



ROUNDTABLE MATTERS

March 18, 2008 Pacifica District, Los Angeles Area Council, BSA
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VIRTUALLY ALL INFO IS AVAILABLE ONLINE: EVENTS, DATES, FLIERS, CONTACTS, PHONES, ETC.
DISTRICT web site: 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 Troop 267 of El Segundo for our ceremonial introduction! The rest of the calendar is still OPEN after May!

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!!!

ACTIVITIES: Debbie Shockley is our District Chair: 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 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#jan>

The April 2008 schedule has not posted to the website. Date for the Fall 2008 Merit Badge Days is October 11 & 25.

ARROW, ORDER OF THE: Will Althoff is the Chapter Advisor, wtalthoff@gmail.com or (310) 844-4811. Lakota Chapter Chief Howard Limburgh is the youth representative: HowardJ1217@hotmail.com or (310) 326-2612. Tonight they will highlight unit elections and OA Representatives.

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

BALOO'S BUGLE: For Cubs, check out "Abracadabra": <http://usscouts.org/usscouts/bbugle2007-2008.asp>.

BLOOD DRIVE: Roger Ponsiby is seeking donors. We can support a group that supports us so well.

BOY SCOUT THEME FOR APRIL: "Environmental".

BREAKOUTS TONIGHT: POPCORN! New sessions for Cubmasters and Scoutmasters! Whether you're new or experienced, we're long overdue at sharing what works. And don't forget our valuable one for Den Leaders too!

CAMPING: Forest Lawn is open for all camping levels. Tim Affa is our District Chair: Timaffa@pacbell.net

CAMPOREE 2008: Linda Boice is our contact. Date is April 11-13, at Firestone. Volunteers Needed!

CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP: Contact Matt Gallon (PacificaCamp@hotmail.com) 310-469-1858 or Lisa Harris, (Cacandles@verizon.net)

FRIENDS OF SCOUTING: Has your unit scheduled an FOS presentation? Contact Flynn Turner.

HAT (HIGH ADVENTURE TEAM) TRAINING: Contact Jim Hawkins, High Adventure Team Coordinator, at elderhawk@yahoo.com or (562) 865-2938 or email labsahat@gmail.com to receive monthly HAT HiLites.

INTERFAITH BANQUET: is scheduled for March 25. Registration form is on the Duty To God page of the District website. Contact Kurt Stenzel (CatholicRelations@PacificaBSA.org) or Michael Tauber (iantauber@hotmail.com) for more details.

INTERNET: If you don't check us out online (see bold box at top,) you're missing tons of valuable and timely information, not to mention forms, contact info, and back issues of monthly "ROUNDTABLE MATTERS" like this!

PINEWOOD DERBY: Questions? Contact Lisa Cowell (crazy.lisa@sbcglobal.net) or Kurt Stenzel at (310) 871-5180.

POPCORN: Flynn Turner and Paul Farbman to tell us more.

RELIGIOUS EMBLEMS: Kurt Stenzel to update us on the progress.

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.

SOAP BOX DERBY: Cub Scout Pack **968** will be hosting the annual Pacifica District Soap Box Derby on Saturday, July 12, starting at 11:30 a.m. in front of the El Segundo Scout House (325 E. Grand Avenue). Join us for racing, food, music, and fun as Cub Scouts from all over South Bay compete and race down Grand Avenue. Pre-Registration is due June 22nd. For more information, send email to Ann Mazuk at elsegundopack968@yahoo.com. Registration forms can be downloaded from the Pacifica website <http://www.pacificabsa.org>.

TRAINING: Check the schedule online for important training information!!! BALOO is scheduled for May 17. For more info, contact Chair Linda Ito at (310) 214-3517 pacificatraining@earthlink.net. Tonight's training sessions are New Leader Essentials and Safe Swim Defense/Safety Afloat.

WEBELOS WOODS: Kathie Wood reports that this will be September 12-14 at Will J. Reid. More to follow...

WOODBADGE: Debbie Shockley has updates!

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