



SALT RIVER DISTRICT
Petroglyphs
OCTOBER 2005



So Much To Do... So Little Time

Popcorn Sales

Microwave Packets, Carmel Popcorn Tins, Chocolate Covered Popcorn Tins
Everyone likes Popcorn. It's a great fundraiser and you can still get in on the profits
Contact our Popcorn Kernel Brenda Cleghorn, 480-814-7039 or eyedogforme@cox.net

Scout-O-Rama Ticket Turn In

DATE: Wednesday, October 8th, 2005

TIME: 7:00 PM to 8:15 PM

Salt River District

LDS Church

Beck and Howe

Fall Camporee

October 21-22

COWBOY UNIVERSITY



Scouts and Webelos I and II

R-C Scout Camp

\$3.00 per person

Sign Up Flyer and Packets are available on the SRD Web Site.

To sign-up contact Range Boss Roy Hollis, (602) 989-4605, rbhollis@qwest.net.

Watch for details on Winter Camporee set for January 20-23, 2006 at Camp Navajo

Tempe Veterans Day Parade

Friday, November 11, 2005



If you would like to participate, or need more information:
Bruce Joseph, Veterans Day Parade Coordinator
District Activities Chairman
Hm phone: 480-632-5029
Mobile: 480-600-7753
Email: eagleadc444@cox.net

Scout-O-Rama



DATE: Saturday, November 12, 2005

TIME: 10:00 AM to 5:00 PM

PLACE: Scottsdale Community College

The biggest carnival for only \$5 per family. The only thing more fun is actually having your own booth at Scout-O-Rama. Every Unit should set up a booth and be a part of the fun. Meet other scouters, share experiences and ideas. More fun per minute than Disneyland. Come Join the fun.

Recharter Turn-In Schedule

Recharter opens on November 1 On-Line. Seventy percent of our units chartered on-line! It's so easy and makes this difficult task child's play. All the turn in dates are on Sundays from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. If you can't make one of the scheduled dates below, please contact Erik Earl at (602) 955-7747 or Roy Hollis at (602) 989-4605.

Nov 20	Tempe LDS Recharter Turn In	LDS Church – College and Alameda
Dec 4	Tempe South LDS Recharter Turn In Tempe Area Non LDS Units Recharter Turn In	LDS Church - 1111 E Knox Road
Dec 11	Tempe West LDS Recharter Turn In Ahwatukee Area Non LDS Units Recharter Turn In	LDS Church - 1050 W. Grove Parkway

OA Conclave
November 11-13, 2005
Western Valley Middle School

Ten Commandment Hike

The Grand Canyon Council's Interfaith Committee will host a Ten Commandment Hike for all Scouts, to be held on the Friday after Thanksgiving Day, November 25, 2005.

This year the hike will be in Sun City, starting and ending at the Sun City Christian Church, 9745 W. Palmeras Avenue. All Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and Venturers are welcome to attend, along with their parents and siblings in wagons or strollers. The hike stops at 10 worship places where a Commandment is explained, followed by questions and answers.

Sun City Christian Church is located on the east side of 98th Avenue, 1/4-mile north of Bell Road, 2-miles west of Loop-101.

Registration will start at 8:00 AM. The hike will take a circle route, then return around 4:30 PM back where we started. Participants must bring canteens or water bottles, and a bag lunch. Water refills will be at each stop, free soft drinks will be provided at lunch. The hike is not difficult, hikers will be sitting more than walking. Charge is \$5 per Scout or Leader, who receive a unique event patch. The hike is free for other family members.

Contact Lee Shedroff at 623-376-8737 or email LShedroff@aol.com for more information and/or early sign-ups

Advancement Day

Saturday, December 3, 2005

L.D.S. Tempe Stake Center

2707 S. College Avenue

Tempe, Arizona

(SE corner of College and Alameda)

Registration Deadline: Monday, November 21, 2005

Information can be found on the SRD Website

E-mail: advanceday@hotmail.com

The key to recruiting is visibility.

For Packs there are many opportunities at your schools, outside the Meet the teacher Nights and Curriculum nights to be seen. Offer to raise the schools flag once a week. Have the kids bring their uniforms, do the ceremony, and then change into regular clothes for the normal day. Offer to do flag ceremonies at school assemblies. Ask to participate as a unit in the school's extra curricular activities like dances, ice cream socials or carnivals. Offer to serve food, etc. For troops, you can do the same at your schools. All units can be visible in their community by performing community service, holding some meetings at local parks, participating on parades (even as a vendor doing fund raising) Or taking their special meetings and activities outdoors, like having a Pinewood derby at a local shopping center or working on a merit badge with outdoor activities to local parking lot..

Be Seen and Be Heard!

Visit the New District Website at www.srdscouts.org



The screenshot shows the homepage of the Salt River District website. At the top, it features the Salt River District logo on the left and the Boy Scouts of America logo on the right. The header text reads: "This is the Salt River District Grand Canyon Council (Council Directions) Boy Scouts of America. There will always be a frontier where there is an open mind and a willing hand." Below the header, a navigation menu on the left includes links for Home, SRD Committees, SRD Finance, SRD Programs, Cubs, Scouts, Varsity, Venture, and Unit Links. The main content area is titled "Welcome To The Salt River District" and includes links for "Petroglyphs Newsletter" and "District Calendar". A central announcement box highlights the "Scout-O-Rama Second Turn In" on Wednesday, October 12, 7 p.m. at the LDS Church at Beck and Howe. Below this, a paragraph welcomes volunteers and describes the district's role within the Grand Canyon Council.

Training

The October Training dates have been cancelled. Check the SRD Website for the next opportunities. You can be trained by other Districts (just not as well as from our great instructors). Contact the District Executive (shown below) for more information.

San Tan - Derek Bechtel 602-955-7747 ext 227

Cub Scout Leader Specific Training:

October 20, 2005 Contact Jenni Evans (480)460-0980

April 15, 2006

Scout Leader Specific Training:

April 15, 2006

April 21-22, 2006, Intro to Outdoor Skills

Varsity Leader Specific Training:

October 15, 2005 Contact Bruce Hutchings (480)497-3799

October 22-23, 2005 Contact Heath Lindsey (480)833-6459

February 11, 2006

February 17-18, 2006 Intro to Outdoor Skills

Venturing Leader Specific Training:

October 7, 2005 Steve Burch (480)962-9298

April 15, 2006

Mesa - Cal Littlefield 602-955-7747 ext 250

February 2006

4	Cub Scout Leader Specific Training
9-11	Boy Scout Leader Specific Training
17-18	Boy Scout Outdoor Leader Training
25	Varsity Outdoor Leader Specific Training

Update your calendars and spread the word!

On-Line Training

Training is important. It protects you and your scouts as well as introduces you to many things you might not have been aware of. Nothing beats the personal experience of our regular training programs, but if you can't make it to a scheduled class, there are some on-line resources. If you decide to try it on-line you need to let your District Training Chair know that you completed the on-line version of the program. Copy the card that the programs generally print at the end of the training. Bring this page to the next Roundtable. Currently Available:

Cub Scout, Boy Scout, and Venture Fast Training, (No card gets produced), the first introduction for new leaders.

<http://www.scouting.org/cubscouts/faststart/>

<http://www.scouting.org/boyscouts/faststart/index.html>

<http://www.scouting.org/venturing/faststart/index.html>

Youth Protection: <http://www.scouting.org/pubs/ypt/ypt.jsp?>

Safe Swim Defense and Safety Afloat: <http://www.scouting.org/pubs/aquatics/index2.html>

Salt River District at a Glance

October

6	ROUNDTABLE
6	New Leaders Essentials
6	Recharter Training
1	Popcorn Sales Begins
10-14	(Fall Break for Schools)
25	Eagle Board
27	District Meeting/Key 3

November

3	ROUNDTABLE
3	Safe Swim Defense
12	Scout-O-Rama
11	Veterans Day Parade
11	Popcorn Pick-up
17	District Meeting/Key 3
19	Varsity Turkey Shoot
20	Tempe LDS Recharter Turn In
22	Eagle Board

December

1	ROUNDTABLE
1	Safety Afloat
1	New Leaders Essentials
3	Advancement Day
4	Tempe South LDS Recharter Turn In
4	Tempe Area Units Recharter Turn In
11	Tempe West LDS Recharter Turn In
11	Ahwatukee Area Units Recharter Turn In
20	Eagle Board

Check the SRD Website for updates and the latest details.

Eagles Nest

There have been 68 Eagles Scouts honored through August this year

New Eagles from the August Board of Review:

Andrew Lee Acker	Troop 75
Sean Michael Tropsa	Troop 172
Matthew Kendall Stevenson	Troop 172
Erik Alexander Wells	Troop 16
Lucas Wayne Carlson	Crew 9578
Benjamin Ray Patterson	Crew 9578

***Thanks to all the new and old Eagle Board Members
for stepping up to cover the boards for these worthy scouts.***

Want Ads

The District is in need of Volunteers to help keep it running smoothly, keeping units informed, trained, and ensuring more fun for all our scouts. We have some specific positions to be filled, but there are a lot of other places where we can use members at large. Come join us and share your heart and brain with the rest of us. Contact Erik Earl, (602) 955-7747 ext 233 or email erearl@grandcanyonbsa.org.

Petroglyphs Editor

Trainers – All Levels

Members At Large

Commissioners – All Levels

Many areas need committees or several scouters to make things work. We are always in need of Commissioners and Trainers. Individual events, like Camporee, Webelos Woods, Pinewood Derby, Fishing Derby, etc. need committees to run these events.

***The Petroglyphs** is a publication of the Salt River District. All you see above comes from various sources in the District. News and items are encouraged from any Scouter. Please contact the Editor with your items at least 2 weeks in advance of the next Roundtable to ensure publication.*

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