



The BSA Buzz



QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER

WINTER 2009

Scout Executive's Message

I walked into the Foothill Scout Shop the other day and bought the new centennial edition of the Boy Scout Handbook. Included with the handbook is the "centennial timeline" for the Boy Scout Handbook. It was very interesting to look at the events surrounding the 12 editions of the handbook. The timeline also highlights United States history at the same time.

What was most exciting to me was comparing the Scout Oath and Law from 1910 and 2010. They are word for word exactly the same. That means that the values of the Boy Scouts of America **haven't changed in 100 years!** We have had timeless values from the beginning and these are the same values we are instilling in our youth today.

We have some very exciting centennial events planned for you in 2010. Mike Neider has been recruited as our centennial chairman and has put together a fabulous committee to plan these events.

Our first major event will be

the 100th Anniversary Gala at the Salt Palace on February 25, 2010. Charles Dahlquist, our president-elect, is chairman for this once in a lifetime event. Our Chief Scout Executive from the National Council, Bob Mazzuca, will be coming to Salt



Rick Barnes

Lake to participate with us. The musical group, Eclipse, who performed at the opening and closing of the 2002 Winter Olympics, will also be with us that evening. The six members of Eclipse have all been Boy Scouts and will share some of their favorite numbers with us.

We are working hard to secure sponsorships for this gala so we can keep the price affordable for families. Tickets will be \$15.00 each which will include dinner, 100th anniversary recognition items, entertainment, etc. You better get your tickets now as we will only have 2500 available. **This is one event you don't want to miss.**

We have some other exciting 100th anniversary events that I would like to highlight. On May

1st we will be holding our centennial Scout-O-Rama at the South Towne Center. Vaughn J. Featherstone is our event chairman and is promising an absolutely spectacular event. I encourage you to start preparing for your 100th anniversary booth ideas.

We are also gearing up for **participation in the "Days of 47"** parade! Not only are we planning an exciting float but we would also like 10,000 Scouts marching in full uniform for the spectators. Please start preparing your Scouts for the parade by helping them acquire a **full uniform.** Let's show our communities how great Scouting is.

Jim Davidson is the chairman of the 100th anniversary Jamborall and promises a spectacular event. The Jamborall will be held September 18 and 19th at the Deseret Peak complex in Toole County. Some of the activities will include battle of the bands, skateboard show, bull riding show, pig race, BMX bike show, climbing wall, fly fishing,

The values of the Boy Scouts of America haven't changed in 100 years!"



***"I will never forget
my first summer
camp, but I can't
remember what I
did the week
before or after."***

Slide into Cub Scout Winter Camp

Excited about winter arriving? Don't let your Cub Scouts miss the winter action at Cub Scout Winter Day Camps being held at Camp Tracy December 29 and 30.

Give your Cub Scouts the opportunity to feel the thrill of a tubing hill, shoot BB guns. Develop Map and Compass skills, play marbles or chess, and eat a hot lunch. There will be ex-

citement and adventure for everyone.

Check the Great Salt Lake Council website for further details, cost, and to register.

Cubs Earn Slides & Loops at Bowl

The annual Cub Turkey Bowl (Flag Football) raced into action in November and provided excitement for around 100 Cub Scouts.

Boys not only had the opportunity to learn the

rules of flag football and sportsmanship, but they were given the opportunity to actually play in a game where they could exercise the tips they had cultivated.

Flag Football Pins and

Belt Loops were then presented to the boys before they left.



Cub Scout Adult Training

"Happy Birthday BSA" and "Take Flight" themed the recent Cub Scout Roundtable Commissioner and Staff and Den Chief Trainings.

Cub Scout Council and District Leaders converged together in September to celebrate the Boy Scouts of America's birthday, learn some new leader skills, and

develop more enthusiasm to promote more excitement for Cub Scouting in the Great Salt Lake Council and Districts. Attending the training were 33 leaders..

In October Den Chiefs and their leaders from throughout the Council met to soar to greater heights as they explored the far reaches of

the Den Chief's influence in the Cub Scout Pack. Nineteen Den Chiefs along with their leaders learned a variety of skills to make them better Den Chiefs and able to use Den Chiefs more effectively.

Council Trainings are run by Council Trainer Linda Vaughn and other selected trainers.

University of Scouting is in December

What: The premier gathering of Scouting knowledge and know-how in the Council.

When: Saturday, December 5, 2009, from 7:30 am until 2:30 in the afternoon.

Where: Murray High School, 5440 South State Street, Murray, Utah

Why: If you have questions about how Scouting works, you can find the answers here.

Why: If you have wondered how you can be a more effective Scout leader, you can get great ideas here.

Why: If you have been looking for resources to improve your troop, team or crew, you can connect with them here.

Why: If you've been looking to meet people who share your ideas about why Scouting is the greatest thing going, you can meet them here!

How would you like it if your doubts and frustrations could be wiped away in one day, replaced with excitement and enthusiasm about the possibilities of what Scouting can offer? The University of Scouting is a place **where you don't just see stuff, you learn stuff. And you don't just learn stuff, you do stuff. And you don't just do stuff, you get stuff!**

The University of Scouting is the best place, to move forward in your leadership and understanding of Scouting. Time is on your side when you attend, with over 40 different faculty and staff to help make this the

best training you have ever been a part of. **(If it isn't, please let us know!)**



Find answers to all those nagging questions that have befuddled you. Make friendships that will raise the level of your Scouting experience. Gain new perspectives and new insights into the future of Scouting in your troop, team or crew. Make Scouting the best thing going in the lives of your youth. After all, one moment of a seized opportunity can expel a lifetime of regret!

arsity Biathlon

The Varsity Biathlon is not your typical modern day Biathlon. First, we **don't use skis, we use snow shoes** and second, we use black powder rifles. Think of it more like a Biathlon from the **1800's**.

There will be all kinds of other activities for the Varsity Scouts both young and old to participate in,

such as Mountain Man games and some Dutch Oven cooking. Prizes will be awarded for both the best team and individuals.

It will be held February 5th & 6th, 2010 which will be here before you know it. Watch the council website for additional details and for your chance to register.

If you have any questions, please contact David Muncey at muncey@xmission.com or 801.631.8239



2009 Holiday Auction

The Great Salt Lake Council is looking forward to another great Holiday Auction. We are particularly pleased this year to have local radio host, Doug Wright, to be the emcee for the event, with entertainment from Dean Kaelin.

There have already been several generous donations turned in, including a 4-day trip on a 59 foot houseboat on Lake Meade or Lake Mohave, NV.

Please plan on supporting Scouting by participating in this year's auction

**November 20th, 2009
Salt Palace Grand Ballroom**

To purchase a table, individual tickets or volunteer at the auction, contact Don Bean at (801) 582-3663 or email dobean@bsamail.org



You are invited to attend the Annual Boy Scouts of America Holiday Auction

Friday, November 20, 2009 ❄ 6:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m.

Please join us this year at our 17th Annual Holiday Auction!

**We are excited to recognize Doug Wright as this year's auction emcee,
multi-talented musician, songwriter, and composer
Dean Kaelin, as our evening's entertainment,
and auctioneer Robert Adams.**



Salt Palace Grand Ballroom • Dinner • Show • Auction

- ❄ ***Corporate Table Sponsorship \$1500 (ten guests)***
- ❄ ***Corporate Evening Brochure Recognition***
- ❄ ***Corporate Preferred Table Seating***
- ❄ ***Corporate name and logo recognition***
- ❄ ***Buffet Dinner and live entertainment***
- ❄ ***Limited number of Individual Tickets
\$50.00 (includes dinner and show)***



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HOLIDAY AUCTION
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DONATION TODAY**

***Corporate tables, tickets, or
to donate please visit us at:
www.saltlakescouts.org
or call (801) 582-3663***



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my best

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Boy Scouts of America

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Our way to say Thank You



The 2010 Brave patch is one of 13 council shoulder patches commemorating the Scout Law.

Receive this year's part of the collection when you donate \$100 or more.

Previous years' patches are still available.

The Scout Law



2000

Trustworthy



2001



2007

Obedient

Loyal



2002



2008

Cheerful

Helpful



2003



2009

Thrifty

Friendly



2004



2010

Brave

Courteous



2005



2011

Clean

Kind



2006



2012

Reverent



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Great Salt Lake Council — Boy Scouts of America

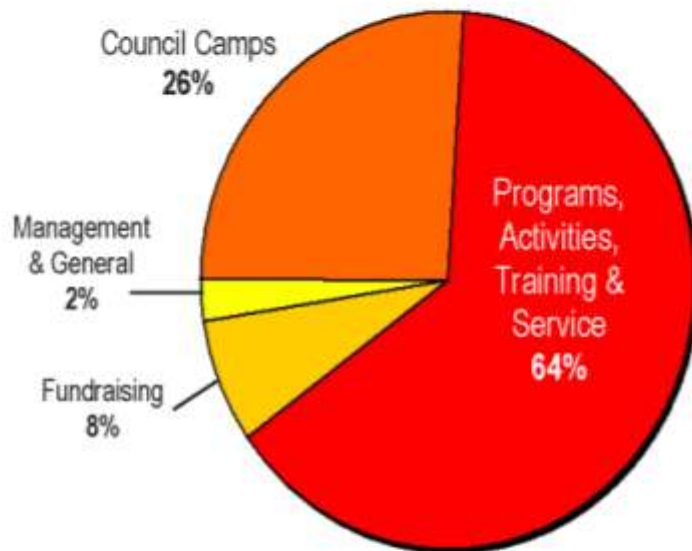
How we are funded:



This graph shows council funds for unrestricted Fund 1 sources. For information on the council's capital campaign (Fund 2) or endowment investments (Fund 3), please contact the council office.

The council is a 501(c)3 organization and is audited annually by a qualified outside firm.

How we invest in youth:



Programs, Activities, Training & Service

- Advancement and records programs
- Maintenance and improvements for 14 summer camps at 7 properties
- Improved Web site for training and resources: www.saltlakescouts.org
- Youth programs and activities: Scout jamborees, district camporees, and Klondike Derbies
- Training for adult leaders: Fast Start, Basic Training, Youth Protection, and Wood Badge
- Training for youth leaders: NYLT, Silver Moccasin, On Belay, and Kodiak
- Monthly roundtables and program ideas to assist adult leaders in delivering quality programs to youth members
- Community service: Scouting for Food and drug awareness
- Liability insurance to protect leaders and chartered organizations
- Service Center and Scout Shops
- Professional Scouters to support local units and districts

Giving Levels

\$5,000 — Benefactor

\$2,500 — Sponsor

\$1,000 — Guardian

\$500 — Patron

\$250 — Leadership

\$100 — Century

\$50 — Friend of Scouting

A Scout is trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent.



FRIENDS OF SCOUTING 12 YEAR PROGRAM

Yearly recognition features different Friends of Scouting shoulder patches highlighting the Scout Law and the state of Utah.



2000

INTRODUCTION TO THE
12 POINTS OF THE SCOUT LAW



2001

UTAH STATE CAPITAL



2002

SKI UTAH



2003

GOLDEN SPIKE



2004

DELICATE ARCH



2005

MORMON METEOR



2006

UTAH NATIVE AMERICANS



2007

ANTELOPE ISLAND



2008

THIS IS THE PLACE MONUMENT



2009

UTAH STATE ANIMAL—ELK



2010

EAGLE



2011
Clean



2012
Reverent

Obtain each patch with a donation of \$100 or more.

For more information, please contact the Council Service Center at (801) 582-3663



100 YEARS OF SCOUTING
Celebrating the Adventure ★ Continuing the Journey

Gala Chairman
 Charles W. Dahlquist, II

invites you
 to join him at the

Great Salt Lake Council's
100th Anniversary Gala

to celebrate
 100 years of Boy Scouting
 in the United States of America

Thursday
 February 25, 2010
 7:00 p.m.

Grand Ballroom
 Calvin L. Rampton

Salt Palace
 Convention Center

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA ★ 100 YEARS OF SCOUTING



CELEBRATING THE ADVENTURE ★ CONTINUING THE JOURNEY

Join us for a spectacular evening of fun, food, and entertainment as we celebrate the 100th birthday of the Boy Scouts of America.

Bob Mazzuca, Chief Scout Executive, and Tom Fitzgibbon, Western Region Director, will be joining us for this exciting event.

Eclipse, the singing group, who performed at the opening and closing ceremonies for the 2002 Winter Olympics will be our entertainment for the evening.

Two Scouts will receive the Honor Medal with Crossed Palms, the highest recognition of heroism.

Come and experience the "walk through time" exhibits which will represent 100 years of Scouting.

All participants will receive a 100th anniversary collector's neckerchief and slide.

Tickets are
\$15.00

from www.saltlakescouts.org

For more information about other BSA 100th Anniversary Celebrations visit www.saltlakescouts.org

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BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

CELEBRATING 100 YEARS OF SCOUTING!

Scout-O-Rama

TICKET SALES KICK OFF
MARCH 6, 2010

SHOW DATE

MAY 1, 2010

9 AM — 4 PM AT THE
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- 100th Anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America!

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA
100 YEARS OF SCOUTING



CELEBRATING THE ADVENTURE
CONTINUING THE JOURNEY

General Chairman:
VAUGHN J. FEATHERSTONE

Honorary Chairman:
Larry H. Miller (in Memoriam)
and Gail Miller

Honorary Co-Chairman:
The Most Reverend
John C. Wester

Honored VIP's:
John S. Kirkham
Council President
Charles W. Dahlquist
Council President-elect

Great Salt Lake Council has the **LARGEST SCOUT-O-RAMA** in the nation!
Visit www.saltlakescouts.org or call (801) 582-3663 for more information!

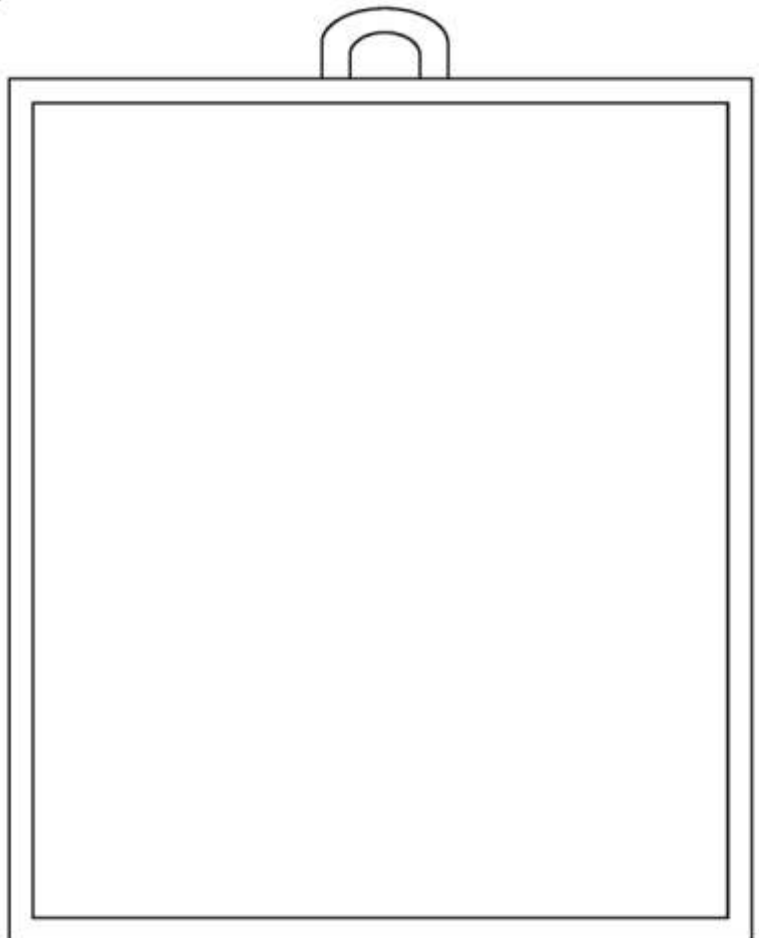
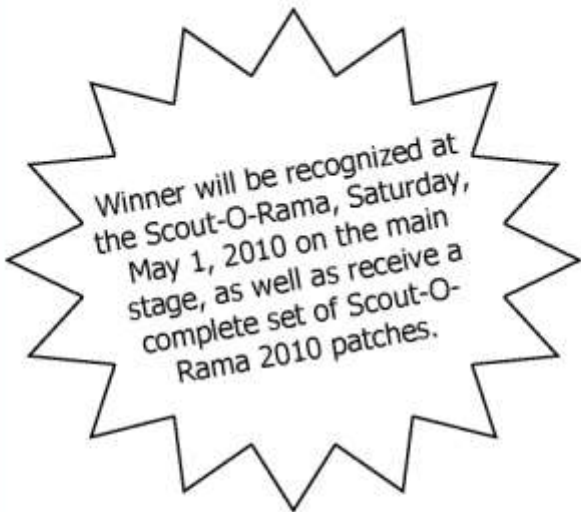


GREAT SALT LAKE COUNCIL, BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

2010 SCOUT-O-RAMA PARTICIPANT PATCH CONTEST OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

ARTIST NAME: _____ AGE: _____
PHONE: (____) _____ - _____ UNIT: _____ DISTRICT: _____
ADDRESS: _____
CITY: _____ ZIP: _____

- Contest is open to all Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Varsity Scouts and Venturers registered with the Great Salt Lake Council.
- Entries must be drawn within the space provided.**
- Entries can be submitted through e-mail to cheri.hansen@scouting.org or can be handed in at the Council Service Center Office, 525 Foothill Blvd., SLC UT 84113. (If you submit them electronically, be sure to include your name, age, phone, unit and full address!)
- Entries must include:** Great Salt Lake Council, Scout-O-Rama 2010, a fleur-de-lis, and 100th Anniversary insignia.
- Suggestions for entries include: 100th Anniversary icons, Centennial theme "Celebrating the Adventure, Continuing the Journey", BSA, Boy Scouts of America, Baden Powell, Scouting icons, Utah icons (arches, beehive, mountains etc.). Please refrain from using trademark or copyrighted material.
- Entries should refrain from using more than 9 colors.
- Entries cannot be returned and will become property of the Great Salt Lake Council.
- Deadline for entries is December 16, 2009.**



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA ★ 100 YEARS OF SCOUTING



CELEBRATING THE ADVENTURE ★ CONTINUING THE JOURNEY



(From left to right) Front row: Casey Murguia, Alma Parraga, Anthony Rivera, Irvin Medina, Jorge De Luna, Back row: Nelson Santamaria, Miguel Sosa, Adrian Ochoa**, David L. Beck**, Marcos Nava*, Catriel Corvalan, Miqueas Corvalan. (Eagle Scout not in picture: Anthony Roldan) * Marcos Nava: BSA Team leader for the Spanish Marketing Initiative. **General Young Men's Presidency: David L. Beck, president; Adrian Ochoa, 2nd counselor.

Ten Eagles Soar Together

About 2 1/2 years ago, Richard Gonzalez was looking for used uniforms for his Scout troop. After much searching, he obtained a few used Scout uniforms.

That was a blessing for these boys, since some couldn't afford to buy them. We told each boy that the uniform was a "rental". The requirements to earn the uniform were simple. They needed to learn to respect the uniform by keeping it tucked in and buttoned up. The promise from Richard was that the shirt

became theirs when they earned it and they did when they became Eagles!

You never know how you can change some one's life by just a donation of your old uniform. Richard is grateful to all those who donated their old uniforms to help other boys to understand the meaning of being unified by wearing a uniform. Richard now has twenty boys in the troop and works with a Stake Spanish branch that has around twenty Scouts also.

His needs for uniforms are big in this new troop. If you know any way to help this new troop obtain Scout uniforms, Richard will be very grateful.

"Thanks for all your support to our unit."

Contact:

Richard Gonzalez, Troop 499

rgonzalez_bsa@msn.com

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MONDAY: 10am - 7pm
TUESDAY - SATURDAY: 10am - 5pm
SUNDAY: 1pm - 5pm

GENERATIONS CONNECTION



From their first days in 1910, the Boy Scouts of America has built character and values-based leadership qualities in America's youth, and provided a program for strengthening families. And, as a core principle of Scouting, Boy Scouts have practiced responsible environmental living and conservation of natural resources throughout their existence.

WHAT IS GENERATIONS CONNECTION?

It is one of the national 100th celebration programs and you are invited to participate!

100 YEARS OF SCOUTING'S IMPACT ON FAMILIES

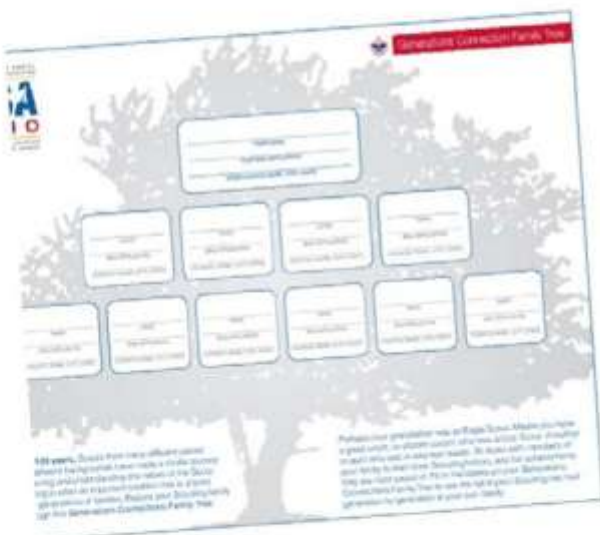
Nearly every boy experiences Scouting with members of his family. Scouting provides the opportunity to strengthen ties between family members, create great family memories, and develop a shared family foundation of worthwhile virtues and values. The 100th Anniversary *Generations Connection* celebrates Scouting's legacy and its positive impact on American families through a program centered on the enduring symbol of the tree.



When you visit Generations Connection at www.scouting.org/100years you can download a Generations Connection Family Tree!

Fill in names – and if you can find it – something special about that person's Scouting experience.

Thanks to a partnership with the Arbor Day Foundation, you can plant an official 100th Anniversary tree ... to help grow a new BSA Centennial Forest. Visit the Web site and learn more today!



DAYS OF '47 PARADE

“Come one, come all!”

We are looking for 10,000 Scouts and Scouters
in full Scout uniform to march in the

Days of '47 Parade

Saturday, **July 24, 2010**



Scouts and Scouters of all ages are invited!

Cub Scouts and leaders

Boy Scouts and leaders

Varsity Scouts and leaders

Venturers and leaders

The Great Salt Lake Council will have a float and you are invited
to bring your unit's flag or banner and march in the parade.

*Please contact Mary Jo Page at (801) 582-3663 ext. 237 or
MaryJo.Page@scouting.org to reserve your space*

**Don't miss out on this opportunity to
show the community your Scout spirit and
to celebrate 100 Years of Scouting!**

**JOIN US ON THE ADVENTURE OF
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JAMBOREE TOUR:

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*TOUR OF GETTYSBURG

*LIBERTY BELL

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*WASHINGTON MONUMENT

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Travel, Lodging, Tours, Meals,
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**Personal Spending money and
uniforms not included.*

LIMITED SPACE AVAILABLE

DON'T MISS OUT!

JULY 19 - AUG. 6

GET ON BOARD!

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GREAT SALT LAKE COUNCIL
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WWW.SALTLAKESCOUTS.ORG



Great Salt Lake Council Endowment

Has someone ever invited you to become a member of the James E. West Fellowship?

What is the James E. West Fellowship?...

The Great Salt Lake Council relies heavily on its Friends of Scouting campaign to finance the Council from year to year. James E. West contributions go directly into an Endowment fund which is invested, allowing dividends and interest to be utilized by the council. Our goal for this fund is to reach 25 million so that the Great Salt Lake Council can lower its reliance on fund-raising, Friends of Scouting, etc.

Would you consider becoming a member of this Fellowship, which will continue to provide the ideals and values of Scouting to our youth?

James E. West sponsorships are \$1,000. Through a unique program with the Great Salt Lake Council you can pledge \$1,000 today and take four (4) years to pay your pledge!

Easy monthly debits of \$21.00 a month will make your pledge easy and convenient without breaking your budget!

To pledge today and *Leave your Legacy* please contact Lisa Boren at (801) 582-3663 ext. 250 or by e-mail: lboren@bsamail.org



James E. West



100 YEARS OF SCOUTING

Celebrating the Adventure ★ Continuing the Journey



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Celebrating 100 Years - National Hall of Leadership

Leaders are those who see possibilities and inspire others to see them too. Over the past century, Scouting leaders have inspired millions of Americans to dream more, do more, and become more. They have shaped our nation's youth by modeling Scouting virtues. And now we have a way to thank them.

The BSA 100th Anniversary National Hall of Leadership provides a one-time opportunity for you to honor and recognize a Scouting leader who positively impacted your life, or the lives of others. To be nominated, a person must be a living Scout or Scouting volunteer who may or may not be officially registered with the BSA. They must have served as an active Scout or Scouting volunteer for at least one year. A nominee may be young or old — there is no age limit — and you can submit as many nominations as you'd like.

The nomination period is open for one year, from February 8, 2009 to February 8, 2010. One inductee will be selected from each local BSA council in the country along with one from the national office. Inductees will be announced at the BSA National Annual Meeting in Dallas in May 2010.

Our country will never outgrow the need for thoughtful leadership. And, so it will never outgrow the need for those dedicated individuals who live their lives by the Scout Law and teach others to do the same. Please, take some time to tell the story of a leader who inspired you.

Want to help spread the word? Contact Victoria Morris to get tools to promote the National Hall of Leadership program and encourage people to submit nominations. You can start by simply encouraging them to visit the Hall of Leadership section at www.Scouting.org/100years to learn more about the nomination process.

SUBMIT YOUR NOMINATION!

BSA 100TH ANNIVERSARY Hall of Leadership

Has a Scout, leader, or other Scouting volunteer made a significant difference at some time in your life, or the lives of others, by the extraordinary service they have given and the Scouting virtues they have modeled? You can thank and recognize them with a nomination to the BSA 100th Anniversary National Hall of Leadership!

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA • 100 YEARS OF SCOUTING



CELEBRATING THE ADVENTURE • CONTINUING THE JOURNEY

WELCOME TO OUR NEW UNITS AND SCOUTING FRIENDS!

The Great Salt Lake Council is pleased to recognize and welcome the following new units formed during July, August, September, and October 2009:

Indian Springs District (3):

- Pack 3748, Troop 0748, and Team 6748 sponsored by Woods Cross 17th Ward
- Troop 1147 sponsored by Bountiful East Stake 11-Year Olds

City Creek District (4):

- Team 7262 sponsored by Columbus (Karen) Branch
- Crew 9469 sponsored by 25th Ward
- Crew 9987 sponsored by Buena Vista (Spanish) Branch

Westview District (10):

- Crew 9651 sponsored by Jurassic Journey (Camp Staff)

Deseret Peak District (11):

- Crew 2174 sponsored by Gordon Lane Ward

Granger District (13):

- Troop 1497 sponsored by West Valley 3rd Ward

Pony Express District (14):

- Pack 3327 and Team 6327 sponsored by Daybreak 14th Ward

Wagon Wheel District (16):

- Team 6667 sponsored by the Valley Ridge Ward

Eagle Ridge District (29):

- Crew 2427 sponsored by Rose Creek 3rd Ward

We look forward to seeing you at district and council events. Remember, your district and council are here to serve you. Please call the Council Service Center, (801) 582-3663, if you have questions and/or concerns.

Best wishes along your Scouting trail to adventure!



ATTENTION ALL EAGLE SCOUTS!!!

**WE NEED A PICTURE OF YOU AS AN EAGLE SCOUT (IN UNIFORM)
THIS WILL BE DISPLAYED MAY 1, 2010 AT THE SCOUT-O-RAMA TO
CELEBRATE 100 YEARS OF SCOUTING!!!**

***E-MAIL A JPEG IMAGE ALONG WITH YOUR NAME AND YEAR YOU EARNED
YOUR EAGLE TO:**

CHERI.HANSEN@SCOUTING.ORG

**OR *MAIL A 4 X 6 IN. PHOTO ALONG WITH YOUR NAME AND YEAR YOU
EARNED YOUR EAGLE TO**



ATTN. CHERI HANSEN
GREAT SALT LAKE COUNCIL
525 FOOTHILL BLVD.
S.L.C. UT 84113



***WE MUST HAVE YOUR FULL NAME, A PICTURE, AND YEAR EARNED TO BE A PART OF THE EXHIBIT BY 3/31/2010
(Please send self addressed and stamped envelope if you want your picture returned to you)
CALL THE COUNCIL OFFICE AT (801) 582.3663 IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS/CONCERNS.**



Come back to Gilwell

Hello from the Wood Badge Association committee.

It is a wonderful joy that I announce that we now have a fully functional database for tracking membership information for this association. In past years we have depended on Excel spreadsheets and countless

little pieces of paper with scribbling on it. This is our first of hopefully many communications that we intend to send out to our members to keep you posted on activities the association is putting together. Also we are working to expand the Quartermaster's Store with exciting new items that we hope each of you will check out at upcoming events.

If need anything from our staff or have any questions, please drop us a line at our new email address: wba@woodbadgeslc.com

Thank you!
Lance Gallegos
Wood Badge Association
Scribe

Finding Treasures at Pow Wow

Hundreds of Cub Scout leaders attended this year's POW WOW and left "Finding the Treasures in Cub Scouting."

A dazzling Power Point Opening and Flag Ceremony accentuated the excitement to be found in Cub Scouting and led right into a treasure chest of "hands on" Cub Scouting skills and classes. Many Cub leaders came prepared with cameras to record the large assortment of activities and ideas. In addition leaders could

stroll through the "Theme or Webelos Midways" or prowl through the Commercial Midway where an array of products could be purchased. Many participants enjoyed the traditional chicken lunch provided by Meiers Chicken.

Chairman Keelee Powell reported, "I think Cub Scout leaders went home excited and more enthused to provide a better Cub Scouting experience for their boys."

Phyllis Patterson and Lon Elwood co-chaired

the event. In addition, over another 100 leaders volunteered their time and expenses to share their experiences and talents so new or even experienced leaders could walk away with new ideas and enthusiasm.



Earn Special 100th Anniversary Awards

A Year of Celebration – A Century of Making a Difference

is an awards program developed specially for the 100th Anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America.

There are five awards, each based on one of the five core values of the Boy Scouts of America: one for Leadership, Achievement, Community Service, Character and the Outdoors. The award is a uniquely designed patch of the 100th Anniversary emblem with slots to hold special award markers for each pillar of the program. Individuals will be able to display all earned awards at the same time on their uniforms by attaching award markers to the patch.

Each award has different requirements depending upon age. Cub Scouts have a set of requirements, as do Boy Scouts, Venturers, adult volunteers and alumni. Yes, even adults can earn awards

for a change. There are five requirements for each age group for each award. All you have to do is accomplish at least three of the five requirements to earn the award. You may want to do all five requirements, but three is all that you'll need to qualify for the award.

Awards may be earned as of September 1, 2009 through December 31, 2010.

This program will provide every Scout, leader and alumnus a fun and meaningful way to participate in the 100th Anniversary. Each individual participating will benefit, as will every unit and community in the country. Go to www.scouting.org/100years for more information on this and many more 100th Anniversary programs.



Year of Celebration Patches Available

Beginning August 5, patches and accompanying ribbons for A Year of Celebration, A Century of Making a Difference will be available from the Supply Division through National Scout Shops and ScoutStuff.org. Local Council Scout shop managers are encouraged to place their orders as soon as possible, so the patch and ribbons can be displayed leading up to the Year of Celebration kickoff on September 1!

Anyone can purchase the main patch emblem, but the ribbons must be earned. Ribbons should not be sold without an order form that people can print out once they've entered their achievements via the online form at

Cub Scouts Walk into Underworld

The Haunted Village at Tracy Scout Camp up Millcreek Canyon provided a night of excitement as Cub Scouts toured the realm of Hades during its annual Haunted Village three evenings before Halloween.

Cubs were broken down into small groups and given a tour led by the Grim Reaper. They passed over the River Styx into the underworld and visited a graveyard, the laby-

rinth, a vampire house, Dracula's Transylvanian Castle, Volde-morte, the Amadeus Arkham Asylum for dangerous criminals, and Shelob's lair. They only escaped by repeating the Law of the Pack correctly and refusing the pomegranate seeds offered by the Pomegranate Temptress.

Cub Scouts and their leaders were then offered libations or refreshments of scones and hot

chocolate to encourage them not to return from the underworld and haunt the living.

Over 55 leaders and Scouts volunteered to run the three-night adventure for hundreds of boys. Crystal Nebeker was the chairman of the event.

2009 Calendar

November

- 18) Cncl Executive Board Mtg (CSC-A)
- 20) Holiday Auction – Salt Palace
- 21) Cub Scout Turkey Bowl - TBD
- 25) Popcorn Money Turn- in Deadline
- 26-28) Thanksgiving, Council Offices/Shops Closed

December

- 2) Cncl CS Blue and Gold Banquet (TTC)
- 3) Roundtable #1
- 5) University of Scouting (JDHS)
- 9) Silver Bvr Selection Com. Mtg. (CSC-B)
- 10) Roundtable #2
- 24-26) Christmas Observance – Cncl Offices/Shops Closed
- 29) CS Winter Day Camp
- 30) CS Winter Day Camp
- 31) New Years' Eve – Cncl Offices/Shops Close at Noon

January

- 1) New Year's Day – Cncl Offices/Shops Closed
- 7) Roundtable #1
- 8-9) BS Winter Day Camp (TTC)
- 14) Roundtable #2
- 15-16) BS Winter Day Camp

- (TTC)
- 18) Martin Luther King Day – Cncl Offices/Shops Closed
- 21) Heritage Recognition Evening (JSMB)
- 22-23) BS Winter Camp (TTC)
- 23) Cncl Comm Bsc Trn (CSC-A)
- 26-27) Staff Planning Conference (TBD)
- 29-30) BS Winter Camp (TTC/MCC)

February:

- 5) Roundtable #1
- 5-6) BS Winter Camp (TTC/MCC)
- 5-6) Varsity Biathlon (TBD)
- 6) 11 yr old Winter Fun-O-Ree (Mur Park)
- 12) Roundtable #2
- 12-13) BS Winter Camp (TTC/MCC)
- 14) Valentine's Day
- 15) President's Day – All Cncl Offices/Shops Closed
- 16) CS Winter Day Camp (TTC/MCC)
- 19-20) BS Winter Day Camp
- 24) Cncl Executive Board Mtg (CSC-A)
- 25) 100th Anniversary Gala (Salt Palace)
- 27) Cub Scout Winter Day Camp

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