

ROUNDTABLE

JOIN US ON AUGUST 9

(NOTE: this is the SECOND Thursday)
for the annual

ROUNDTABLE AND PROGRAM PLANNING KICKOFF

August 9, 2012

6:30 PM

CHURCH OF CHRIST

1130 Fishinger Rd in Upper Arlington (near Kenny Rd) on the lower level



We will transport you to a tropical island with a taste of a Central Ohio Luau. There will be all the information you need to get your program off to a GREAT START. We'll also have surprises and tons of resources.

Learn about Activities, School Nights, Rechartering & maybe win a prize.

VISIT THE KEY 8 AND FIND OUT WHY THEY MAKE BUCKEYE GREAT!

Every unit needs to have someone attend.

Aloha!

OHIO STATE FAIR

Let's Go to the Fair!



There's still time to take in the Ohio State Fair. The Boy Scouts of America are providing great programming for the whole family! This year's Scout Fair Booth features new and exciting activities, competitions and displays. Each day, the Scout Fair Booth has a Scouting theme and will showcase Scouting in new and exciting ways. Activities at the Fair include: Pinewood Derby racing, popcorn eating contest, rope making, leather work, flag retirement ceremonies, Lego Pinewood Derby car making and much more! Some are day-of competitions and others you must pre-register for. There is something for everyone from Cub Scouts to Boy Scouts to Venturers, and adults.

Special events include:

July 25 - Scout Day (Racing ruckus & ropes)

July 26 - Popcorn Eating Contest & Dutch Oven Iron Chef

July 27 - Good Turn Day (canned food drive)

July 28 - Technology in Scouting (Robotics Merit Badge)

July 25 - August 5, 2012

July 29 - Veterans Day (US flag collection & retirement)

July 30 - Eagle Scout Recognition Day
(Eagle Gathering & project displays)

July 31 - Order of the Arrow Day (OA Dancers and Service Project)

Aug 1 - Venturing Day (Hands on Venturing activities)

Aug 2 - Scout Skills Day (First Aid & Emergency Prep)

Aug 3 - Fit For Scouting Day (Fitness testing & activities with OSU athletes)

Aug 4 - Pinewood Derby Day (Racing and derby car lab)

Aug 5 - Achievement Day (Advancement activities all day)

Some of these activities require pre-registration

[Pinewood Derby Race](#)

[Popcorn Eating Contest](#)

[Scouting For Food Drive Collection](#)

[Eagle Scout Project of the Year](#)

SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

STATE FAIR SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

We are looking for Scouting units and families to volunteer at the Scout Fair Booth. FREE admission to those volunteering at the Scout Booth for 4 hours and get to explore the fair for the whole day! We want Scouts to participate in the daily parade and run activities and events at the booth. Scouts can volunteer as individuals if they are 14 years and older. Entire Scout units can also participate (Cub, Boy Scout and Venturing). We have a schedule, competitions and

activities, registration forms [Information](#) [Register Here](#) or contact [Jen Koma](#)

BLUE JACKETS COLOR GUARDS



The Blue Jackets are looking for Boy Scout or Cub Scout units to present the flags at their home games this season. If you are interested contact [Chris Tredeau](#).

FUN FOR THE FAMILY

CAMP LAZARUS TRAIL CREW



The Camp Lazarus Trail Crew is making progress with trail work at the camp. Work days are still available on **August 4 and September 1**. Meet at the Camp Office by 8:50 AM and work for as long as you are able. There will be opportunities to help for all ages - Cub Scouts to Venture Scouts. Be sure to wear long pants (required) and work gloves. Questions? contact [Brian Batchelder](#), Camp Lazarus Director of Trail Systems.

it is BOY SCOUT NIGHT! Participants will be recognized on the field before the game, receive an exclusive patch and sleep overnight in the stadium. On Sunday there will be autograph sessions and a Soccer Clinic with Crew players. Cost: camper - \$26 non-camper - \$20 [Flyer with Registration Form](#)

HOCKING VALLEY RAIL-O-REE



The Sixth Annual Rail O-Ree will be held **September 14-16** at the Hocking Valley Scenic Railroad in Nelsonville. There are 3 exciting options to choose from. [Information and registration form](#)



SCOUT NIGHT WITH THE CREW

The Columbus Crew will meet the Toronto FC on **Saturday, Aug 11-12** at 7:30 PM and

NEW STUFF

JOIN SCOUTING NIGHT KICKOFF



Buckeye will hold its annual Join Scouting Night Kickoff on **August 2** at Northwest Christian Church 1340 Fishinger Rd (the church just to the west of the Roundtable site) ALL Recruitment Chairs, School Night Chairs, Cubmasters, and Pack Committee Chairs are encouraged to attend. We will give you everything you need to have a SUCCESSFUL School Night AND DINNER IS PROVIDED! You will walk away from this event knowing how to recruit both Scouts and Leaders. Please RSVP by **August 1** to [Amy Heller](#)

"devices" which are attached to a knot to denote which program they were earned in. Scouters who have previously earned a discontinued knot do not have to remove it. Scouters who are currently working on a knot may continue to earn the knot until Dec of 2013. All of the requirements for Cub Scout, Boy Scout & Venturing leaders are on the [National Website](#). Scroll down to "Training Awards for Adult Leaders"

TRAINING AWARDS FOR CUB SCOUT LEADERS UPDATED

The National Council released new Cub Scout Leader training award requirements at the May National Meeting. Most notable is that there are fewer "knots" and the forms and requirements have been simplified. Some previous awards have been replaced by

FOUNDERS OF FAITH

The Diocese of Columbus presents Founders of Faith program **September 8-9** in Somerset OH. Cost - \$18. [Information and registration](#)

MORE NEW STUFF

2012 SHOOT-O-REE

Saturday September 29

Sunday September 30



Round up the clan and herd them on out to the annual Shoot-o-Ree at Camp Lazarus. All Cub Scouts, Webelos, siblings and parents are welcome to participate in a

variety of indoor and outdoor activities. This is an excellent event to welcome all of those boys who join scouting this fall. There will be TONS of activities - BB Shootin', Action BB's, Archery, Sling Shots, Catapults, Rubber Band Shoot, Tomahawks and more. Pre-registration Cost - \$6.00. [Information](#)

POPCORN KICKOFF



Believe it or not, it's time to think POPCORN!!! All Popcorn Kernels are invited to the Kickoff on **August 15** at the Worthington Community Center, 345 Wilson Bridge Rd in Worthington. The FUN will start at 6:30. Get all the latest news about the Fall Sale as well as the calendar of important dates. All units are encouraged to have a representative even if your Kernel has not been selected.

TRAINING

WOOD BADGE FOR THE 21ST CENTURY

8/10/12 - 8/12/12

9/7/12 - 9/9/12



You've probably heard about it and now you can participate in it. Wood Badge is a premier training course providing participants with the peak experience of their Scouting career. It has been

developed for Cub Scout, Boy Scout, Varsity Scout and Venturing leaders as well as council and district leaders. The course content and leadership principles introduced apply to Scouters of all leadership positions and will provide a common foundation of leadership skills to be used throughout all program areas. This year's course will be held at Chief Logan Reservation. Cost \$270 [Register](#)

CUB SCOUT SPECIFIC TRAINING



Buckeye District offers 2 opportunities to attend in-person Cub Scout training:

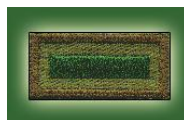
Thursday, September 20

Saturday, September 22

All Cub Scout Leader positions will be offered - Tiger Den Leader, Wolf/Bear Den Leader/Webelos Den Leader, Cubmaster, Pack Committee, and Pack Trainer. Fast Start Training, This Is Scouting & Youth Protection are to be completed [on-line](#). Location, time & registration will be available soon.

GREEN BAR BOY SCOUT TRAINING

Buckeye District is proud to offer Green Bar Boy Scout leader training in a 2 weekend format **September 21-23 and October 12-14** at Camp Falling Rock. The course is



designed for Scoutmasters, Assistant Scoutmasters, Troop Committee members, Webelos Leaders and interested parents. It includes Scoutmaster/Assistant Specific, Outdoor Leader Skills & Troop Committee Challenge. See "information" for on-line prerequisites. Cost: \$50 prior to **9/1/12** and space is limited, so register **NOW**. [Information](#) [Register](#)

DEN CHIEF TRAINING

There will be Den Chief Training on **Saturday, September 22**, St. James Lutheran Church in Hilliard. 8:30am to 1:00:pm \$15.00 includes a light lunch.



[Registration](#)

OKAMA BOY SCOUT TRAINING

Okama 22, **Oct 13, Oct 27 & Nov 10-11**, has been updated to exceed the current requirements for troop leadership. Scoutmaster and Assistant Specific Training, Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills, and Troop



Committee Specific Training (will be offered to participants' Committee at a time of their choosing). Classes will be in Westerville & Camp Falling Rock. Cost \$50 prior to **Sept 29** [Information](#) [Registration](#)

TROOP NEWS BRIEFS

EAGLE PROJECT OF THE YEAR at OHIO STATE FAIR

Simon Kenton Council is searching for outstanding Eagle Scout projects to highlight at the Ohio State Fair, **July 25 - Aug 5** to celebrate the centennial anniversary of the Eagle Scout. The Eagle Scout Project of the Year will be announced on **July 30** on Eagle Recognition Day. Any Eagle Scout who has completed a project in 2011 or 2012 is eligible. [Registration form](#)

SMALL BOAT SAILING MERIT BADGE

Boy Scouts and Venturers can earn this merit badge in only one extended weekend - **Thurs Aug 2 - Sunday Aug 5**. Sea Scout Ship 280 will be providing instruction at the Leatherlips Yacht Club. Cost \$45 for the entire weekend event. [Register](#) **Questions?: [Ron Lime](#)**



MERIT BADGE SUPER SATURDAY

The LDS is holding a Merit Badge Super Saturday event on **August 11** at the LDS Chapel in Galloway, 9:00am to 2:00pm. Merit badges available are First Aid, Emergency Preparedness, Electronics, Personal Management, Law, Computers,



Communications, and Dentistry, Scouts must bring a signed Blue Card from their Scoutmaster and need a copy of the workbook for EACH badge they want to work on. [Workbooks](#) to be downloaded. Registration required (first come, first served) to [Ken George](#) with requested badges.

RAPPELLING CLINIC

The 2012 Fall Rappelling Clinic will be **September 14-16** at Camp Falling Rock. Cost - \$100 [Information](#) [Registration](#)

FALL CANOE CLINIC

The Canoe Clinic will be held at Camp Lazarus & Alum Creek State Park **September 14-16**. More information coming to [Boy Scout Activities](#).



AVIATION MERIT BADGE CLINIC

Youth Aviation Adventure (YAA) is a fast paced single day event, held at the OSU Don Scott Airport, for kids age 12 to 18. At a YAA program you will visit 10 different stations to learn about different facets of aviation. It will be held **September 29** - 8:30 AM - 2:00 PM Cost: 5.00 [Information & registration](#)



OA NEWS BRIEF

OA TENDEUCHEN CHAPTER MEETING

The August meeting will be on the **SECOND WEDNESDAY, August 8** at Riverside United Methodist Church in Upper Arlington. 7:30-8:30 PM

OA ORDEALS and BROTHERHOODS

There are two more opportunities to complete your Ordeal or seal your membership by attending a Brotherhood event. Ordeals/Brotherhoods are planned

for:
August 17-19 - Chief Logan
September 7-9 - Camp Lazarus
[Information and Registration](#)



CREW NEWS BRIEFS

SEA SCOUT RENDEZVOUS August 17-19

The 2012 Sea Scout Rendezvous will again be held at Alum Creek State Park Group Camping area. There will be water activities of all kinds - sailing, kayaking, canoeing, and a potluck on Saturday evening. All Sea Scouts, Venturers, and older Scout



patrols are invited. Cost before **August 3** is \$20. [Information & registration](#)

VENTURING AWESOME ROUNDTABLE

There is no VAT August (we're having too much fun to stop for a meeting). Join us on **September 16** for the next meeting.

July 2012

SIMON KENTON COUNCIL TRAINING LINKS

8/10 [Position Specific for all Positions except Tiger Den Leader](#) LDS
9/14 -9/15 [Introduction To Outdoor Leader Skills](#) LDS
9/21-9/23 & 10/12-10/14 [Scoutmaster Specific, Outdoor Leader Skills & Troop Committee Challenge - Green Bar](#)
10/13, 10/27, & 11/10-11/11 [Scoutmaster Specific and Outdoor Leader Skills - Okama](#)

(All training courses use a National BSA syllabus, so a leader can attend a course in any District.)

AUGUST 2012 CALENDAR

1-4	NOAC	SKC	B,V
1-5	Ohio State Fair	SKC	C,W,B,V
2	6:30 PM Join Scouting Night Kickoff		C,W
2-5	6:00 PM Small Boat Sailing Merit Badge		B,V
4	8:50 AM Camp Lazarus Trail Crew		C,W,B,V
8	7:30 PM Tendeuchen Chapter OA Meeting		B,V
9	6:30 PM Buckeye District Roundtable/Program Kickoff		C,W,B,V
9	7:30 PM Boy Scout Activity Committee Meeting		B
10	6:00 PM Leader Specific Training (all except Tiger Den Leader)	SKC	C,W,B,V
10-12	7:00 AM Wood Badge - Session One	SKC	C,W,B,V
11	9:00 AM LDS Merit Badge Super Saturday		B,V
11-12	7:30 PM Crew Scout Night Campover	SKC	C,W,B,V
15	6:30 PM Popcorn Kickoff		C,W,B,V
17-19	7:00 PM Sea Scouting Rendezvous	SKC	B,V
17-19	7:30 PM OA Ordeal / Brotherhood, Chief Logan Reservation	SKC	B,V
23	7:00 PM Buckeye District Committee Meeting		C,W,B,V

Key to abbreviations:

Event is for C=Cub Scouts, W=Webelos Scouts, B=Boy Scouts, V=Venturers and/or their leaders.

For more information about "SKC" events, visit www.skcsa.org or call 614-436-7200