



Golden West District
Newsletter
June 2020

Roundtable (2nd Thursday Monthly)

West Anaheim Youth Center
320 S. Beach Blvd.
Anaheim, CA 92804

(Due to COVID-10 Guideline, all in-person District Meeting are on Hold till further notice. Please attend the Virtual Roundtable below.)



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

Golden West District is inviting you to a scheduled **Virtual Zoom meeting – June 11 @ 7:30 PM Pacific Time**. Please log in to the Zoom with your Name, Unit type(s), Unit number(s), and/or District Position.

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81621940727?pwd=UndD
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Meeting ID: 816 2194 0727

Password: GWD2020

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Roundtable will also stream to the district's Facebook page

Golden West District Logo Winner

CONGRATULATIONS to **William Do, 2nd Class Scout, Troop 1271**, Westminster for being the winner for the Gold West District Logo Contest. The LOGO is at the beginning and end of this newsletter. William wins 4 tickets to an open activity day at the Irvine Ranch Outdoor Education Center. Way to Go!

COVID-19 and Impact on Programs (June 1, 2020)

The Orange County Council has been closely monitoring safety guidelines from the various governing agencies. As Scouts, we have a responsibility to our community to do everything in our power to limit the spread of the coronavirus. Fortunately, our Scouts have stood strong throughout this pandemic and continued their adventures in new ways by following our safety guidelines.

Please keep in mind that safety is our top priority and we will continue to monitor the COVID19 situation and make adjustments as appropriate.

Effective Monday, June 8, the William Lyon Homes Center for Scouting will open with limited staff. The Santa Ana Scout Shop is scheduled to open June 18. Other Orange County Scout Shops will remain closed until further notice.

Units are welcome to begin meeting starting June 8th using the following safety guidelines:

- Approval must be secured from the charter organization and whoever governs your meeting location to begin meeting.
- It is still the decision of parents to include their children in meetings and activities.
- Adult leaders must ensure that social distancing is enforced, and face masks are used per State, County and CDC guidelines.
- It is recommended that units begin meeting as dens/patrols to keep groups smaller and work up to full unit meetings and overnight activities.

In order to maintain limited social circles, In-person district and council meetings, activities, and programs are still closed through June 30. Virtual meetings will continue as scheduled.

Council properties remain closed through June 30.

FOS 2020 (Goal \$70,000, \$13,399 = 19.14%)

Family goal \$47,000, \$8,369 = 17.81%

Major Gifts goal \$20,000, \$1,940 = 9.70%

Leadership goal \$3,090, \$3,0900 = 100.00%

With the shutdown of normal meetings, the Friends of Scouting team is not able to visit units and make presentation for FOS. Outdoor activities, in-person meetings, fundraising, and formal Council events have all paused at this time. **Clearly, the Scouting program needs our financial support more than ever before.** To make a gift to the Golden West District - visit <https://donations.scouting.org/#/council/039/appeal/2931>

Scout-O-Rama Adventure Cards (Goal \$25,000, \$0 = 0%) Units earned \$0. This is a great way to help Scouts earn money for their Scouting needs. With Scout-O-Rama canceled, Friends, family, and customers can now go online

<http://www.ocbsa.org/adventurecard/> and purchase an Adventure Card for themselves or donate one to a Hometown Hero. Customers can select to have the card delivered now through the mail, delivered later when it is safe for Scouts to do so, or donate a card. All donated cards will be given to grocery workers, hospital staff, and first responders. **Scouts will receive the 50% of the commission for every sale.** Store front sale and in-person sale resumes on June 8 and continues thru July 20th. Most deals on card are good thru 12/31/2020.

Popcorn (Goal \$198,000, \$0 = 0%) We are asking for Popcorn Commitment from your unit as our program resumes. This will **ensure your unit will be getting the proper communications from Trail's End and from your Popcorn Kernel.** Please visit <https://www.trails-end.com> to register your unit for Popcorn 2020.

Trail's End is making changes and offering webinars and updating apps (for iPhone 7 or higher) to meet the new standards. To attend the webinars visit <https://www.trails-end.com/webinars>

Unit Charters for 2020 are still in process at the Council Office. If your Unit is listed below, please contact our District Executive Alex Fritz at AlexF@ocbsa.org to find out what you need to do to get your Charter processed:

Packs: 0272, 0667, 0735, 0936, 0999, 1149, 1271, or 1947. (8 Packs)

Troops: 0280 (1 Troops)

Crews: 0075, and 1930. (2 Crews)

Of the 91 Units in the GW we have 11, or 12% are not Chartered for 2020, yet. Please assist Alex Fritz in solving any issues by contacting him.

Membership goal is 2657 youth and 94 Units, actual 2049 youth and 80 Units.

Cub Day Camp Join us for Cub Day Camp 2020 as we go on a virtual safari! Our Cubs will explore and learn new things through live discussion, fun videos and hands-on activities. **Cub Safari @ Home** will be offered in two identical sessions so you can sign up for the week that works for you! Each rank/age group has its own program and all registrations include a kit of supplies to do all the projects during the week, camp t-shirt and patch, along with a pass for a Shooting Sports session to be scheduled later. **Camps are the weeks of 7/20 or 7/27. See Flyer @ end of newsletter!**

Training Once all the Charters are processed, we will have an accurate count of the training status by registered position.

Pack Leader Trained goal = 100%, Actual 62.0%

Troop Leader Trained goal = 100%, Actual 74.7%

Crew Leader Trained goal = 100%, Actual 77.0%

Day Camp Attendance increase => 100 we have 0

Cubs of 1009 total = X% going to day camp.

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

Scouts of 1011 total = 0% went to Camp.



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

Advancement: Please see the attached PDF **Corona Virus Eagle Extension Form**. It's an application to request additional time to complete the Eagle Rank due to delay caused by the pandemic.



# Scouts Earning Eagle Scout Rank		
Year	GW	
2020	16	
Year	OFD	EiCap
2019	55	51
2018	48	54
2017	15	28
2016	50	31
2015		58
2014		54

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 18th Birthday. These may be presented at the Eagle Court of Honor.

Scoutbook New apps for your computer or Smartphone. App allows access to 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.


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".

To learn on your own how to use Scoutbook, go to Scoutbook.com and use your my.scouting.org username and password to log in. There are applications for every registered position in scouting, including parent, on how to use Scoutbook for the level of access you have based on your BSA position.

Cub Scout Rank Advancement, 874 Cubs, UNK YTD 2020 is TBD%

Scout BSA Rank Advancement 1011 Scouts, UNK YTD 2020 is TBD%

Scout BSA Merit Badges earned 1011 Scouts, UNK YTD 2020 is TBD%.

Training New requirement from BSA is to have all Scouters  trained in their registered position before Chartering for 2020.

Pack and Troop Committee training, Cub Scout Leader training, and Boy Scout Leader Training may be done online at 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.

We are planning on putting on the 5 Leader Specific Training in a YouTube video with the most helpful Joe Lum. SM is 6 hours long in 3 segments, all others are 3 hours.

To view your Unit's needs, please see the attached PDF Golden West Trained 3-25-2020

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 2020.



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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.



Santee meet the 3rd Thursday at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 4321 W. Cerritos Ave. Cypress.

Camping

Cub Scout Camping rate is
UNK/874= 0.00%



Scout BSA Camping rate is
UNK/1011 = 0.00%

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Cub Scout Girl Champion - **OPEN**

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Useful Links:

<http://goldenwest.ocbsa.org/>

<https://www.scouting.org/>

<https://my.scouting.org/>

<https://www.scoutshop.org/>

<https://www.scoutbook.com/>

www.usscouts.org/bbugle

www.insanescouter.org

Upcoming Events:

- Roundtable 6/11
- Scout 75 Fest Pushcart Races – 6/27
- July Roundtable 7/9
- OA Lodge BBQ @ Oso – 7/11
- Cub Day Camp – 7/20 or 7/27
- Eagle Recognition Dinner rescheduled 8/21
- Orange County Council 100th Birthday Block Party @ OC Service Center – 8/29

OCBSA Properties:

www.newportseabase.org

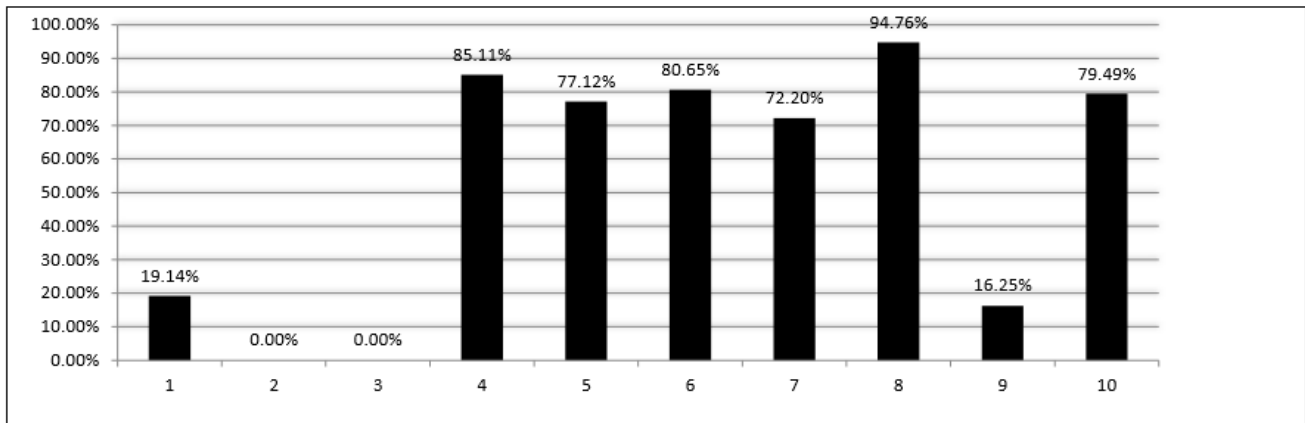
www.outdooreducationcenter.org

www.oso.org

www.ssriv.org

www.seascouts.org

BSA/OCBSA/Golden West Dist Goals 2020



	FOS	SOR	Popcorn	Units	Youth	UC's	Trained	Unit/UC	UC Visits	Staff
Goal	\$70,000	\$25,000	\$198,000	94	2657	31	100.0	3.03	80	39
Actual	\$13,399	\$0	\$0	80	2049	25	72.2	3.20	13	31
% of Goal	19.14%	0.00%	0.00%	85.11%	77.12%	80.65%	72.20%	94.76%	16.25%	79.49%

Over all goal: \$293,000
 Over all actual: \$13,399
 % of Goal 4.57%

Cubs '20 = 874
 Scouts'20 = 1011
 Vent '20 = 164
 Total '20 = 2049



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CUB SAFARI @ HOME

EXPLORE THE WORLD OUTSIDE, FROM INSIDE!

Join us for Cub Day Camp 2020 as we go on a virtual safari! Our Cubs will explore and learn new things through live discussion, fun videos and hands-on activities. Cub Safari @ Home will be offered in two identical sessions so you can sign up for the week that works for you!

Week #1

JULY 20-24, 2020

Week #2

JULY 27-31, 2020

Each rank/age group has it's own program and all registrations include a kit of supplies to do all the projects during the week, camp t-shirt and patch, along with a pass for a Shooting Sports session to be scheduled later. See below for a description of each camp and the camp times.

Sign up today at: <https://www.scoutingevent.com/039-Daycamponline2020>



Tiger (1st Grade)

2:00pm-3:30pm daily

Our Tiger's with Safari @ Home with a fun filled week. We will learn about art, tell stories, play games and sing some fun songs. Activities will include woodworking, knot tying, fun projects, an online art museum visits and a Tiger puppet show!



Wolf (2nd Grade)

12:30pm-2:00pm daily

We'll explore interesting coins, learn how wind can make paper airplanes move and make sound, and play games of all kinds! Wolves will practice their code-making and breaking skills along building some woodworking projects and learning valuable scout skills.



Bear (3rd Grade)

9:30am-11:00am daily

Our Bears will explore sound by making their own instruments, learn tool safety and do a fun woodworking project. We'll learn about simple machines, how they help us and make our own! Our science session will introduce Bears to a host of fun activities!



Webelos & Arrow Of Light

8:00am-9:30 am daily

Our older Scouts will learn tool safety and how to build a fun woodworking project. We'll learn about plants and trees and how they help us. Scout skills and history will get us prepared and we'll learn the ups and downs of operating a Yo-Yo as we work on the newest adventure pin.

