



## Golden West District Newsletter:

### Roundtable:

**West Anaheim Youth Center**

**320 S. Beach Blvd.**

**Anaheim, CA 92804**

**Thursday March 12, 2020**

**7:30 PM to 9:00 PM**



Roundtable by Tom Devine, Joe Lum, and Sarah Fordyce:

**New GW Website, Scoutbook, Camporee, Scout-O-Rama, Adventure Cards, Schedule FOS presentations, Design Golden West Logo, Introduce out new District Chairman Charles Osaki, and say thank you to Frances Nguyen.**

**DE Finance** Brian Morrissey, BrianM@ocbsa.org

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**DE Unit Program** Alex Fritz, AlexF@ocbsa.org

**FOS 2019 goal \$70,000, \$0 = 0%**

**Family goal \$47,000, \$0 = 0%**

**Major Gifts goal \$20,000, \$0 = 0%**

**Leadership goal \$3,000, \$0 = 0%**

**Scout-O-Rama Adventure Cards goal \$25,500, \$0 = 0%, Units earned \$0. This is a great way to help Scouts earn money for their Scouting needs.**

**Popcorn goal \$201,500, \$0 = 0%**

**Membership goal is 2657 youth and 94 Units, actual 2414 youth and 94 Units.**

**Day Camp TBD Goal.**

**What does it cost for Sports compared to Scouts?**

**Data taken from the OC Register May 11, 2014, News Section, Page 12, annual cost:**

**Hockey** \$20,000, Registration \$1,500, Uniform \$500, Monthly Dues \$600; **Softball** \$17,000, Registration \$300, Uniform \$200, Monthly Dues \$160; **Baseball** \$10,000, Registration \$130, Uniform \$485, Monthly Dues \$130; **Water Polo** \$5,600, Registration \$1,090, Uniform \$45, Monthly Dues \$100; **Scouts** \$300, Registration \$132, Uniform \$150, Monthly Dues \$25

Perhaps with this data we can ask Parents to switch where their boys are spending their time and money. With Scouting they can learn lifelong skills and knowledge to be successful and earn the Eagle Rank, to put that on their Resume.

**Pack Leader Trained goal = 100%, Actual UNK%**

**Troop Leader Trained goal = 100%, Actual UNK%**

**Day Camp Attendance increase => 100 we have 0**

**Cubs of 1048 total = X% going to day camp.**

**More Troops to Summer Camp = 56 we had TBD = 0%**

**TBD boys of 1366 total = 0% went to Camp.**

## Scout is Kind

The Orange County Council, BSA is joining kindness forces with the Girl Scouts of Orange County and the Orange County Department of Education (OCDE) to participate in "One Billion Acts of Kindness." This special initiative, launched by OCDE Superintendent, Dr. Al Mijares, has the potential to be a serious game changer for our children and the entire county. We are asking every Scout and Scout leader to commit to one act of kindness every day in November in an effort to establish a trend that will last the entire school year. If all 50,000 Girl Scout and Boy Scout members do just one act of kindness each day for

30 days in November, we will log 1.5 million acts of kindness! That's a game changer!

It's as easy as doing one act of kindness and then logging it on the 1BAK website: [kindness1billion.org](http://kindness1billion.org). As all Scouts know, "A Scout is Kind" is the sixth point of the Scout Law, so we believe our Scouts and leaders already pro-actively w out this virtue. All we need to do now is log it and make it contagious. Imagine the impact in our communities as our Scouts lead the way in kindness, on their school campuses, in their neighborhoods, on the ball fields and encouraging other friends to join in.



**Membership:** No. 1, submit new applications within 7 days of being signed. No. 2, Adults complete YPT within 7 days.



**Advancement:** We have 7 earning their Eagle Scout rank and many in work for their Eagle Board of Reviews this month. for a total of 19 in Golden West for 2020. We had 51 El Capitan Eagles in 2019. 54 for 2018, 28 for 2017, 31 in 2016, 58 in 2015, and 54 in 2014 in the El Capitan District. We look forward to receiving the former Orange Frontier District historical data to give us a combined total.

Unit may not add, subtract, or change requirements or processes for Rank Advancement. All requirements are specified in the BSA Advancement Guide.

Eagle Palms: Once a Scout has earned his Eagle Rank, he may receive his Palms for every 5 MB's over the 21 for Eagle. Example: A Scout earned 36 MB's at the time of earning Eagle Rank. He may receive a Bronze Palm, for 5, Gold Palm for 5, and a Silver Palm for 5, totaling 36 MB's. Following earning Eagle, every 3 months and 5 MB's he may receive an additional Palm, B,S,G, until their 18<sup>th</sup> Birthday. These may be presented at the Eagle Court of Honor.

Due to Units not processing achievements within a week of earning, i.e. Rank advancement or Merit Badges Earned, the National Database is not updated to reflect actual achievements. You may record a Scouts achievement in "Scoutbook" for Cub Scouts, or Advancement in [my.scouting.org](http://my.scouting.org).

**Cub Scout Rank Advancement**, 1048 Cubs, UNK YTD 2020 is TBD%

**Scout BSA Rank Advancement** 1366 Scouts, UNK YTD 2020 is TBD%

**Scout BSA Merit Badges earned** 1366 Scouts, UNK YTD 2020 is TBD%.



### Leadership Development:

**New requirement from BSA is to have all Scouters trained in their registered position before Chartering for 2020. Register for these classes at [mlmannix@hotmail.com](mailto:mlmannix@hotmail.com)**

Classroom training is scheduled as follows:

Location is America Legion, 5500 Balsa Ave. Suite 105, Huntington Beach, CA 92649. By the old Boeing plant on Balsa Chica St. Park in the back off Buckingham Dr. and Graham St. Suite 105 is he first one on the left as you enter the ground floor.

- 1) Scoutmaster / AS, S24 March 7, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM
- 2) Troop Committee LST WS10, Saturday March 21, 9:00 AM to Noon.
- 3) Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation (BALOO) C32 Saturday April 18, 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM at a Park TBD.
- 4) Camporee, April 24-26 Firestone SR

Rudy Solorzano, 714-745-3839, [rudySolo71@gmail.com](mailto:rudySolo71@gmail.com) **Troop Committee training, Cub Scout Leader training, and Boy Scout Leader Training** may be done online at [my.scouting.org](http://my.scouting.org); sign in; click on Cub Scout Leader Training Click here; sign in again; Scroll down to **CUB SCOUTING** and click on it; **SELECT A TRAINING PROGRAM**; All the **DEN LEADER**

training is the same 22 modules. **CUBMASTER** has the same modules as the DEN LEADER plus eight more. **PACK COMMITTEE TRAINING** has the 22 modules of a different mix of the total 30 modules.

Members of the District Training Team are Michael Mannix 714-366-8536

Position	Registered	Not Trained
Den Leader		
Cubmaster		
Pack Comm.		
Charter Org Rep		
Total		
Comm. Member		
Scoutmaster/AS		
Total		



**Merit Badge Counselor Training** is now online at My.Scouting.Org. Our District Advancement Chair will get all our MBC's trained in that position. All MBC's are required to have a current YPT2 to registered in 2018.

**Scoutbook**-A new application, used on your cell phone, will allow access to your Units training, rosters, calendar, announcements, a link to BSA materials and commissioner tools. If you would like to try it, type "myscouting" in your device's app store.



**Order of the Arrow: Maga:** meet the 3rd Thursday of the month, 7:30 P.M. at the United Methodist Church, 12741 Main St. Garden Grove, 92840.

**Santee** meet the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday at Holly Cross Lutheran Church, 4321 W. Cerritos Ave. Cypress.



Camping

**Troops sign up for Summer Camp**

**Day Camp sign up at [www.orangecounty.camp-master.com](http://www.orangecounty.camp-master.com)**

**Cub Scout Camping rate is UNK/1197= 0.00%**

**Scout BSA Camping rate is UNK/1376= 0.00%**

**Golden West District Staff:**

**Chairman** – Charles Osaki, GWDC2020@gmail.com

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**Activities Chair** – Open

**Adult Awards** – Sandy Vo, sandyvo@me.com

**Advancement** – Eddie Sheely, eddiesheely@gmail.com

**Camporee** – Brian Mendoza, Mendoza.brian@gmail.com

**Camporall** – Dan Moran, danmoran72@gmail.com

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mhforester@gmail.com

**Cub Day Camp Program** – Allie Smith,

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**Cub Scout Girl Champion** - Debbie Nguyen,

rebod3@yahoo.com

**District Dinner** – Debbie Nguyen, rebod3@yahoo.com

**Down Hill Cart Race** – David Edmundson,

david@geeklegacy.com

**Eagle Board Chair** – David Rogers,

ofda.chairman@gmail.com

**Eagle Project Advisor** – Eddie Sheely,

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**Facebook** – Debbie Nguyen, rebod3@yahoo.com

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**Maga Taskozu OA Chapter** – Eileen Meade,

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**Popcorn Lt. Kernel** – Marcie Lui, [my03lui@sbcglobal.net](mailto:my03lui@sbcglobal.net)  
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**Pushcart Race** – Miguel Diazleal, [Scout75.com](http://Scout75.com)  
**Risk Management** - Greg Dubois, [gdubois340@gmail.com](mailto:gdubois340@gmail.com)  
**Santee OA Chapter** – Brian Mendoza, [Mendoza.brian@gmail.com](mailto:Mendoza.brian@gmail.com)  
**Scoutbook** – Joe Lum, [joe@integratedsrv.yahoo.com](mailto:joe@integratedsrv.yahoo.com) or Luong Ngoc Ta, [lu@zidan.net](mailto:lu@zidan.net) or Eddie Sheely, [eddiesheely@gmail.com](mailto:eddiesheely@gmail.com)  
**Scouting for Food/Day of Service** – Marcie Lui, [my03lui@sbcglobal.net](mailto:my03lui@sbcglobal.net)  
**Scout-O-Rama Adventure Cards** - Marcie Lui, [my03lui@sbcglobal.net](mailto:my03lui@sbcglobal.net)  
**Scout-O-Rama Booths**– Eileen Meade, [esmeade54@hotmail.com](mailto:esmeade54@hotmail.com)  
**Training** – Rudy Solorzano, [rudysolo71@gmail.com](mailto:rudysolo71@gmail.com)  
**Webelos Transition Camp** - Open  
**Webmaster** – Joe Lum, [joe@integratedsrv.yahoo.com](mailto:joe@integratedsrv.yahoo.com) and Miguel Diazleal, [info@scout75.com](mailto:info@scout75.com)  
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**Useful Links:**

[www.ElCapitanocbsa.org](http://www.ElCapitanocbsa.org)  
[www.ocbsa.org](http://www.ocbsa.org)  
[www.scouting.org](http://www.scouting.org)  
[www.scouting.org/CubScouts](http://www.scouting.org/CubScouts)  
[www.my.scouting.org](http://www.my.scouting.org)

[www.scoutstuff.org](http://www.scoutstuff.org)  
[www.scoutbook.com](http://www.scoutbook.com)  
[www.usscouts.org/bbugle](http://www.usscouts.org/bbugle)  
[www.insanescouters.org](http://www.insanescouters.org)  
[HTTPS://orangecounty.camp-master.com/default.aspx](https://orangecounty.camp-master.com/default.aspx)

**OCBSA Properties:**

[www.newportseabase.org](http://www.newportseabase.org)  
[www.outdooreducationcenter.org](http://www.outdooreducationcenter.org)  
[www.oso.org](http://www.oso.org)  
[www.ssriv.org](http://www.ssriv.org)  
[www.seascouts.org](http://www.seascouts.org)

**Council Office (OCBSA):**

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**Anaheim Scout Shop:** 1501 N Raymond Ave  
Anaheim, CA 92801 714-774-3270

**Upcoming Events:**

- \* **District Staff Meeting 03/04/2020**
- \* **Commissioners Meeting 03/06/2020**
- \* **SM/AS LST 03/7/2020**
- \* **Roundtable 03/12/2020**
- \* **Commissioner College 03/14/2020**
- \* **Troop Committee LST 03/21/2020**
- \* **District Staff Meeting 04/01/2020**
- \* **Commissioners Meeting 04/03/2020**
- \* **Roundtable 04/09/2020**
- \* **BALOO 04/18/2020**
- \* **Eagle Recognition Dinner 04/22/2020**
- \* **Camporee 04/24-26/2020 Firestone**
- \* **Commissioners Meeting 05/01/2020**
- \* **District Staff Meeting 05/06/2020**
- \* **Scout-O-Rama 05/09/2020 Oak Canyon**
- \* **Roundtable 05/14/2020**

