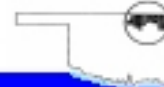


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# Cherokee Area Council

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April 25, 2022

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**IMPORTANT  
ANNOUNCEMENT**

**Osage Hills District  
Unit Leaders**

## Council Calendar

### Osage Hills District Roundtable

January 15, April 9, July 9,  
October 1 at Camp McClintock

### Grand Lake District Roundtable

2nd Thursday of the month,  
August through May

[Click here to see the full  
Council calendar](#)

### Monday, April 25, 2022

Scout Service Center closed

### Saturday, May 7, 2022

[Osage Hills District Cub Scout  
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### Saturday, May 7, 2022

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### Saturday, May 7, 2022

[Introduction to Leadership  
Skills for Troops](#)

### Monday, May 9, 2002

**Camp Cards** for the Osage Hills District are available for pickup at the Scout office

## Fall Popcorn Sales Information and Dates



Please check the [Popcorn Sales Information](#) for complete information about the Fall Popcorn Sales.

**REMEMBER** that popcorn sales are one of the items required towards achieving the 2023 Baden Powell Free Rank Advancement Program.

This year we're trying **something new** to go along with the popcorn sales. In addition to popcorn, we're going to be selling **Durham's Nuts and Trail Mixes**. Hopefully, this will be another way units can raise money for Scouting activities.

The first Take Order for Durham's will be due to the Council office on October 1st. The date of the second take order due date will be announced.

We will have two delivery dates that will be announced. One delivery date will be for the Thanksgiving holiday and the second delivery date will be for the Christmas holiday.

Click [HERE](#) for complete information about **Durham's Nuts and Trail Mixes**.



The **Scout Service Center** will be closed **Monday, April 25th**.



## Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops

**When:** Saturday, May 7, 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

**Where:** First Free Will Baptist Church, 2336 N. Main, Miami

Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops (ISLT) is training for youth leadership in Scouts BSA Troops.

## [In-Person Youth Protection Training](#)

**Friday-Saturday, May 20-21, 2022**  
[OA Summer Ordeal](#)

**Friday, May 27, 2022**  
[Swim Check Event](#)

**Monday, May 30, 2022**  
Scout Service Center closed

**Tuesday, May 31, 2022**  
[Council Banquet](#)

**Wednesday-Friday, June 1-3, 2022**  
[Osage Hills District Cub Scout Day Camp](#) at Camp McClintock

**Friday, June 3, 2022**  
[Scouting Golf Tournament](#)

**Wednesday-Friday, June 8-10, 2022**  
[Grand Lake District Cub Scout Day Camp](#)

**Monday, July 4, 2022**  
Scout Service Center closed

**Thursday, July 21, 2022**  
[Popcorn Kickoff](#)

**Monday-Saturday, July 25-30, 2022**  
[National Order of the Arrow Conference](#) at University of Tennessee

**Wednesday, July 27, 2022**  
[Unit Show & Sell Orders Due Take Order Sales Begin](#)

**Saturday, July 30, 2022**  
[Osage Hills District Cub Scout STEM Nova](#)

**Tuesday, August 9, 2022**  
Executive Board Meeting

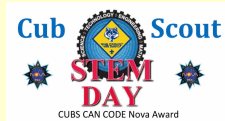
**Saturday, August 20, 2022**  
[GL District Hooked on Scouting](#)

**Friday, August 26, 2022**  
[Show & Sell Popcorn Distribution](#)

It will cover Planning, Responsibilities, Advancement, Teaching Skills, and Safety for your Troop's youth leadership.

Because lunch is provided, event organizers ask that attendees register [HERE](#)

**Osage Hills District Cub  
Scout STEM Day  
CUBS CAN CODE**



**When:** Saturday, May 7

**Where:** American Legion, 400 Veterans Blvd., Ramona, OK

**Who:** Wolf, Bear, Webelos, & AOL - Tigers and Lions cannot earn the NOVA awards but can participate WITH AN ADULT and receive an alternate patch

**Cost:** \$5 per Cub Scout to cover supplies and lunch

**Lunch:** Sloppy Joe, chips, and a dessert

NOVA Awards focus on exposing Scouts to Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) while having fun!

Cubs Can Code is designed to help Cub Scouts explore how people instruct computers and how they affect our everyday life.

This STEM day will help Scouts complete ALL the requirements for the award which they will receive at the end of the day.

Register [HERE](#)

Questions? Contact [Becke Rakes](#).



**Scouts Trash the Trash Day**

**When:** Saturday, May 7

**What:** Join Cherokee Area Council units as we participate in Trash the Trash day.

This is an International Messengers of Peace project for Scouts around the world. Each Unit may plan its own project or decide to work together.

**Monday, September 5, 2022**  
Scout Service Center closed

**Friday, Sept. 9, 2022**  
[Fill-It-Up Drawing](#)

**Saturday, Sept. 10, 2022**  
[OH District Hooked on Scouting](#)

**Saturday, Sept. 17, 2022**  
OA Work Day at Camp McClintock

**Friday, Sept. 23, 2022**  
[Fill-It-Up Drawing](#)

**Friday-Sunday,  
September 23-25, 2022**  
[Fall Camporee](#) at Camp McClintock

**Saturday, October 1, 2022**  
[GL District Fun-o-Ree](#)

**Saturday, October 1, 2022**  
[Durham's Take Orders due](#)

**Tuesday, October 4, 2022**  
[Show & Sell Popcorn Ends](#)

**Thursday, October 6, 2022**  
[Fill-It-Up Drawing](#)

**Friday, October 7, 2022**  
[Take Order Popcorn Sales Ends & Prize Portal Opens](#)

**Friday, October 7, 2022**  
[Show & Sell Invoice Due](#)

**Tuesday, October 11, 2022**  
Executive Board Meeting

**Friday-Sunday, October 14-16, 2022**  
[OA Fall Fellowship & Ordeal](#)

**Saturday, October 22, 2022**  
[OH District Fall Cub-o-ree](#) at Camp McClintock

**Thursday, October 27, 2022**  
[Take Order Popcorn Distribution](#)

**Friday-Sunday,**

Scout groups do not need to register for this event, but we ask you to [register](#) in order to measure the impact of Scouts on this world trash clean-up event.

Patches for the event are \$3.00 and can be ordered [here](#).

Find more information [HERE](#)

## In-Person Youth Protection Training



**When:** Monday, May 9, 6:00 PM

**Where:** Masonic Lodge, 237 N. Foreman St., Vinita

**Who:** Any Scout leader or parent who needs Youth Protection Training

Whether you are new to Scouting or a seasoned veteran, your YPT needs to be current! If yours expires in 2022 please join us for this in-person training or take it online at [www.my.scouting.org](http://www.my.scouting.org)



## Swim Check Event

The Grand Lake District will be holding a Swim Check Event on May 27<sup>th</sup> from 10 am to 2 pm at the [NEO A&M College](#) swimming pool located in the Field House @ 200 I St. NE in Miami, Oklahoma.

Here are some things you should know:

- There is NO COST for this event. It is open to all Scouts BSA/Sea Scouts members, Leaders, and Arrow of Light Scouts. (Sorry. No Cub Scouts!)
- This is a come-and-go event to help you and your Scouts get Swim Checks done before summer camp or for the members of the Sea Scout Ship. Swim Checks are required annually for all Scouts BSA and Scouters who plan to be on the water!
- Check-in and swim checks start at 10 am. We will do check-ins until 1 pm and swim checks will continue until the pool closes at 2 pm. If you show up after 1 pm you risk not getting a swim-check done for your Scouts!

**November 4-6, 2022**

[GL District Webelos Woods](#)

**Friday-Saturday,**

**November 11-12, 2022**

OA Vigil Weekend

**Tuesday, November 22, 2022**

[Take Order Invoice Due](#)

**Wednesday-Friday,**

**November 23-25, 2022**

Scout Service Center closed

**Saturday, December 3, 2022**

[Popcorn \\$1,200 Party](#)

**Tuesday, December 6, 2022**

[Take Order Prize Portal Closes](#)

**Tuesday, December 13, 2022**

Executive Board Meeting

**Tuesday, December 13, 2022**

Annual Meeting

**Friday, December 23, 2022**

Scout Service Center closed

**Monday, December 26, 2022**

Scout Service Center closed

**Tuesday-Thursday,**

**December 27-29, 2022**

[Winter Camp](#) at Camp McClintock

**Friday, December 30, 2022**

Scout Service Center closed

**Monday, January 2, 2023**

Scout Service Center closed

**Wednesday-Friday,**

**July 19-28, 2023**

[National Scout Jamboree](#)

- A [waiver form](#) will need to be filled out and signed by a parent or guardian prior to the swim check. If you do not bring one with you, we will have copies at the event, but the Scout will need a parent or guardian present to sign the waiver!
- Scoutmasters will be responsible for making sure they have a [current filled out BSA medical form A&B](#) present.

We will provide your Scoutmaster or leader with proof of swim classification before you leave.

What you will need to bring!

- Swimsuit (appropriate for Scouting)
- Towel
- Dry clothes (there will be facilities for changing)
- [Signed NEO Swimming Pool Waiver](#)
- Current filled out [BSA Medical forms A&B](#)

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. I hope to see you all there!

[Adam Husong](#)

Grand Lake District Executive

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## Council Banquet



**When:** Tuesday, May 31, 6:00 P.M.

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

**Who:** All Scouting families in Cherokee Area  
Council

**Cost:** \$12 per person

Come enjoy a "Bruce Hendren" steak, chicken, baked potatoes, salad, and dessert dinner while we recognize Council volunteers for their service to the council during the past year.

We will also honor this year's class of Eagle Scouts.

Please [register](#) by **May 25th** so dinner organizers will have a headcount for dinner.

You can also "Adopt an Eagle Scout" to help defray part of the cost of the Eagle kit that is provided when the Eagle Scout rank is awarded.



## Annual Scouting Golf Tournament

**When:** June 3rd - Registration and lunch begins at 11:30 AM - Shotgun start at 1:00 PM

**Where:** Adams Municipal Golf Course, 5801 Tuxedo Blvd., Bartlesville

Check the [event flyer](#) for more information

Registration is available [HERE](#)

Sponsorship information is [HERE](#)



## Request from a Scouter

My name is Daniel Stanley Scoutmaster for Troop 54 in Miami. I'm reaching out for help on a Wood Badge ticket.

I want to put together a shareable list of Merit Badge Counselors in the Cherokee Area Council. I'm hoping this can be a useful tool for everyone, as well as one that we can update as needed.

Needed information includes:

- Merit Badge and qualifications to teach
- Name of MB counselor
- Phone number and Email address
- Home Location
- Distance MB counselor will travel from home location
- Days available
- Length of MB class

Once MB Counselors have been identified, and before the list of MB Counselors can be shared, the Council office will verify the MB Counselor's application and training.

If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out - email [Kamen74363@gmail.com](mailto:Kamen74363@gmail.com) or phone 918-541-6173.

Thank You,  
Daniel Stanley

## Scout Night at the Drillers

**When:** July 22



**Cost:** \$15 for the game only OR  
\$20 for the game and spend the  
night out on the field.

Ticket prices include a 2022 Drillers Scout Night  
patch.

***More details to come!***

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