

Council Service Territory Volunteer Leadership Newsletter



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*The Council Service Territory Volunteer Leadership Newsletter is an official weekly digest of information for key local council and council service territory volunteers from multiple official Scouting America sources. Learn more about the items that may be important to you and **please share appropriate content with other Scouters.***

National Catholic Educational Association Partnership

Scouting America and the National Catholic Educational Association have announced the first national strategic partnership between the two organizations, a collaboration built on a shared conviction that young people grow into who they are meant to be when adults invest in their character, their faith, and their capacity to lead. Read more [here](#).

Donor Advised Funds Webinar

If you missed the *October 1* gift planning webinar about donor advised funds, you can find the recording [here](#).

Bass Pro Shops and Cabela's Outdoor Fund

Scouting America has announced a new partnership with Bass Pro Shops and Cabela's Outdoor Fund, uniting two organizations with a shared commitment to conservation, outdoor education, and developing the next generation of leaders and outdoor stewards. Read more [here](#).

Back Issues of the Volunteer Leadership Newsletter

We have created a repository of the most recent back issues of the *Newsletter*. Find them [here](#). Be sure to check them out if you are new to this newsletter and/or to review earlier issues.

Reminders from Previous Newsletters

Scouts BSA Senior Patrol Leader Summit – *October 25* – information [here](#)

National Day of Service – *November 14* - Read more [here](#)

Silver Antelope Award – *November 30* deadline - [here](#)

GivingTuesday Council Toolkit – *December 1* - [here](#)

Merge Member ID - [here](#)

Technology Update Webinar Recordings - [here](#)

Alumnus of the Year Awards - [here](#)

Program Livecasts

Cub Chat Live (every Friday at 3 pm Eastern) - [Facebook](#) and [YouTube](#)

Troop Talk Live (second Wednesday of each month at 2 pm Central) - [Facebook](#) and [YouTube](#)
Leading our Adventures (every other Friday at 4 pm Mountain) - [Facebook](#) and [YouTube](#)
Trek on Tuesday (Tuesdays at Noon Pacific) - [Facebook](#) and [YouTube](#)
Exploring Live Hour (Monthly) - Schedule and registration [here](#)

Webinars

Alumni Webinars –

- “Free Money! Applying for College Scholarships, Including NESAs Scholarships” *November 15, 5:30pm Central*. Register in advance for the webinar and get more information [here](#).

Outdoor Programs - Webinars will be on the *Second Thursday of each month at 2:00 pm Central* beginning in *September* unless otherwise noted. You can find more detailed information [here](#) and register [here](#) for the full series.

October 8 – Develop a Staff Alumni Association

October 29 – 7:00 pm Central – What’s new in NCAP for 2027

November 12 – Property Management and Maintenance Best Practices

Cub Scouting Monthly Momentum Rallies – Register in advance

- *Wednesday, October 14* - [here](#)
- *Wednesday, November 11* - [here](#)

Monthly Membership Rally - Future Rallies - *October 15, and November 12* – Register [here](#)

Venturing Live – Third Wednesday of each month at 7:30pm Central. Register in advance [here](#). See recordings of webinars [here](#)

Newsletters/Blogs/Podcasts

Commissioner eBlast – Every Monday - [here](#)

Scouting Safety - [here](#)

On Scouting - [here](#)

Marketing – Subscribe [here](#)

Membership Engagement - Subscribe [here](#)

Aquatics - [here](#)

Scouting in the Boardroom - [here](#)

Trail To Adventure - [here](#)

Scouting Alumni - [here](#)

Training Times - [here](#)

Abilities Digest - [here](#)

Scouting Wire - [here](#)

Important Links

Youth Safety - [here](#)

Incident Reporting - [here](#)

Health and Safety - [here](#)

Safety Moments - [here](#)

TechHub - [here](#)

Scouting America Brand Guidelines and Materials - [here](#)

Language of Scouting - [here](#)

Training Resources - [here](#)

Merit Badges - [here](#)

Online Registration Information - [here](#)

Scouting America Membership Standards - [here](#)

Philmont Training Center Conferences - [here](#)

National Council Videos - [here](#)

High Adventure Bases - [here](#)
Scouting Forms - [here](#)
2027 World Scout Jamboree - [here](#)
Council Support - [here](#)
National Eagle Scout Association - [here](#)
Marketing Resources - [here](#)
National Camping Schools - [here](#)
Scouting Forums - [here](#)
Order of the Arrow - [here](#)
Commissioners - [here](#)
Program Updates - [here](#)
Awards Central - [here](#)
Marketing and Recruitment Resources - [here](#)
Scouting Newsroom - [here](#)
Scouting Emergency Assistance Fund - [here](#)
Brand Center - [here](#)

