



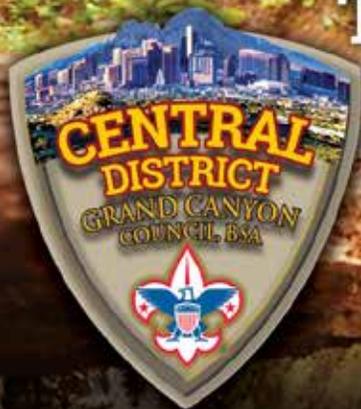
Arizona
The Central District
 August 2018



Grand Canyon Council
Dispatch
 BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA



Be Prepared,
 For The Adventure
 That Lies
 Ahead



Join us at the
**August
 Roundtable
 Kickoff**

**August 2nd
 7:00pm.**

1316 E. Cheery Lynn. Phoenix

The Grand Canyon Council and the BSA are undergoing major structural and program revisions. Central District Roundtable will help you navigate these changes. This month we kick off the new program year with a trade show format kickoff. Visit booths staffed by district leaders and other experts to learn about future plans for nearly thirty topics.

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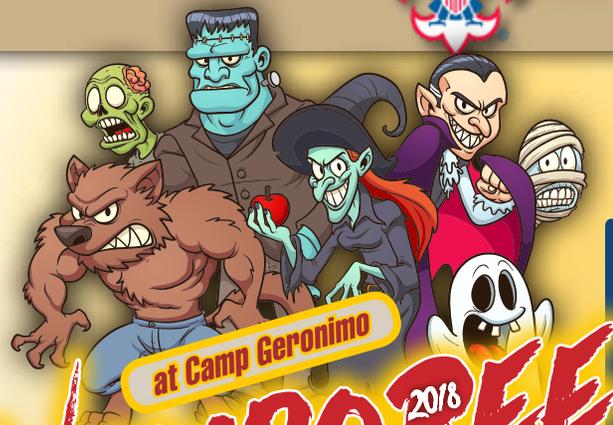


Every Scouter must complete updated Youth Protection training by Oct. 1, 2018

<https://my.scouting.org>

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at Camp Geronimo
VAMPOREE 2018

This is a Three District
Event with hundreds of Scouts

Fri-Sun
October 26-28
Camp Geronimo
North of Payson

Central District is hosting a tri-district, halloween monster themed, Camporee or Vampiree at Camp Geronimo, October 26, 27 and 28. In addition to enjoying Camp Geronimo for a cool October weekend after the crowds have gone home, Saturday the 27th will be stuffed like a pumpkin as scouts get geared up for halloween and show off their scouting skills in fire building, cooking, first aid, knots and shooting competitions. Plus there will be a broken bridge team building event that should be loads of fun while displaying your ingenuity and teamwork! A "Cast Iron Chef" dutch oven contest will take place along with a flag retirement ceremony and a pumpkin carving contest. Saturday will wind down with an awesome camp fire and awards ceremony including multi colored flames, skits and maybe even a spooky story!

All Scouts and Arrow of Light scouts are invited! Register now online before the price goes up and the space is gone.

Scoutingevent.com/010-2018vamporee

- Dutch Oven Contest
- Costume Contest
- Scout Skills Competition
- Fire Building
- Cooking
- Knots
- First Aid
- Teamwork Course

August Roundtable Kickoff

Roundtable gives you the skill to do, plus the will to do. You will find resources, make friends, and build confidence whether you are new to the BSA or an experienced veteran. End the evening with a cool reward at the ice cream sundae bar.

Commissioners

- Journey to Excellence • Rechartering
- Unit Service • Chartered organization

Volunteer Development

- Leadership Development
- Recognition • Alumni

Membership

- Retention/Recruitment • Be-a-Scout
- Family Program • Applications
- Special Needs • School District Info

Communications

- Newsletter • Website
- Social Media • Marketing

Program

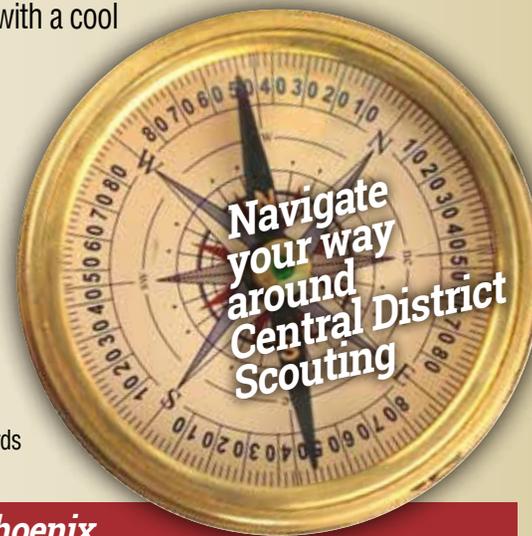
- Activities Cub Den, Boy Scout Troop, Venture Crew Activities
- Advancement • Special Events
- Position-specific training
- Supplemental training

Finance

- Friends of Scouting
- AZ Tax Credit • Popcorn Sales

Additional Activities

- Order of the Arrow
- STEM / Nova and Supernova awards
- Religious emblems



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Scouting**

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Recipe **NEW** of the Month

with Grant Cogell

Dutch Oven Barbecue Chicken

"Camp food." The phrase conjures up images of instant ramen, hot dogs, and cold cut sandwiches. But is that really all there is to be had from outdoor cuisine? This column will explore tasteful and nutritious meal options to elevate your "camp food", as well as the odd tip and/or trick for classing up your outdoor kitchen. Most of these meals will be of the "set it and forget it" variety, requiring no more complicated prep than chopping and allowing you to kick up your feet after a long day of hiking/canoeing/climbing/whatever your unit loves doing while some hot coals or boiled water do all the work. Case in point, this issue's recipe: Dutch Oven Barbecue Chicken.

Ingredients

4lbs boneless skinless chicken breasts
1 - 16oz bottle of your preferred barbecue sauce
1 - 12oz can of Coca-Cola
½ tbs Worcestershire sauce (optional)

Instructions

1. Combine barbecue sauce, Coca-Cola, and Worcestershire sauce in a seasoned dutch oven
2. Arrange chicken breasts in the dutch oven, covering with sauce
3. Cook over medium coals distributed 50/50 between the top and bottom of the dutch oven for one hour
4. Serve and enjoy

Cooking "low and slow" with a dutch oven makes this chicken all fally-aparty, making it ideal for sandwiches and as a no-knife-required protein to go with your favorite sides (potato salad and macaroni and cheese, obviously). No dutch oven? No problem. Combine ingredients as above in a good-sized stockpot and cook, covered, over a medium-high burner until the chicken can be shredded with two forks.



Central District June Eagle Scouts

- **Peter Chong**, Troop 401 **Project:** Soul Sanctuary Veterans Home - 159 hrs
- **Ryan George**, Troop 41, **Project:** Sunnyslope Garden Restoration - 116 hrs
- **Cody Gilbreath**, Troop 201 **Project:** Creating breeding habitat for Topminnow/Pupfish at the Nina Mason Pulliam Rio Salado Audubon Center/ Audubon Arizona - 179hrs
- **Thomas Larsen**, Troop 401, **Project:** Soul Sanctuary Bike Path - 98 hrs
- **Alex Oihus**, Troop 446, **Project:** Copper Basis Bible Camp Main Fire Ring - 198 hrs
- **Jason Teetsel** Troop 644, **Project:** Animals Benefit Club - 99 hrs
- **Joey York** Troop 446, **Project:** Build a campdrop for the Coronado Band d - 152 hrs



Hike of the Month Workman Creek

The Sierra Ancha Wilderness is one of the least known and visited areas of Arizona. Workman Creek is a beautiful stream that flows year-round through a tall, stately, ponderosa pine forest. In this idyllic paradise, the absence of an organized campground is an attraction. Natural campsites are widely interspersed along the bubbling

brook. One of my favorite summer pastimes is reading a long book while watching hummingbirds work the flowers lining the sides of the meandering creek. A short hike upstream brings you to Workman Creek Falls, a 200 foot plunges off a sheer precipice.

From Phoenix drive east on Highway 60 almost to Globe. Turn left (north) on Highway 188 (also listed as 88 on maps) and drive 14.4 miles to Highway 288. Turn right on 288 which is paved at first and after a short distance crosses the Salt River on a single lane bridge. After 12.2 miles you will come to an intersection with left branching A Cross Road. Continue straight on Highway 288 for approximately 12 more miles to just past mile marker 284 and a brown sign indicating a right branching road for the Workman Creek Recreation Area, Sierra Ancha Wilderness. Turn right and drive 3.2 miles up past several established camping areas to the head of the falls and several small pull offs.

Roundtable Merit Badge Classes

- August 2nd**
Personal Management - **B**
- September 6th**
Personal Management - **C**
- October 4th**
Personal Management - **D**
- November 1st**
Emergency Preparedness - **A**
- December - Break**
- January 3rd**
Emergency Preparedness - **B**

Central District holds Eagle Rank required merit badge clinics on the first Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm at the LDS Church at 1316 Cherry Lynn, Phoenix.

No fee. The boys should wear their Class A uniform and bring paper and a writing instrument. If possible, read the requirements before class. The merit badge book can be purchased at the Scout Shop, and it can also be downloaded as an interactive digital eBook from www.ScoutStuff.org.

For full details on the merit badge requirements, please look at: www.meritbadge.com



Open Your Mind to this Great Opportunity Popcorn Sales

Selling popcorn consistently has higher returns on scouts' efforts per hour than other fundraising methods. Plus you can earn prizes and scholarships

Consider Popcorn Sales as a stronger and more diverse fundraising, how selling popcorn might add power and reliability to your unit's cash flow. Many units are finding that they are having new demands on their funds and that some of their old means of acquiring needed funds may not provide as much as they desire.

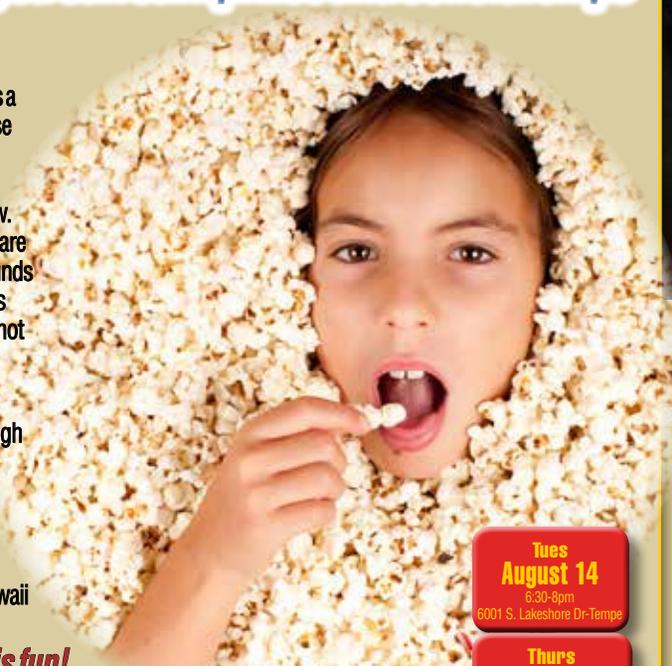
In addition to funds and prizes, scholarships are available through selling popcorn.

We have seen units enjoy more robust choices for planned activities and paying expenses, including going to a camp in Hawaii and a trip to D.C.,

and selling popcorn is fun!

There are many ways selling popcorn can be done. Customers can even buy popcorn to be sent to our Military Troops, supporting two good causes, if they don't want to eat it themselves.

Also, it's sanctioned by BSA.



Popcorn Kick-Off Meeting

Training for Unit Leaders

To participate in the popcorn fundraiser sign up with (our Popcorn vendor) **Trail's End** at this link

Tues August 14
6:30-8pm
6001 S. Lakeshore Dr-Tempe

Thurs August 16
6:30-8pm
9543 W. Jomax Rd. Peoria



<https://scouting.trails-end.com/tools/recruit/signup?council=b78973b5-f21c-11e5-a5eb-0632e198f0a5&campaign=660571b9-eb34-11e7-845d-0ea49884a45e>



And, then there's the occasional over-achiever... who tries to earn 'em all.



They are the remarkable ones who rise to the challenge.



That happens in Scouting
Central District • BSA



Saturday August 11
(7:30am Ck-in) 8:00am - Noon
Rose Garden Chapel
2939 West Rose Garden Ln.
Phx, AZ 85027

Activities

30 Yard Dash, Push Ups in 1 Minute, Sit Ups in 1 Minute,

Standing Long Jump, Running Long Jump, Cub Marathon, and Softball Throw

Makes a perfect "plug-n-play" summer time event for packs and helps towards JTE.

Cost: \$10 per participant

*includes Cub Scout Olympix T-Shirt if registered by early registration deadline August 3, *walk-ins welcome, but cannot guarantee t-shirt

This is an open competition for **ALL PACKS, ALL BOYS & GIRLS** ages 5-11, All kids "in or not in Scouting from all over the state! Scouts are encouraged to "Invite-A-Friend" to participate with them. Participants compete in 7 different fitness events. Awards for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place are given to the top combined scores for each age group. (Boys vs Boys. Girls vs Girls). Softball Throw will be done in early morning and is our **ONLY** outdoor event. The remaining events will be held inside in the Gym.

<https://scoutingevent.com/010-SSCubScoutOlympix2018>



**Every Youth Deserves
a Well Trained Adult Leader**

Robert Baden Powell

Training Opportunities

Scoutmaster Leader Specific and Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills (IOLS)

This is a *Super Weekend* of hands-on training, giving adult leaders a practical introduction to the patrol method of a boy-led troop by teaching many of the practical outdoor skills they need to lead Scouts in the out-of-doors. This training is all you need to get up to speed as a scoutmaster or assistant scoutmaster. Committee members are also invited to attend. Working as patrols, this hands-on course provides adult

**Fri-Sat
October 19-20**
Heard Scout Pueblo

leaders the practical outdoor skills they need to lead scouts in the out-of-doors. You'll learn the basic skills required to teach your scouts as they earn the First Class rank. Plus, you'll better understand the aims and methods of scouting, the patrol method, rank advancement and budgeting. Bring camping gear including a tent for Friday night. Saturday breakfast and lunch will be provided.

Register now and save on this all-in-one combined training.

[Scoutingevent.com/010-scoutmaster](https://scoutingevent.com/010-scoutmaster)

**Saturday
August 4th**
Council Service Center

Today's Advancement

Every unit should have at least one adult familiar with current advancement procedures. We have another opportunity here in 2018 for you to catch up on all of the changes. "Today's Advancement" will be taught August 4 (noon to 5:00pm) at the Council Service Center, 2969 N Greenfield Rd. Cost is \$5.00, and you can register at:

<https://scoutingevent.com/010-TodayAdvAug>

"Today's Advancement" course provides new and experienced unit, district and council advancement administrators in-depth education regarding the management of advancement according to the Guide to Advancement. The education covers such topics as management of unit advancement programs, building advancement committees, available advancement education materials, mechanics of advancement, coordinating positions of responsibilities, the Merit Badge program, boards of review, Eagle Scout applications, the Eagle Scout Service Project, and other important advancement topics.

Are You **New**
To Your
District Leadership
Position?



and you're not really sure what it means to lead a committee or a team?



THE LEADERSHIP ACADEMY PRESENTS

THE HEART OF LEADERSHIP

FUNDAMENTALS OF LEADERSHIP FOR DISTRICT LEADERS & VOLUNTEERS

**Saturday
September 8th**
Council Service Center
8:00am - 4:00pm

Topics Covered:

- What does leadership really look like?
- Team dynamics and stages of team development
- Leadership styles and optimizing your team's strengths
- Meeting the personal and practical needs of your team
- District "culture" and its impact on your volunteers & their accountability
- Using your personal power to influence others

Who Should Attend?

District Chairs, District Commissioners, Volunteer Development, Program, Membership, Finance, Communications Chairs and Metrics Coordinator and Functional Committee Team Chairs



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<https://scoutingevent.com/010-2018JuneHeartofLeadership>





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Arrow Tips (to-do list) for August and September

- Attend a fall induction weekend
- Nominate a deserving person for Vigil
- Prepare for the 2018 – 2019 program year



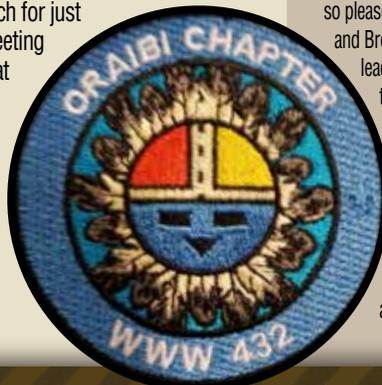
Chapter Meetings

The Central District serves units from parts of the following three former districts: Camelback (Oraibi Chapter), Thunderbird (Tovakinpi Chapter), and Lake Pleasant (Walpi Paho Chapter). Wipala Wiki Lodge is retaining the chapter boundaries based on the former districts through at least the end of 2018.

The Oraibi Chapter meets on the second Thursday of each month from August to May at 1316 East Cheery Lynn Road (LDS building). Pickup basketball starts at 6:00 pm, and the meeting starts at 7:00 pm. The date and location for Tovakinpi Chapter meetings is not available at this time. Contact chapter adviser Jonathon Taylor for the most current information. The Walpi Paho Chapter meets at 7:00 pm on the fourth Thursday at 8155 West Thunderbird Road (New Life Community Church). Units with arrowmen should be sending their troop OA representatives to facilitate communication between the chapter, unit leadership, and the units' arrowmen.

Show Your Chapter Spirit

Get an Oraibi Chapter patch for just \$3. Come to a chapter meeting or the chapter snack bar at district and lodge events to purchase. Walpi Paho Chapter has short-sleeved T-shirts for \$15.



Details for Arrow Tip 1 (Fall Inductions)

The Order of the Arrow is the brotherhood of cheerful service. Join your brothers at one or both fall ordeals (Camp Raymond in September and Heard Scout Pueblo in October) to connect with old friends and meet new ones. Enjoy great ceremonies and support the ceremony teams. Find out what exciting things other units and chapters are planning or have done. Represent your chapter at the Lodge Executive Committee meeting or the Vigil selection meeting. Serve on the kitchen or snack bar staff. Help with camp maintenance on a work crew. Guide candidates on their journeys as an elangomat.

Seal your membership in the Order by becoming a Brotherhood member. If you have been an Ordeal member for ten months or more, you can do the Brotherhood walk and ceremony on Saturday morning to enhance your understanding of the Order of the Arrow and earn a new sash with two bars representing your commitment.

Details for Arrow Tip 2 (Vigil Nominations)

After two or more years of brotherhood membership, those providing exceptional service to Scouting, BSA camps, the lodge, or the Order of the Arrow may be nominated for the Vigil Honor. Anybody can make this nomination to the lodge; the process is not limited to vigil members or even to arrowmen. The nomination form is on the lodge website (<http://www.wipalawiki.org/forms/>) and must be submitted to the chapter adviser for approval. The forms are due to the lodge at 1:00 pm on Saturday 9/8 at the Raymond Ordeal, so please submit them to your chapter adviser by Wednesday 9/5. You will need the candidate's Ordeal and Brotherhood dates, his / her camping nights and service hours since joining the Order, plus his / her leadership positions and training both in and out of the BSA. Additionally, an essay must accompany the nomination form which describes the nominee's character and the impact of his / her work.

Details for Arrow Tip Item 3 (New Program Year)

Many units hold their annual planning conferences during the summer. Make sure the Order of the Arrow is represented and considered. Check the lodge calendar for induction weekends, events, and training to avoid conflicting troop activities. Make sure the SPL appoints a troop OA representative who can encourage candidates and members on their journey to Brotherhood, recognize them as they move through the induction sequence, promote camping and service, and attend chapter meetings.

Calendar

- 7/30 – 8/4 National Order of the Arrow Conference (NOAC) – Indiana University**
- 8/9 Oraibi Chapter meeting**
- 8/23 Walpi Paho Chapter meeting**
- 9/7 – 9/9 Induction weekend**
(Ordeal & Brotherhood opportunity)
Camp Raymond
- 10/12 – 10/14 Induction weekend**
(Ordeal & Brotherhood opportunity)
Heard Scout Pueblo
- 10/19 – 10/21 Section W6W Conclave**
R-C Scout Ranch
- 10/26 – 10/28 Vamporee – Camp Geronimo**
- 11/17 Grand Canyon Braves' Pow Wow**

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