

GENERAL INTEREST CLASSES

(GENERAL FOR ADULT LEADERS)

GEN1 Youth Protection Training (Cub/Scout YPT) (P1&P2-two period class)

First time certification or renewal. Youth Protection Training (YPT) required for Cub & Scout outings/tour permits. Participants will receive a three-year certification card at the end of the session.

GEN2 Venturing Youth Protection (P3&M1-two period class)

Venturing Advisors Youth Protection Training (VYPT) required for obtaining Venturing tour permits plus orientation on the Youth Awareness video. Participants will receive a three-year certification card at the end of the session.

GEN3 Health & Safety (P1 or P2—two classes offered)

How does the “Guide to Safe Scouting” apply to your plan for conducting a safe Scout program and outing? Protect your youth and keep yourself out of harm’s way by learning the “Do’s & Don’ts”.

GEN4 Safety Afloat & Safe Swim Defense (P1&P2 or P4&P5-two classes offered – two periods each)

Required to obtain tour permits when leading water activities for Cubs, Webelos, Scouts, Teams, Crews, and Ships. Participants will receive a two-year certification card at the end of the session.

GEN5 Emergency Preparedness (P4 or P5 – two classes offered)

The United States Department of Homeland Security (DHS) is pleased to partner with the BSA to increase the level of citizen preparedness across the country. DHS has asked the BSA to build on the foundation of the Ready Campaign to help citizens prepare for emergencies of all kinds.

GEN6 Council Camps: Schoepe Scout Reservation at Lost Valley, Oso Lake, Newport Sea Base, and the Outdoor Education Center (P2)

Learn what Orange County Council’s camps have available for your unit. Cubs, Scouts and Venturers can experience fun, adventure and excitement with activities such as sailing, camping, hiking, merit badge programs and service projects. Weekend and long-term adventures, horseback riding, and even bird watching await you.

GEN7 International Scouting (P3)

World Jamboree, non-BSA National & Provincial Jamborees, Exchange & Hosting Programs, Jamboree-on-the-Air, Jamboree-on-the-Internet, Jamboree-on-the-Trail, World Friendship Fund, International Conference at Philmont, and International Service Awards.

GEN8 Understanding ADD/ADHD and Special Needs Scouting (P3)

Do you work with severe physically or mentally challenged youth? Learn new stimulating methods, program ideas, and trails of advancement to inspire your youth.

GEN9 The Mystery of Re-Chartering Revealed (P4)

Each year, units need to complete a membership inventory and re-charter accurately and timely. This year, make that effort easy. The secrets of an efficient and simple effort are discussed. On-line re-chartering as well as upcoming changes in the process will be discussed. Be the first to say “I’ll volunteer for that task.”

GEN10 Scouting History (P2)

Share the tradition of Scouting with your unit. From Baden Powell in England to the United States, California, and Orange County, Scouting has a rich history. The 100th anniversary of Scouting worldwide is in 2007 and in United States in 2010.

GEN11 Official Adult Recognitions and Awards (P3)

Awards aren’t just for youth. Learn what formal BSA training, service, and heroism recognitions are available to adults and youth including the “District Award of Merit”, and “Silver Beaver” and newly authorized knots. The how, when, where, why, who and what is needed to apply will be discussed.

GEN12 Religious Emblems for Youth & Adults (P3&M1-two period class)

Let’s not forget to keep “Duty to God” in Scouting. Understand the many religious programs and awards available to youth and adults of all faiths.

GEN13 Cycling in Southern California (P4)

Tighten the saddle, put air in the tires, adjust the brakes, and add excitement and adventure to your Pack, Troop, Team, or Crew with an active cycling program for your unit. Learn to bring the fun of cycling to your youth including discussions on safety, equipment, planning, trails, and awards.

GEN14 Scouting in a Multicultural Environment (P5)

Learn the intricacies of leading a unit with multi-cultural, multi-ethnic and multi-religious diversity. Discuss how Scouters from different backgrounds learn from each other and work harmoniously toward a successful program.

GEN15 Understanding LDS Scouting (P5)

Learn how the Scouting program is facilitated to strengthen the Young Men’s program in the LDS Church. Scouting has been a central part of the Young Men’s program for over 90 years.

GEN16 Young Adult Programs in Scouting (P1)

Scouting doesn’t stop when youth reach 18 or attain the Eagle rank. Learn how to raise the adrenaline factor with challenging program options for Venture Patrols, Venturing Crews, Varsity Teams, Sea Scout Ships, and Explorer Posts.

GEN17 Scout of the Year Recognition

CUB SCOUT LEADER CLASSES

(FOR ADULT LEADERS OF 1ST - 5TH GRADE BOYS)

CUB1 Cubmaster Primer (P1 or P2—two classes offered)

Basic Cubmaster College required focus course

Learn how to lead a fun filled Pack meeting by involving the Pack Committee, Den Leaders, and youth of the Pack.

CUB2 Imaginative Pack Meetings (P4 or P5 – two classes offered)

Basic Cubmaster College required focus course

Include entertainment, adult play-acting, decorations, jokes, ceremonies, stunts, skits, songs, run-ons, cheers & sparklers, focusing on exciting Pack meetings that involve all ages.

CUB3 Cub Camping & BALOO Introduction (P3 or P4 – two classes offered)

Basic Cubmaster College required focus course

Who can go camping, where & when to go, what to take, and what to do once you arrive. Learn why BALOO training is important for a successful Pack camping trek.

CUB4 Cub Scout Advancement (P3)

Basic Cubmaster College elective focus course

Den Leader College required focus course

An overview of advancement from Bobcat to Wolf, Bear and Arrow Points plus Webelos Badge, Arrow of Light Award, and Activity Badges.

CUB5 Exciting Cub Scout Awards (P4 or P5 – two classes offered)

Basic Cubmaster College elective focus course

Den Leader College required focus course

Want to give your Cub program zip. Reward the Cubs with colorful patches, belt loops, and pins. Learn about the Sports & Academic program and Cub Adventure program.

CUB6 Exciting/Fun Adult Recognitions & Awards (P1)

Basic Cubmaster College elective focus course

Show appreciation to parents and leaders publicly by presenting them with inexpensive, yet innovative and clever awards for their time and service.

CUB7 Blue & Gold Banquet (P3 or P4 – two classes offered)

Basic Cubmaster College elective focus course

Advanced Cubmaster College elective focus course

Planning the February Cub Scout Birthday Celebration. Make this an event that all Cubs and parents remember for years to come.

CUB8 Cub Campfires – Real or Imaginary (P2)

Basic Cubmaster College elective focus course

Add pizzazz to your outing, regardless of whether there actually is a fire in a pit, with sparkling camaraderie and excitement at your next meeting.

CUB9 101 Ways to Connect With a Troop (P3 or P4 - two classes offered)

Advanced Cubmaster College required focus course

Troop resources can help your Cubs have more fun and your Pack be more successful.

CUB10 Arrow-of-Light Ceremonies (P1 or P2 - two classes offered)

Advanced Cubmaster College required focus course

Learn how to present spectacular and inspirational Arrow-of-Light ceremonies.

CUB11 Derby Days (P4 or P5 – two classes offered)

Advanced Cubmaster College required focus course

Running a derby, whether Pinewood, Space, Rain Gutter or Cubmobile can be easy and fun. Learn how to set up a race schedule, keep it fair, while minimizing problems and maximizing excitement.

CUB12 Stunts, Skits, Cheers, Run-ons, & Songs (P4 or P5 – two classes offered)

Advanced Cubmaster College elective focus course

Den Leader College elective focus course

Keep It Simple; Make it Fun (KISMIF). From simple to elaborate, opportunities set the “tone” for your Pack & Den meetings.

CUB13 Parent to Volunteer Transition (P2 or P3 – two classes offered)

Advanced Cubmaster College elective focus course

Effective ways to introduce new Scouting parents to the Cub Program and how to keep them enthusiastically involved.

CUB14 How to Utilize Den Chiefs & Den Aids (P1)

Advanced Cubmaster College elective focus course

Den Leader College elective focus course

Who are they, where do they originate, and how can they enhance and add excitement to your Den & Pack’s program?

CUB15 Den Leaders, New & Experienced (P1 or P2 – two classes offered)

Den Leader College required focus course

Discover new resources using Cub Scout Program Helps, and helpful hints to make your weekly/monthly plans succeed.

CUB16 Cub Scout Magic (P3)

Basic Cubmaster College elective focus course

Magic tricks, tips, and numerous surprises to bring out the entertainer in you and your Cub Scouts.

CUB17 Nature, the Cub Scout Way (P1 or P2 – two classes offered)

Den Leader College elective focus course

Keep the “Outing” in Sc“Outing”. You don’t have to be a botanist or zoologist to explore nature with your Cub Scouts.

CUB18 Cub Crafts (P4 or P5 - two classes offered) (\$6 material fee)

Den Leader College elective focus course

A variety of crafts to make, take, and share with the Cub Scouts and leaders in your pack.

CUB19 Cub Games, Big & Small (P3)

Den Leader College elective focus course

Help to build unity, enthusiasm and fun through games and competition.

CUB20 Tiger from Ears to Tails (P1&P2-two period class)

Meetings, activities, projects, advancement, & themes for the first grade Tiger Cub and adult partner.

CUB21 The Pack Committee (P2)

The duties and responsibilities of yearly program planning, calendaring, training, outings, day camp, Scout-O-Rama, Blue & Gold banquet, service projects, record keeping, awards, advancement & financing.

CUB22 Cub Scout Science (P1)

Learn how to focus inquisitive minds on productive experiments and science projects.

CUB23 Creative Cub Grub (P2 or P3 – two classes offered) (\$6 material fee)

Ingenious ways to prepare delicious meals including omelets in a bag, utensil-less cooking, oranges, onions, apples, bananas, and dough. The material fee for this class includes your lunch that you will prepare during the class.

CUB24 Neckerchief Slides (P5) (\$6 material fee)

Many ideas to make & take for all seasons, reasons, and themes.

CUB25 Be an Effective Committee Chair (P3 or P4 two classes offered)

Learn secret tips on being all you can be as Committee Chair in the Cub Program. Learn how to delegate and successfully recruit parents to carry out committee responsibilities.

CUB26 Cub First Aid (P5)

Want to know how to deal with those minor health problems that arise during Cub activities? Want to know when to bring in the professionals and at what stage? Come to this class and learn to “Be Prepared.”

CUB27 Cub Scout Leader Team Building Activities (P5)

Learn simple games that will bring your unit together. Learn to build trust in each Pack member. Learn how to enable your Pack to work together, Scout and family alike.

WEBELOS DEN LEADER CLASSES

(FOR ADULT LEADERS OF 4TH - 5TH GRADE BOYS)

WEB1 Webelos Leader Workshop (20 Activity Badges) (P1, P2, & P3 – three period class)

Webelos Den Leader College required focus course

As a new or future Webelos Den Leader, you will rotate through five (5) individual (30) thirty-minute sessions presented in a round robin format. These sessions cover the five Webelos Activity Badge Groups, Physical Skills, Mental Skills, Community, Technology, and Outdoor and briefly touch on advancement, Activity Pins, and Belt Loops. Learn and understand techniques to make your Webelos Den activities lively, interesting, and fascinating while increasing your confidence level, gaining new ideas, and improving your skills.

WEB2 Webelos Den Administration (M1 or M2 – two classes offered)

The mechanics, forms, records, administration and importance of an effectively administered Webelos Den will be discussed.

WEB3 Webelos to Boy Scout Transition (P4 or P8 - two classes offered)

Webelos Den Leader College required focus course

A smooth transition from Webelos Den to the very different program of Boy Scouting is essential for a happy, contented and confident Scouting family. Determine how to find an exciting, suitable and compatible Troop.

WEB4 Webelos District & Council Camps (P4 or P8 - two classes offered)

Plan your camping around advancement goals and learn details about Orange County Council’s and other area councils’ approved camping locations, resident camps, and day camps.

BOY SCOUT & VARSITY LEADER CLASSES

(FOR ADULT LEADERS OF BOYS AGE 11 THRU 17)

BOY1 Now You’re a Scoutmaster or ASM – What Next? (P3 or P4 - two classes offered)

Tier 1 Scoutmaster College focus course

Priorities for new Scoutmasters and ASMs in developing and guiding youth leadership at Troop meetings and Patrol Leader’s Council and working with the Troop Parent’s Committee.

BOY2 The Patrol Method (P2&P3 or P4&P5 – two classes offered – two periods each)

Tier 1 Scoutmaster College focus course

Learn to encourage and train youth leaders to plan, delegate, conduct and evaluate the meetings and high adventures they develop with advice from the Scoutmaster. Learn the meaning of reflection and why failing successfully is not failure.

BOY3 Advancement – Scout to First Class (P1 or P2 – two classes offered)

Tier 1 Scoutmaster College focus course

Tips & techniques to encourage “new” Scout advancement to First Class while participating in high adventure activities, youth leadership and experiencing the FUN of Scouting.

BOY4 Successful Troops Retain the “NEW” & “OLDER” Scout (P1)

Tier 1 Scoutmaster College focus course

What motivates an 11 year old? What motivates a 17 year old? Build a successful program and keep them active and enthused all year round and looking forward to their next exciting adventure.

BOY5 Training Youth Leaders (P4 or P5–two classes offered)

Tier 1 Scoutmaster College focus course

Learn about the effective leadership training available to your youth including the Scoutmaster’s Youth Leader Training, the Council’s Youth Leader Training Conference (Trailblazers), and the National Advanced Youth Leader Experience at Philmont.

BOY6 Scoutmaster Conferences & Boards of Review (P2 or P3 – two classes offered)

Tier 1 Scoutmaster College focus course

Properly conduct Scoutmaster Conferences and Boards of Review to encourage youth to advance, strive for success, while making advancement more effective and meaningful.

BOY7 Planning a Successful Summer Camp (P1)

Tier 1 Scoutmaster College focus course

Understand the importance of having Scouts select their camps, schedules and activities before arriving. Learn what features are available at local BSA camps. Learn about physicals, costs, funding, and transporting them to camp and back.

BOY8 Eagle Process & Projects (P1&P2 or P4&P5 – two classes offered – two periods each)

Tier 2 Scoutmaster College focus course

The mysteries are revealed on how to encourage Scout advancement from Life to Eagle, finish their last required merit badges, complete their leadership positions, and select and successfully complete a reasonable challenging Eagle Project.

BOY9 Meaningful Advancement Ceremonies (P5)**Tier 2 Scoutmaster College focus course**

Ceremonies add a “special touch” in recognizing the Scout’s accomplishments and encouraging his advancement on the trail to Eagle.

BOY10 Tailgate Camping – Novice to Expert (P4)**Tier 2 Scoutmaster College focus course**

Activities and equipment needed for the camper graduating from backyard to wilderness. Checkout beaches, mountains, deserts, and forests, and learn the proper safety procedures, equipment, and permits needed.

BOY11 First Year Backpacking (P2 or P3 – two classes offered)**Tier 2 Scoutmaster College focus course**

The first few backpacks a new Scout takes must be a positive experience to develop a love of the wilderness. Learn how to establish a first year backpacking program that develops the skill and confidence to become an experienced, blister free, trekker.

BOY12 Scout Skills & Team Building (P5)**Tier 2 Scoutmaster College focus course**

Don’t let your Scouts in on the secret that they can learn Scout skills, teamwork, and leadership through simple games and competition. Learn how to succeed together.

BOY13 Responsibilities of a Troop Committee (P1 or P2 – two classes offered)

Great Troops begin with great Troop Committees. The support roles and responsibilities of yearly planning, service projects, camping, backpacking and high adventure activities. The ins and outs of record keeping, delegating, advancement, awards, financing, and most important motivation are discussed.

BOY14, Merit Badge Counseling (P3)

The no more/no less requirements on being a proficient merit badge counselor will be investigated with a discussion on the Counselor/Scout relationship and their respective roles.

BOY15 Cooking with a Dutch Oven (P2 or P3 - two classes offered) (\$6 materials fee)

Get some hands on experience creating a nutritious, gourmet meal in a cast iron or aluminum Dutch oven. The material fee for this class includes your lunch that you will prepare during the class.

BOY16 Not Just a Knot – It Could Save Your Life (P4)

Whether you are erecting a tent, building a monkey bridge, climbing a mountain, cooking over a campfire or coming to the rescue, there is a knot or lashing right for the task.

BOY17 Leave No Trace (P5)

Take only photographs, leave only footprints, while conducting a low impact camping experience the BSA way.

BOY18 Aiding the Chaplain’s Aide (M2, P4 & P5 –three period class)

This course is open to Boy Scouts (1st class & above), Venturers (all youth), and adult advisers who want to learn about the responsibilities of the Chaplain’s Aide within a Troop or Crew. Learn how to plan and put on a Scout Worship Service.

BOY19 So Now You Are a Varsity Team Leader (P1)**Tier 2 Scoutmaster College focus course**

You’ve been called to be a Varsity Team Leader. What now? An overview of the leadership, programs, activities and recognitions available to Varsity Scouts and Team Leaders.

BOY20 Including a Venture Patrol in Your Scout Troop (P3)**Tier 2 Scoutmaster College focus course**

This class explains the similarities and differences between a Venture Patrol in a Troop and an independent Venturing Crew.

BOY21 (VEN8) Activity Consultants

Understanding the reason for utilizing activity consultants. Locating and recruiting them for programs and High Adventure activities.

HIGH ADVENTURE CLASSES**(FOR ADULT LEADERS OF TROOPS AND CREWS)****HAT1 Trek Safely (P4 or P5 – two classes offered)****High Adventure College required focus course**

Learn how to lead a safe High Adventure Trek. This is the latest information in the ongoing effort in training Scouters to guide, plan and lead a safe Troop or Crew outing.

HAT2 The Orange County High Adventure Program (P3)**High Adventure College elective focus course**

Opportunities abound for Boy Scouts and Venturers to earn awards for their outdoor experiences. Learn about the vast variety of high adventures available to your Troop or Crew and understand the qualification process for earning these awards.

HAT3 Long-Term Sierra Backpack Treks (P1&P2 – two period class)**High Adventure College elective focus course**

Take “the next step to a backpack adventure” for Troops, Varsity Teams, and Venturing Crews who yearn for a week-long (or more) experience in the High Sierras. Learn about food, packs, tents, sleeping bags, stoves & where to go.

HAT4 Winter Weather Camping (P4)**High Adventure College elective focus course**

Camping on the snow and building a snow cave is much more enjoyable when you are prepared to stay warm and dry. Get those tips on where to go for a winter wonderland.

HAT5 Desert Camping (P3)**High Adventure College elective focus course**

Camping amongst the tarantulas, Gila monsters, scorpions, and cacti is much more enjoyable when you are prepared to stay cool and hydrated. Get those tips on where to go to the desert.

HAT6 Paddling Your Own Canoe (P1)**High Adventure College elective focus course**

Paddle your way to great adventures on rivers and lakes in Southern California. Everything you need to know to have a safe, exciting trip. Learn about training, budgeting, preparations, destinations, equipment, participant eligibility and awards.

HAT7 Rock Climbing & Rappelling the BSA Way (P5)

High Adventure College elective focus course

Climb on Safely, a BSA certification, needed to lead a safe, exciting outing. Learn about training, budgeting, preparations, destinations, equipment, participant eligibility and awards.

HAT8 Using a Map & Compass (P2&P3 – two period class)

High Adventure College elective focus course

Don't get lost. Learn land navigation, reading a topographical map, understanding magnetic declination, and how and where to take your youth to exciting orienteering meets sponsored by local, regional, and national orienteering clubs.

HAT9 GPS – Global Positioning System (P4&P5 – two period class)

High Adventure College elective focus course

After you master map & compass, take something high-tech on your next backpack outing and let the satellites guide your way.

HAT10 Geocaching (P1)

High Adventure College elective focus course

VENTURING LEADER CLASSES

(FOR ADULT AND YOUTH LEADERS OF CREWS)

VEN1 Venturing 101 – The Basics (P3 or P4 – two classes offered)

Venturing College required focus course

An overview of the exciting program available to young adults between the ages of 14 to 21. This session is designed to assist the leaders and their Crew in planning and implementing the first year of programs and activities.

VEN2 Adult Leadership Roles in Venturing (P1 or P2 – two classes offered)

Venturing College required focus course

Learn how to be an "Advisor", "how to take a back seat" and leave the "driving" to the youth leaders. Discussions of leadership techniques, skills and developing young adults to consider alternatives and consequences.

VEN3 How to Work with Youth in Venturing Crews

Aid Venturing Advisors in understanding and preparing their youth leadership to work together as a "Team." How to conduct your Venturing Leadership Skills Course (VLSC).

VEN4 Venturing Program Development

A sampling of programs and training available to Venturing Crews and Advisors including Venturing Roundtables, the Quest and TRUST Awards, Kodiak, Kodiak X and Powder Horn training courses.

VEN5 Making Venturing Meetings Matter (P2)

Venturing College elective focus course

With all the activities available, learn how to make your Crew meetings creative, interesting, exciting, inviting and much more meaningful.

VEN6 Venturing for Youth Ministry

General meeting (10/15 minutes), then breakouts for Catholic, Lutheran, Mormon, and Buddhist for individual program focus.

VEN7 Venturing Advancement & Recognition Ceremonies (P4)

An overview of advancement, awards, and scholarships available to Venturing Crews and Sea Scouts. Also programming and conducting ceremonies to formally recognize accomplishments.

VEN8 (BOY21) Venturing Activity Consultants

Understanding the reason for utilizing activity consultants. Locating and recruiting them for programs and High Adventure activities.

VEN9 Ethical Controversies in Venturing (P4)

Venturing College elective focus course

Resources and materials for conducting "life experience" ethical controversies with your Crew.

VEN10 Venturing and Sports

If your youth are athletic, there are programs for you. Experience Challenging Outdoor Personal Encounter (COPE), Venture Out, Venture Challenge, and Venture Shoot Out, provide sporting activities and a healthy amount of competition between Crew members.

VEN11 New Venturing Crew Officer Training

Young adults take a lead role in organizing and their own activities. This class covers specific leadership skills in program planning, fund raising, and running effective committees. This is the first step in training newly elected crew officers.

SEA SCOUTING IS VENTURING

(FOR ADULT AND YOUTH LEADERS OF SHIPS)

SEA1 Boating & Waterways Basic Water Safety, Part 1

SEA2 Boating & Waterways Basic Water Safety, Part 2

SEA3 Boating & Waterways Basic Water Safety, Part 3

SEA4 National Sea Scout Advanced Leadership Training

SEA5 The Boatswain's Call

SEA6 International Sea Scout Sailing Championship

SEA7 National Sea Scout Cruise – USCG Barque Beagle

SEA8 Sea Scouting is Venturing (P3)

An overview of Venturing from a nautical perspective. Learn how to organize a "ship" and conduct your Venturing program "on the deep blue sea."

MINI-SESSION CLASSES

(SHORT CLASSES FOR ADULT LEADERS)

MIN1 Enthusiastic Service Project Ideas (M1 & M2 – two classes offered)

Service with a smile, the OA motto. Fun and meaningful service project ideas for your Pack, Troop, Team or Crew. Let some fresh ideas and some enthusiasm ignite your program.

MIN2 Order of the Arrow for Your Troop (M1 & M2 – two classes offered)

Introduction to the Order of the Arrow Representative for your Troop. Learn how the OA benefits your Troop's program. The OA can put spice into your Troop.

MIN3 Order of the Arrow for Your Pack (M1 & M2 – two classes offered)

The Order of the Arrow can help your Pack with program ideas, entertainment, outings, service project ideas and ceremonies. Find out how and witness our widely acclaimed Indian Dancers in action.

MIN4 Order of the Arrow – Adult Nominations (M1 & M2 – two classes offered)

Unlock the secrets of adult nominations to the Order of the Arrow. Learn the meaning of "long term resident camp". Every Troop committee member and District committee member should learn this.

MIN5 Tour the World With Scouting (M1)

Let Scouting enhance your international travels.

MIN6 Tour the USA With Scouting (M2)

Enhance your travels in the United States through Scouting and earn historical awards. Travel west to east and back again via Scout camps.

MIN7 World Conservation Award (M2)

Add this exciting program to the activities for your Cubs, Webelos, and Scouts.

MIN8 Philmont Training Center (PTC) (M1)

High in the northeastern New Mexico Mountains, there is a beautiful and wondrous place called Philmont. The PTC offers opportunities for National Advanced Youth Leader Experience, and training for adult leaders of Cubs, Boy Scouts, Venturing, Districts, Councils, and religious groups, plus family programs for spouses and youth from 2 to 18.

MIN9 Philmont and HH Ranch Treks (M2)

High in the northeastern New Mexico Mountains, there is a beautiful place called Philmont. In the plains southwest of Albuquerque the rugged Double H Ranch awaits. Learn what to expect and how to conduct a successful Philmont or HH Ranch Trek from planning, securing a date, getting there and having a good time.

MIN10 State, Regional & National Parks (M1)

Programs, resources, and opportunities at Regional Parks in Orange County. Programs, resources, and opportunities at Joshua Tree, Death Valley, Sequoia, Kings Canyon, and Anza Borrego (a state park).

MIN11 Pizzazz in Troop Meetings (M2)

Keep your Troop meetings exciting and fun and retain your Scouts. Teaching a skill, delegate authority to your youth leaders.

MIN12 Leadership – Troops, Teams & Crews (M2)

What are the leadership opportunities available to your Scouts? Which positions serve which level of Scouting?

MIN13 Boy Scout Summer Camps (M2)

Orange County Council's Schoepe Scout Reservation at Lost Valley offers your Troop fun and excitement. In your Troop's summer camping program, experience the vast variety of BSA facilities available in the Southwest.

MIN14 COPE (M1)

A Challenging Outdoor Personnel Encounter (COPE) that builds teamwork and confidence. Keep your older Scouts and Crew members interested and challenged.

MIN15 Take a Scout Fishing (M2)

Southern California is awash with fishing venues. Fishing is a lifetime avocation. Many experienced anglers got their start in Scouts. Learn about freshwater and saltwater fishing opportunities.

MIN16 Eve in the Wilderness (M2)

If you are a lady unfamiliar with the wilderness and would like to take your Scouts camping, this class is for you. It will help overcome your fear of the outdoors and address a lady's special needs.

MIN17 Be Bear Aware (M1)

There are few things worse than awakening to a sniffing and growling visitor in camp. Learn how to prepare your campsite to be bear free and how to fend off the furry critters should they approach.

MIN18 Flag Etiquette, Salutes and Ceremonies (M2)

Proper etiquette for displaying the symbol of our nation with the pride, respect, and dignity that it deserves, plus a short history of the Stars and Stripes. Teach duty to country, as well as respect and honor for the Stars and Stripes and all it stands for.

MIN19 Uniforms & Insignia (M1)

The how's and why's of proper uniforming for leaders and the scouts they lead. Where does the insignias go and what do they represent?

MIN20 On-Line Advancement Reporting (M1 or M2 – two classes offered)

Learn about Scouting's newest Internet tool in documenting, recording, and reporting advancement records for Packs, Troops, Teams, Crews and Ships.

MIN21 Pack/Troopmaster Software (M1 or M2-two classes offered)

Learn how to maintain better control of your Pack and Troop records with this software.

MIN22 The Pack Trainer (M2)

MIN23 Our Unit Commissioner & Our Unit (M1)

Do you know your Unit Commissioner? Do you know what he/she can do for a Pack, Troop, Team or Crew? Here is a valuable resource for your unit.

MIN24 Ideal Year of Scouting (M1)

Whether you are a Pack, Troop, Team, or Crew, planning is needed to implement and administer a sound financial budget. Put FUN back into FUNdraining and have an Ideal Year of Scouting.

MIN25 Being Financially Prepared (M2)

Being prepared includes seeing that your program costs are identified and funded. This class will help you to be sure that your unit activities have the financial resources for success. Learn the secrets of simple, high return & profitable fundraisers.

MIN26 Telling Stories With Skits (M1)

Learn story techniques of voice and gesture to create enjoyable skits. Skits selected for grade school age children will be used.

MIN27 Story Games & Activities (M2)

Enliven Scout meetings, campouts and outings with story telling games and activities.

MIN28 Good Turn for America (M1)**MIN29 The Language of Scouting (M1)****MIN30 Exploring the Creatures of the Sea (M1)**

The ocean and shore beckon. They are full of cetaceans, pinnipeds, cephalopods, urchins, anemones, echinoderms, and seas hares. For you landlubbers, that's whales, seals, octopus, and tide pool creatures. Learn where and when to find them, and what to know about them before taking your outing.

YOUTH LEADER COURSES

(FOR ALL VENTURING YOUTH)

YOU1 How to Get You Way

Tricks and secrets on how to manipulate the adults in your life and get what you want. Use these tricks on your Scoutmaster, father, teacher, or and adult.

YOU2 Build Your Troop, Team, or Crew

Learn what it takes to build the youth membership in your unit into a highly functional team. Make "youth run" work by making your team more efficient than your Scoutmasters or Advisors.

DEN CHIEF SEMINAR

(FOR BOY SCOUTS WHO HAVE REACHED 1ST CLASS)

DC1 Den Chief Seminar (P1 through P5 – all day class)

An all-day series of informational classes for youth. Designed to teach Den Chiefs job responsibilities and how to perform their duties to benefit the Den, Pack, and Scout.