



October	
1	Commissioner Meeting
6	District Planning Meeting
8-10	Camporall @ Oso Lake
14	District Round Table
21	OA Chapter Meeting
22	Popcorn Return 8am-Noon
25	Final Popcorn Order DUE
29	District Key 5

November		January	
1	District Planning Meeting	1	New Year's Day
5	Commissioner Meeting	5	District Planning Meeting
6	Day of Service	7	Commissioner Meeting
11	Veteran's Day	13	District Round Table
13	Popcorn Distribution @ OC Food Bank	17	Martin Luter King Jr Day
18	OA Chapter Meeting	20	OA Chapter Meeting
25	Thanksgiving Day	28	District Key 5
26	District Key 5	February	
December		2	District Planning Meeting
1	District Planning Meeting	4	Commissioner Meeting
3	Commissioner Meeting	10	District Round Table
9	District Round Table	17	OA Chapter Meeting
9	Final Popcorn Close Out (\$\$ Due)	21	President's Day
16	OA Chapter Meeting	25	District Key 5
25	Christmas		
31	District Key 5		

Roundtable (2nd Thursday Monthly)

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

Roundtable (Tom Devine, Joe Lum) Golden West District is inviting you to the scheduled **Virtual Zoom meeting AND IN PERSON meeting at the West Anaheim Youth Center – October 14 @ 7:00 PM Pacific Time.** Please log in to the Zoom with your Name, Unit type(s), Unit number(s), and/or District Position. Roundtable will also stream to the district's Facebook page

Join Zoom Meeting :

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81328032855?pwd=ckdctcXErYlpleDRvRzhreG55TXhrUT09>

Meeting ID: 813 2803 2855
Password: GWDOCBSA

Breakout:

Scouts BSA –
Cub Scouts –

Congratulations -

Golden West District
FIRST FEMALE Eagle Scout
Emily Nguyen
Troop 103G

Popcorn 2021

Visit ocbsa.org/popcorn for latest updates

Camporall Recap

Over the October 8th - 10th weekend, just over 200 scouts and scouters from the Golden West District gathered at Oso Lake Scout Camp to participate in the 2021 Golden West District Camporall.

Camporall is an outdoor activity program designed to aid in the Webelos-to-Scout Transition. The purpose of this outdoor experience is to create in all Webelos and Arrow of Light Scouts (Boys & Girls) a genuine desire to know more about Scouting, and through a fun-filled series of events to give them a preview of the thrills of scout skills. Probably nothing in the Scouting program appeals to boys and girls more than the opportunity for adventure in the great outdoors. The Camporall event exposed the participants to glimpses of the fun and skills of Scouts BSA. It also offered an opportunity for parents to gain a perspective on troop programming and have the chance to ask all the questions they had about Scouts BSA to the Troops participating.

We had a wide range of fun activities for the Webelos and AOL Scouts to participate in including all of the following:

- Gaga Ball & Physical Fitness
- Scouting Trivia Games

- Fire Building
- Knots & Lashings
- Tent Building
- Flag Ceremony
- Outdoor Cooking
- Outdoor Survival
- First Aid Skills
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These events were put on by Troops 295, 440, 642, 657, 658, 660, 670, 671 and 1004. Webelos and AOL Scouts from Packs 7, 526, 620, 657, 658, 660, 667 and 676 participated in the event and learned SO MUCH!

In addition, the Webelos and AOL Scouts were able to eat a delicious **BBQ chicken dinner Friday night prepared by Marcie Lui and the young men of Troop 660, participate in a mass flag retirement ceremony led by Troop 295, be part of an Interfaith Worship Service led by Wyatt Truong of Troop 7.**



Special thanks to **Bruce Finnsson, Dave Robertson, Stacy Byone, Manue Lopez, Marcie Lui, Greg Shoop** and all the adult leaders that helped plan and execute the event, and to our Senior Patrol Leader for the event, **Mikayla Bowman.**





Save the Date
Camporee
April 29 – May 1, 2022



unselfish leaders should be recognized for their contributions. Nominate your Pack, Troop, Team or Crew volunteers for major District Awards including:

- **Silver Beaver Award** – ~~due 3pm 9-24-2021~~ **extended to October 22nd** - Please fill out nomination form [HERE](#). This award is a Council level distinguished service award of the Boy Scouts of America. It is considered the highest award a Council can bestow upon a volunteer Scouter. The Silver Beaver Award is given to individuals who, through hard work, self-sacrifice, dedication and many years of service, have evidenced exceptional service to the BSA, service of exceptional character to non-Scouting youth, and service or standing within the community.

Religious Emblems Program

Religious Emblems Coordinator (REC) positions exist at the Council, District, and Unit levels. The REC's are responsible for educating, motivating, evaluating, and expanding the usage of the religious emblems programs.

A Unit Religious Emblem Coordinator will be promoting that a Scout is Reverent and has a duty to God within the units and its activities while encouraging Scouts to learn more about their faith. The perfect person for this position should have a good working knowledge and is conversant about the Religious Emblems program, or is willing to learn. They must also be passionate about the mission and participate in the Troop Committee meetings.

There will be a **REC training on October 21 at St. Kilian Church Hall from 7:00 - 8:30 pm** for no charge!

Flag Planting @ Forest Lawn – Nov 6, 2021

Troop 295 is hosting the annual **Flag Planting @Forest Lawn** (4471 Lincoln Ave, Cypress) on **Saturday, Nov 6**, from 8 am – 11 am. **Please RSVP by Friday, Oct 22 to Kimberly Mundala @ kmundala@gmail.com.**

Please wear a mask and bring a long-handled screwdrivers to plant the flag...

Yours in Scouting,

Dan Moran | Scoutmaster
Troop 642 | Seal Beach, CA

Nominate Unit Scouters for District Awards

Every Unit in Golden West District has hard working volunteers dedicating their time and energy to ensure quality programs and activities for our youth. These

Day of Service – Nov 6, 2021

Be a part of Day of Service on Saturday, November 6, 2021!

The goal of Day of Service is to maximize Scouting's service to Orange County. Scouts and Scouters decide on a service project that will benefit their local community or neighborhood.

Second Harvest Food Bank will not be able to accept traditional food drive donations due to safety requirements surround COVID-19 but units can contact local food pantries in their community to see if they will accept the food donations (see list on right),

Other opportunities

- **We Care** - <http://wecarelosalamitos.org/>
- **Food Finders** - <https://foodfinders.org/>
- **American Red Cross** - [Red Cross Digital Volunteer Program \(redcrosschat.org\)](http://Red Cross Digital Volunteer Program (redcrosschat.org))
- **BookShare** - <https://www.bookshare.org/cms/get-involved/volunteer/opportunities-us>
- **Be My Eyes** - <https://www.bemyeyes.com/>
- **Golden Talk** - <http://www.ididsomethinggoodtoday.org/get-involved/>
- **Family Eldercare** - <https://www.familyeldercare.org/volunteer/life-time-connections-without-walls/>



Kristoffer of Troop 675's design was selected as the winning submission in the 2021 Day of Service Patch Design Contest! He attends the Orange County School of the Arts and is currently in the 9th grade. This was Kristoffer's first time entering a patch

design contest and his design reflects the third Scout Law and concern for the environment.

The patch will be available for purchase via Blackpug between Nov 1 - 20 for \$1.50 each. The patch can be purchased for any scout, non-scout participant, siblings, adults, and leaders who took part in the unit activity.

Location Name	Address	Current Hours
7th Day Adventist Church Fullerton	2355 West Valencia Drive, Fullerton, CA 92833	Tuesday, 9:00 am - 12pm
Catholic Charities of Orange County	2020 W. Chestnut Ave, Santa Ana, CA 92703	Monday 7:00am - 2:30 OR T-Thurs 1-2:30pm.
Crescent Clinic Food Pantry	505 E. Commonwealth Ave. Fullerton, CA 92832	Mon - Fri 9-5pm, please call ahead.
Crossline Community Church	23331 Moulton Parkway, Laguna Hills, CA 9265	Wednesday, Thursday, Friday & Sunday, 10:00am- 12:00pm
Family Assistance Ministries (FAM)	1030 Calle Negocio, San Clemente, CA 92673	Mon-Fri 10-3p.
Father Serra's Pantry at Mission Basilica	31611 El Camino Real, San Juan Capistrano, CA 92675	Monday, Wednesday & Saturday, 9-12pm
First Baptist Church of Fullerton/Heart of Downtown Ministry	212 E. Wilshire, Fullerton, CA 92832	1st and 3rd Sunday *call first, (714)686-6011; 1:00 - 2:00pm.
First Lutheran of Fullerton	215 N. Lemon Street, Fullerton, CA 92832	Call Deena
Friendship Baptist Church/Friendship Foundation	17145 Bastanchury Road, Yorba Linda, CA 92886	Call Gloria Banks at (657)226-5605 Mon - Fri 8:30 - 12pm, and 2:30-4:30.
Grateful Hearts	4520 Katella Ave, Los Alamitos, CA 90720	Tuesday 7:30-2:30 Wednesday, Thursday, Saturday, 7:30-9:30 or 1:30-2:30.
Helping Others Prepare for Eternity (HOPE)	11022 Acacia Parkway, Garden Grove, CA 92840	Call Gayle Knight for a drop-off appointment (714)264-4235
La Purisima Catholic Church	11712 Hewes Street, Orange, CA 92869	By Appointment only, please call Steve Eimers (714)931-0271
Laguna Food Pantry	20652 Laguna Canyon Road, Laguna Beach, CA 92651	Monday - Friday, 7:30am - 10:30am, By appt on weekends (949)497-7121
North Orange Christian Church	1001 E. Lincoln, Orange, CA 92865	Call Dan Mather (562)884-7685; Thursdays 8-3pm
Pathways of Hope	611 S. Ford Avenue, Fullerton, CA 92832	Call or Text Mary Esquivel (562)686-2813 Mon - Fri 9:30 - 11:30 11:30
Radiant Health Centers	17982 Skypark Circle, Suite J, Irvine, CA 92618	Walk in: Tues & Thurs 12-4:30, Wed & Fri 9-1.
Rose Drive Friends Church	4221 Rose Drive, Yorba Linda, CA 92886	Mon -Sat 9-11am
Saddleback Church	1 Saddleback Pkwy, Lake Forest CA 92630	Mon - Fri 9-5pm
St. Boniface	124 N. Resh Street, Anaheim, CA 92805	Call Maria Alcalá for a drop-off appointment: (714)322-7560
St. Kilian Church	26872 Estanciero Drive, Mission Viejo, CA 92691	Mon - Fri 10 - 2pm
St. Timothy SVDP	29102 Crown Valley Parkway, Laguna Niguel, CA 92677	Mon - Fri 9am-5pm in the courtyard on a cart.

Order of Arrow Sukamek Chapter

OA 2021 Unit Visitations - We are still looking to schedule visits with 24 units.

- New portal to schedule visitations. All Unit Leaders should have received an email with information and a personalized link to schedule their unit's visitation.
- Unit Visitations can be conducted either in person or virtually at the desire of the units
- Each unit is strongly encouraged to have the Chapter Visit their Unit, even if the unit has no eligible scouts. We would like to promote the OA Program and Share the camping opportunities with each and every unit within our District

Modified Camping Requirements for 2021 Election Cycle

- The nights camped to be eligible to become a candidate for the Order of the Arrow remain at 15 nights within the last 24 months prior to your
- the requirement that 5 of the 15 nights must be a long-term camp has been relaxed. Meaning that if a Scout has completed 15 nights camping in only short term camps within the 24 months leading up to the unit's election, he or she is eligible to become a candidate of the Order of the Arrow.

Ordeals and Brotherhood Events

- Ordeals are NO longer single day events. We have returned to having the overnight component.
- The next Ordeal/Brotherhood Events will be August 20-21 weekend at IROEC and October 15-16 weekend (TBD)
- 20 elected youth from 2021 still need to complete their Ordeal
- 22 - 2020 elected youth are still eligible to complete their Ordeal

Meeting at Holy Cross 3rd Thursdays at 7:30 PM

Fall Recruitment

Now is the time to be thinking about recruiting new Scouts for your unit. There are several easy steps that you can follow to have a successful Recruitment. They include the following:



- Select a Unit Recruitment Coordinator.
- Prepare a Unit flier and calendar.

- Connect with your District Membership Chair
- Email and post on Social Media the week before Recruitment Night.
- Email reminder and fliers a couple days before Recruitment Night.
- Get your volunteers lined up to help.
- Meet virtually for walk thru the day before Recruitment Night.
- Hold Recruitment Night.
- Collect paperwork and fees.
- Turn in applications and fees.

For more information – email District Membership Chair **John Vo**, ocecmvc@gmail.com

Friends of Scouting 2021

	<u>Goal</u>	<u>Current</u>	<u>% Goal</u>
Family	\$ 29,000	\$24,361	84.00%
Community	\$ 9,000	\$7,869	87.43%
Total	\$ 38,000	\$32,230	84.82%

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. ***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>

Pam, Sally and their team are contacting units to present FOS during the unit's Virtual Meetings. If you have not heard from them, please contact them:

Sally @ Sally_Jensen@hotmail.com

Pam @ zawiszap@hotmail.com

Advancement:

Please visit **Golden West District** website: <http://goldenwest.ocbsa.org/> for the **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. Unit may not add, subtract, or change requirements or processes for Rank Advancement. All requirements are specified in the BSA Advancement Guide.



Eagle Scout Process:

<http://goldenwest.ocbsa.org/eagle-scout-process/>

Congratulations to the 2021 Eagles from Golden West District:

January	May
Ryan D (T1004)	Shane C (T1103)
John H (T671)	Dylan D (T299)
Kai K (T578)	Ryan D (T1930)
Jeff M (T1565)	Jack H (T440)
Nathan N (T1930)	Adrian M (T440)
Dylan P (T1930)	Sanjeev N (T650)
Kai Q (T642)	Branson P (T657)
William R (T642)	Robert S (T660)

February	July
Brandon I (T660)	Ken H (T901)
Jared K (T642)	Landen K (T578)
Michael L (T578)	Jake N (T578)
Viet N (T2519)	Nam N (T1930)
Andrew T (T901)	David N (T1271)
Charles W (T658)	Nolan N (T1003)

March	August
Joseph B (C2519)	Raj P (T650)
Bradley N (T578)	Brian P (T680)
Andrew N (T1930)	Lucas S (T1565)
Kody S (T650)	Aiden B (T670)
William S (T671)	Jonathan B (T1103)
Rohit V (T650)	Patrick C (T657)
Kevin W (T578)	Dylan N (T2519)
Nick Z (T660)	Samuel P (T642)

April	September
Oden G (T658)	Andrew P (T1004)
Hamilton L (T1454)	Brandon S (T660)
Michael N (T007)	Joseph C (T658)
Luke P (T657)	Joshua L (T270)
Aakash S (T670)	Anthony N (T1930)
Nicholas T (T2519)	Elvin N (T901)
Scott W (T578)	Emily N (T103)

Connor T (T1271)
John T (T901)
Yuvraj T (T660)

Scouts Earning Eagle Scout Rank

Year	GW
2021	66
2020	61

Year	OFD	EICap
2019	55	51
2018	48	54
2017	15	28
2016	50	31
2015		58
2014		54

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.

Training



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

We are currently at 81% Leader trained and 95% YPT trained in our district. If you are a registered adult, you

must be trained whether as a committee member or Scoutmaster/assistant scoutmaster or cub leader, venturing leader, etc.. Everybody must be YPT trained:

- Please complete YPT even if it's not due for a few months. Please help the overload rush in the fall and winter. **YPT Training:** Visit my.scouting.org to logon and take your YPT training TODAY! After login, select **MENU, My TRAINING, Training Center, select your Program**, and training for your position.
- If you have incomplete training, you will need to restart with the new updated training at the national level. We will be updating our own District training videos to reflect those changes. **Visit <https://training.scouting.org/catalog> (Login required) to view your program and position specific training.**
- Every scout needs and deserves a trained adult leader. It is required and expected that you complete your specific leader training that you are willing to serve at. Thank you for all that you do to serve our youth.
- Here is the link for which training you need: <https://my.scouting.org/Documents/PositionTrainingCourses.pdf>

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.

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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OCBSA Properties:

- www.newportseabase.org
- www.outdooreducationcenter.org
- www.oso.org
- www.ssriv.org
- www.seascouts.org

Council Office (OCBSA):

1211 E. Dyer Road, Santa Ana, CA 92705
Council Office 714.546.4990
Scout Shop: 714.979.4554

Anaheim Scout Shop:

1501 N Raymond Ave, Anaheim, CA 92801
714.774.3270

Useful Links:

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

Monthly RoundTable Flyers:

https://boyscouts-my.sharepoint.com/:f/g/person/angcano_scouting_org/Emlh1pOMKr9Hjg50bJBSr9oBXxmDrMtKRBVWDQqPpxvQew?e=N3NBKc

District Calendar: <https://scoutingevent.com/039>

Training and more: <https://my.scouting.org/>

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

Virtual Meeting Ideas:

<https://scoutsmarts.com/virtual-scout-zoom-meeting-ideas/>

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

www.usscouts.org/bbugle

www.insanescouter.org

Rudy Solorzano, 714.745.3839,

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District Dinner – **OPEN**

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Webelos Transition Camp – **OPEN**

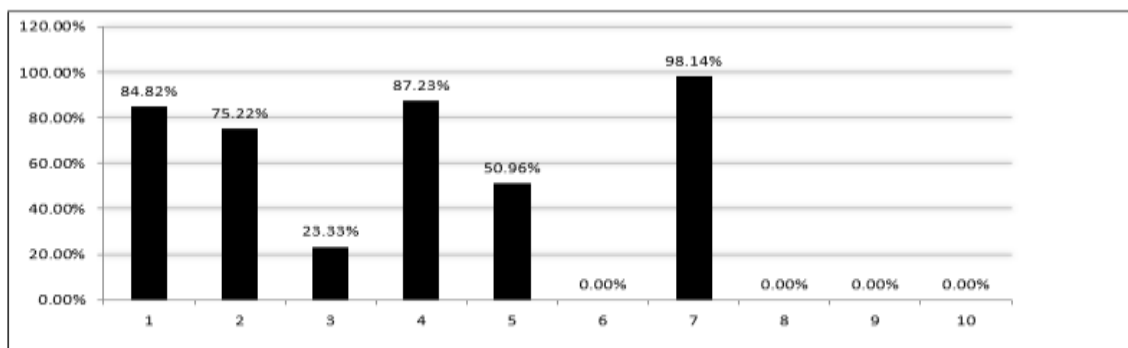
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BSA/OCBSA/Golden West District Goals 2021



	FOS	Adv Card	Popcorn	Units	Youth	UC's	YPT	Unit/UC	UC Visits	Staff
Goal	\$38,000	\$18,000	\$149,000	94	2657	31	100.0	3.03	85	39
Actual	\$32,230	\$13,540	\$34,759	82	1354		98.1			
% of Goal	84.82%	75.22%	23.33%	87.23%	50.96%	0.00%	98.14%	0.00%	0.00%	0.00%