



# ROUNDTABLE MATTERS

October 21, 2008 Pacifica District, Los Angeles Area Council, BSA  
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## CHECK US OUT!

VIRTUALLY ALL INFO IS AVAILABLE ONLINE: EVENTS, DATES, FLIERS, CONTACTS, PHONES, ETC.

DISTRICT web site: [PacificaBSA.org](http://PacificaBSA.org).

COUNCIL web site: <http://www.boyscoutsla.org>.

**GATHERING:** 7:15-7:30.

**FLAG CEREMONY:** At 7:30 sharp! Sign up YOUR boys to do flags! A BIG Thanks tonight to the Scouts of Cub Pack 555 for our ceremonial introduction! The rest of the calendar is still OPEN after February 2009.

**WELCOME TO GUESTS:** We're here to learn what we don't know and share what we do, a win-win set-up!  
**Bring a friend: it makes Scouting better for ALL our boys!!!**

**ACQUISITIONS:** Where else can you find the best assortment of Scout supplies? The Scout Shops, of course!

**ACTIVITIES:** Debbie Shockley is our District Chair: [dshckly@sbcglobal.net](mailto:dshckly@sbcglobal.net) or (310) 328-5458.

**ADVANCEMENT:** For merit badge info, and Eagle Leadership Project approval information contact **Bob Harada** here at Roundtable or at [rbt\\_harada@yahoo.com](mailto:rbt_harada@yahoo.com) or (310) 532-6947. For merit badge classes at Cabrillo Beach, call (310) 831-1984 or go to

<http://www.cabrilloyouthcamp.org/Boy%20Scout%20%20Merit%20Badge%20class%20schedule.htm#apr>

Date for Part 2 of the Fall 2008 Merit Badge Days is October 25.

**ARROW, ORDER OF THE:** Will Althoff is the Chapter Advisor, [wtalthoff@gmail.com](mailto:wtalthoff@gmail.com) or (310) 844-4811. Lakota Chapter Chief Howard Limburgh is the youth representative: [HowardJ1217@hotmail.com](mailto:HowardJ1217@hotmail.com) or (310) 326-2612. Tonight they will highlight Ordeal.

**AWARD OF MERIT & SILVER BEAVER AWARD:** For more info, contact **Kirk Miya** at (310) 325-0336 or [OIHowler@aol.com](mailto:OIHowler@aol.com).

**BALOO'S BUGLE:** For Cubs in November, check out "Seeds of Kindness":

<http://usscouts.org/usscouts/bbugle2008-2009.asp>.

**BOY SCOUT THEME FOR NOVEMBER:** "High Adventure".

<http://www.scoutingmagazine.org/about/proghelps.html>

**BREAKOUTS:** Whether you're new or experienced, we're long overdue at sharing what works.

**TONIGHT:** The FIRST in a continuing monthly event for Venturing Crew Advisers and Presidents. See Gary Sisson for details.

**NEXT MONTH:** Photography, for unit historians or anyone who likes to capture a picture perfect image of events and members.

**UPCOMING IDEAS:** Researching Unit History...

**CAMPING:** It's time to be giving thought to Camping Awards. Tim Affa is our District Chair:  
[Timaffa@pacbell.net](mailto:Timaffa@pacbell.net)

**CAMPOREE 2008:** Thank you, Linda Boice. Any after-the-event comments?

**CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP 2009:** Believe it or not, it's time to start this off! WEBELOS week will be July 13-17, Cub week will be July 20-24. The theme is MAGIC! Contact Matthew Gallon [pacificacamp@hotmail.com](mailto:pacificacamp@hotmail.com) or Lisa Harris [lisa.harris@cacandles.com](mailto:lisa.harris@cacandles.com) for information.

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**HAT (HIGH ADVENTURE TEAM) TRAINING:** Contact Michael Fleder, the NEW HAT Representative, at 310-502-3611, or Jim Hawkins, High Adventure Vice Chairman, at [elderhawk@yahoo.com](mailto:elderhawk@yahoo.com) or (562) 865-2938 or email [labsahat@gmail.com](mailto:labsahat@gmail.com) to receive monthly HAT HiLites.

**POPCORN:** Flynn Turner and Paul Farbman to tell us more. The military forces appreciate the popcorn!

**RECHARTER:** Please pick up your packets and complete them as quickly as possible.

**RELIGIOUS EVENTS:** Upcoming is the Annual Interfaith Banquet, scheduled for March of 2009.

**SCOUTING FOR FOOD:** Priscilla Atwell asks that we all bring a can of food to each Roundtable to help this LDS Stake Center's food bank. Details on this year's drive. (310) 318-1454 or [fibrfac@gte.net](mailto:fibrfac@gte.net).

**TRAINING:** Check the schedule online for important training information!!! For more info, contact Chair Lisa Snowiss at (310) 540-5090 or e-mail to [training@pacificBSA.org](mailto:training@pacificBSA.org). This month, Climb On Safely is scheduled. For October, both Youth Protection Training and New Leader Essentials will be offered at Roundtable. SEE THE NOTE BELOW ABOUT WEATHER HAZARDS.

**UNIVERSITY OF SCOUTING:** Mark your calendars now for the first Saturday of December. There's something for everybody. The schedule is on the website, so sign up now.

**WEATHER HAZARDS TRAINING:** This new training class, available on-line, will be REQUIRED by national policy in order to obtain a Tour Permit starting January 2009.

**WOODBADGE:** Debbie Shockley has a kick off announcement for us. Have you been to Woodbadge?

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