Spring - Summer 2016

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Be a part of the outdoor adventure. Join the Scouting movement. Learn more in the pages that follow about the Scouting program, the Alamo Area Council, and events and resources available that support a Unified Focus on Youth. Connect with us today! Visit www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Join, email Join@AlamoAreaBSA.org, or call 210-341-8611.

NEW TO SCOUTING
Welcome! Bienvenidos to the Boy Scouts of America, Alamo Area Council (BSA). You are now part of a unified Scouting family. Scouting starts at the local Unit level which is a part of a District. Districts are part of an even bigger entity known as a Council. The Alamo Area Council, one of 280 Councils across the BSA, covers Bexar and the twelve surrounding counties making up 12 Districts: Armadillo, Cimarron, Diamondback, Galaxy, Longhorn, Memorial, Mustang, Rough Rider, Summit, Texas Hills, Two Rivers, and Victory.

Scouting is provided locally in neighborhoods across the country through Community Charter Partners (CCP) such as churches, community organizations, or other groups of interested citizens. Professional Scouters call "Scout Service Executives" work with our CCPs and Scouting Volunteer Leadership to help deliver the program to our youth.

DISTRICT ROUNDTABLES
Roundtables are monthly meetings hosted by Scouters to share the Scouting Program in the form of continuing education. Leaders learn about monthly program themes that can be applied at the Unit level and about Council happenings.

Dates: First Thursday of every month (Except most Districts take off every July for summer vacations and come together the second Thursday in August at the Council Wide Roundtable)

Time: 7:00 - 8:15 pm

Audience: Open to all Leaders and interested parents

Locations: www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Districts

• Armadillo: Crossroads Baptist Church, 8300 Tezel Rd., San Antonio, TX 78250
• Cimarron: LDS Church, 8801 Midcrown Dr., Windcrest, San Antonio, TX 78239
• Diamondback: LDS Church, 17151 Jones Maltsberger Rd., San Antonio, TX 78247
• Longhorn: LDS Church, 636 Oak Haven, Pleasanton, TX 78064
• Memorial: St. Vincent De Paul, 4222 SW Loop 410, San Antonio, TX 78227
• Rough Rider: MacArthur Park Church of Christ, 1907 NE Loop 410, San Antonio, TX 78217
• Summit: University United Methodist Church, 5084 De Zavala Rd., San Antonio, TX 78249
• Texas Hills: Bandera United Methodist Church, 1103 Cedar Street, Bandera, TX 78003
• Two Rivers: Tree of Life Church, 5513 S Interstate 35, New Braunfels, TX 78132
• Victory: Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 7420 Huebner Rd, San Antonio, TX 78240

STAY CONNECTED
Become a MyCouncil member of the Alamo Area Council website. Your membership allows you to receive electronic communications from the Council in the form of emails and e-newsletters. You can specify your involvement and choose the type of communications you want to receive so that you get relevant and timely information. Membership at MyCouncil will also allow you to register for Council and District events.

FREE Unit pages and additional resources also offered.

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/MyCouncil/Join

THE SCOUTING PROGRAM
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Scouting

STAY CONNECTED

Prepared. For Life.

IT’S MORE THAN OUR THEME, it’s a promise and a way of life. Being prepared means having the ability to deal with the many tough challenges life presents—that’s what Scouting is all about. Through its time-tested program, Scouting provides young people with opportunities to mentor to their peers, build character, and enrich their faith. These activities build stronger family bonds and help youth reach their full potential by instilling values that last a lifetime.

One of the strengths of the Scouting program is the unique relationship between religious and community organizations, parents, and leaders. Working together, we are able to focus the necessary resources and leadership on the single task of serving youth. The result is children, families, and communities that are stronger and better prepared for the future.

CUB SCOUTS - Ages 7-10
Cub Scouting is a year-round program uniquely designed to meet the needs of young boys and their parents.

Most people associate Boy Scouting with outdoor adventure—and with good reason. Scouting is an outdoor program designed to develop character, citizenship, and fitness. With the Scout Oath and Law as a guide, Scouting helps a boy develop into a well-rounded young man. Through the advancement program, a Scout can progress in rank by earning achievements and gaining additional knowledge and responsibilities. Earning merit badges provides opportunities for Scouts to be introduced to a lifelong hobby or a rewarding career. In Boy Scouting, youth take responsibility for the activities of the troop. By planning and organizing activities, they develop teamwork and learn to lead as well as follow. Through the support of parents and religious and neighborhood organizations, Scouts develop an awareness and appreciation of their role in their community.

SEA SCOUTING - Ages 14-20 (or 13 and completed eighth grade)
Sea Scouting is a specialized segment of the Venturing Program, which was organized to address members’ boating skills and promote knowledge of our maritime heritage. Sea Scout units, called “ships,” focus on sailing and cruising either sailboats or power vessels.

VENTURING - Ages 14-20 (or 13 and completed eighth grade)
Venturing is a program for young men and women ages 14 through 20. Venturing is one of the fastest growing programs in the Boy Scouts of America. The purpose of Venturing is to provide experiences to help young people mature and become responsible and caring adults. Young people in Venturing learn leadership skills and participate in challenging outdoor activities. Venturing offers resources that help a community organization provide wholesome, flexible, well-rounded, challenging activities, tailor-made for teenage youth. Those resources include access to Boy Scout camping properties, a recognition program, youth protection training, and specific program helps for a variety of outdoor disciplines.

EXPLORING - Ages 14-20 (or 13 and completed eighth grade)
Exploring is a program for young men and women. Exploring units, called “posts,” focus on a single career field, such as law enforcement, fire/rescue, medical, business, science, arts, and are sponsored by a local government or business entity. Young adults involved in Exploring will gain practical knowledge of leadership and experience in a career, and engage in a program of activities centered on career opportunities, life skills, citizenship, character development, and leadership experience to encourage the development of the whole person. Most importantly they have a chance to learn and grow in a supportive, caring, and fun environment.

ORDER OF THE ARROW
As Scouting’s National Honor Society, the purpose is to recognize those who best exemplify the Scout Oath and Law in their daily lives. This recognition provides encouragement for others to live these ideals as well. Arowmen are known for maintaining camping traditions and spirit, promoting year-round and long term resident camping, and providing cheerful service to others. OA service, activities, adventures, and training for youth and adults are models of quality leadership development and programming that enrich and help to extend Scouting to America’s youth.
Hello fellow Scouters!

As we celebrate 106 years of Scouting on February 8th, we need to thank the man that brought Scouting to America, Chicago Publisher William D. Boyce. Why did he bring Scouting across the pond from London?

In 1909 Boyce lost his way in a dense London fog. A boy came to his aid and, after guiding the man, refused a tip. He explained that as a Scout he would not take a tip for doing a “Good Turn”. This gesture by an unknown Scout inspired a meeting with Robert Baden-Powell, the British founder of the Boy Scouts. Boyce was inspired by the Scouting program’s focus on teaching self-reliance, citizenship, resourcefulness, patriotism, obedience, cheerfulness, courage, and courtesy in order “to make men”. As a result of these encounters, Boyce incorporated the Boy Scouts of America (BSA) on February 8, 1910.

In some ways, 2016 is no different than 1910. Americans today—just as they did then—continue to believe that our children need positive influences in their lives. The BSA is the perfect tool to accomplish that. Those of you who are involved with your children understand the magic of Scouting. The BSA program teaches positive attitudes and actions toward God, family, country, community and peers. While participating in seemingly ordinary, sometimes challenging, and often exciting activities, Scouts learn timeless values, decision-making and leadership skills; and how to form positive relationships. Hidden within the merit badges, camping trips, and pinewood derby races are lessons that will serve Scouts for their entire lives.

In today’s busy world, we must refocus our efforts and purpose before it is too late because there are too many distractions—often with negative consequences. The time that we have with our children is finite: we only have 18 years to build citizens of strong character. If we are unsuccessful, our children may struggle once they are on their own.

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Happy 106th Birthday, Boy Scouts of America!
SCOUTREACH

Scoutreach strives to bring Scouting’s values-based programs to youth who otherwise might not be served and represents the Council’s strong commitment to serve the community’s minority populations with traditional Scouting programs that emphasize values, leadership, and character building.

The Alamo Area Council is firmly committed to the vision that no youth will be denied the benefit of a Scouting experience due to a lack of money or volunteer adult leadership. Our goal is to serve an increasing number of at-risk youth and families from our diverse local communities and to develop strong programs for these youth. Currently, the Council’s Scoutreach program serves over 4,500 youth in about 75 non-traditional units.

Scoutreach youth expand their learning with modified lessons from the handbooks that often complement the educational and physical activity requirements in their school districts. Each meeting involves a brief flag ceremony and word of the day, which is one of the twelve core values of Cub Scouting. The Scouts are then guided through a learning activity that helps them to complete their requirements for their rank badge. Each meeting is ended with a fun physical activity that helps meet their physical education requirements.

PROJECT AGUILA

Project Aguila, named for the Boys Scouts highest rank, Eagle Scout, was kicked off in August of 2011 as a local Alamo Area Council Board initiative to create long-standing units in areas where the Council has identified the need for a program that prepares boys for life.

The focus is to provide Cub Scouting to boys in the first through the fifth grade or ages 7 to 10. The Council provides financial aid for staff, uniforms, camp dues, supplies and recognition for scouts and adults for three years.

The goal of Project Aguila is to continue to see healthy increases of parent involvement while managing the expectation for these Cub Scout Packs to become financially self-sufficient. Parents who volunteer in the program become trained role models displaying traits of ethical and moral character as they lead and participate in activities with youth and other adults.

The Council first offered the initiative on the South Side in August 2011 to create long-term units in areas identified by the Council as in need of a course to prepare boys for life. Currently, Project Aguila is offered in some schools in the Harlandale I.S.D., Southwest I.S.D., Northside I.S.D., & Edgewood I.S.D. There are 12 units, 259 youth and 54 adult volunteers in the program to date.
The Alamo Area Council is excited to announce our Cub Scout Outdoor Adventure programs for Spring/Summer 2016. Camping and outdoor programs have been at the heart of Scouting for more than 105 years.

CUB SCOUT ADVENTURE
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Camping/CubScoutPrograms

CUB SCOUT SHOOTING SPORTS
Cub Scouts will have the opportunity to earn the belt loop and pin for Archery and BB gun and

COST: $15
DATES: Saturday, April 15, 2016

SPRING CUB-N-ONE
A fun-filled camping weekend for Cub Scouts and an adult partner. Our theme is Steampunk; activities will focus on aspects of Victoria tech: electricity, steam power early flight, etc. This camp is limited to 84 Cub/Parent Teams.

COST: Adult/Cub Team - Early $75, Regular - $85; Additional Cub - $35; Additional Parent - $15

DATES: Saturday-Sunday, April 9-10, 2016
TIMES: 9:00 am - 11:00 am

TEXAS BADGE WORKSHOP
Don't Mess with Texas! Earn the Cub Scout Texas Badge instead! Only Texas Scouts can earn this prestigious patch. PREREQUISITE: Visit a Texas Historical Place. Bring proof of visit to session (receipt or pictures).

SESSION 1
COST: $5
DATE: Saturday, February 13, 2016
TIME: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

SESSION 2
COST: $5
DATE: Saturday, February 13, 2016

CUB DISCOVERY CAMP 2016
Cub Scouts! Join us at as we examine, explore and explain our Camp Theme: CSI. Tigers, Wolves, Bears and We-belos (and a parent) are invited to this annual Camping Event at Bear Creek Scout Reservation in Hunt, Texas. Please note: This weekend does not include siblings.

COST: Scout/ParentTeam - Early $75, Regular - $85; Additional Cub - $35; Additional Parent - $15
DATE: Saturday-Sunday, May 7-8, 2016
LOCATION: Bear Creek Scout Reservation www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/2016CubDiscoveryCamp

MAYS MERIT BADGE COURSE
The Mays Family Scout Ranch offers courses on Saturdays for Boy Scouts to earn additional merit badges.

DATES:
Sky is the Limit: Feb. 13, 2016
Geocaching: Feb. 27, 2016
Air of Wolf: March 12, 2016
Archery: March 19-20, 2016
Gardening: April 9-10, 2016
Paws on the Path: April 23, 2016
Super Science: May 14, 2016
Forestry: May 21, 2016

COST: $20-$30, varies
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/MaysMeritBadgePrograms

OPEN CLIMB
Boy Scouts and Venturers experience the sport of climbing and rappelling.

COST: TBA

OFFICIAL REFUND POLICY
This policy applies to all events and activities held in the Alamo Area Council unless otherwise specified in the event literature and website. Paid registration fees are refundable up to eight (8) days prior to the start of an event, less a 10% supply fee, upon written request with a copy of receipt of payment. From the seventh (7) day up to 48 hours prior to the start of an event, fees are 50% refundable, upon written request with a copy of receipt of payment. From 48 hours prior to the start of an event and up to seven (7) days after the event, refunds will only be issued in the event of a valid medical emergency or military assignment. Proper documentation must be provided. For full details, see our complete refund policy online: www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/PaymentPolicy
Camping is by pack or individuals with a parent or other adult. Packs must provide at least one leader per three webelos. Sessions are limited to 180 webelos, so get your reservation early. Register at www.alamoareabsa.org/WOA2016.

SESSION 1 & 2
COST: Scout - $170, Adult - $85
DATE: Session 1, July 17 - July 20
Session 2, July 20 - July 23
LOCATION: Bear Creek Scout Reservation

There are over 42 merit badges ranging from aquatics, ecology, field sports, handicrafts, and Scout skills for advancing Scouts to choose from.

The older Scout Program offers challenging programs for older Scouts which include COPE, mountain biking, rock climbing, Lifeguard BSA, waterslide and canoeing along the Guadalupe River.

For the first time this summer, Scouts can now enjoy log rolling, a new archery range, a new single action rifle range and black powder rifle shooting at the rifle range each evening.

Leaders will also have the opportunity to get certified in Red Cross 1st Aid/CPR and Wilderness First Aid.

WEBELOS OUTDOOR ADVENTURE

Webelos Outdoor Adventure, formerly Camp Akela, is a four day, three night camp for webelos and bears transitioning to webelos. We provide the program, the staff, the food, the tents. Bring your personal gear and be ready for fun. First year webelos will work on Aquanaut, 1st Responder, Into the Woods, Earth Rocks, and much more! Second years will cover Aquanaut, Cast Away, Better World, Camper, Scouting Adventure, and much more!

Camping is by pack or individuals with a parent or other adult.
HIGH ADVENTURE EXPERIENCES
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Camping/HighAdventure

Bears Creek Adventure

The Bear Creek Adventure (BCA) is a weekend at Bear Creek Scout Reservation in preparation for a Philmont experience, but it is not limited to Philmont Bound participants. Any Scout, Venturer or adult leader is invited to attend this backpacking experience through parts of Bear Creek. Your adventure starts on Friday night with a cracker barrel and fellowship and conclude on Sunday morning with a hike in from the outpost.

**Cost:** $15 per person (covers Cracker Barrel, Saturday night dessert and a patch.)

**Date:** April 22-24, 2016

**Location:** Bear Creek Scout Reservation

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/BCA2016

Philmont Scout Ranch

Philmont Scout Ranch, the Boy Scouts of America’s premier High Adventure base, challenges Scouts and Venturers with more than 214 square miles of rugged northern New Mexico wilderness. Backpacking treks, horseback riding, training and service programs offer many ways to experience this legendary country. Alamo Area Council has requested treks for the summer of 2017.

**Cost:** $1,600

**Date:** June 13-23, 2017

**Location:** Philmont Scout Ranch

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Philmont2017

2017 National Jamboree

Every four years, Scouts from across the nation gather for the ultimate Scouting experience called the National Jamboree. Now held at the Summit Bechtel Reserve in West Virginia, approximately 50,000 Scouts, Leaders, and Staff will gather for 10 days showcasing everything that is great about Scouting.

**Cost:** $2,950 per person

**Date:** July 19-28, 2017

**Location:** Summit Bechtel Reserve, West Virginia

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/NationalJamboree2017

District Recognition Dinner

Districts hold a reception ceremony to honor the volunteers, Units, and Eagle Scouts. Special Awards are presented. If your District event is not listed below or to check for updates contact your Scout Service Executive or Visit your District’s page:

**Memorial**

**Cost:** $15 per Scout

**Date:** Friday, March 4, 2016

**Times:** 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

**Location:** TBA

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/2016MMDRD

**Summit**

**Cost:** TBA

**Date:** Wednesday, February 17, 2016

**Times:** 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm

**Location:** McGimsey Scout Park

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/2016MMDRD

**PineWood Derby**

**Memorial**

**Cost:** $3 per Scout

**Date:** Saturday, March 26, 2016

**Times:** 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

**Location:** Home Depot

611 Sw Loop 410
San Antonio, TX 78227

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/MMWPD2016

**Texas Hills**

**Cost:** $3 online registration per Scout

**Date:** Saturday, March 5, 2016

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/ARFreeze-O-Ree2016

**Diamonback**

**Cost:** $6

**Dates:** February 19-21, 2016

**Time:** 5:00 pm - 12:00 am

**Location:** Bear Creek Scout Reservation

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/DBFreeze-O-Ree2016

**Texas Hills Winter Rendezvous**

Webelos and area 5th graders are invited on Saturday to meet with the local troops and learn more about Boy Scouts.

**Cost:** $7 online, $10 on site

**Dates:** February 19-21, 2016

**Time:** 6:30 pm - 11:00 am

**Location:** Bear Creek Scout Reservation

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/THWinterRendezvous2016

**Scout Service Executives**

Armadillo - Michelle Andres

Cimarron - Jericho Talusan

Diamondback - Lindsey Gilpin

Longhorn - Frances Henderson

Memorial - Terry Ellis

Rough Rider - Ted Borcherding

Summit - Larry Peabody

Texas Hills - A.J. Channing

Two Rivers - Leah Ortega

Victory - Pilar Colon
San Antonio Missions Scout Night 2016
Enjoy two opportunities for outdoor adventures with your San Antonio Missions baseball as they take on the Midland Rockhounds. After the game, consider joining the campout on one or both nights.

Cost: Home Run: $10 for a reserved seat and a Commemorative Scout Night Patch. (does not include campout) Grand Slam: $16 for Home Run value plus meal, admission to campout, breakfast and a Commemorative Scout Night Patch.

Dates / Times / Locations:
- April 9th (bag drop off)
- April 16th (bag pickup); varies
- Location: San Antonio Riverwalk

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The Faylor Eagle Scout Boys
By Angel Martinez

The Boy Scouts of America, Alamo Area Council is grateful for everyone within the Scouting community that brings smiles and cheers to the hearts of our youth. There are thousands of local stories of hope, positive energy, and success that you support - The Faylor Eagle Scout Boys is just one of them.

It's a special moment for a Boy Scout when he is recognized for all his hard work and dedication towards his achievement of Scouting's highest rank - the Eagle Scout Award. But, it is even more unique for three boys to earn the rank together. On Saturday, December 5, 2015, the three brothers among the Faylor family quintuplets Joshua David, Jonathan Lee, and Joseph Robert, celebrated their Eagle Court of Honor at their church with family and friends.

Each of the boys did different Eagle Projects. Joshua designed, built and stained five benches that were donated to the San Antonio Animal Care Services to be use by individuals when they adopt a new pet; Jonathan built 21 kuranda beds for the San Antonio Animal Care Services dogs awaiting adoption; and Joseph photographed over 3,000 headstones at the San Antonio National Cemetery to preserve genealogical information.

In 2014, 6.01 percent of eligible Scouts across America earned the Eagle Scout award. That number almost eclipsed the prior year record-high of 6.02 percent. That number was calculated this way:
- The total membership number for Boy Scouts, Varsity Scouts, and Venturers (males under 18 years old) in the U.S. in 2014 was 861,898.
- The number of Eagle Scouts in 2014 was 51,820.

Locally, the Boy Scouts of America, Alamo Area Council produces about one Eagle Scout a day every year. In 2014, the percentage is 6.62%. Here are our numbers:
- The total Alamo Area Council membership number for Boy Scouts, Varsity Scouts, and Venturers (males under 18 years old) in 2015 was 5,147.
- The number of Eagle Scouts in 2015 in the council was 351.

Since the introduction of the Eagle Scout award in 1912, the lifetime Eagle Scout percentage is 2.01 percent. That's over 2 million Eagle Scouts. So even though the percentage has been trending upward over the years, the award is still incredibly rare.

“As an Eagle Scout, I'm reminded of the expectations placed on us as leaders every time I hear of celebrations like the one the Faylor boys enjoyed as new Eagles. Also, it's important to note that the values and experiences and life changing lessons found in Scouting extend to every Scout regardless of the final rank achievement.” said Ed Rogers, Eagle Scout Service Project Liaison for the Boy Scouts of America, Alamo Area Council.

The fact that a young man is an Eagle Scout has always carried special significance, not only in Scouting, but also as he enters higher education, business or industry, and military and community service. In 2015, 351 Boys Scouts in the Alamo Area Council achieved Scouting's highest rank of Eagle Scout, contributing 60,560 service hours with a value equaling $1,397,119.20 (million) invested into our local economy and community.*

The award is a performance-based achievement with standards well-maintained over the years. Not every boy who joins a Boy Scout Troop earns the Eagle Scout rank; only about 2.5 percent of all Boy Scouts do so. This represents more than two million Boy Scouts who have earned the rank since 1912.

The National Eagle Scout Association provides information for those who have earned the rank of Eagle and want to remain connected to Scouting. Visit their website at www.NESA.org.

For more information and to find answers about the process and steps to achieve the rank of Eagle, visit our website at www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/EagleScouts or email EagleScouts@AlamoAreaBSA.org. Candidates needing to schedule Eagle project proposals and Final Eagle Scout Boards of Review should visit their District's webpage or contact their District Executive.

• Estimate only based on value of volunteer time in State of Texas set at $23.07 per hour as reported in “Independent Sectors Value of Volunteer time” (2015) www.independentsector.org/volunteer_time.
EXPLORING PROGRAM
Exploring is Learning for Life’s career education program for young men and women who are 14 (and have completed the eighth grade) or 15 years of age but not yet 21 years old. Exploring’s purpose is to provide experiences to help young people mature and to prepare them to become responsible and caring adults. Explorer posts can specialize in a variety of career skills. The Alamo Area Council currently offers Law Enforcement Career Exploring and Fire and Emergency Services Career Exploring.

National: www.LearningForLife.org
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Galaxy

ALAMO EXTREME
The BSA, in collaboration with the San Antonio Police Department, invite your Exploring Law Enforcement post to the newest competition in Texas. Be part of 16 elite teams as they demonstrate essential skills needed for a law enforcement career. Only one team will receive a best overall trophy designating them the finest team to dominate the Alamo Area. Online registration is required.

Cost: $250 per team. Both three-person and four-person teams will be permitted. (t-shirt and meal included). A $30 fee will be added for additional advisor shirt(s) and meal(s) thereafter.

Date: May 14, 2016
Time: 12:00 PM
Location: San Antonio Police Department Training Academy

www.AlamoExtreme.org

VENTURING PROGRAM
Venturing offers a program that is full of challenge and adventure for young men and women who are 13 (and have completed eighth grade) through 20 years of age. Venturers learn about high adventure, sports, arts and hobbies, and youth ministry.

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Venturing

VENTURING OFFICER ASSOCIATION
Upcoming Events Supported by the VOA:

- Venturing Forum (Feb 25, 2016)
- Venturing Forum (Mar 31, 2016)
- Venturing Forum (Apr 28, 2016)
- Venturing Forum (May 26, 2016)
- Flats at Fort Sam 2016 (May 27, 2016)
- Scout Strong Patriot Run/Walk
- (Jun 11, 2016)
- Venturing Forum (Jun 30, 2016)
- Venturing Forum (Aug 25, 2016)

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/OA

ORDER OF THE ARROW
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/OA

SPRING GATHERING
The Spring Gathering is the first opportunity for candidates elected in the Fall of 2015 to become members of the Order of the Arrow and for Ordeal Members with at least 10 months service to seal their membership in the Brotherhood. This will be our first induction at the Mays Scout Ranch. Places are limited so register early.

Date: Friday-Sunday, March 4-6, 2016
Location: Mays Family Scout Ranch

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/OA/OrderoftheArrow2016SpringGathering

SPRING FELLOWSHIP
The OA will be hosting its Spring Fellowship with games, activities, challenges and training all with a Wild West spin. A weekend of fun, great food, camping, and a few surprises.

Date: Friday - Sunday, April 8-10, 2016
Location: Bear Creek Scout Reservation

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/OA/OrderoftheArrow2016SpringFellowship

SUMMER GATHERING
The Summer Gathering is the second opportunity for candidates elected in the fall of 2015 to become members of the Order of the Arrow and for Ordeal Members with at least 10 months service to seal their membership in the Brotherhood. This will be held at Bear Creek where we will ensure that everything is ready for Summer Camp.

Date: Friday-Sunday, June 3-5, 2016
Location: Bear Creek Scout Reservation

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/OA/OrderoftheArrow2016SummerGathering

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- BEAR CREEK SUMMER CAMP PROVISIONAL TROOPS – EACH SESSION SUMMER 2016
- BEAR CREEK BOY SCOUT SUMMER CAMP 2017 UNIT APPRECIATION DINNER

FRIENDS OF SCOUTING
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Donate

Leaving A Legacy Through Planned Giving
Your Legacy Gift will be protected and help ensure the future of Scouting in our area for generations of youth to follow.

There are many options and opportunities to leave a lasting gift and legacy to ensure that Boy Scouts of America, Alamo Area Council programs will continue to help mold young men and women for many years to come. Professional financial advisors are available through Boy Scouts of America to provide consultation and proposals that can be given to your current financial advisor, attorney or CPA.

Gifts may be arranged through individual estate planning.

For questions or assistance with your FOS or Legacy gift, contact Edward Rogers, Director of Scouting Endowment, at 210-296-7609 or FriendsOfScouting@AlamoAreaBSA.org.

Youth Protection Training is offered online through the Boy Scouts of America National Website. Their training site is interactive and you can go at your own pace. The minimum amount of time to take the training is approximately 30-40 minutes.

For more complete information, visit the website above and www.Scouting.org/YouthProtection.

Youth Protection Training - In Person.
If you do not have access to a computer, need, or just prefer a classroom setting, Adult Youth Protection Training is available through the Council. To find out if there are any upcoming trainings, visit the training page on the Council’s website at www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Training.

If you have experienced issues while taking online training such as being unable to print a certificate or forgetting a username and password, please contact the national office at (972) 580-2000 or by email at MyScouting@Scouting.org.
Adult Scout Leaders are considered to be trained and eligible to wear the official ‘Trained’ emblem once they have completed the Position Specific Leader Training for their assigned position and Youth Protection Training (YPT). Pack Trainers are required to take D70 “Train the Trainer – Fundamentals” in addition to their Position Specific Leader Training and YPT. Visit www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Training or email the Council Training Team at Training@AlamoAreaBSA.org.

CUB SCOUT LEADERS

CUB SCOUT LEADER SPECIFIC TRAINING

Content is based on the leader’s position and will cover basic knowledge and skills needed to be a successful leader. Attendees MUST bring a copy of their Youth Protection Training (YPT) card or stay to complete YPT afterwards.

Cost: $5 online / $7 walk-in

Dates/Times/Locations:
- Saturday, March 12, 2016 from 8:00am - 1:00pm
- Saturday, March 19, 2016 from 8:00am - 1:00pm
- Saturday, May 14, 2016 from 8:00am - 1:00pm
- Saturday, May 21, 2016 from 8:00am - 1:00pm; Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 8801 Midcrown Dr, 78239

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Cub-Scout-Leader-Basic-Training

BASIC ADULT LEADER OUTDOOR ORIENTATION (BALOO)

One-day training event that introduces Cub Scout Leaders and parents to the skills needed to plan and conduct Pack outdoor activities. Each Pack is required to have one BALOO trained adult in attendance at each Pack camping event.

Cost: $10

Dates/Times:
- Saturday, February 27, 2016
- Saturday, April 16, 2016
- Saturday, August 20, 2016

Time: 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/BALOO2015

BOY SCOUT & VENTURING LEADERS

BOY SCOUT LEADER SPECIFIC

Content is based on the leader’s position and will cover basic knowledge and skills needed to be a successful leader. Attendees MUST bring a copy of their Youth Protection Training (YPT) card or stay to complete YPT afterwards.

Cost: $5 online / $7 walk-in

Dates/Times/Locations:
- Leaders may attend any available training.
  - Saturday, March 12, 2016 from 8:00am - 1:00pm
  - Saturday, March 19, 2016 from 8:00am - 1:00pm
  - Saturday, May 14, 2016 from 8:00am - 1:00pm
  - Saturday, May 21, 2016 from 8:00am - 1:00pm; Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, 8801 Midcrown Dr, 78239

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Boy-Scout-Leader-Basic-Training

VENTURING LEADER TRAINING

This iteration includes the following training opportunities: Wolf/Bear Den Leader Specific Training, Tiger Den Leader Specific Training, Webelos Den Leader Specific Training, Cubmaster Specific Training, Pack Committee Leader Specific Training, and Crew Advisor, Scoutmaster or Assistant Scoutmaster Leader Specific Training. Face to Face Youth Protection Training will be offered at the end of each training for those that require it.

Cost: $5

Date: Saturday, March 12, 2016

Time: 8:00 am - 1:00 pm

Location: McGimsey Scout Park

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/BoyScoutLeaderBasicTraining

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/VENTURING-LEADER-TRAINING

INTRODUCTION TO OUTDOOR LEADER SKILLS (IOLS)

IOLS is the final course required for Scoutmasters and Assistant Scoutmasters of Boy Scout Troops and Advisors and Assistant Advisors of Venturing Crews.

Cost: $15

Dates:
- Saturday - Sunday, February 27-28, 2016
- Saturday - Sunday, April 15-16, 2016
- Saturday - Sunday, August 19-20, 2016

Time: 8:00 am - 8:00 pm

Location: McGimsey Scout Park

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/IOLS2015

SCOUTS & SCOUT LEADERS

TRAINERs EDGE

Designed for Scout Leaders involved in training at the Pack, Troop, Crew, District, and Council levels. Emphasis is on how to be a more effective trainer by learning better presentation skills.

Cost: $5

Dates/Times:
- Saturday, February 6, 2016, 8:30 am - 5:30 pm
- Saturday, August 27, 2016, 8:30 am - 5:30 pm

Location: McGimsey Scout Park

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/TrainersEDGE2015

SPRING WOOD BADGE

Wood Badge is Scouting’s premier leadership training course designed for all Cub Scout, Boy Scout, Varsity Scout, and Venturing leaders as well as Council and District leaders and Scouting professionals.

Cost: Participant - $180 ($90 Down Payment); Staff - $90 ($20 Down Payment)

Dates:
- Saturday - Sunday, March 4-5, 2016 and April 13-14, 2016 (must attend both weekends)
- July 14-15, 2016

Location: McGimsey Scout Park

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/ScoutsAndLeaderTraining

COLLEGE OF COMMISSIONER SCIENCE

Supplemental leader training designed to provide program ideas, resources and FUN for all Scouting volunteers.

Cost: $15

Dates:
- Saturday - Sunday, Saturday - February 20-21, 2016
- Saturday - Sunday, April 2-3, 2016
- Sunday, August 22, 2016

Location: University United Methodist Church, 5084 De Zavala Rd

San Antonio, TX 78249

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/CollegeOfCommissionerScience

CPRAEDforProfessionalRescuer2015

PROFESSIONAL RESCUEr

This training will meet the requirements for American Red Cross First Aid and CPR/AED for the Professional Rescuer. Must be 15 years or older.

Cost: $90

Date: Saturday, May 7, 2016

Time: 9:00 am - 5:00 pm

Location: Alamo Area Council ScoutReach Service Center, 8503 S Zarzamora St., 78224

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/CPRAEDforProfessionalRescuer2015

CLIMBING INSTRUCTOR TRAINING

This 3-part course teaches basic climbing, belaying, and rappelling. Must be 16 years or older.

Cost: $75

Dates/Location:
- Tuesday, March 29, 2016; McGimsey Scout Park
- Saturday-Sunday, April 2-3, 2016; McGimsey Tower
- Friday-Sunday, April 15-17, 2016; Bear Creek Scout Reservation


WILDERNESS AND REMOTE FIRST AID

American Red Cross developed this 16-hour course to meet the needs of the BSA in situations where emergency response is over 30 minutes.

Cost: $125

Dates:
- Friday - Saturday, Feb. 26-27, 2016
- Friday - Saturday, April 1-2, 2016
- Friday - Saturday, May 20-21, 2016

Time: 5:30 pm - 6:00 pm

Location: McGimsey Scout Park

www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/WildernessAndRemoteFirstAid2016

CPRAEDforTHE


National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT)

This course is a one-week experience provided by volunteer Scouts and to prepare Boy Scouts and Venturing youth leaders with effective Unit leadership skills. Course offered twice in 2016.

Cost: $270

Dates:
- Spring: March 13-18, 2016
- Summer: June 5-10, 2016

Time:
- Sunday, 8:00 am - Friday 7:00 pm

Location: McGimsey Scout Park


DEN CHIEF TRAINING

This is a training for Den Chiefs; Pack, District, and Council Trainers; Den Leaders, Cubmasters; Scoutmasters, Varsity Coaches, and Venturing Crew Advisors. This training teaches the Den Chief to effectively assist the Den Leader with planning and conducting Den Meetings. Adult leaders are encouraged to attend the training to understand the role of this position.

Cost: $90

Date: Saturday, April 30, 2016

Time: 8:00 am - 12:00 pm

Location: McGimsey Scout Park


College of Commissioner Science

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www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/WildernessAndRemoteFirstAid2016
2016 CAMP CARD SALE
SAVE THE DATES: February 26 - May 20, 2016
Register online by February 25, 2016 at 12 p.m.
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/CampCards
CampCards@AlamoAreaBSA.org
The Camp Card is an award-winning money earning program that helps Scouts earn their way to camp or other outdoor adventures! The Alamo Area Council Camp Cards offer discounts at several local businesses - 7-Eleven, Express Lube, Pizza Hut, Alamo Drafthouse Cinema, Dairy Queen, Schlitterbahn, Burger King, Las Palapas, and Good Sports Outdoor Outfitters.
2016 offers are available online with the following vendor partners: Camp Cards sell for $5.00 each, with 50% going to the unit and 50% going to the Council.
• Units DO NOT need to prepay for their first round of Camp Cards. However, in order to get a second or third round of cards, a payment MUST be made first.

FUNDRAISING EVENTS
COUNCIL WIDE ROUNDTABLE
Come Enjoy Your Council Roundtable featuring Attractions & Actions from local vendors, door prizes, Council & District information will be available, Split Sessions for Adult Leaders: Cub Scouting and Boy Scouting, Training for Popcorn, Website Training, Order of the Arrow Annual Lodge Meeting, Venturing Displays. Musselman Scout Shop will be selling merchandise from 6-8pm.
DATE: Thursday, August 11, 2016
TIME: 6 pm - 9 pm
LOCATION: AT&T Center
COST: Free Parking
www.alamoareabsa.org/2016CouncilWideRoundtable

BOY SCOUT SHOOTOUT
The Boy Scout Shoot Out is a fun filled afternoon, sporting clay competition, held annually at the National Shooting Complex to benefit the programs of the Boy Scouts of America, Alamo Area Council. Teams of five compete at various stations, accommodating all skill levels, to shoot 100 targets. The National Shooting Complex is one of the premier shooting facilities in the world, spanning 671 acres of San Antonio countryside. A dinner banquet, an exciting live and silent auction, and an awards ceremony will follow the tournament play.
DATE: Thursday, May 26, 2016
TIME: 11:00 am - 7:15 pm
PLACE: National Shooting Complex; 5931 Roft Rd., 78253
www.BoyScoutShootout.org

SCOUT STRONG PATRIOT RUN
The second annual Flag Day 5k Race and 1k Kids’ Fun Run honoring our Armed Forces has been held for 14 years. Now in partnership with the Boy Scouts of America, Alamo Area Council and the Scout Strong initiative we hope to promote a healthy, active lifestyle for the Scouts, families, and communities we serve. All proceeds from the Scout Strong Patriot Run will benefit the programs of the Alamo Area Council.
DATE: SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 2016
TIME: 7 am - 10 am
LOCATION: MCGRUMSEY SCOUT PARK
COST: $25 (through May 31); $30 (June 1-9 2016); $35 (June 10-11)
www.ScoutStrong.org

BATTLE OF THE FLOWERS PARADE
The Alamo Area Council is supporting The Battle of Flowers Parade this year with Scouts to hold and parade the "Texas Flag." Every April, downtown San Antonio becomes the site of a citywide celebration – the Battle of Flowers® Parade. Since 1891, the women volunteer members of the Battle of Flowers® Association have produced a parade to honor the fallen heroes of the Alamo and to commemorate the victory at the battle of San Jacinto. Join us as we celebrate Texas history!
The Battle of Flowers appreciates the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts helping carry the big United States and Texas flag each year within the parade.
DATE: Friday, April 22, 2016
TIME: 11 am - 2 pm
LOCATION: Downtown San Antonio
COST: Free
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/ScoutsSupport2016BattleofFlowersParade

SPECIAL EVENTS
THE GREAT AMERICAN CAMPOUT
The Alamo Area Council has joined the Great American Campout, sponsored by the National Wildlife Federation. It is an important part of the organization's, “Be Out There” campaign, which is dedicated to getting children outside so they can enjoy a healthy, active lifestyle.
Camping out is also a wonderful opportunity to observe and learn about the wildlife that surrounds us every day.
Enjoy a family camp out under the stars. Activities include: archery, fun camping games, and a Campfire program.
DATE: Saturday - Sunday, June 4 - 5, 2016
TIME: 12 pm - 10 am
LOCATION: May’s Family Scout Ranch
COST: $20 tent w/cots provided or $10 provide your own tent
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/GAC2016

UNIT MONEY EARNING PROJECTS
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/CampCards
Support Scouts, Buy Camp Cards

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RESOURCES / MARKETING
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Resources www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Marketing

RESOURCES
From Internet links, forms, and applications, to program and training materials, look to this section for your Scouting needs.
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Resources

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Add Resources

ALAMO AREA COUNCIL HISTORICAL TOURS
Schedule your free tour!
Sign up for a free mini tour of the Alamo Area Council Museum. Email Info@AlamoAreaBSA.org.

FOOTBALL & BUS BOOK!
This football-sized book will fit in your pocket and includes the following:
• Team History
• Uniforms
• Stadium
• Awards & Trophies

FREE UNIT SITES AVAILABLE
Did you know your Unit has a FREE website on the Alamo Area Council with a calendar and group email features? www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Units/Webpages

MARKETING/PUBLIC RELATIONS
Marketing is the process of influencing the behavior of one or several people so they will make a purchase, cast a vote, offer a contribution, or join an organization. Some activities that fall under marketing include advertising, public relations, sales, and market research. Learn about the Alamo Area Council’s key marketing objectives, and our strategy of the “Story Telling Style of Marketing on Owned Media” and more:
• Branding themes and guidelines
• Social media guidelines
• Marketing Toolbox resources
• Public Relations Policy Statement
• Press Release templates
• Unit Marketing Award of Excellence
• SCOUT TV and PR Scribe Patrol
• Talent Release forms
• College Marketing Internships

HAVE A SCOUT STORY TO SHARE?
Enews@AlamoAreaBSA.org

SERVICE CENTERS
Alamo Area Council Service Center
2226 NW Military Hwy
San Antonio, TX 78213
(210) 341-8611 Phone
(210) 341-7641 Fax
Info@AlamoAreaBSA.org
Mon - Fri: 8:30 am - 5:30 pm

Scoutreach Service Center
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San Antonio, TX 78224
(210) 341-8611 Ext. 600 Phone
(210) 921-9304 Fax
Info@AlamoAreaBSA.org
Mon - Fri: 8:00 am - 5:00 pm

DISTRICT COMMITTEE
Scouting is volunteer-run and funded. The Council is subdivided into three administrative departments, run by district committees responsible for the following functions:
• Membership – Strives for growth by creating new Scouting Units and recruiting youth to join existing Units.
• Finance – Supports District’s share of funds to the Council operating budget.
• Program – Supports Scouting Units with camp promotion, community service, training, youth advancement, recognition, and special activities.
• Unit Service – District Commissioner

COMMISSIONER STAFF
The Commissioner is the liaison between the Alamo Area Council and Scouting units. The Commissioner’s keep units operating at maximum efficiency, maintain regular contact and coach unit leaders, note weaknesses in programs, and suggest remedies. The Commissioner is part of the District, and typically serves 1 - 3 units, other than their “home” unit.
Contact Your Commissioners:
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Commissioners

CONTACT US
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Contact

SCOUT SHOPS
Purchase Uniforms, Insignia, Handbooks, Literature, Trophies & Awards, Camp Equipment, Crafts, Gift Certificates, and more.
Musselman Scout Shop
2226 NW Military Hwy
San Antonio, TX 78213
(210) 341-8611 Ext. 601
MusselmanScoutShop@Scouting.org
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/ScoutShop/Musselman

HOURS:
Mon, Wed, Fri: 8:30 am - 5:30 pm
Tues, Thurs: 8:30 am - 7:30 pm
Sat: 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

Scoutreach Scout Shop
8503 S. Zarzamora St.
San Antonio, TX 78224
(210) 341-8611 Ext. 600

HOURS:
Monday - Friday: 1:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Service Centers and Shops are closed on major holidays and holiday weekends.

TRADING POSTS
The Alamo Area Council operates trading posts at all camp properties during most Council outdoor adventures. Refreshments, camp souvenirs, advancement materials, branded camp and BSA products, and more are available for purchase.
eSales Site
The Alamo Area Council eSales site is an extension of our trading posts. Various Council and camp branded products will be offered seasonally online at the following site, but sorry no plastic chickens or popcorn sold here.
www.AlamoAreaBSA.org/Store
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