

**Boy Scouts of America
Western Los Angeles County Council
Western E-Trails**

Bringing You This Week in Scouting!

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Heroism Award

On August 1, 2003 the extended Sherman family departed Calville Bay, Nevada in the Lake Mead National Recreation Area for a 4-day house boating adventure. Shortly after departing Calville Bay the weather changed to storm conditions with 20-knot winds and 5' swells, causing their ski boat to break its towline and drift away. The skipper had responded by piloting the houseboat downwind toward the drifting boat when John Sherman, 41, jumped overboard to retrieve his boat. Upon entering the water he realized that the 20-ton, 59-foot houseboat was being blown onto him, and that he was without a lifejacket. Using all his energy to get out of the houseboat's path, he found himself unable to continue swimming through the swells, rolled over onto his back, and began to float hoping for help. The skipper maneuvered the houseboat back to the drifting boat calling out for the help of a strong swimmer. Andrew Sherman, 13, a member of the Presbyterian Church of Newhall Boy Scout Troop 609 in Newhall, California, a strong swimmer, calmly, confidently and without hesitation stepped forward to help his father. Having recently earned his swimming merit badge, having spent 2 seasons in a junior lifesaving program, and with five years Scouting experience he was prepared to use his swimming and boating skills in a crisis situation. On command of the skipper after positioning the houseboat, Andrew jumped into the water, swam 15 yards and boarded the drifting ski boat. He then piloted the ski boat 150 yards through the swells towards his father, and using the downed skier approach, he pulled his dad up to the swim step and helped him climb into the boat, where his father collapsed from exhaustion. Andrew then piloted the ski boat through the rough waters and bad weather for about 20 minutes until his dad had recuperated enough to take over control of the ski boat and then rendezvoused with the houseboat and their family in a cove about a mile up the lake where they had found refuge from the wind, swells and rain.

The Boy Scouts of America, upon the Recommendation of the National Court of Honor, is presenting the Heroism Award to Andrew Sherman for Demonstrating Heroism and Skill in Saving or Attempting to Save Life at Minimum Risk to Self.

Medal of Merit

On the afternoon of January 24, 2003, Helen Shoenfeld, age 54, was driving home with her son when she experienced a diabetic reaction. Arriving at home she was disoriented and confused, and her muscles had started twitching and she collapsed. Her son, Webelos Scout Jesse Stewart, age 10, of the Kenter Canyon Parents Support Cub Scout Pack 117, had learned about diabetic reactions from an article he had read in Boys' Life Magazine, and how to respond in an emergency from his Cub Scout and Webelos Scout training. Jesse immediately took charge of the situation, administered first aid by feeding his mother juice and bread, and called his father for assistance on ascertaining the full situation. His quick thinking and actions, despite his mothers' physical and mental state, resulted in her blood sugar rising to a safe level averting unconsciousness and a life-threatening situation.

The National Court of Honor, Boy Scouts of America, has awarded the Medal of Merit to Jesse S. Stewart for Outstanding Service in implementing Scouting Skills and Ideals.

Scouting For Food - Flyer available at www.bsa-la.org

Boy Scout Councils throughout Los Angeles and Orange County are coordinating a Food Drive in cooperation with the Salvation Army and local Food Banks & Pantries. As an organization, the Boy Scouts of America has made a strong commitment to help disadvantaged communities through a food drive called "Scouting for Food." This "Good Turn for America" will take place on Saturday, November 6, 2004 (Bag Distribution) and Saturday, November 13, 2004 (Bag Collection).

- "Scouting For Food" Patch For Each Participant
- "Scouting For Food" Ribbon For Each Participating Unit
- "Scouting For Food" Bags For Each Participating Unit
- "Scouting For Food" Promotion Via Regional Television, Radio & Newspapers
- Week Of November 6, 2004 - Scouting For Food Bag Distribution In Your Neighborhood
- Saturday, November 13, 2004 - Scouting For Food Bag Collection In Your Neighborhood

Silver Beaver Nominations Due

Nominations for the Silver Beaver Award are due Friday, November 12, 2004. Nomination forms are available at the Anna Ruggieri Service Center, Antelope Valley Service Center, and the Westside Service Center and Scout Store.

Order of the Arrow – 2005 Lodge Officers

Congratulations to the following Arrowman who were elected as 2005 Officers of Malibu Lodge at the Lodge Conclave (Fellowship) held at Sage Ranch Park October 22-24, 2004:

Andy Ford, Lodge Chief
David Kogen, Lodge Vice-Chief of Activities
Joshua Lee Bryan, Lodge Vice-Chief of Camping Promotions
Brandon Goodale, Lodge Vice-Chief of Public Relations
Evan Ball, Lodge Secretary
Chris Doggett, Lodge Treasure

Order of the Arrow – Lodge Winter Ordeal Weekend

The Malibu Lodge Winter Ordeal will be held at Camp Josepho Friday – Saturday, December 3-4, 2004.

Candidates selected in 2004 for Scouting's National Honor Society, the Order of the Arrow, and who have not participated in an induction weekend, are invited to participate in the final Ordeal Weekend conducted by the Lodge during 2004. Candidates who do not complete the Ordeal within one year of their election will have to be re-elected by their troop or team.

The Winter Ordeal Registration fee is \$52.50 and includes the OA Sash, OA Handbook, OA Universal Ribbon, program expenses, meals and OA Lodge Dues. Please note that the Fall & Winter Ordeal Registration fee includes the lodge dues for both 2004 and 2005.

Donate Your Vehicle

Free Pick-Up/Towing
Tax Deductible Receipt
Proceeds Benefit Boy Scouts of America
Call: 1-888-250-4490

Order of the Arrow – Section W4A Conclave 2005 – See Attached Flyer

Friday – Sunday
March 18-20, 2005
Citrus College
Glendora, CA
Cost: \$29.00/Person

For additional information on the Order of the Arrow Section W4A Conclave 2005, contact Derek Fortin, Director of Support Services, at the Anna Ruggieri Service Center 818-933-0129 or dfortin@bsa-la.org .

Order of the Arrow – Operations Update – Lodge Numbers

In December 2003 the national Order of the Arrow committee, unanimously decided to discontinue using lodge numbers for national reporting and registration purposes. The reasons for this change were to eliminate confusion with council numbers, reinforce that a lodge is an integral part of the council it serves, and embrace the uniform council numbering system used throughout Scouting.

Lodge numbers are not being taken away, they are just not going to be used nationally to report and register lodges. Instead lodges will be identified by lodge name, council name and council number.

For Example: Malibu Lodge, Western Los Angeles County Council #51, BSA

The Order of the Arrow is a Boy Scout program. Just like other programs of the Boy Scouts of America, it is delivered through the auspices of the local council. The lodge is not a separate entity unto itself. It is an integral part of the council operation and exists only because the council exists. The Order's vision as Scouting's national honor society is for every lodge to be an integral part of the council it serves.

Eagle Letters From Outside Sources

The Federal Bureau of Investigation will now provide special certificates for Eagle Scouts. Troops can send the name for the certificate, the address where to send the certificate, the Eagle's unit number and council name to:

Executive Secretariat
Room 6236, J. Edgar Hoover Building
Federal Bureau of Investigation
935 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20535-001

The Following sources are no longer able to provide letters or certificates for Eagle Scouts:

Mr. Phil Condit, CEO
Boeing Company
Central Intelligence Agency

Pat Boone

Upcoming Special Events

Mark your calendars!

Saturday, November 13, 2004

Wild West Party & Auction

Location: Calamigos Ranch

Monday, November 15, 2004

Sherwood Golf Classic

Location: Sherwood Country Club

Wednesday, December 8, 2004

Americanism Award

honoring

John Anderson, President & CEO, Topa Equities Ltd.

Location: Beverly Hills Hotel

Wednesday, January 19, 2005 (New Date!)

Golden Eagle Club Reception

Honoring 2004 Golden Eagle Club members

(Location TBA)

Scout Family Night With The Long Beach Ice Dogs

Scout Family Night

Long Beach Ice Dogs vs. Alaska Aces

Saturday – 7:00 PM

November 13, 2004

All Scouts Will Receive A Free Scout Patch

For More Information Contact Debbie Calder at (D) 562-624-5579 or Email: DCALDER@icedogs.com

University of Scouting – See Attached Flyers

8:00 AM to 4:00 PM

Saturday – January 29, 2005

Pico Canyon Elementary School

25255 Pico Canyon Road

Stevenson Ranch, CA

Pow Wow/Brownsea Island

High Adventure Training with Orienteering

CPR/First Aid

Den Chief Training Conference

\$25.00 Adults / \$10.00 Youth – Includes Captain BBQ
(California State BBQ Champion)

California Science Center

Science Over Night

California Science Center

700 State Drive

Los Angeles, CA 90037

213-744-7516

www.californiasciencecenter.org

Cost \$40.00/Person

Price Includes: IMAX Ticket, Movie Snack & Light Breakfast, and Hands-On Programs

Required Ratio is 1 Adult to 6 Youth

Registration Deadline is Two Weeks Prior to the Event

Explore the California Science Center at night! Science Over Night allows you and your group to experience our interactive programs without the crowds! Tour our hands-on galleries. Immerse yourself in science at the new Wallis Annenberg Building. Watch an IMAX movie. It's more than a sleepover. It's an amazing science experience!

Upcoming Dates:

November 12, 2004

December 3, 2004

January 21, 2005

February 4, 2005

February 18, 2005

March 11, 2005

March 25, 2005

Free Field Trips

Hands-On Learning in Your Community!

Space is Limited – Schedule Today!

1-800-987-6409

www.fieldtripfactory.com

2005 Cub Scout Day Camp

Bill Hart June 20-24, 2005
Castaic

Antelope Valley (South) June 27-July 1, 2005
McAdams Park

Crescent Bay June 27-July 1, 2005
Camp Josepho

Antelope Valley (North) July 11-15, 2005
Glendover Park

Bill Hart (Twilight) July 11-15, 2005
Sportsman Club

Las Colinas July 11-15, 2005
Pacific Lodge Boys Home

Balboa Oaks July 18 –22, 2005
Woodley Park

Cahuenga July 25-29, 2005
TBA

Wood Badge for the 21st Century

Winter Wood Badge
Thursday – Sunday, February 24-27, 2005
&
Friday – Sunday, March 11-13, 2005
Granada Hills, CA
Clifford Kahn, Course Director
818-705-8406

Spring Wood Badge
Friday – Sunday, May 20-22, 2005
Saturday – Monday, June 4-6, 2005
Camp Josepho
Harlan Hogue, Course Director
310-454-6483

Fall Wood Badge
Thursday – Saturday, September 22-24, 2005
Thursday – Saturday, October 6-8, 2005
LDS – Stake Center

Wood Badge Website
www.bsa-wb.com

For additional information please contact Derek Fortin, Director of Support Services at the San Fernando Valley Service Center dfortin@bsa-la.org or 818-933-0129.

2005 Philmont Expedition

Saturday – Sunday
15 Nights & 16 Days
July 2 – 17, 2005
Council Contingent
3 Crews with 27 Youth (Male & Female 14-20 Years of Age)
and 9 Adults (Male & Female)

- Estimated Cost \$975.00 Including Transportation, Extra Meals And Lodging
- Space Is Available For 20 Youth And Adult Participants

John Cary, Chairman & Contingent Leader
(D) 805-778-1073
cary@smmusd.org

Contact dfortin@bsa-la.org for information and availability

Horsemanship Merit Badge

“Share the Ranch” at El Dustberry is offering unique opportunities to earn the Horsemanship Merit Badge. Cost: \$80.00 per participant. Four 1-½ Hour Sessions Or One Session Of 4 Hours. By Appointment Only
Contact Robin Rapaport at (D) 818-789-7824
Visit their website at www.eldustberry.org.

Volunteer Clerical Support Position Available

Office Clerical Experience Required.

Help with Training, & Advancement Systems and Customer Service including reception, telephone, data entry, correspondence, mailings, e-mails, web site maintenance, and related support services.

Requires excellent writing and verbal communication skills. Advance computer skills including: Word, Excel, Power Point, and capacity to learn Scoutnet. Business dress required.

Email Resume To: dfortin@bsaemail.org or
FAX: 818-901-4888.

2005 National Scout Jamboree

July 25 to August 3, 2005
Fort A.P. Hill, Caroline County, Virginia
(27 Youth & 3 Leader Spaces Available)

Pre-Jamboree Training
April 8-10, 2005
Camp Josepho

East Coast Historical Tour C

– **Estimated Cost \$3,355.00**
Jamboree Troop 931 – Mark Rener, Scoutmaster
(40 Youth & 4 Leaders Confirmed)
Seventh Payment Due: November 15, 2004 \$1,770.00
19 Nights & 20 Days
Saturday – Thursday, July 16 – August 4, 2005

Visiting: Plymouth (MA), Lexington (MA), Concord (MA), Revere (MA), Boston (MA), New York City (NY), Carlstadt (NJ), Brooklawn (NJ), Philadelphia (PA), Lancaster (PA), York (PA), Gettysburg (PA), Washington DC, Mount Vernon (VA), Fredericksburg (VA), and Williamsburg (VA).

Featuring: Plymouth Rock & the Mayflower, Plimoth Plantation, Lexington & Concord, Revere Beach, Boston Freedom Trail, the Constitution, Historic Boston & Quincy Market, Empire State Building, Statue of Liberty & Ellis Island, Battery Park, Wall Street & Ground Zero, Manhattan & Central Park, Historic Philadelphia, Valley Forge, Amish Country, Amish Good & Plenty Feast, Gettysburg Battlefield, George Washington University, Union Station, USMC Evening Parade, 3 Days Sightseeing in Washington DC including National Museums & Monuments of Historic America, Paddle Boats on the Tidal Basin, Wreath Laying Ceremony at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, Non-Denominational Service at Navy Plaza, George Washington's Mount Vernon Estate & Gardens, Colonial Williamsburg, Busch Gardens and the New Air & Space Museum at Dulles Airport.

Aeronautics, Space and Military Science Tour A

– **Estimated Cost \$2,200.00**
Jamboree Troop 932 – Patrick Druez, Scoutmaster
(35 Youth & 2 Leaders Confirmed)
Seventh Payment Due: November 15, 2004 – \$1,200.00
12 Nights & 13 Days
Friday – Wednesday, July 22 – August 3, 2005

Visiting: Norfolk & Williamsburg, Virginia.

Featuring: Colonial Williamsburg, Jamestown, Overnight at the Virginia Air & Space Center Museum, Aviation Merit Badge, Space Exploration Merit Badge, and the Norfolk Naval Station.

Revolutionary War, War of 1812 and Civil War Battlefield Tour D

– **Estimated Cost \$2,575.00**
Jamboree Troop 933 – Kevin Bryan, Scoutmaster
(20 Youth & 4 Leaders Confirmed)
Seventh Payment Due: November 15, 2004 \$1,390.00
17 Nights & 18 Days
Monday – Thursday, July 18- August 4, 2005

Visiting: Annapolis (MD), Pasadena (MD), Baltimore, (MD), Gettysburg (PA), Washington DC, Mount Vernon (VA), Williamsburg (VA), and Fredericksburg (VA).

Featuring: US Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland State Capitol, Cheshire Cove Marina Soft-Shell Crab Feast, Fort McHenry, Gettysburg Battlefield, George Washington University, 4 Days Sightseeing in Washington DC via Hiking & Local Metro Transportation including visits to National Museums & Monuments of Historic America, George Washington's Mount Vernon Estate & Gardens, Colonial Williamsburg, Fredericksburg Battlefield & Historic Area, the New Air & Space Museum at Dulles Airport, and the opportunity to earn Historical Trails Awards.

LDS Historical Tour B

– **Estimated Cost \$3,470.00**
Jamboree Troop 934 – Gerald Dutton, Scoutmaster
(21 Youth & 3 Leaders Confirmed)
Seventh Payment Due: November 15, 2004 – \$1,835.00
20 Nights & 21 Days
Thursday – Wednesday, July 14 – August 3, 2005

Visiting: Palmyra (NY), Syracuse (NY), Springfield (MA), Lexington (MA), Concord (MA), Woburn (MA), Belmont (MA), Plymouth (MA), Gloucester (MA), Boston (MA), West Point (NY), New York City (NY), Carlstadt (NJ), Brooklawn (NY), Philadelphia (PA), Lancaster (PA), York (PA), Gettysburg (PA), Washington D.C., Kensington (MD), Fredericksburg (VA), and Williamsburg (VA).

Featuring: Joseph Smith Farm & Cabin, E. B. Grandin Print Shop, Sacred Grove, Hill Cumorah, Hill Cumorah Pageant, Lexington & Concord, Louisa May Alcott House, Thoreau's Waldon Pond, Sunday Sacrament Meeting at Belmont 1st Ward & Temple Grounds Visitation, Plimoth Plantation, the Mayflower & Plymouth Rock, Gloucester Seafood Feast, Boston Freedom Trail, Historic Boston & Quincy Market, US Military Academy at West Point, Empire State Building, Statue of Liberty & Ellis Island, Battery Park, Wall Street & Ground Zero, Manhattan & Central Park, Historic Philadelphia, Valley Forge, Amish Country, Amish Good & Plenty Feast, Gettysburg Battlefield, George Washington University, Union Station, USMC Evening Parade, 2 Days Sightseeing in Washington DC including National Museums & Monuments of Historic America, Wreath Laying Ceremony at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, Sunday Sacrament Meeting & Kensington Temple Visitor's Center, Jamestown and Colonial Williamsburg.

Contact dfortin@bsa-la.org for information and availability
Visit our website www.bsa-la.org

2005 National Scout Jamboree Staff Opportunity

Western Region Action Center Staff
Action Alley, Air Rifles, Archery, Bike-athon, Buckskin Games,
Confidence Course, Motocross, Pioneering, Rappelling, or Trap
Shooting
Contact: www.actioncenterc.org

Western Region Sub-Camp Staff
Commissary or Mobilization
Public Health Officer (Certified Professional)
Contact: Marty Kasman at 626-688-0355 or M.
Kasman@comcast.net

Video Editor, Camera Operator & Production Technician
Production of the 2005 National Scout Jamboree Video
Pre-Jamboree, Jamboree and Post Jamboree Assignments
(Jamboree Attendance Optional)
Onsite Director Assignment
(Jamboree Attendance Required)
Contact: Ken Parrish at kparrish@baltimorebsa.org

For information on staff opportunities at the 2005 National Scout
Jamboree contact the Derek Fortin, Director of Support Services
at dfortin@bsa-la.org or 818-933-0129.

Junior Leader Training Conference

The Junior Leader Training Conference (JLTC) is a national program that provides an activity oriented troop/patrol based course designed to teach leadership skills through challenge and discovery; a full week of patrol camping as a troop.

Participating Scouts must be First Class or higher and at least 13 years of age prior to the conference. Scouts who are in leadership positions, or who are expected to take on a leadership position later in the year, are invited to attend JLTC.

JLTC is not like Boy Scout Resident Camp; it is a challenging leadership and team building experience.

WINTER SESSION:

December 26, 2004 Thru January 1, 2005

Sunday Thru Saturday

Camp Emerald Bay

Registration Fee: \$350.00

- (Round Trip Transportation From San Pedro To Emerald Bay And Return Via Boat Is Included In The Winter Session Fee.)

For additional information on the Junior Leader Training Conference contact Derek Fortin, Director of Support Services, at the San Fernando Valley Service Center 818-933-0129 or dfortin@bsa-la.org .

10% Discount on Cub Scout Uniform Package

Receive 10% off the purchase of the following Cub Scout uniform package with the "Receive 10% Off" coupon provided in the Cub Scout Fall Membership Recruitment Kit, and available at the counter of the National Scout Shop at the Antelope Valley Service Center, Anna Ruggieri Service Center and the Westside Service Center and Scout Store.

The package includes: Uniform Shirt, Uniform Pants or Shorts, Web Belt with Buckle, Ankle, Crew, or Knee Socks, and Tiger, Wolf, or Bear Cap.

To complete the Cub Scout uniform, in addition to the above package, the following items should be added; neckerchief, neckerchief slide, council shoulder patch, den numerals, unit numerals, and the World Scout Crest emblem.

Offer valid through November 30, 2004.

**Y'all are invited to
Western Los Angeles County Council
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA's**

Wild West Party & Auction

Saturday, November 13, 2004

Calamigos Ranch, Malibu

6:00 pm Saloon and Silent Auction

7:30 pm – 11:00 pm Vittles, Dancin' & Live Auction

The first annual **Golden Spur Award** will be presented to volunteers from each of our 6 districts and Learning for Life. This award recognizes those dedicated to Scouting who give unselfishly of their time to support our programs.

2004 Golden Spur Honorees

Steve Millar, Antelope Valley

Jack Fishel & Paul Oliver, Balboa Oaks

Craig Holtz, Bill Hart

Tania Serrano, Cahuenga

Rod Zalunardo, Crescent Bay

Kent & Robin Johnson, Las Colinas

Linda Rolls, Learning for Life

Kenn Phillips, Learning for Life, Exploring

**Come on over and help us raise important funds for the Council
by bidding on one of our great auction items.**

Here are some highlights:

Lakers Tickets, Clippers Tickets

Dodger Tickets

CSUN SAT Prep Course (3 available)

Club 33 & Disneyland passes

Men's Trek Mountain Bike - 2005 Model

Signed Hanna Barbera Cartoon Cels

One Week Stay in Mammoth (Condo for 8 people)

Theatre Tickets—Thousand Oaks Civic Center

Callaway Vineyard & Winery Tour & Tasting for 4

Cakebread Cellars Tour & Tasting for 4

Scouting Memorabilia

This just in:

Scout Executive for the day, **PLUS** the shirt off his back!

Individual tickets: \$75

Contact Romy Longwell (818) 933-0103,
Rlongwell@bsa-la.org.

Wild West Party & Auction
Saturday, November 13, 2004
Calamigos Ranch, Malibu

More items for the bidding!

Courtesy of the Gables family

Thank You!

**5000 Sports and
Game Cards**

Over 3500 sports cards from the past 30 years, including
over 75 key **Rookie Cards**, from **Cal Ripken, Jr.** in
1982 to the present.

Over 750 **Magic the Gathering** game cards from 40
Different series, 1994 to the present.

Over 750 Yu-Gi-Oh game cards, from all 12 series.

*All Cards are **unplayed** and in **mint condition**.*

Wild West Party & Auction

Saturday, November 13, 2004

Calamigos Ranch, Malibu

More items for the bidding!

Courtesy of the Gables family

Thank You!

Family Game Night

The Perfect Holiday Gift

A fun ensemble of famous board games, including:

- Deluxe Monopoly
- Three Dimensional Scrabble
- Connect 4
- Lord of the Rings Stratego
- Clue
- Sorry!
- 2 Magic the Gathering tournament decks
- 2 Yu-Gi-Oh game decks
- 2 playing cards decks
- Wood and pewter 4-in-1 game set of chess, backgammon, checkers and tic-tac-toe

Value: \$200

10-in-1 Family Camping TV Companion

When you are away from it all but still need to be in touch, here is a compact combo package of television, emergency flashlight, fluorescent lantern, AM/FM weatherband radio, compass, thermometer, emergency siren, mosquito repeller, dual speakers and multi-function adapters.

Value: \$75

Popcorn Sales—Important Information!

The annual Trail's End popcorn sale is under way.

Many units participating in the sale are able to make this their one fundraiser for the year. They do this by putting together a year's worth of program and calculating the cost. A budget is your program expressed in terms of dollars. Once you know how much you need, you can figure out how much popcorn your unit needs to sell.

For Show and Sell, here are important dates to remember:

November 30 - commission checks ready

For Take Orders, here are important dates to remember:

November 18 - take order money due

November 30 - commission checks ready

All boys that sell \$1000 or more become members of Western Los Angeles County Council's \$1000 Club. There will be a party on November 29 for these boys. The top three salesmen in the council will receive a \$250 US Savings Bond and a special plaque. Trail's End has a scholarship program for anyone that sells \$2000 or more.

There are nine products to sell this year. New items include the 18-pack microwave kettle corn and a 5-Way Chocolate Lover's Tin. Other items include the 15-pack microwave unbelievable butter, 15-pack microwave butter lite, 30-pack microwave popcorn with five flavors, 12 oz. Caramel corn with peanuts, 24 oz. chocolate caramel crunch, 28 oz. caramel corn with almonds and pecans, and the 3-way tin. If you have any questions about the Trail's End popcorn sale, please call your district executive.



Western Los Angeles County Council
Hours for Fall & Winter 2004

Regular Hours at the Anna Ruggieri Service Center

Monday – Friday 8:30 AM to 5:30 PM

Anna Ruggieri Service Center Closed:

Thursday, November 25, 2004 (Thanksgiving Day – Holiday)
Friday, November 26, 2004 (Day After Thanksgiving – Holiday)
Friday at Noon, December 17, 2004 (Staff Holiday Luncheon)
Thursday at Noon, December 23, 2004 (In-Service Training)
Friday, December 24, 2004 (Day Before Christmas – Holiday)
Monday, December 27, 2004 (Day After Christmas – Holiday)
Friday at Noon, December 31, 2004 (In-Service Training)
January 3, 2005 (Monday After New Years Day – Holiday)

Regular Hours at the Antelope Valley Service Center

Monday – Friday 8:30 AM to 11:30 AM & 12:00 Noon to 4:00 PM

Antelope Valley Service Center Closed:

Thursday, November 25, 2004 (Thanksgiving Day – Holiday)
Friday, November 26, 2004 (Day After Thanksgiving – Holiday)
Friday at Noon, December 17, 2004 (Staff Holiday Luncheon)
Thursday at Noon, December 23, 2004 (In-Service Training)
Friday, December 24, 2004 (Day Before Christmas – Holiday)
Monday, December 27, 2004 (Day After Christmas – Holiday)
Friday at Noon, December 31, 2004 (In-Service Training)
January 3, 2005 (Monday After New Years Day – Holiday)

Regular Hours at the Westside Service Center and Scout Store

Westside Scout Store Open:

Tuesday – Friday 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM
Saturday 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM

Westside Service Center Open:

Monday – Friday 10:00 AM to 6:00 PM

Westside Service Center and Scout Store Closed:

Thursday, November 25, 2004 (Thanksgiving Day – Holiday)
Friday, November 26, 2004 (Day After Thanksgiving – Holiday)
Friday at Noon, December 17, 2004 (Staff Holiday Luncheon)
Thursday at Noon, December 23, 2004 (In-Service Training)
Friday, December 24, 2004 (Day Before Christmas – Holiday)
Saturday, December 25, 2004 (Christmas Day – Observed)
Monday, December 27, 2004 (Day After Christmas – Holiday)
Friday at Noon, December 31, 2004 (In-Service Training)
January 3, 2005 (Monday After New Years Day – Holiday)

Westside Scout Store Closed:

Tuesday, December 28, 2004 (Closed for Inventory)
Wednesday, December 29, 2004 (Closed for Inventory)
Thursday, December 30, 2004 (Closed for Inventory)
Friday, December 31, 2004 (Closed for Inventory)

Western Los Angeles County Council
Phone Numbers & Extensions

Direct Dial Access Now Available at the Anna Ruggieri Service Center

Although the central number 818-785-8700 will still be answered by one of the Customer Service Representatives the following individuals and departments can now be called directly:

Rashaan Byers	Balboa Oaks District Executive	(818) 933-0117
Patricia Fagan	Cahuenga District Executive	(818) 933-0114
Derek Fortin	Director of Support Services	(818) 933-0129
Ross Harrop	Scout Executive	(818) 933-0125
Mike Heffernan	Facilities Specialist	(818) 933-0111
Elizabeth Hernandez	Urban Emphasis	(818) 933-0128
Ursula Kennedy	Quality Unit District Executive	(818) 933-0112
Paul Lacayo	Las Colinas District Director	(818) 933-0110
Tennille Leigh	Bill Hart District Executive	(818) 933-0113
Martha Londono	Controller	(818) 933-0118
Romy Longwell	Finance Director	(818) 933-0103
Jon Mackenzie	Director of Camping	(818) 933-0119
Sheryl McBride	Director of Field Services	(818) 933-0106
Dave Melton	Systems Manager	(818) 933-0108
Mary Thompson	Registrar	(818) 933-0116
Maria Osuna	Customer Service Manager	(818) 933-0107
Clif Stewart		(818) 933-0126
Colette Taylor	Finance Director	(818) 933-0104

Learning for Life **(818) 901-4891 phone / (818) 901-4890 fax**

Judy Apuzzo	Learning for Life—Special Education	(818) 933-0127
Brenda Bradford	Learning for Life, Exploring Executive	(818) 933-0105
Christine Demmitt	Learning for Life Director	(818) 933-0123

Valley Scout Shop **(818) 781-1296**

Antelope Valley Service Center **(661) 942-0582**

Karin Main, Customer Service Manager	Vince Miller, Field Director
Antelope Valley Scout Shop	(661) 942-7820

Westside Service Center & Scout Shop **(310) 839-9905**

Frankie Melvin, District Director, Crescent Bay	ext. 102
Wes Patterson, District Executive, Crescent Bay	ext. 104
Eric Singer, Store Manager	ext. 106
Tina Williams, Customer Service Manager	ext. 100

New Camp Fees For 2005

<u>FACILITIES AND FEES</u>	<u>BSA GROUPS</u>	<u>ALL OTHERS</u>
<u>GROUP USE OF FACILITIES:</u> (All fees are per 24 hour period)	\$6.00	\$9.00
DAILY CAMP USE PER YOUTH OR ADULT (Up to 24 hours) ELECTRICAL HOOK-UP FOR CAMPERS (WHERE AVAILABLE)	\$6.00	\$9.00
CAMP JOSEPHO:		
ENITRE LOGDE - SOLE USE	\$225.00	\$400.00
CAMP WHITSETT:		
KITCHEN/DINING AREA	\$75.00	\$150.00
CABIN (Sleeps 8)	\$30.00	\$40.00
COPE	\$75.00	\$100.00
WALK-IN USE	\$25.00	\$35.00
COPE (per day fee)	\$125.00	\$150.00
CAMP WOLVERTON:		
CAMP SITE ONLY (Per person)	\$6.00	\$9.00
USE OF OTHER CAMP EQUIPMENT AND FACILITIES:		
ARCHERY RANGE (PER PERSON/PER DAY) (Equipment supplied)	\$1.00	\$2.00
RIFLE RANGE (PER PERSON/PER DAY) (Equipment supplied)	\$1.00	\$2.00
**SWIMMING FACILITIES (Safe Swim Defense required)	\$1.00	\$2.00
**CANOES / KAYAKS / ROWBOATS (Per boat - per day)	\$10.00	\$10.00
MEAL SERVICE (WHITSETT / JOSEPHO ONLY) (2 weeks notice required)	\$18 PER THREE MEALS	