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# Cherokee Area Council

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October 18, 2021

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### Cub Scouts at the Pumpkin Patch

Pumpkins, Games, Pushcart Rides, and More!  
Girls and Boys kindergarten to Fifth grade.

**When:** Tuesday, October 19, 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM

**Where:** Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church, 801 SE Washington Blvd, Bartlesville

**Questions?** Contact [Becke Rakes](#), 918-766-2564

## Council Calendar

**Osage Hills (OH) District Roundtable & Order of the Arrow Chapter meeting - 1st Thursday of the month - Aug thru May**

**Osage Hills (OH) District Eagle Boards of Review - 2nd Thursday of the month**

**Grand Lake (GL) District Roundtable & Order of the Arrow Chapter meeting - 2nd Thursday of the month - Aug thru May**

**Monday, October 18**

[Youth Protection Training](#)

**Tuesday, October 19**

[Youth Protection Training](#)

**Tuesday, October 19**

[Cub Scouts at the Pumpkin Patch](#)

**Friday-Sunday, Oct. 22-24**

[OH District Spook-o-ree in the Osage](#)

**Saturday, October 23**

## Girl Troop DIY Campout

**When:** First weekend in November

**Where:** Camp McClintock

**Who:** Any Girl Troop in the Council

This is a DIY troop campout so units should plan their own meals. The Climbing Tower and Zipline will be open!

**Unit Registration** [CLICK HERE](#)



## [OH District Push Car Derby](#)

**Sunday, October 24**  
[Youth Protection Training](#) via Zoom

**Saturday, October 30**  
[Electronics Merit Badge Workshop](#) - Vinita

**Saturday, October 30**  
[Electronics Plus Workshop](#) - Vinita

**Friday-Sunday, November 5-7**  
[Girl Troop Campout](#) @ Camp McClintock

**Saturday, November 6**  
[Electronics Merit Badge Workshop](#) - Bartlesville

**Tuesday, November 9**  
[First Aid Merit Badge session #1 of 4](#) - Grove

**Thursday, November 11**  
[First Aid Merit Badge session #2 of 4](#) - Grove

**Friday, November 12**  
Vigil Weekend

**Tuesday, November 16**  
[First Aid Merit Badge session #3 of 4](#) - Grove

**Thursday, November 18**  
[First Aid Merit Badge session #4 of 4](#) - Grove

**Thursday-Friday, November 24-26**  
Scout Service Center closed for Thanksgiving

**Thursday-Friday, December 23-24**  
Scout Service Center closed for Christmas holiday

**Tuesday-Thursday, December 28-30**  
[Winter Camp](#) at Camp McClintock

**Friday-Saturday, January 7-8, 2022**  
Lodge Leadership Development and Winter

## Osage Hills District Training Dates



**Monday, October 18** - 6:30 PM - Youth Protection Training (YPT) - Scout Service Center

**Tuesday, October 19** - 6:30 PM - Youth Protection Training (YPT) - Scout Service Center

**Sunday, October 24** - 6:30 PM - Youth Protection Training (YPT) (ZOOM)

If you need any other training, please contact me and see what we can do about putting a class together for you.

Glendon Sanders  
OH District Executive

## Electronics Merit Badge Workshop - Vinita



Learn about transistors, resistors, schematics, LEDs, capacitors, soldering, control circuits, printed circuit boards.

Scouts will complete all requirements for the Electronics Merit Badge.

**When:** October 30, 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM

**Where:** First United Methodist Church, 314 W Canadian Ave, Vinita

**Cost:** FREE

Northeast Oklahoma Electric Coop is providing project materials and lunch. Electronic Tools supplied by Tulsa Section, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers

[Register Here](#)



### Electronics Plus Workshop - Vinita

Already have the Electronics Merit Badge? Ready for the challenge of a more complex project? Then sign up for Electronics Plus going on at the same time and place! Space Limited!

**When:** October 30, 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM

**Where:** First United Methodist Church, 314 W Canadian Ave, Vinita

**Cost:** FREE

[Register Here](#)

### Electronics Merit Badge Workshop - Bartlesville



Learn about transistors, resistors, schematics, LEDs, capacitors, soldering, control circuits, printed circuit boards.

Scouts will complete all requirements for the Electronics Merit Badge.

**When:** November 6th, 9:00 AM to 4:30 PM

**Where:** Scout Service Center, 520 S Quapaw, Bartlesville

**Cost:** FREE

SIEMENS is providing project materials and lunch. Electronic Tools supplied by Tulsa Section, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers

[Register here](#)

### First Aid Merit Badge



The First Aid Merit Badge will be taught in four (4) sessions at the Cowskin First Station #1 in Grove.

**When:** November 9, 11, 16, 18 - 6 PM to 9 PM

Banquet

**Saturday, February 19, 2022**  
[Winter Merit Badge Festival](#)

**Friday-Sunday,**  
**April 22-24, 2022**  
 Tri-Council Jamboree

**Where:** Cowskin Fire Station #1, 25891 S. 655 Rd, Grove

**Questions?** Rick Bronson - 918-791-1669 - [rickb@groveemail.com](mailto:rickb@groveemail.com)

[Register online](#)

## A Scout is Thrifty

Remember to save the following items for the OH District Spook-o-Ree (October 22-24) so we can decorate thriftily:

- **Laundry detergent plastic containers** that pods come in. All sizes and colors
- **Gallon Milk Jugs**. Empty and rinse well, please.
- **Burlap bags, spider webs, skeletons, bats, cauldrons, or any other Halloween decorations** from years gone by

These items can be dropped off at the Scout Service Center during the week.

We will also need **bags of candy for the carnival**.

If anyone has a contact for **small/med pumpkins** in bulk, please let me know. We are looking at around 200 pumpkins needed.

Glendon Sanders  
OH District Executive



## Osage Hills Fall Cub-o-ree - *Spook-o-ree in the Osage*

**When:** October 22-24

**Where:** Camp McClintock

Cub Scouts, Parents, and Siblings are invited to Participate Cost is \$10/person before Oct. 11 or \$20/person afterward.

- Hayride, spook trail, cracker barrel, movie, and more
- Camping available (optional) Friday and Saturday nights
- Families must provide their own meals (coordinate with your pack) and camping gear
- Friday: camp opens at 6:00 PM for those camping
- Saturday: gates open at 8:00 AM with activities starting at 9:00 AM

- Sunday: chapel service at 9:00 AM; camp closes at noon

### [Pre-Registration is Required!](#)

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#### Pay OA Lodge Dues Online

Arrowmen can now pay OA Lodge dues online. You can pay up to three years of dues.



Click [here](#) to access the OA Store.

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#### OA Vigil Weekend

**When:** November 12, 7:00 PM

**Where:** Camp McClintock

**Who:** Vigil Honor members of Washita Lodge

Please [REGISTER](#) so we have a headcount for dinner!

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#### Winter Merit Badge Festival

**When:** Saturday, February 19, 2022

**Where:** St. James Church, 5500 Douglas Lane, Bartlesville

Ten Eagle-required merit badges will be offered.

- Camping
- Citizenship in the Community
- Citizenship in the Nation
- Citizenship in the World
- Communication
- Cooking
- Environmental Science
- First Aid
- Personal Fitness
- Personal Management

Event coordinators are working to confirm merit badge counselors for several non-Eagle-required merit badges.

If there is a particular non-Eagle-required merit badge you would like to see offered, please contact [Henry Robin](#).

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#### New Internet Recharter Process

To improve systems and increase the speed and efficiency in processes while reducing costs, the current Internet Recharter system will be phased out. All units with a charter expiration date of December 31, 2021, and beyond, will be submitted through a new system located in [Internet Advancement 2.0](#).

More information and training materials will be released in September. See the [FAQ](#) for additional information. Connect [here](#) to see the sneak preview of the new system!

The new system in Internet Advancement 2.0 will open on October 15, 2021, for all charters with an expiration date of 12/31/2021. A training environment and walkthrough guides will be disbursed in mid-September.

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