



ROUNDTABLE MATTERS

February 21, 2012

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.

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

FLAG CEREMONY: At 7:30 sharp! Sign up YOUR boys to do flags! Tonight Pack 388 of Lomita will present the colors. Thank You. Reserve your spot for the future NOW with Liz Dye!

In keeping a 'DUTY TO GOD', we will be adding an opening invocation to each Roundtable. Persons of different faiths will be asked each month to lead us. Thank you tonight to Kurt Stenzel, representing the Catholic faith.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

ROUNDTABLE MATTERS DEADLINE for March 2012 submissions: **March 14, 2012.**

BREAKOUTS: If you have ideas, or would like to lead one, contact Rick Willson and we can share what works.

THIS MONTH: The NEW EAGLE Project Book, What's NEW, What's DIFFERENT, and What's EXPECTED!

We'll offer Youth Protection Training.

VENTURING CREW ADVISERS AND PRESIDENTS: A continuing monthly event. Mr. Vaughn Wendelstadt
vaughn_wendelsadt@toyota.com

BUYING SCOUT SUPPLIES?: What's better than a **CLEARANCE SALE?** February 25th at either Cabrillo or Cushman Watt Scout Center. Remember the Scout Shops for the best assortment of **GENUINE** Scout supplies and the good advice the trained experts can share.

CAMPING: Boy Scout sites filling up *fast* at Forest Lawn Scout Reservation. Scott Affa is our District Chair:
Camping@PacificaBSA.org

DISTRICT DINNER: The date was February 16th. Congratulations to all of the award winners!

DUTY TO GOD HIKE: It's looking like May, some details yet to be confirmed. Kathie Wood at
ascoutisreverent@yahoo.com or Kurt Stenzel, kurt.stenzel@pacificabsa.org.

FINANCE: The 2012 campaign of FRIENDS OF SCOUTING has already started, and pledges have already been turned in. Schedule your unit for an FOS presentation. Finance questions? Need **NEW** FOS forms? David White,
david.white@pacificabsa.org

GENEALOGY: An all-day workshop (Merit Badge based) in Torrance on March 10th. Although the flyer (attached on-line, of course) indicates 4th through 8th grade, older scouts are also welcome.

PAY-IT-FORWARD: If your unit participated last year, GREAT! Not too early to start planning for 2012. If you still need to arrange delivery of your collection, BSApayitforward@gmail.com (Liz Dye)

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. (310) 487-1201 or fibrfac@gte.net.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITY: Sponsored by the LDS Church, once again Helping Hands will be providing support in the community on April 28, 2012.

TOUR PLANS: There is usually a TOUR PLAN signer at Roundtable, and we ask that you drop them off before the announcements start, and collect the completed form after announcements. Other options include: The Cabrillo Youth Center in San Pedro, and there are also several other Plan signers available, the list is on the district website.

TRAINING: UPCOMING: BALOO, March 17, and possibly Outdoor Leader Training in April. **Are you a trained leader?** For more information on training in general, or to turn in KNOT applications, contact the District Training Chair, Julio Catzalco, at training@pacificaBSA.org.

WOOD BADGE 2012 (Yes, 2012!): Save the dates of May 4-6 and June 1-3 for course 1, or the week of August 20-25 for course 2. More details in the months to come...

YOUTH PROTECTION TRAINING: FOR ALL REGISTERED ADULTS, regardless of position! For more information, contact Susan Griego at susan.griego@pacificascoutersassociation.org or the District Training Chair at training@pacificaBSA.org.

CUB SCOUTS:

SOAP BOX DERBY, July 7. Ron Campbell will have details in the months to come.

CUB DAY CAMP: July 16-20, 2012 Dave and Linda Miller. More to come...

WEBELOS TO SCOUT TRANSITION: Need some help? You don't have to guess at it. Ask Gary Sisson, he's more than willing to help with the task. Pacificawebelos2scout@yahoo.com.

WEBELOS WOODS 2012: Tentative date is September 21-23.

BOY SCOUTS:

ADVANCEMENT: Spring 2012 Merit Badge Days, tentatively March 3 and 17th. For merit badge info, Internet Advancement, and Eagle Leadership Project approval information contact **Bob Harada** here at Roundtable or at 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>. They can fill up FAST!

ARROW, ORDER OF THE: Tim Desmond is the Chapter Advisor, the_desmonds@yahoo.com (310) 530-1276. Lakota Chapter Chief Matt Johnson is the youth representative: padfoot162006@yahoo.com

SPRING CAMPOREE: Wayne Torrey says April 13-15, and the Leader Guide will be out any day now.

NATIONAL JAMBOREE 2013: Start planning now...<https://summit.scouting.org/en/Jamboree2013> Kathie Wood Jamboree2013@aol.com

HAT (HIGH ADVENTURE TEAM) TRAINING: A couple of useful sites: www.LAAC-HAT.com and <http://www.merkurencyclopedia.com/HAT/index.html> Email labsahat@gmail.com to receive monthly HAT HiLites. All the contact information you'll want is there. HAT HiLites may also be attached to the **ROUNDTABLE MATTERS** on the district website. BJ Lee bjlee2000@yahoo.com and Russ Bower.

SHOTGUN OPPORTUNITIES: A couple of venues are available, keep checking, new dates open regularly. www.dochollyday.com

VENTURING:

UPCOMING EVENTS: Contact Vaughan Wendelstadt at wendelstadt@earthlink.net, 714-814-7144.

CONTACTS:

AWARD OF MERIT & SILVER BEAVER AWARD:

CAMPMASTER: Gary Sisson: Pacificawebelos2scout@yahoo.com.

INTERNET ADVANCEMENT: Bob Harada at (310) 532-6947 or rbt_harada@yahoo.com

LUTHER'S ATTIC: A way to help the boys who may be financially and uniform challenged. www.luthersattic.com

EVENT TICKET INFO: AEGTickets.com or e-mail to groups@events.aegtickets.com

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