporee 2009 Pumpfest at Royaneh the same weekend. More info http://www.sfbac.org/files/images/Halloween_09_Camporee_Flyer_Council.pdf

100th Anniversary Jamboree April 15-18 2010

A joint celebration of the scouting councils of Northern California

Registration begins September 1st. Want to help volunteer? contact Arden Dougan adougan@comcast.net

<http://www.100thanniversaryjamboree.org/index.htm>

Boardwalk Scout Beach Jam Event October 9-10 2009

50 mile, 25 mile or 12 mile bike tour and other bike events.

\$60 fee includes dinner, evening program, flashlight tour, camping on the boardwalk, breakfast and rides

EVENT FLYER: <http://www.beachboardwalk.com/scouts/09-BoyScouts-form.pdf>

Questions? Kim Pursley youthsales@beachboardwalk.com 831-460-3342

Note: This Monterey Bay Council sponsored event conflicts with our SFBAC Fall Camporee 2009 Pumpfest at Royaneh the same weekend.

More info http://www.sfbac.org/files/images/Halloween_09_Camporee_Flyer_Council.pdf

100th Anniversary BSA Hall of Leadership

Nominees now being accepted. At least inductee from SFBAC will be in the National Hall of Leadership.

More info: <http://www2.scouting.org/100years/100years/NationalHallofLeadership.aspx>

California Coastal Cleanup Day September 19

Learn more about how you can help cleanup the environment as a service project at <http://www.coastal.ca.gov/publiced/pendx.html>

Record your unit's hours of service as part of Scouting's Good Turn for America program <http://www.sfbac.org/programs>

SFBAC 2009 Unit Popcorn Kernel Sales Training & Kickoff

Thursday August 27 @ 7 pm @ LSD Church, Walnut Avenue, Fremont. Learn how your unit can benefit from popcorn sales to help fund activities. Questions? Glorianne Wong 510/ 794-6226 gloriannew@yahoo.com

California Capitol March Event October 24 2009

Join 10,000 scouts in marching in Sacramento to deliver a report to Governor Schwarzenegger as part of the Centennial Year of BSA.

\$20-25 fee includes pin if registered by August 15. Tshirt, patch, neckerchief, sponsorbag and LUNCH included. Late fee \$5 after August 15.

EVENT FLYER: <http://www.gec-bsa.org/program/capmarch/about>

Questions? Event Chairperson: Chris Ishikawa capitolmarch@gec-bsa.org

Note: This is a Golden Empire Council sponsored event

SFBAC 25th Annual Food and Wine Gala October 31 2009

Featuring 20 Napa & Sonoma Vintners, Wine Tasting, Silent & Live Auction to benefit the San Francisco Bay Area Council's inner city youth initiative. Questions? Frank Yoke, Director of Finance 5109/577.9242

Scout Night at Ringling Bros and Barnum & Bailey Circus

presents Zing Zang Zoom at Special Scout Night Performance

Friday, August 14, 2009 - 7:30 pm * Special Price \$17.75-\$20.75. Scout Patch 50 cents more.

Additional Performances Aug 12 - 16 * Group Prices \$10.50- \$24. Scout Patch 50 cents more.

Oracle Arena, Oakland

EVENT FLYER: http://www.sfbac.org/files/images/Scouts_Info_Price_Sheet_Order_Form_.pdf

Questions? Stephanie Salle groupsales@coliseum.com. (510) 383-4581

Note: This is a SFBAC partner event

Wood Badge 2010

Centennial Course Date April 30-May 2 and May 15-17, 2010. This is adult leader training for the 21st Century applicable to scout leaders in all ranks. Register now and save \$35. More info at www.sfbac.org/training/adult/woodbadqe Questions? Janis Tipton King, woodbadqe@earthlink.net

Scout Day with the Oakland Raiders

Raiders v. Kansas City - Package includes Raider Hat, and food (hot dog, chips, soda)

Sunday November 15, 2009 - 1:05 pm * Special Price \$50-85. (\$14 goes back to SFBAC)

EVENT FLYER: http://www.sfbac.org/files/images/2009_Raiders_Scout_Day.pdf

Questions? Qiava Harper at 1-800-RAIDERS ext. 3256, or gharper@raiders.com

Note: This is a SFBAC partner event

Venture to Philmont 2010

SFBAC Venture Crew June 20- July 5, 2010 - limit 24 participants. More info Jason Lews 510/ 577-9204 or

Jason.lewis@scouting.org * Venturing Leader Specific Training is Sept 26-27

Scout Day with the 49ers

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University of Scouting - corrected date February 6 2010

More info coming - SAVE the DATE

Scout Night San Jose Sharks

Sharks v Vancouver Canucks with special scout patch
Friday Sept 18 @ HP Pavilion San Jose * Special Price \$25 (savings \$30)
EVENT FLYER: http://www.hpsj.com/assets/ticket_information/ScoutSept18Ducks.pdf
Questions? Adam King aking@svse.net

One Million Food Program

SFBAC along with the other scout councils in the Bay Area has set a goal of Scouting for Food to collect a million lbs this year. More info coming.

Scout Day with the A's

Special scout discount games * all tickets field level half off * only \$13 (normally \$26)
Sat Aug 15 @ 1:05 p.m. vs Chicago
Sun Aug 23 @ 1:05 pm vs Tigers
Fri Sept 4 @ 7:05 pm vs. Mariners
Sat Sept 19 @ 1:05 pm vs Indians
FLYER http://oakland.athletics.mlb.com/oak/ticketing/special_ticket_offer.jsp?loc=appreciation_days
Questions? Brian Di Tucci bditucci@oaklandathletics.com 510-563-2318

California Free Fishing Day September 7

<http://www.dfg.ca.gov/licensing/fishing/freefishdays.html>

Scout Day CAL Football

CAL v Oregon State with special scout day pre-game program plus in-game contests and prizes
Saturday November 7, 2009 * Special Price \$30 (normally \$51)
EVENT FLYER: http://www.sfbac.org/files/images/Scout_Day_2009_Football.pdf
Questions? Kevin Holman at 510-642-8131 or email: kholman@berkeley.edu
Note: This is a SFBAC partner event

JOIN SCOUTING VIDEO CONTEST!

Attention all Scouts! Do you love scouting and want your friends to join? Invite your friends to join the Boy Scouts with the **Join Scouting Video Contest!** Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Varsity Scouts, and Venturers can participate by submitting a short video about Scouting. Videos can be submitted through the *Boys Life* Web site or by going to <http://contests.boyslife.org/engine/Welcome.aspx?contestid=5452> between now and September 15. Watch the Join Scouting videos after you submit your own and be sure to vote for your favorite on September 16! If your video is chosen, you can win a MAC Book, Apple iPod, or iTunes gift card.

INTERPRETER STRIPS Work on your foreign language skills this summer and earn the interpreter strip.

<http://www.usscouts.org/advance/interpreters.asp>

RELIGIOUS STRIPS A scout is reverent. Work on your faith's medallion of faith this summer and be recognized in February during the Centennial. There is a program for just about every faith.
<http://www.usscouts.org/scoutduty/>

Centennial Celebration - A Century of Making a Difference

Every Scout, adult leader and Scouting Alumni should have a chance to participate to make a difference and earn recognition with a special patch program. This program kicks off September 1st. [Read the patch requirements to learn more.](#) at <http://scouting.org/100years/100years/ayeofcelebration.aspx>



Thanks for reading this far.

Yours in Scouting

/s/ ron

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