



SALT RIVER DISTRICT
Petroglyphs
SEPTEMBER 2005



So Much To Do . . . So Little Time

Scout-O-Rama Ticket Sale Kickoff

DATE: Thursday, September 8th, 2005
TIME: 7:00 PM to 8:15 PM unless otherwise noted
Salt River District
LDS Church
College and Alameda

Fishing Derby



Saturday, September 17, 2005
From 8 am to 12 noon, Kiwanis Park, Tempe
\$5 per participant
Merit Badges, Activity Badges
Open to ALL SCOUTS - Boy Scouts AND Cub Scouts
Please contact, Bruce Joseph, Activities Committee Chairman
Email: eagleadc444@cox.net
Home phone: 480-632-5029, Mobile: 480-600-7753

Fall Camporee October 21-22

COWBOY UNIVERSITY



Scouts and Webelos I and II
R-C Scout Camp
\$3.00 per person

While the kids are out learning and competing in classic Cowboy skills and activities, Leaders can get their Leader Specific Training out of the way. Both Boy Scout and Webelos Leader Specific training will be offered during Camporee . . . at Camporee. 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.

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

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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.

District Committee Retreat

September 10th, 8 a.m., Council Service Center

All interested persons should plan on joining their fellow scouters to help lay out the future of our District. Lunch will be served to complete a morning of looking at our District and building a mission to drive us forward for the next year and beyond.

Training, Training, Training

Training Event	Date	Where
New Leader Essentials	Oct 6, 7 p.m.	Roundtable
On-Line Recharter	Oct 6, 7 p.m.	Roundtable
Cub Scout Leader Specific	Oct 22, 8 a.m.	Lakeshore LDS Church
Webelos Leader Specific	Oct 22, 8 a.m.	R-C Scout Camp
Boy Scout Leader Specific	Oct 22, 8 a.m.	R-C Scout Camp
Boy Scout and Webelos Out Door	Oct 28-29, 7 p.m.	McDowell Mt. Park

Recharter

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. Send at least one representative to training in October and be ready to get started when November 1 arrives.

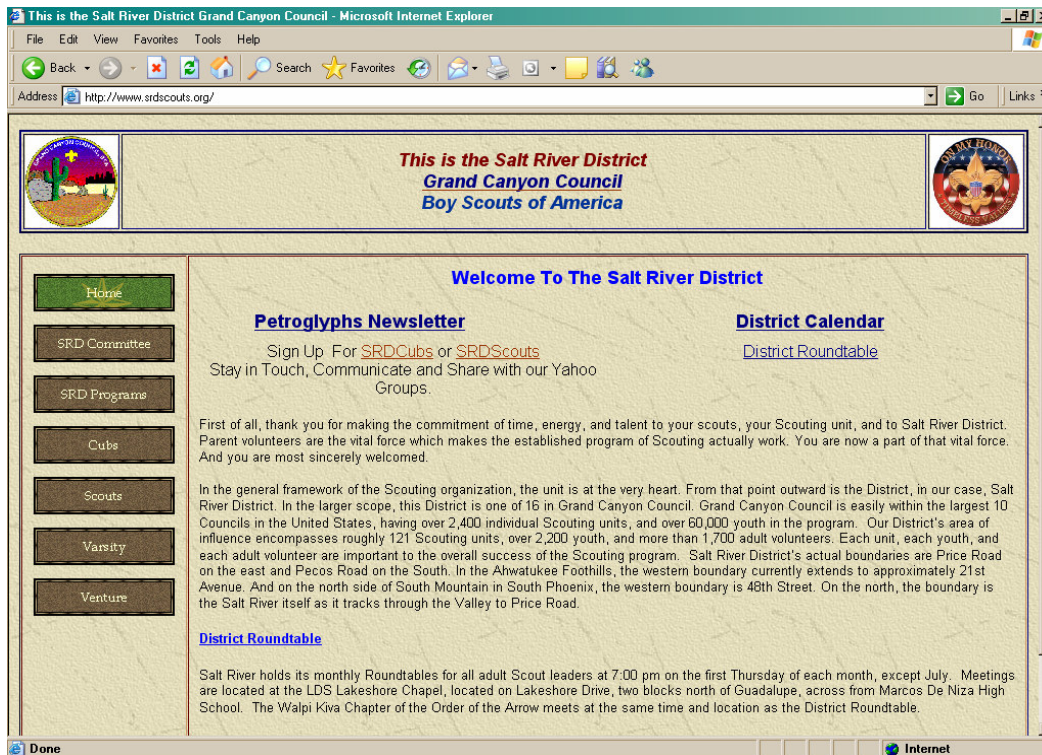
The key to recruiting is visibility.

For Cub 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!

The SRD Website has Moved To www.srdscouts.org

We are also in the process of building a better site to better serve the scouters in the District. The new design will allow for greater participation and sharing from the units as well as give greater space for each of the scouting programs. So, please pardon our dust and come and visit us on the web.



Training

September 1	Safety Afloat Training Merit Badge Counselor Training
October 6	New Leader Essentials (At Roundtable)
October 22	Cub Scout Leader Specific (Including Committee) Boy Scout Leader Specific
October 29	Boy Scout Outdoor Leader Training Webelos Outdoor Leader Training

Details will soon be available on the website. If these dates are inconvenient then check the Council and other District websites for their training dates. You can be trained by other Districts (just not as well as from our great instructors).

Update your calendars and spread the word!



Is Wood Badge one of your goals for 2005? If so, get your application in soon, as there are only 2 courses left this year. Courses are limited to 48 participants. Both courses still have openings.

Sep 23-25, Oct 14-16 (Fri-Sun, Fri-Sun) at Heard Pueblo (Bart Bartholomew, 602-278-0680)

For more information and for an application visit <http://www.grandcanyonbsa.org> and click on "Training" and then "Wood Badge".

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. These courses are great for those bi-annual renewals. 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. The Youth Protection program promises a card by email, but rarely follows. Only if you entered your Scout ID Number at the beginning of the program will it send the card. It doesn't tell you this and it leads you to believe that you will be getting it. Print the page that says "Congratulations, you passed". 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 (Every Unit Leader Must be Youth Protection Trained):

<http://www.scouting.org/pubs/ypt/ypt.jsp?p=i-00&c=10>

Safe Swim Defense and Safety Afloat:

<http://www.scouting.org/pubs/aquatics/index2.html>

Salt River District at a Glance

September

1	ROUNDTABLE
1	MB Counselor Training
15	Scout-O-Rama Kick Off
1	Youth Protection
17	Fishing Derby
24	Varsity Games
27	Eagle Board
29	District Meeting/Key 3

October

6	ROUNDTABLE
6	New Leaders Essentials
6	Recharter Training
1	Popcorn Sales Begins
10-14	(Fall Break for Schools)
21-23	Fall Camporee
22	Leader Specific Training
25	Eagle Board
27	District Meeting/Key 3
28-29	Leader Outdoor Training

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

Pick up the District Calendar for 2005/2006 at Roundtable

Check the SRD Website for updates and the latest details.

Eagles Nest

There have been 62 Eagles Scouts honored through August this year

New Eagles from the August Board of Review:

Alexander James Williams	Troop 7
David Tropin Rees	Troop 118
Tyler Andrew Clayton	Troop 74
David Arrott	Troop 74
Charles Ruel Arrott	Troop 74
Daabid Arun Schellenberg	Troop 74
Kevin Clayborn White	Troop 74
Michael Quinn Merrell	Troop 364
Michael Todd Farnworth	Troop 376
Tyler Kenneth Johnston	Troop 579

***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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