2013 Cub Scout Leader Pow Wow - EAST

Saturday, November 16, 2013

A day of fun-filled, action-packed hands-on basic and supplemental training sessions for adult leaders to help better deliver a fun and exciting program to youth.

Check-in: 8:15 – 8:45 AM Opening Ceremony: 8:45 – 9:00 AM
Classes: 9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

LDS Church, 3210 Sage Crest Drive, Elko

FREE - Participants are asked to supply their own refreshments and lunch in order to be able to offer this incredible training opportunity at no cost.

To register, please send registration information by Thursday, November 7th to: Brian Sutilla, District Director, 380 Court St., Ste. E, PO Box 676, Elko NV 89803.

Any questions can be directed to Christie Sant, Overland District Training Chair (775-385-6383 or *christiesant@yahoo.com*), Debbie White, Overland District Cub Scout Training Chair (775-934-5991 or *bdmj2008@hotmail.com*), or Brian Sutilla, District Director (775-738-8860 or *brian.sutilla@scouting.org*).

While we love children and future Cub Scouts, Pow Wow is an adult training and will not have accommodations available for children. Please find a babysitter and take a day for you.

The official BSA uniform is appropriate attire for all adult training events.

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The following are courses that will be available at the 2013Cub Scout Leader Pow Wow.
Classes with no registrants by the preregistration deadline will be subject to cancellation.

Youth Protection Training

All Scouting adult volunteers must take this course. It covers the BSA's Youth Protection policies, kinds of abuse, signs of abuse, how to respond to disclosure of abuse, and proper reporting procedures. This certification must be renewed every two years.

Cub Scout Leader Position Specific Training—Tiger, Wolf/Bear, and Webelos Den Leader

All NEW Cub Scout leaders serving in any position must take this introductory session before learning about the specific role they are serving. Training for all Tiger, Wolf, Bear, and Webelos Den Leaders.

Cub Scout Leader Position Specific Training—Cubmaster and Pack Committee

All NEW Cub Scout leaders serving in any position must take this introductory session before learning about the specific role they are serving. Training for all Pack Committee Members and Cubmasters.

Shooting Sports Certification Program

Archery and BB-gun shooting are restricted to day camps, Cub Scout/Webelos Scout resident camps, council-managed family camping programs, or council activities where there are properly trained supervisors and all standards for BSA shooting sports are enforced. Archery and BB-gun shooting are not to be done at the den or pack level. This training provides the necessary certification to lead shooting sports at approved events. This certification is valid for two years.

Songs and Skits

Adding to the fellowship and feelings of togetherness, Scout Songs and Skits are a great way to involve everyone in a meeting or campfire. They can be used to set a desired mood and provide great opportunities for boosting confidence and developing leadership skills.

Whittling Chip

Cub Scouts are encouraged to learn safety rules and the proper use of a pocketknife. Cub Scouts and Webelos Scouts may earn the right to carry a pocketknife to designated Scouting functions by completing requirements for the Whittling Chip card. This course provides instructors a firm foundation in how to teach the boys these important concepts and skills. Bring a knife for hands-on instruction!

Academics and Sports Program

The Cub Scout Academics and Sports program complements the scouting program by providing opportunities for scouts to improve scholarship, develop sportsmanship, and explore new games while collecting Cub Scout belt loops and pins. The emphasis of the program is to try new things and to put forth a best effort, not of achieving proficiency or winning. This program is one method of addressing the third aim of Scouting: the development of physical, mental, and emotional fitness. Fitness includes the body (well-tuned and healthy), the mind (able to think and solve problems), and the emotions (self-control, courage, and self-respect).

Ceremonies

Use simple ceremonies to open and close den meetings and to mark important events in the lives of the boys and the den. Den ceremonies should be short—no longer than two or three minutes—and varied. The same opening and closing each week will become boring. Occasionally, the boys should have a chance to help plan and lead den ceremonies.

Journey to Excellence

"Scouting's Journey to Excellence" is the BSA's new council performance recognition program designed to encourage and reward success and measure the performance of our units, districts, and councils. It is replacing the Centennial Quality Awards Program as a means of encouraging excellence in providing a quality program at all levels of the BSA. Even this late in the year, it is possible to achieve bronze, silver, or gold excellence levels. Learn how.

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Boy Behavior

Learn about boy behavior and how to work and have fun with that in an age appropriate way.

Putting the Outing in Scouting

Outings are vital to success. Learn about planning and conducting various outings that lead towards advancements.

Cub Crafts

Projects are activities where Cub Scouts make things that are useful: that is, the things fly, make a lot of noise, explode or help the Cubs do other neat things. Do not confuse projects with craft: making things that are pretty or cute. Cub Scouts are not into pretty or cute. Creating these projects can be done on a Cub Scout budget. Learn low-cost/no-cost options.

Activity Badges

Learn how to find help with teaching activity badges. Have fun earning readyman.

Den Chief Training *(Den Chief Handbook required. Please pre-pay if one is needed.)*

The Den Chief is an older Boy Scout, Varsity Scout ,or Venturer who works with a Cub Scout or Webelos den. He is selected by the Scoutmaster, Coach, or Advisor in cooperation with the Cubmaster. He may be of any age or rank, but he can be the greatest help if he is a former Cub Scout and if he is mature enough to assume this important responsibility. As a selected leader of younger boys, he has the opportunity to help them complete their Cub Scout or Webelos Scout advancement requirements and live up to Cub Scouting's ideals in their everyday lives. The Den Chief is a member of a leadership team which also includes the den leader, assistant den leader, and the denner. The den chief is already what every Cub Scout and Webelos Scout would like to be - a Boy Scout. As far as the younger boys are concerned, he is the person they would most like to follow, and that makes him a natural leader for them

This one day training experience is intended for those Boy Scouts who would like to serve in a leadership position while giving service to brother Cub Scouts. Elements of this training include:
Your Job As Den Chief
How To Use and Lead Games
How To Lead Songs
Dual Contest and Tricks
Working With Cub Scouts and Den Leaders
Seven Parts of A Successful Cub Scout Den Meeting
Five Parts of A Successful Webelos Den Meeting
Den Chief/Webelos Den Chief Responsibilities

BALOO: Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation *(Cost is $5.00)*

Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation (BALOO) training is for any Cub Scout leader with a desire to plan and carry out any outdoor experience for the pack. Completing this training will help develop an increased level of confidence and a willingness to plan an age-appropriate pack overnighter. BALOO is fun and learning that prepares pack leaders to plan and carry out "entry-level" outdoor experiences. Ask a boy why he wants to be a Cub Scout, and nine times out of 10 he'll answer "to go camping." That's why Cub Scouting has introduced BALOO training, so boys, along with their parents or some other adult, can participate in a successful overnight camping experience. Preparing lunch is part of this all-day course.

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Nevada Area Council - Boy Scouts of America
REGISTRATION FORM

ONE Person per form

Name_____

Address_____

City_____ State____ Zip_____

Phone ( ) _____ E-mail_____

Unit type & #_____District_____

Leadership position_____

( ) Enclosed is $5.00 to cover the cost of lunch during the BALOO class.
( ) Enclosed is $7.00 for Den Chief Training IF A HANDBOOK IS NEEDED.
(No charge if participants bring their own Den Chief Handbook.)

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Please circle your class choices:

9:00	10:00	11:00	Lunch Break	1:00	2:00	3:00
Leader Specific Training: Tiger/Wolf/Bear/Webelos Den Leader				Youth Protection Training		
Leader Specific Training: Cubmaster/Pack Committee				Shooting Sports Certification Program		
Songs and Skits	Journey to Excellence	Academics and Sports Program		Songs and Skits	Journey to Excellence	Academics and Sports Program
Whittling Chip	Ceremonies	Boy Behavior		Whittling Chip	Ceremonies	Boy Behavior
Putting the Outing in Scouting	Cub Crafts	Activity Badges Help!!!		Putting the Outing in Scouting	Cub Crafts	Activity Badges Help!!!
Den Chief				Den Chief (continued)		
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Many classes are offered twice to allow more opportunities to attend.
Morning and afternoon sessions will include the same course content.
Den Chief and BALOO are both full-day courses.