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MEET ERIC RAASCH, VICE PRESIDENT OF MARKETING

The Sioux Council BSA marketing committee is comprised of experienced, dedicated marketing professionals who advise Council staff on a volunteer basis. We are tasked with ensuring the Council is communicating as effectively and efficiently as possible with prospective families, current scouts and leaders, and our support network of companies, organizations and individuals who help make scouting possible in our area.



The Sioux Council has recently launched a Facebook page. Log on to [facebook.com/siouxbsa](https://www.facebook.com/siouxbsa) to check us out and become a fan.

Eric has a Bachelors of Fine Arts in Graphic Design from Iowa State University's College of Design. Owner and Creative Director of MindFlame Design and Marketing in Sioux Falls, a firm that helps small to mid-size clients succeed through well-designed marketing. Eric is also involved in the following: Downtown Sioux Falls marketing committee, Sioux Falls Chamber of Commerce, South Dakota AdFed, Good Shepherd Lutheran Church & School.

Hilda, Eric's wife, is his hero, making their house a home while raising their three children ages 12, 10 and 7. Eric enjoys the outdoors. He says "*If it's outdoors, I like it: hunting, fishing, birding, hiking, camping. Let's go!*"

Scouting is important to Eric because there are a thousand things boys and young men can get into today that aren't beneficial to their own or our society's well-being. Scouting provides an opportunity for positive social development, skill building and self-sufficiency. These are our future leaders. We are all well-served with every hour they spend in scouting.

Scouting on Its Grandest Stage

Don't you just love it when a plan comes together?

Last month at Fort A.P. Hill, Virginia, the BSA held its Centennial Celebration National Boy Scout Jamboree. The event was 5 years in the making and brought together upwards of 75,000 Scouts, leaders, family members and friends of Scouting.

It was truly amazing to watch a city of 45,000 residents (registered participants) spring up in the pine forests and open areas of Ft. A.P. Hill. A city with a population large enough to be the 3rd largest city in South Dakota complete with the entire infrastructure needed to provide for its citizens: water, sewer, food, shelter, medical and commerce.

The event was simply Scouting on its grandest stage!

How can you make such a large scale event work almost without a hitch? You break it down into smaller pieces. Sioux Council Scouts in Troop 1432 called Sub-Camp 14 home. Sub-Camp 14 comprised around 2,500 Scouts and Scouters with a staff of some 90 volunteers headed by our own Reid Christopherson as Camp Chief. Almost a third of the Sub-Camp 14 volunteer staff was from Sioux Council.

Break the event down to an even smaller scale and each of the 51 Troops housed in Sub-Camp 14 executed the plans they had been working on for almost 2 years. Special thanks to Scoutmasters Mike Jerome, Kurt Chenoweth, Kenneth Dulik and Joshua Garry for preparing our 36 youth members from across the Council for an excellent adventure.

The 2010 National Jamboree is history. The BSA will gather again in 2013 at our new permanent Jamboree home at "The Summit" in West Virginia for the next chapter in these amazing experiences.

As we move into our peak membership recruiting time...let us not forget that we are recruiting the next generation of Scouts who will have their opportunity to experience Scouting on its grandest stage in 2013, 2017 or 2021.

Thank you for making this possible for the youth we serve in South Dakota, Minnesota and Iowa.

Sioux Trails

This newsletter is published by the Sioux Council, six times a year, as a tool for volunteer leaders to assist them in "Delivering the Scouting Promise".

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Council Commissioner
Scout Executive
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Fun!!!

Fellowship!!!

Information!!!

Training!!!

Roundtable!!!

Join your District leaders for a monthly evening of fellowship and information.

This year's themes include:

- New Cub Scout Program Delivery Method
- Boy Scout Merit Badges
- Core Values of Cub Scouting
- Camping Skills

DISTRICT ROUNDTABLE SCHEDULE

Five Rivers:

1st Monday of each Month @ 7:00
First United Methodist Church (Pierre)

L&C Trail:

2nd Thursday of each Month @ 7:30
First Methodist Church (Yankton)

Buffalo Ridge:

2nd Tuesday of each Month @ 7:00
Elkton Community Center

North Star:

2nd Thursday of each Month @ 7:00
Lower Level, Day County Courthouse
(Webster)

Pheasant:

2nd Thursday of each Month @ 7:30
American Legion (Woonsocket)

Prairie Hills:

2nd Thursday of each Month @ 7:00
Center for Scouting (Sioux Falls)

BEASCOUT—PUT SCOUTING ON THE MAP!

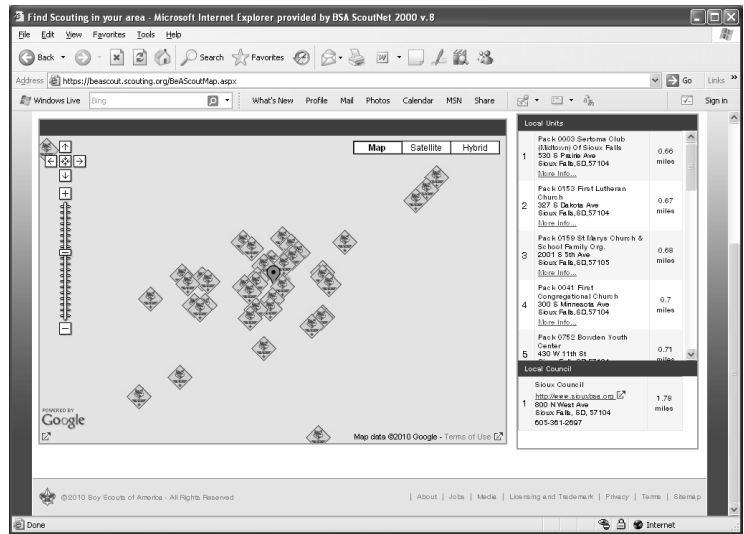
The BSA is putting Scouting on the map all across the nation! In time for join Scouting 2010, the Boy Scouts of America will have its own joining Web page with information on Scouting, plus an actual Google map application that will help potential Scouts and their parents find pack, troops and crews in their communities.

How will it work?

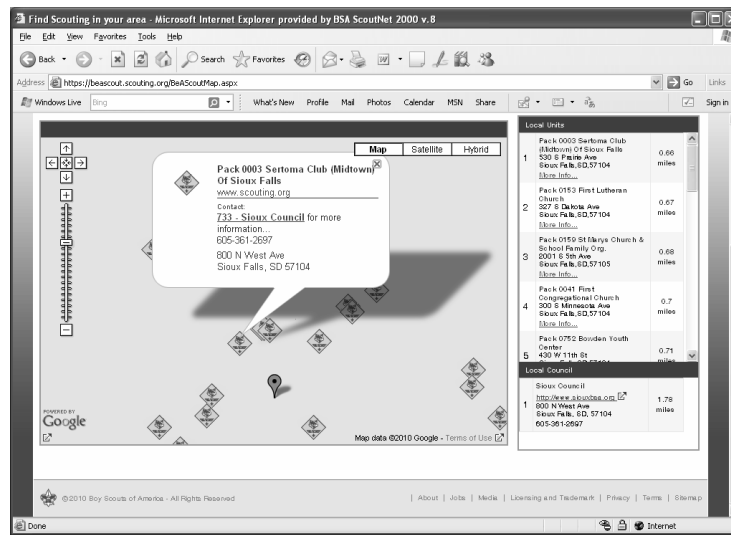
The unit leaders will be able to update their unit's Good "pin"—the bubble you see on Google maps—through MyScouting. They can add their unit meeting time, location, phone number, unit Web site address if they have one, as well as a contact name for the unit.

The Google Pin. The information in the "pins" will be tied to unit records in the BSA's database. Unit leaders will have the ability to update this information to keep it accurate and up to date. They will be able to edit it as often as they like. (see image to the right.)

"Ask Us We can help." A new feature allows people interested in a particular unit to e-mail questions to the unit leaders. For instance, say a potential Scout parent wants to know, *"What night does your den meet."*



The parent would click on the "For More Information" link. The site will open up a "blind" e-mail window (the sender never sees the actual e-mail address.) He or she types the question and presses enter. The leader receives the question and can respond. (see image below.)



100 YEARS OF SCOUTING COMMEMORATIVE STAMP—LIMITED TIME ONLY

The public was invited to a ceremony commemorating 100 years of Scouting at the Rotary Park, main street Mitchell on Saturday August 7th. There were talks from many distinguished members of Scouting and the Mitchell community about scouting and what it has done for our country and our communities. Every half hour there was a flag retirement ceremony and through out the day, Kate Aulner, from the United States Post Office was there to sell commemorative stamps and to hand stamp a special commemorative limited edition postmark that will only be used for 30 days.

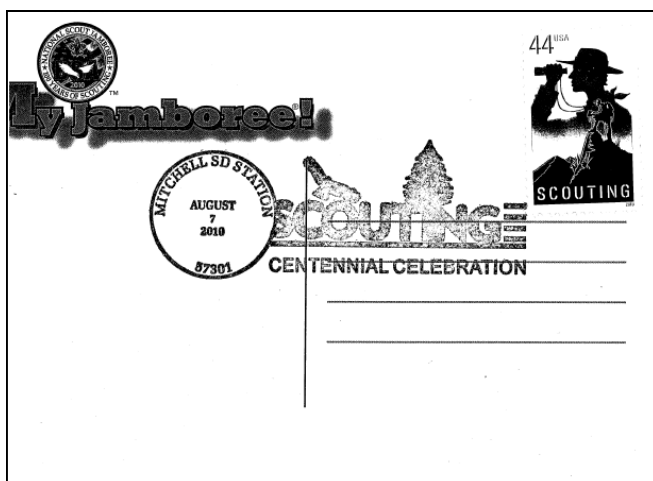


Mitchell Mayor, Lou Sebert, read a proclamation honoring Scouting, Tom Smotherman talked about what Scouting means and how special the postmark is. Dave Kline and Lou Sebert both talked about Scouting and how it has helped many youth through the 100 years of Scouting.

The Mitchell hand cancellation stamp is one of three hand cancellation stamps commemorating the 100th anniversary of Scouting. The cancellation stamp looks like the stamp below. The two other stamps have already been destroyed and looked like a regular cancellation stamp. Kate Aulner, with the Mitchell Post Office, said she has received requested from most states from fellow Scouters who want the hand cancellation as memorabilia.

If anyone is interested in getting the postmark it is only available for 30 days from the issuance, August 7. **The hand stamp will be destroyed on September 7th.** To request by mail, purchase the Scouting stamp and place on a postcard or envelope of your choice. Place in an envelope and mail to the postmaster along with a self addressed, postage-paid envelope so the cancelled envelope or postcard can be returned to you. Send to:

Postmaster
200 W 5th Ave
Mitchell, SD 57301-9998



postcard



Flag burning ceremony

2010 POPCORN SALE

By selling popcorn, our Scouts have an opportunity to learn financial responsibility by earning their own way to help pay for Summer Camp, High Adventure or any other Scouting program and units can earn much needed dollars to deliver its year round quality program.



2010 DISTRICT POPCORN TRAININGS

Thank you to all who attended their popcorn kickoff trainings!! They were a huge success. A special thank you to all the District Popcorn Kernels/Chairmen who put on the kickoffs and made them fun and exciting. If you were unable to attend you district's kickoff please contact your District's Kernel or Local Scouting Executive to get your information.

NEW FOR 2010... \$600 CLUB

This year your Scouts have the opportunity to get extra incentives when they sell \$600 or more of popcorn. Every Scout selling \$600 or more will earn the following:

- Trail's End \$600 Club Certificate
- Trail's End \$600 Club Patch
- Marshmallow Crossbow



See your unit popcorn chair/kernel for complete details.

SALE STARTS FRIDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2010

2010 SIOUX COUNCIL TOP SELLER PRIZES

Top Seller...

Sony PlayStation 3 with 1 Rated E PS3 Game or \$400 Gift Card*

2nd Highest Seller...

32GB Apple iPod Touch or \$300 Gift Card*

Top Seller in Each District...**

Garmin-eTrax Venture HC Portable GPS Receiver or \$150 Gift Card*

You can be the top seller!!

*Gift card choice from Amazon.com, Walmart or ScoutStuff

**If you qualify for either Top Seller Prize, you are exempt from this prize.

Make a difference in a Scout's Life... Earn a College Scholarship

and a chance for your family to go to Disney World!

Help a Scout earn money for his future education, by raising \$2,500 in Gross Sales this fall. By doing so he will be eligible for the Trail's End Scholarship Program.

ALSO, every Scout who qualifies at this level will also be entered into a drawing for a Family Trip for 4 to Walt Disney World in Orlando, FL. Every additional \$250 a Scout sells will receive an additional entry into the drawing.

The trip will be 3 Days and 4 Nights for up to 4 family members including: Airfare, Disney Meal Plan, Lodging, and Walt Disney World Theme Park tickets.

Terms and Conditions:

- *Trail's End Scholarship Application and copies of sales forms must be received no later than November 30, 2010 to qualify for entry.*
- *The trip must be taken between January 15, 2011 and July 31, 2011.*
- *The trip must be scheduled with the Sioux Council by February 28, 2011; with at least 30 days notice.*
- *NO COMBINING OF ORDERS will be allowed.*
- *By accepting this prize, you agree for the Sioux Council, BSA to use photos, name and/or likeness in any and all current and future Scouting materials.*
- *Airport of origin will be the choice of the Sioux Council.*
- *All terms and conditions are subject to change.*

The winning Scout will be drawn in December 2010.

2010 Sales Dates

Mon, Sept. 20, 2010	Show N' Deliver Popcorn Order Due
Thur., Sept. 30, 2010	Show N' Deliver Order Popcorn Distribution
Fri., Oct 1, 2010	Sale Starts
Thur., Oct. 28, 2010	Sale Ends
Tue., Nov. 2, 2010	Take Order, Product Returns, and Prize Forms Due
Fri., Nov. 19, 2010	Final Popcorn Distribution and Show N' Deliver Payments Due
Fri., Dec. 10, 2010	Final Payments Due

Watch www.siouxbsa.org for more details on the 2010 Sale.

NORTH STAR

SERVING NORTHEASTERN SOUTH DAKOTA

DISTRICT ELECTIONS

Here is your 2010/2011 District Committee as elected on July 31 at a special meeting:

District Chairman..... Greg Grajczyk
District Commissioner..... Michael Smith

At large District Committee members:

Julie Block	Cal Stengel
Sherri Decorsey-Nelson	Rhonda Stengel
Ken Dulik	Christine Walraven
G. Todd Garry	Rodney Weier
Bonnie Golz	Adam Wientjes
Steve Hall	Mark Wientjes
Dennis Helland	Joel Vockrodt
Roger Hoyme	Pastor Tom Christenson
Rich Kezar	David Wade
Paul McDonald	Carl Perry
Gary Sauer	Katie Chida
Michael Smith	Janet Binfet
Anthony Stayner	Michael Sorensen

There are still a number of leadership and staffing opportunities that will need to be filled in order for many events to happen. If you are interested in any of the following areas, or know of someone who would be an excellent person for the job, please contact Greg Grajczyk.

We are actively looking for people to fill the following jobs:

- Training Committee members
- District Cub Scout Activities Chairperson(s)
- Friends of Scouting presenters
- Membership Committee Chairman
- Membership Committee members
- Unit Commissioners
- Cub Scout Roundtable Commissioner
- Assistant District Commissioner

100TH ANNIVERSARY FALL CAMPOREE

Packs, Troops, Crews, & Posts: The North Star District is planning a fall 100th Anniversary Bash at Fort Sisseton the weekend of September 24-26 (note date change). This event will feature something for everyone. Check back for more details. Be sure to put this event on your unit calendar. For more information

please check the following link:

<http://www.siouxbsa.org/Districts/NorthStarNews/2010NSDistFallCamporee>

A NOTE FROM YOUR DISTRICT DIRECTOR

As almost all of you know by now, I am retiring from the Boy Scouts. By the time you read this I will already be gone. My wife and I are moving out of state following a job offer she has. This will be a first for us – following a job to advance HER career instead of mine. I have enjoyed working with all of you and pray for all the best for each of you as you move on. It has been a pleasure and I will miss you all. God bless you in everything you do.

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District Director: Matt Menely
 Start date: 9/7/2010

DISTRICT CALENDAR

September

2 District Committee Meeting, Day County Courthouse 7:00 pm
 6 Labor Day – office is closed
 9 Roundtable, O/A Chapter meeting, Day County Courthouse, 7:00 – 8:30
 24-26 Fall Camporee 100th Anniversary Celebration

October

7 District Committee Meeting, conference call, 7:00 pm
 11 Native American Day office is closed
 14 Roundtable, O/A Chapter meeting, Day County Courthouse, 7:00 – 8:30
 23 Scouting for Food

<http://www.siouxbsa.org/Districts/NorthStar/>

(Check the Website for calendar information and updates)

PHEASANT

HAND, BEADLE, BUFFALO, JERAULD, SANBORN, HANSON, DAVISON,
BRULE, AURORA, HUTCHINSON, MCCOOK COUNTIES

Where has the summer gone? It was fast with all the camps and events we helped with. I know it's been busy for all of us. I hope everyone of you had a great summer with the kids. We had some great camps here in Pheasant District over the summer.

We had two outstanding Day camps, one in Mitchell and one in Huron. I would like to have as many of us thank Jami Mulder and Carol Eckman from Huron and Heidi Poor and Dave Kline from Mitchell for the outstanding job they did for the youth. Each camp had it's own challenges with the weather and these leaders did an outstanding job keeping the Scouts busy and excited. The Scouts had fun and earned quite a few advancement activities in the process.

The Akela Camp in Mitchell was a hit again. Thanks to Maggie Dewitt from Spencer. She does a great job setting up the activities and keeping the camp running smoothly. The camp was again held on the shores of Lake Mitchell. This year the Scouts earned more awards and completed more electives than in years past. The highlight was that the Scouts got to see first hand a lightning and hail storm. All the youth had a great time camping and participating in the activities. Thanks again Maggie and crew.

We had our district Spring Camp-O-Ree in Mitchell and the youth earned one of the commemorative 100 year merit badges, Tracking. The camp was planned by Brandon Vilhauer and the Camping committee. There was a great balance of activities and unit time. The Scouts had a great time and relaxed while learning. Thanks much for all the work the camping committee put into this camp.

I know that every unit did some great things over the summer, field trips, canoeing in the boundary waters, overnight camps, helping fellow Scouts complete their Eagle rank, BBQ's, bowling, movie nights and more. I can't thank all of you enough for the job you do to help the Scouts but Thank You any way.

LETS HAVE FUN THIS FALL WITH THE SCOUTS

Lets get more parents involved and **show them the rewards and fun in scouting**. Each unit has received a free den and pack guide to help the leaders. Every leader that I have shown it to likes it and thinks it will help make the den leader's job easier to prepare for and help them to have fun in the meetings. In the three years that I have been serving this District, I have noticed that it's not hard to get kids to join but it is difficult to get the parents to get involved. I hope this book will help out.

October is popcorn month and Cliff Mauer is our Popcorn chair again this year. He likes the new changes that are coming to our popcorn program. I like the idea of having gift cards for the Scouts so they can decide what they want. I also like the idea of Scouts being able to earn money for college when they sell popcorn, please talk to your unit popcorn chair to find out how it works. I know that there are some Scouts in our District that are still selling popcorn and have over \$500 in their college accounts through Trails Ends.

Deb Brady is our membership chair and she wants this year to be the best recruitment we have ever had. She is learning more about membership and is excited about this years prospects. She will be helping with the second asks and she is planning the fall fun day in Mitchell. I have said it before and I will say it again, the more parents we get involved the more fun we have with our kids.

CONTACTS

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DISTRICT CALENDAR

September

6 Labor Day
9 Roundtable
18 Fall Fun Days
17 – 19 Scoutmaster Specifics Training
17 – 19 Outdoor Leader Skills
20 Popcorn pre orders due
30 Popcorn pickup

October

1 Popcorn sales start
5 Eagle board
14 Roundtable
23 Scouting for Food
28 Popcorn sales end
31 Halloween

<http://www.siouxbsa.org/Districts/Pheasant/>

(Check the Website for calendar information and updates)

LEWIS & CLARK TRAIL

SERVING CHARLES MIX, BON HOMME, HUTCHINSON, YANKTON, CLAY, UNION COUNTIES

TRAINING!

As we recruit new leaders for our units, we want to make sure they understand their role. Even those leaders who have been in the unit for awhile may not have had the training for their current position. Our district has several opportunities coming up to help everyone catch up on or start their training!



participate in lots of activities, including shooting sports and rock climbing. They are chartered to the Yankton Sharp Shooters. Please welcome them when you see them at District and Council events!

Scoutmaster Specific

September 18: Yankton, 9:00 AM start

Cub Scout Specific

September 30: Yankton, 7:00 PM

Cub Scout Specific

October 4: Vermillion, 7:00 PM

BALOO

October: L&C Scout Camp, 9:00 AM start

As always, if you cannot make one of these dates, please let us know! We are happy to schedule other training opportunities, since every boy *deserves a trained leader!* For Cub Scout Training please contact Ruth Drotzman at (605) 665-8647. For Boy Scout Training, please contact Gene Johnson at (605) 665-0380.

In addition, please stay tuned for additional opportunities for Youth Protection Training, which is now *required* for all registered adults. Each unit will need to ensure that all their leaders have this completed prior to unit recharter!

CUB SCOUT FALL FUN DAY

All Cub Scouts are invited to join in the Cub Scout Fall Fun Day on Saturday, September 18th. It will be held at Lewis & Clark Scout Camp and will run from 12:30-3:00 PM. Expect BB Guns, archery and other fun activities. All newly registered scouts can attend this event for free; otherwise, the event fee is \$5. Don't miss it!

WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST UNIT!

We'd like to extend a big welcome to our newest unit: Crew 9! Our new Venturing Crew will

SCOUT-O-RAMA 2011

The District Committee and other volunteers have been hard at work coming up with ways to make the Scout-o-Rama a much better event. Be on the lookout for exciting announcement. Units: start planning your scouting booths/displays...a volunteer will be contacting you within the next couple of months.

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DISTRICT CALENDAR

September

- 9 District Committee Meeting
- 9 Roundtable
- 18 Cub Scout Fall Fun Day at Lewis & Clark Scout Camp
- 18 Scoutmaster Specific Training
- 30 Cub Scout Specific Training (Yankton)

October

- 4 Cub Scout Specific Training (Vermillion)
- 9 Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation (BALOO) Training at Lewis & Clark
- 14 District Committee Meeting
- 14 Roundtable

<http://www.siouxbsa.org/Districts/LewisandClarkTrail/>
(Check the Website for calendar information and updates)

FIVE RIVERS

SERVING CENTRAL SOUTH DAKOTA FROM MISSION TO EUREKA

YOUTH PROTECTION MANDATORY

Hopefully by now you are aware that every registered leader is required to take Youth Protection training, every 2 years. What does this mean exactly? It means that all new leaders must take Youth Protection training before they can be registered as a leader. It also means that anyone who is already a registered leader and has not taken Youth Protection will not be able to re-register at recharter time (January). **At this point there is not a single unit in the Five Rivers District that will be able to recharter, because every unit has at least one leader who has not taken Youth Protection.** Don't feel bad, most units in the Sioux Council are in the same situation.

What can we do about this? One way or another we have to make sure everyone takes Youth Protection training. There are two ways to accomplish this; Online or the video version. The newly developed Youth Protection training course takes about 30 minutes to complete online or 45 minutes with the video version. It takes longer to do the video version because of the human interactions with others taking the course.

Online

The quickest way is to have all your leaders go online to www.scouting.org and click on the MyScouting link. Registered leaders should create an account using their identification number from the BSA. This number is printed on your membership card. If you don't have your membership card, you can contact Barb Archer at the Center for Scouting to get your number. Barb is at 605-323-0715 or barb.archer@scouting.org. The advantage to creating the account is that it links your trainings with your membership record. I recommend printing off the certificate at the end of the session just in case the computer does not record automatically to your record. The certificate proves you took the course. New leaders will have to take the training without creating an account (since they don't have a number yet). They will need to print off the certificate at the end of the session and sent it to the council office with their leader application.

Video Version

We will set up the video version at every Roundtable

from September through January. Please bring your leaders to Roundtable if you can not or will not take it online. We will fill out a training record with everyone's name on it to turn into the council office. We also have a few copies of the video (DVD) to loan out to units, if you would like to organize a training night at someone's house to train all your leaders at one time.

Which ever way you chose to train all your leaders on Youth Protection is up to you. We just need to make sure it happens before the end of the year.

CONTACTS

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Start date: 8/23/2010

DISTRICT CALENDAR

September

13 Roundtable
17 Fall Camporee
20 Popcorn Pre-orders Due
25 Fall Fun Day
30 Pre-order Popcorn pick up

October

1 Popcorn Starts
4 Roundtable
7 Cub Specifics Training - Selby
23 Scouting For Food
28 Popcorn Ends

November

1 Roundtable
2 Final Popcorn Order Due
19 Popcorn Pick Up

<http://www.siouxbsa.org/Districts/FiveRivers/>
(Check the Website for calendar information and updates)

MITCHELL PARADE

On July 17th, the Boy Scouts from Pheasant district were honored as the Parade Marshals for the Corn Palace Rodeo and Parade. The Scouts were honored for both celebrating 100 years of existence and for the recognition for community service projects and Rodeo clean-up they have preformed.

The Parade started at 10:30 and all the scouts walked as one unit supporting Boy Scouts of America. There were many people along the way that congratulated and complemented the scouts in the parade. There were 65 scouters in the parade and represented were Leaders, Eagle scouts, Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts. There were representatives from seven different active units that carried the 100 year celebration flag and unit flags We had a red GTO owned by Chris and Collin Newton with Dave Kline riding lead the way and the scouts were followed by a yellow Sport Furry . The scouts walked the whole distance of the parade. The temperature and humidity was rising through the parade and the scouts did a wonderful job waving and showing that scouting is fun and exciting.

For many years Scouting has been strong in Mitchell and the parade committee thought that the honor was long overdue. There are many community activities that the Boy Scouts do in Mitchell but there is a direct contact between the Rodeo and Boy Scouts. Boy Scouts from Troop 72 have cleaned up after each night of rodeo performances and on the following Monday they police the parking and camping areas. Every year there are comments from Rodeo fans and from community leaders about how important the Boy Scouts are and it shows with the clean up project. It portrays a positive attitude and look to the Rodeo and our community.

Saturday night all Scouts and leaders were invited to the Rodeo. They were given free passes as long as they wore their Class A shirts. They were recognized at the Rodeo and asked to stand.

Thank You to all the past Scouters, current leaders, past Scouts and current Scouts for doing great job.

**Recent Eagle Scouts**

Brandt Calvin Verhulst	Troop 371	Sioux Falls, SD	Gloria Dei Lutheran Church
William Augustus Schaffer	Troop 66	Vermillion, SD	United Church of Christ
Daniel Glenn Haiar	Troop 346	Sioux Falls, SD	St Michael's Catholic Church
Roscoe G Rice	Troop 346	Sioux Falls, SD	St Michael's Catholic Church
Evan Lloyd Jones	Troop 48	Sioux Falls, SD	Sertoma Club of Sioux Falls
Schuyler Wayne Boyd	Troop 102	Yankton, SD	United Church of Christ



HISTORY

2010 marks the 22nd Anniversary of the BSA Shootout to raise money in support of Sioux Council Boy Scouts of America. To date, this event has raised over \$520,000 for the Scouts. It all started with a small group of guys wanting to make a difference. The small group consisted of Citi Bank CEO, Fred Winkler, Boy Scout Executive, John Reesor, and volunteer Tony Bour. The first event was held in 1988 at the Crooks Gun Club, and Trap Shooting was the format of the day. Fred and John moved out of South Dakota and they left the legacy and logistics up to Tony. Tony has kept the Shootout on track with the help of numerous volunteers. In 1994, the Shootout was moved to Hunters Pointe Shooting Club and Sporting Clays became the shooting format. This year marks the 15th Anniversary of the BSA Shootout at Hunters Pointe.

WHAT HAPPENS AT THE SHOOT OUT

Hunters Pointe opens on shoot day at 10:00 AM and the Compact Course & Flurry are available for shooters to “warm-up”. Registration begins at noon and a complimentary lunch is available. Warm-up stops at 12:30 and at 12:45 there is a Safety Talk. Shooting starts at 1:00 PM with a Shotgun start on all 20 Fields of the Hunters Pointe 100 target course. The main event is completed at about 5:00 PM and it’s followed by a social, buffet dinner and awards banquet.

Over the years the event has been enhanced by presenting trophies for first, second, and third place teams in three different “flights” based upon a system called the Lewis Class. All team scores are ranked in descending order and the field is divided into three groups. Each group has a first, second and third place winning team. Trophies are also awarded to the first, second and third place Top Guns. The most coveted award is the Pheasants Best Friend Award.

This years event is September 21st at HuntersAn individual shooter registration fee is \$200. Individual shooters will be placed into incomplete teams first, until all teams have 4 members. After all teams are filled, we will randomly form new teams with the remaining individual shooters. For a team of two shooters the cost is \$400 and a team of four is \$800. Contact the Sioux Council for registration details at 361-2697 or log on to www.siouxbsa.org.



SAVE THE DATE: WOOD BADGE 2011

Scouting’s peak training experience is coming to the Sioux Council again in 2011! Wood Badge for the 21st Century is an advance leadership development course placed within a Scouting context. Everything learned in Wood Badge can be applied not only in Scouting, but in business and personal settings. Crucial details for this course are currently being finalized; however, we want to make sure you get the dates on your calendar! Hopefully we’ll see you there! There are two course weekends (a full Friday, Saturday, Sunday):

- March 18-20, 2011
- April 1-3, 2011

PRAIRIE HILLS

SERVING MINNEHAHA, LINCOLN, TURNER, SD; ROCK & NOBLES, MN; LYON, IA COUNTIES

A BIG THANKS!

The Prairie Hills District would like to take this opportunity to thank all the volunteers and leaders who helped make our Day Camps and Akela Camp a success. We know it takes many hard long hours to pull together these events and many, many volunteers. We can't list everyone but you know who you are and thank you!!!!!! We would like to recognize the lead volunteers for each of these camps for taking the extra effort in organizing them:

Sioux Falls Day Camp & Planning program for all Prairie Hills' Day Camps

Brenda & Mark DeGraw

Brandon Day Camp

Scott Bickler

Worthington Day Camp

Linda Walter

Newton Hills Akela Camp

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CUB SCOUT FALL FUN DAY FOR YOUTH AND ADULTS

Extra! Extra! Read all about the Free Fall Fun Day for all new Cub Scouts! All new Cub Scouts that sign up this fall before Friday, September 24, are invited to enjoy some Cub Scout activities at the Center for Scouting! **The event will be Saturday, September 25 at the Center for Scouting, located at 800 N. West Avenue in Sioux Falls, SD.** We will run events from 9:00 AM through 12:00 PM. Any boys not registered can sign up between 8:30 AM and 9:00 AM. It is an open house style event so if you can't at 9AM; or need to leave before Noon; it is ok to do so.

SCOUT-O-REE 2010!

Boy Scouts and Webelos don't forget to be planning to attend the SCOUT-O-REE at Newton Hills the weekend of October 8-10. This is an event for Boy Scouts to show their skills off to the soon-to-be Boy Scout (Webelos). See the District's website for more details.

SCOUTING FOR FOOD

Our participation in Scouting for Food supplied for 75,000 pounds of food in the Sioux Council service area. With participating food banks throughout the district, your pack, troop, crew, post, or team can serve where you are! Pick up Scouting for Food grocery bags at the popcorn pick-up and distribute them 4-7 days before the 23rd of October. Don't forget to save bags for your Scouting families!

For distribution, Sioux Falls units will receive distribution areas on a first come, first serve basis.

Bags will be distributed in our District during the popcorn distribution and October Roundtable.



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CUB SCOUT LEADER TRAINING

Leaders asking how to run a den meeting?
Looking for advice and ideas for pack activities?
Bring your leaders new Cub Scout Leader Training and we will help you find the answers. We will be running training courses with break-outs for Cubmasters, Assistant Cubmasters, Committee Chairmen/Members, Tiger Leaders, Wolf/Bear Leaders, Webelos Leaders and their assistants at every training event. All you will need to do to be considered fully trained after this course is complete the online This is Scouting, Youth Protection Training and Fast Start for your level. All of these trainings can be found at <http://olc.scouting.org> and only take about 30 minutes each to complete.

Use your MyScouting login information or keep your membership card nearby to create a MyScouting account.

Training dates near Sioux Falls are listed below. The Council Calendar lists all district trainings. The trainings will apply if taken in another district. Check the website for updates.

Date	Location	Time
9/25	Center for Scouting 800 N. West Ave. Sioux Falls, SD 51704	9:00 AM-12:00 PM
9/28	Center for Scouting	7:00-8:30 PM
10/12	Center for Scouting	7:00-8:30 PM
10/30	Center for Scouting	9:00 AM-12:00 PM
12/7	Center for Scouting	7:00-8:30 PM

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DISTRICT CALENDAR

September

1 District Committee Meeting
2 District Commissioner Meeting
9 Roundtable
16 Sioux Falls School Night for Scouting
18 BALOO
24-25 Intro to Outdoor Leader Skills
25 Cub Scout Fun Day
Cub Scout Leader Training
28 Cub Scout Leader Training
30 Popcorn Distribution

October

1 Popcorn Sale Starts
6 District Committee Meeting
7 District Commissioner Meeting
8-10 Scout-o-Ree (Boy Scouts and Webelos)
11 Service Center Closed
12 Cub Scout Leader Training
14 Roundtable
23 Scouting for Food
28 Popcorn Sale Ends
30 Cub Scout Leader Training
Scoutmaster Specifics Training

<http://www.siouxbsa.org/Districts/PrairieHills/>
(Check the Website for calendar information and updates)

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HINTS TO RECRUITING UNIT LEADERS

The most successful method used to recruit Den and Pack leadership is to identify potential leaders before School Night and recruit prior to the School Night meeting! Do some homework and research before you make the ask. Remember the biggest thing is to go in with a well thought out plan. Before anyone will volunteer, they need several things:

Information

What is Scouting? How will it help my son, my family and my community? Exactly what are the expectations and responsibilities of this job? What resources exist to help me understand my job and to do it the way it is supposed to be done? These are all common questions a new leader might have. Be prepared to give the answers to all of these questions without being asked - and have job descriptions available for those who are considering positions.

Inspiration

An explanation of some of the benefits of Scouting can serve as the best inspiration to help many potential leaders volunteer for a Scouting job. Some ideas you may wish to point out are:

- Every Scout leader was new once, and with training, the use of the Den and Pack Resource Guide, and commitment, anyone can succeed. If you can read, and enjoy working with boys, you can be a GREAT leader! Just follow the book!
- Most leaders think that they need to reinvent the wheel. This is not true, most of the time the wheel is there it just needs to be used.
- Everyone is busy, but what kids need at this age is our time and interest in what they do. Scouting doesn't *take time* from your son, it *makes time*! What better way to give them both than in Scouting!
- Kids stay in and achieve more in Scouting when a parent or both parents are interested and involved right along side them.
- Scouting provides peers who share positive values.

Invitation

Very few people take on a role in Scouting without being asked. Once potential leaders have been selected, say something like, "It's clear that you are the best person for the job. Can your son and the rest of the boys in this Den count on your support as their leader?" Use your own words and be sincere. Not many people want to say "no" to their own son! Be positive. Explain that Scouting is a family program.



FALL CAMPOREE

This year's Fall Camporee is planning on being held at the National Monument in Pipestone on October 8-10. Events are currently still being planned. Please stay tuned to the website and emails for the most up to date information.

HAVE YOU HEARD...

Sandy McFarland has become the Program Chair for the Buffalo Ridge District Committee.

We have a new Boy Scout Troop to welcome to the Buffalo Ridge District. **Troop 167 of Edgerton** became an official troop over the summer. If you see Tim Mitchell or any of the new Boy Scouts from Troop 167 please make sure to make them feel welcome.

Mary Kenyon has spent a tremendous amount of work with the District website "Buffalo Chips." If you see Mary please thank her for everything she has been doing. If you have not seen the website please, check it out. The link is <http://www.siouxbsa.org/Districts/BufalloRidge>. On the site you will find lots of valuable information.

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DISTRICT CALENDAR

September

6 Office Closed Happy Labor Day!!
7 District Committee Meeting
14 Roundtable and Commissioner Mtg.
18 Fall Fun Days Madison, Brookings, Marshall
18 Scoutmaster Specifics Training – Marshall
19 Popcorn Pre Orders Due
30 Pre Order Popcorn Pick Up

October

1 Popcorn Sales Starts
5 District Committee Meeting
8- 10 Fall Camporee
11 Office CLOSED
12 Roundtable
28 Popcorn Sale Ends

<http://www.siouxbsa.org/Districts/BufalloRidge/>
(Check the Website for calendar information and updates)

2011 Boy Scout & Cub Scout Events



Webelos Weekend at the Pavilion

January 28-29, 2011
Friday 5pm - 8pm
Saturday 9pm - 4pm

Weekend event designed for Webelos to earn their Showman, Science and Artist Activity badges through three workshops.

Participants will also have free time in the Kirby Science Discovery Center and need to bring a sack lunch. One chaperone will be required for every five participants.

Participant fee: \$45.00
Chaperone fee: \$5.00

Registration will begin on December 1, 2010.



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Boy Scout Geology Merit Badge Camp-In

February 4-5, 2011
Friday 5pm - Saturday 8am

An overnight camp-in designed for Boy Scouts to earn their Geology merit badge.

This activity will include workshops designed to complete the Geology merit badge, dinner, CineDome movie, free time in the Kirby Science Discovery Center and breakfast. One chaperone will be required for every five participants.

Participant fee: \$30.00
Chaperone fee: \$15.00

Registration will begin on December 15, 2010.



Cub Scout "Belt Loop Mania" Camp-In

March 4-5, 2011 OR
April 29-30, 2011
Friday 5pm - Saturday 8am

An overnight camp-in designed for Cub Scouts to earn their Astronomy, Geology, Science and Wildlife Conservation belt loops.

The activity will include workshops designed to complete four belt loops, dinner, CineDome movie, free time in the Kirby Science Discovery Center and breakfast. One chaperone will be required for every five participants.

Participant fee: \$25.00
Chaperone fee: \$15.00

Registration for the March event will begin on January 3, 2011.

Registration for the April event will begin on February 1, 2011.

To register call the Washington Pavilion box office at 605 | 367 | 6000.

For more information contact Janelle Whitlock at 605 | 367 | 7397 ext. 2372.



**WASHINGTON
 PAVILION**

SCOUTING FOR FOOD

More than 1500 Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts performed a good turn for the hungry during the annual Scouting for Food service project in the Sioux Council last year. Scouts distributed bags and returned to collect almost two thousand canned goods.

The Scouting For Food service project benefits Sioux Council in many ways. First and foremost it helps collect food for many food banks that are in need of food. The program also helps collect unwanted reading glasses and used hearing aids for people who need them. It helps our scouts learn stewardship and in some cases it allows the scouts to work with their charter partners to fill their local food pantries.

Scouting for Food is Scouting's community stewardship project aimed at addressing the problem of hunger in the community in which we live and work. Scouting for Food is a food collection effort carried out by Boy Scouts, Venturers, and Cub Scouts from your community. Food drives can be organized at the district level or by each individual unit as needed. Scouts distribute food drive donation requests bags throughout a designated area and then return to collect the grocery bags filled with donated food. The bags are collected and carried to local food pantries, churches, shelters for the homeless, and other local agencies that feed the needy.

Scouting for Food is a project rooted in the very foundation of Scouting. Through initiative and hard work, the Scouting has developed a framework that can help local food pantries feed needy local residents with emergency aid. It is up to the people of your community to make Scouting for Food a success. The Scouting for Food Campaign will continue to bring Scout units closer to their Chartered Organizations and communities by focusing their food campaign efforts on a pantry in their immediate area.

This year Sioux Council will have bags available through your local District. The official collection day for Sioux Council is October 23rd. Each town will be able to decide what day they want to distribute the bags to local residences so the homeowners can fill them and have them available for pickup the following Saturday morning.

This year we are asking that each unit count the amount of food collected and fill in the amount on the Scouting for Food patch order form. It is always good to know how much food we as a Council collect.



CENTER FOR SCOUTING CLOSED

The Center for Scouting will be closed on September 6th in honor of Labor Day. And also on October 11th for Native America Day.

THE NATIONAL OUTDOOR ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

The National Outdoor Achievement Award recognizes Boy Scouts/Varsity Scouts that excel in outdoor participation. The award consists of five areas of emphasis (camping, aquatics, hiking, riding and adventure) with rigorous requirements to earn each segment. For Scouts looking for an extra challenge, the National Medal for Outdoor Achievement. This challenging award requires earning at least three of the National Outdoor Achievement segments, planning and leading a trek, earning Wilderness First Aid and becoming a Leave No Trace Trainer as well as several other requirements.

For requirements and application log on to:

<http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/BoyScouts/Youth/Awards/NOA.aspx>

JAMBOREE ON THE AIR

When Scouts want to meet young people from another country they usually think of attending a World Jamboree or another international gathering. But few people realize that each year about half-a-million Scouts and Guides "get together" over the airwaves for the annual Jamboree-on-the-Air (JOTA). Modern communication technology offers Scouts the exciting opportunity to make friends in other countries without even leaving home.....

This years Jamboree on the Air will be held October 16-17th. The event starts at 00.00 hours local time on the Saturday and concludes 48 hours later at 24.00 hours local time on the Sunday. Each station can choose its own operating hours within this period.

The Sioux Premier Scout Shop is proud to present...
Just in time for Back-to-School, Blu™ Jeans for Cub Scouts!

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LEWIS & CLARK

SCOUT CAMP



2010 CAMP SEASON IN REVIEW

We had another great summer at Lewis & Clark this summer. We thought we would share some of the statistics as we close out the season. We had 58 Sioux Council Troops attend and 45 non-council Troops attend Lewis & Clark with a total of 969 youth participating. These figures are significantly lower than last year, but very consistent with the long term average. 273 first year Scouts attended our First Class Trail program this year. This is significant because these newer scouts are well on their way to earning their First Class rank advancement. The most popular merit badge was First Aid with 129 youth participating. The least popular merit badge was Rowing.

The Missouri River High Adventure Base (MRHAB) had 42 people participate from 5 different units. Only one unit from the Sioux Council attended. New to the MRHAB program this year was **handgun shooting**. Once the participants returned to camp they were taught the basics of handgun shooting including the special safety requirement associated with handguns. They then went to the rifle range and shot our new Ruger Mark III target pistols. The participants really enjoyed this unique and fun activity. We want to thank Bruce Plate from Vermillion and Jim Reinhardt from Yankton for helping with the handguns. These two gentlemen are the only two Scouters who have the required training to instruct and allow Venturers to shoot handguns.

CUB CAMP ATTENDANCE

Day Camp = 619 youth participants. 15 camps held.

Akela Camp = 242 youth participants. 5 camps held.

Webelos Camp = 327 youth participants. 3 camps held.

PERSONAL WATER CRAFT PILOT PROGRAM A SUCCESS

As you are aware Lewis & Clark Scout Camp was chosen to participate in a pilot program of the National Boy Scouts of America to test the use of Personal Water Craft at scout camps. We had 33 youth participate in this program. The youth had a great time as indicated by the pictures below. Lewis & Clark Lake has proven to be a great location for a personal water craft program. This is a two year pilot program, so we look forward to more participation next year. There is not a merit badge for personal water craft, so it is perfect for older scouts who are looking for new things to try and only need a couple merit badges to finish up. It is also perfect for Eagle Scouts in your troop who enjoy camp, but are not looking for more merit badges. The Personal Water Craft program is open to scouts who are 14 years and older.



NEW STAFF HOUSING WELL UNDERWAY

The Lewis & Clark staff housing project is well underway. The new building that will give secure and permanent housing to the staff at Lewis & Clark is located where tent row used to be. The structure is a basic rectangle with 6 dorm style room down each side. The south side has a view of the lake and walks out onto a deck. The north side has a view of the field and rifle range. It will walk out to a concrete porch. The roof on both sides covers the porch and deck giving rain shelter to the approach.

The twelve rooms will have a pair of bunk beds and some dresser space. The facility will sleep 48 staffers. Combined with the existing cabins and MRHAB staff lodging, there should be ample space for our needs until camp attendance grows to 1500 youth per summer.

There is no water in the building so staff will continue to use the showers and laundry facilities located at the staff lodge.

The new staff building also has a storm shelter built into the basement. This storm shelter will shelter the staff and anyone who is at the rifle, shotgun, archery, and COPE program areas. It can also shelter everyone in the dining hall (though it would be tight) if a storm hit during meal time. The Sioux Council Risk Management Committee felt this area was our weakest point as they assessed our storm risks. The Properties Committee and Risk Committee have worked well together to put this exciting and useful project into action. The building will hopefully be complete by November and definitely by next summer.



Fall Cub Scout Leader Training



Attention: New Leaders, Interested Parents and Leaders who have not completed basic training. The following dates and locations have been arranged to help you get the training you need to succeed as a Cub Scout Leader. Please mark your calendar and plan on attending one of these sessions.

Date	Time	Location	City	Training Type
Sept. 11th	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Church of Our Redeemer	Watertown	BALOO
Sept. 18th	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Center for Scouting	Sioux Falls	BALOO
Sept. 24th	7:00 PM - 8:30 PM	TBD	Pierre	CLS
Sept. 24th	6:30 PM - 8:30 PM	TBD	Pierre	YPT
Sept. 25th	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Center for Scouting	Sioux Falls	CLS
Sept. 28th	7:00 PM - 8:30 PM	Center for Scouting	Sioux Falls	CLS
Oct. 7th	7:00 PM - 8:30 PM	TBD	Selby	CLS
Oct. 9th	9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Lewis & Clark Camp	Yankton	BALOO
Oct. 12th	7:00 PM - 8:30 PM	Center for Scouting	Sioux Falls	CLS
Oct. 30th	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Center for Scouting	Sioux Falls	CLS
Nov. 6th	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	Scout Center	Marshall	CLS
Nov. 20th	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	TBD	Pierre	CLS
Dec. 7th	7:00 PM - 8:30 PM	Center for Scouting	Sioux Falls	CLS
Dec. 18th	9:00 AM - 12:00 PM	TBD	Pierre	CLS

- CLS** Cub Leader Specifics
- YPT** Youth Protection Training
- BALOO** Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation

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Cub Scout Leader Specifics Training Registration

Name: _____ Pack #: _____ Position: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____ State: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please sign me up for the following Training: BALOO CLS YPT

Location: _____ Date: _____

If attending a Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation, please include a check for \$6 to cover course fees, otherwise course are free of charge.

Mail to:
Sioux Council, BSA
800 N. West Ave.
Sioux Falls, SD 57104

Fall Boy Scout Leader Training



Attention: New Leaders, Interested Parents and Leaders who have not completed basic training. The following dates and locations have been arranged to help you get the training you need to succeed as a Boy Scout Leader. Please mark your calendar and plan on attending one of these sessions.

Date	Time	Location	City	Training Type
Sept. 17th-18th	Beginning at 6:00 PM	Camp Woodlands	Huron	SMS
Sept. 18th -19th	Beginning at 10:00 AM	Camp Woodlands	Huron	IOLS
Sept. 18th	9:00 AM-5:00 PM	Scout Center	Marshall	SMS
Sept. 18th	9:00 AM-5:00 PM	TBD	Yankton	SMS
Sept. 24-26th	Beginning at 6:00 PM	Camp Newton Hills	Canton	IOLS
Oct.30th	9:00 AM-5:00 PM	Center for Scouting	Sioux Falls	SMS
Oct. 30th	9:00 AM-5:00 PM	TBD	TBD	SMS
Nov. 20th	9:00 AM-5:00 PM	TBD	Pierre	SMS
Dec. 18th	9:00 AM-5:00 PM	TBD	Pierre	SMS

IOLS Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills

SMS Scoutmaster Specifics

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Boy Scout Leader Specifics Training Registration

Name: _____ Troop #: _____ Position: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____ State: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Please sign me up for the following Training: IOLS SMS

Location: _____ Date: _____

If attending a Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills, please include a check for \$16 to cover course fees, otherwise please bring a lunch for Scoutmaster Specifics.

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