



Cherokee Area Council

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**September 2
Scout Service
Center will be
closed**

Sky Trail Adventure Challenge

When: Saturday,
September 14, 8:00 AM to
1:00 PM

Where: Osage Hills State Park

Trail running, wall climbing, ziplining, and kayaking! Professionally timed and open to anyone 18 and over

Sign up [HERE](#)



Council Calendar

Osage Hills District Roundtable

1st Thursday of the month,
August through May

Grand Lake District Roundtable

2nd Thursday of the month,
September through May

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

Friday, August 23, 2024

[Show & Sell Distribution -
Sale Begins](#)

Mon., Sept. 2, 2024

Scout Service Center closed

Sat., Sept. 7, 2024

[Scout-O-Rama](#) -
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Fri., Sept. 13, 2024

[Fill It Up Drawing #1](#)

Sat., Sept. 14, 2024

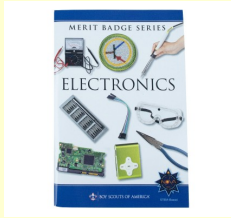
[Electronics Merit Badge
Workshop](#) - Vinita

Sat., Sept. 14, 2024

[Sky Trail Adventure
Challenge](#)

Fri., Sept. 27, 2024

Volunteers are also needed (7:00 a.m. to 1 p.m.). Please get in touch with Tiffany Cook at Tiffany.Cook@scouting.org if you can help.



Electronics Merit Badge Workshop

When: Saturday,
September 14, 9:00 AM to
4:30 PM

Where: First United Methodist Church - 314 W. Canadian Ave. - Vinita, OK 74301

Class size: 15

Learn about transistors, resistors, schematics, LEDs, capacitors, soldering, control circuits, and printed circuit boards. Scouts will complete all requirements for the Electronics Merit Badge. SIEMENS provides project materials and lunch—soldering tool kits supplied by the Tulsa Section, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.

Register [HERE](#) - Registrants on the waiting list will be contacted if space becomes available.



Fall Camporee 2024 Back to Scouting Basics



When: Friday, Oct. 11 to
Sunday, Oct.13

Where: Camp McClintock

Cost:

- Scouts - \$15 / \$20 after September 30
- Adults - \$10 / \$20 after September 30

Registration opened on August 15th.

Register [HERE](#)

Each Patrol will compete in the **Patrol Basic Scouting Skill Challenge** on Saturday. Patrols will be scored on their collective ability to demonstrate the basic scout skills needed to become a First Class Scout.

[Fill It Up Drawing #2](#)

Sat., Sept. 28, 2024

[GL Hooked on Scouting](#)

Tues., October 1, 2024

[Show & Sell Ends](#)

Friday, October 4, 2024

[Fill It Up Drawing #3](#)

Friday, October 4, 2024

[Show & Sell invoice due at the Scout office](#)

Friday, October 4, 2024

[Take Order Sale Ends - Unit Orders due to Council](#)

Friday, October 4, 2024

[Pecan Take Order Sale Begins](#)

Tuesday, October 8, 2024

Executive Board meeting

Friday, October 11, 2024

[Prize Portal opens](#)

Fri.- Sun., Oct. 11-13, 2024

[Fall Camporee](#) - **NOTE DATE CHANGE**

Fri.-Sun., Oct. 25-27, 2024

[OA Fall Fellowship & Ordeal](#) - **NOTE DATE CHANGE**

Friday, October 25, 2024

[Take Order distribution](#)

Sat., November 2, 2024

[OH Cuboree](#) - **NOTE DATE CHANGE**

Monday, November 4, 2024

[1st Pecan orders due at the Scout Office with payment](#)

Friday, November 8, 2024

[1st Pecan orders distribution](#)

Fri.-Sat., Nov. 15-16, 2024

[OA Vigil Weekend](#)

The three units with the highest total scores based on their patrol's Basic Scouting Skill Challenge scores and camp inspection scores will be awarded Camporee Honor Units.

In addition, the three highest patrol scores on each event will be recognized.

All awards will be presented at the evening campfire on Saturday night.

Camporee Chair Kenneth Roark
Program Chair John Rogers
District Executive Summer Lamb

Click [HERE](#) for updated **2024 Popcorn and Miller Pecan Sales information.**

Your Scouts can apply now for the 2024-25 Scouts BSA Youth Council

The Scouts BSA Youth Council, aimed at putting youth perspectives central in program decision-making, provides an incredible opportunity for qualified youth to give input and shape strategy on some of the most important topics in the organization.

Now in its fourth year, the council is ready to fill its ranks with a new lineup of Scouts for the 2024-25 term.

For the next few months, youth at least 14 years old and not yet 18 during the entire term (October 2024 through May 2025) may apply if they meet the following criteria:

- Currently in the Scouts BSA program
- Achieved First Class rank or higher
- Serving or have previously served in a [position of responsibility](#) in a Scouts BSA troop

Qualified Scouts can apply for the youth council using [this online application](#). The deadline to apply is August 31, 2024.

[More about the youth council, time commitment, and application process](#)



**Camp Masters Popcorn
Training**

CAMP MASTERS Presents

Saturday, Nov. 16, 2024

[Electronics Merit Badge
Workshop](#) - Bartlesville

Friday, November 22, 2024

[Take Order invoice due](#)

Friday, November 22, 2024

[Prize Portal Closes](#)

Wed.-Fri., Nov. 27-29, 2024

Scout Service Center closed

Monday, December 2, 2024

[2nd Pecan orders due at the
Scout Office with payment](#)

Friday, December 6, 2024

[2nd Pecan orders distribution](#)

Sat., December 7, 2024

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

Sat., December 7, 2024

[Bartlesville Christmas Parade](#)

Tuesday, Dec. 10, 2024

Executive Board & Annual
Business Meeting

Sat., Dec. 14, 2024

[Wreaths Across America](#)

Sat., Dec. 14, 2024

Dewey Christmas Parade

Tue.-Wed., Dec. 24-26, 2024

Scout Service Center closed

Fri.-Mon., Dec. 27-30, 2024

[Winter Camp](#)

Michael Beck and How to Sell \$10,000 in a weekend!

There are four training dates to choose from.

This training is good for Popcorn Kernels, Parents, and Unit Leaders. It has been proven successful repeatedly, providing all the money Units and Scouts need for their entire year of Scouting. It also teaches skills that will benefit them throughout their life.

[SIGN UP](#)

National Membership Kickoff Webinar

Did you miss the 2024 National Membership Kickoff Webinar? Watch it [HERE!](#)

The event featured tons of information, tips, and details on how you can have a great recruiting season.

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