

# Buckskin Council Courier

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## 2020 Fall Popcorn Sale FUNd Your Adventure!

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Everyone loves Camp Masters Popcorn! Earn money for your Scouting Adventure by selling some DEE-LICOUS popcorn. Your unit can earn enough to pay for an entire year of program. Youth build confidence and learn life skills along the way.

This year the Popcorn Kickoff will be a Virtual Council-wide event on August 11th at 7:00 pm. Unit Popcorn Chairs and Unit Leaders must attend the Virtual Kickoff. Registration is required. Go to [www.buckskin.org/popcorn](http://www.buckskin.org/popcorn) to register.

Find out what's new this year and how Camp Masters can make your Scouting year a success. (For a little sneak peek, go to [www.buckskin.org/popcorn](http://www.buckskin.org/popcorn) and learn about free shipping for all online sales and the new Camp Masters Scout App.)

Turn in your Popcorn Commitment Form found on page 5 so we can get your unit set up on Camp Masters website to place popcorn orders.

Units will earn 31% profit on their sales but you can earn an additional 2% profit if you:

1. Attend the Virtual Kickoff
2. Turn in a copy of your unit's calendar and budget - it's the same calendar you give to new families plus the budget you calculated to set your popcorn goal.
3. Turn in a list of Scouts attending your meetings.
4. Pay your popcorn bill at popcorn pickup or before.



### Important Dates to Remember

Show & Sell order due	July 31, 2020
Virtual Popcorn Training	August 11, 2020
Show & Sell order pickup	August 14-15, 2020
Popcorn Sale begins	September 1, 2020
Orders due by Noon	October 26, 2020
Popcorn Pickup	November 13, 2020



## Council Officers

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## Council Calendar

### August

- 13 Executive Committee Mtg, 6:00 pm
- 27 Council Commissioner Mtg, 7:00 pm

### September

- 7 Labor Day - Service Center & Shops Closed
- 10 Executive Board Mtg., 6:00 pm
- 12 Sporting Clay Classic, The Summit
- 12 Charleston Shop open, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
- 18/19 BALOO, Camp Arrowhead
- 26 Huntington Shop open, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

### October

- 8 Executive Committee Mtg, 6:00 pm
- 17 Charleston Shop open, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm
- 23-24 BALOO/IOLS, Camp Roland
- 31 Huntington Shop open, 9:00 am - 1:00 pm

***Thank You to our  
Buckskin Council Champions  
for helping to support Scouting in  
the local community!***

LOC Investment Advisors  
Swope Construction Company  
CRAMER Security & Investigations  
Mike Carey  
John Miesner  
PCG, Inc.  
Rish Equipment Company  
Walker Machinery  
Kanawha Stone  
State Electric Supply



### Tudor's/Gino's Cards

The Tudor's/Gino's Card is available year round to help fund your scouting experience. You can purchase the cards for \$5 each and sell them for \$10 at your own pace or check them out and return the \$5 cash for each card you sell along with the cards you did not sell.

Stop by the Service Center or one of the Scout Shops and check out some Gino's/Tudor's cards. The Card has \$60 worth of coupons for everyone's favorite items for only \$10.

**Units earn \$5 for every card they sell!**

Make a difference while you shop!

At [smile.amazon.com](http://smile.amazon.com)  
and Amazon donates.

Support your local council.



<http://smile.amazon.com/ch/55-0357013>



### *A Message from the Scout Executive*

Dear Fellow Scouters,

It has been a remarkable summer, to say the least. Many of the typical summertime activities have been canceled or significantly changed as we have had to navigate the covid 19 pandemic. And it looks like this coming fall will have its challenges too.

Many Scouting activities are just not happening. But in their place a new opportunity has presented itself. Virtual Scouting has made a big splash in the Scouting world. Online merit badge colleges, virtual campouts, Scout meetings, and more have been happening in spite of covid 19. That's awesome and a great testament to the ingenuity of Scouts and Scouters. And it makes me realize that we can get through this together. Changing, modifying, adapting and improving the delivery of the Scouting program while still maintaining the core values. I challenge everyone to continue the good work of Scouting in any capacity possible. The youth in our communities need and deserve it!

There will be a time when the current turmoil will have passed. We will get back to a new normal. But Scouting is still important now, and in the future. Please continue to do Scouting in any and every way possible.

Good Scouting to you and yours.

Jeffrey L. Purdy  
Scout Executive



### **SPECIAL THANKS**

Volunteers are the heart of Scouting and in the Buckskin Council we have a group who quietly serve you by making sure the newsletters and other key communications are prepared, labeled and mailed. It is important to let our leaders know who these folks are so you can thank them when you see them.

An extra special thank you to the Wunderly family for stepping up to help us fold the May Courier so that our regular helpers could stay home and avoid exposure.

The Newsletter is folded on the last Tuesday of each month, between August and May, starting around 8:30 am and ending around noon. If you would like to join this great group of people, call the Scout Service Center at 304-340-3663 and let us know. We would greatly appreciate your help!!!!

A sincere ***Thank You*** to our  
**Pacesetter Partners**  
for helping support Scouting in  
Buckskin Council.

**Elliot Family Foundation**

**John L. Dickinson Family**

**City National Bank**

**B B & T**

**United Bank**

**Natural Resource Partners L.P.**

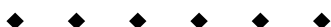
**D. Stephen Walker**

**Health Net Aeromedical Services**

**H. Bernard Wehrle, Sr.**  
**Scout Leadership Service Center**  
**and Scout Shop Hours**  
**2829 Kanawha Blvd E**  
**Charleston, WV 25311**  
**Monday-Friday 8:30 am-4:30 pm**  
 Phone: 304-340-3663/fax 304-925-0533



**Huntington Scout Shop**  
**1037 Sixth Ave**  
**Huntington, WV 25701**  
**Monday-Friday 9:00 am-5:00 pm**  
 Phone: 304-523-3408/fax 304-523-3409



**Parkersburg Scout Shop**  
**1117 Garfield Ave**  
**Parkersburg, WV 26101**  
**Monday-Friday 9:00 am-5:00 pm (No Saturdays)**  
 Phone: 304-422-4507/ fax 304-428-8594

**Charleston and Huntington Scout Shops are open**  
**one Saturday a month from 9:00 am - 1:00 pm**

**The specific dates are listed below:**

Charleston Shop	Huntington Shop
Sept. 12	Sept. 26
Oct. 17	Oct. 31
Nov. 14	Nov. 21
Dec. 12	Dec. 19
Jan. 9	Jan. 23
Feb. 13	Feb. 27
Mar. 13*	Mar. 20

\* Charleston Shop open at University of Scouting

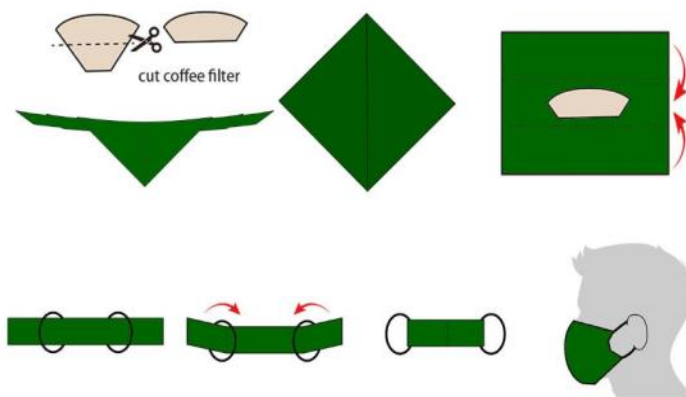
## **Stop by your local Scout Shop and** **pick up an extra neckerchief** **to make your own** **Scout Face Mask!**

What You'll Need to Make a Neckerchief Face Covering

- Triangular Scout neckerchief, Coffee filter, 2 large rubber bands or elastic hair ties, Scissors

1. Cut the coffee filter into a wedge shape.
2. Unfold your neckerchief, then fold in the two points to form a square.
3. Place the coffee filter in the center of the neckerchief.
4. Fold the neckerchief into thirds, by folding the top down and the bottom up.
5. Slide the neckerchief through the rubber bands (or hair ties), so they're about six inches apart.
6. Fold each side to the middle, and tuck one into the other.
7. Place the mask on your face, with a rubber band over each ear. You may need to adjust the mask so it fits the sides of your face snugly but comfortably.

**\*\*Face Mask Design courtesy of [boyslife.org](https://www.boyslife.org)**



### **SAFETY RECALL - Cub Scouts Outdoor Activity Pin**

The substrate of the pin shaft or face may contain levels of lead that exceed federal limits.

The pins were sold at Boy Scouts of America retail outlets and authorized distributors nationwide, and online at [scoutshop.org](https://scoutshop.org) from April 2016 to January 2020 for approximately \$1.19.

Consumers should immediately stop using the recalled products and return them to a Boy Scouts of America retail store for a refund or credit. Or customers may contact the Boy Scouts of America's distribution center at the phone number or URL shown below for a refund or credit.

For additional information, contact Boy Scouts of America at 1-800-323-0736 from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. ET or visit the Boy Scouts of America website at [www.scoutshop.org](https://www.scoutshop.org).

# Unit Commitment Form

## 2020 Fall Popcorn Sale



**Yes**, my unit would like to participate in the  
Fall 2020 Camp Masters Popcorn Sale!

\_\_\_\_\_ **Show & Sell**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Take Order**

**Unit Number:** \_\_\_\_\_ **District:** \_\_\_\_\_

Pack, Troop, Crew, Ship, Post

**Unit Leader:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Unit Popcorn chairperson (this should be DIFFERENT than the unit leader):**

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(Only one name per unit and it must be the person that will be in charge of the unit's popcorn sale)

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **City:** \_\_\_\_\_  
We need a physical address for prize delivery!

**State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** home: \_\_\_\_\_ work: \_\_\_\_\_

cell: \_\_\_\_\_

**E:Mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

**We must have an email address in order for your unit to order popcorn or prizes!**

**Approx. number of Scouts in unit:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Number of adults in unit:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete this form and return it to the Buckskin Council Office by August 1, 2020.

You may mail the form to: Buckskin Council, BSA  
Attn: Fall Popcorn Sale  
2829 Kanawha Blvd, E  
Charleston, WV 25311

or fax it to: 304-925-0533





### **Family Fun Fest - Build Your Adventure**

If you like funny pets, rockets and astronauts, Pinewood Derby cars, movie make-up artists and backyard camping then you'll love Family Fun Fest! It's outdoor adventure you can have online!

This very special online-only event is just for families like yours! There will be cool hands-on activities, interviews with amazing people, opportunities to make your community better with a service project.

And you can join in on the fun with activities you can do at home – like building your own pinewood derby car!

If you're a Cub Scout you'll love it! If you want to find out about all the fun and cool things Scouts do – this is your chance! It's always more fun with friends – so Invite your friends to join you online for Family Fun Fest!

For more information go to [www.scouting.org/familyfunfest](http://www.scouting.org/familyfunfest).



### **National Scout Jamboree 2021 Postponed**

On July 14th the National Jamboree Committee announced that the 2021 National Scout Jamboree has been postponed. This decision was made based on “the unpredictability of the pandemic and the impact it's had on councils this year”. The postponement of the National Scout Jamboree has only occurred one other time, in 1935. That postponement was also due to a national health crisis. President Franklin D. Roosevelt issued a Presidential Proclamation cancelling the jamboree because of an outbreak of infantile paralysis (Polio).

Council contingent members have been directed to their local council regarding refunds. Buckskin Council will refund your paid fees.

The Council was required to make periodic payments to guarantee our contingent's place at the Jamboree. Participant refunds will be made after the Council has received a refund of the fees it has paid to NSJ. We regret the delay in making these refunds.

A Jamboree task force of volunteers and staff, appointed by national Boy Scouts of America leadership, will recommend a new date for this event.

If you have any questions, contact the Council Service Center at 304-340-3663.



### **Leader Disclosure Forms**

**The BSA is now performing periodic rechecks of criminal backgrounds to support the continued safety of youth in our programs.** Leaders are reminded that you are required to submit an updated Background Disclosure Form before the end of the year.

To the many leaders who have already submitted their forms, we thank you! If you haven't submitted your signed form yet, please do so right away. You'll find the forms in the appendix of the e-version of the Courier or go to

[www.buckskin.org/news/disclosure-authorization-2019/](http://www.buckskin.org/news/disclosure-authorization-2019/)

Thank you for being the dedicated leaders our Scouts need!



# TAKHONEK LODGE

## ORDER OF THE ARROW, LODGE #617



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### ZOOM Elections

By this time we are sure everyone has participated in some type of ZOOM event to attend a meeting or for educational purposes. The lodge elections team has stepped up to the bat and worked very diligently to provide a way for Takhonek lodge to still hold unit elections. Unit elections is one of the most, if not the most, important task we have as arrowmen. To keep our program moving forward and growing we must continue with unit elections. This gives the lodge an opportunity to not only elect new candidates but also to get information to the Troops about the Order of the Arrow. **ZOOM elections can be scheduled through your Chapters or you can contact our Lodge Chief Jack Monks, or Steve Young for more information.**

### Momentum: Launch

At a time when we are struggling to get together with fellow arrowmen the National Order of the Arrow has put together a great program that will take place August 4th -6th. Below is information from the National event registration portal about the opportunity. Want to participate in an exciting national event this summer without leaving the comfort of your home? We encourage you to join Arrowmen from across the nation for Momentum: Launch, a unique virtual event experience taking place August 4th-6th. Momentum: Launch is more than a virtual program, it's a fully interactive and engaging event experience that will launch the momentum our organization needs to continue filling its purpose during the new normal we find ourselves in. There are two different ways to experience Momentum: Launch. Anyone can view a live stream of the event's program at no cost and interact with Momentum: Launch over social media. There is no need to register for the event if you intend to participate this way. If you're interested in getting a little more from the event, you can register at the NOAERS, National Order of the Arrow Event Registration System, website. You can reach the NOAERS site at [www.registration.oa-bsa.org](http://www.registration.oa-bsa.org). Registered delegates will receive a full event experience, including: a mailed patch, access to an archive of streamed program content to view anytime, a chance to participate in the event-wide game, access to the event's community platform to connect with Arrowmen from across the nation, additional opportunities for engagement and interaction. However you decide to participate we hope you are able to enjoy fellowship over social media and are able to gather some tools to use to help further the future of our organization. Don't delay, register today and mark your calendars for Aug. 4th.

### Up Coming Events

If we have learned nothing else in the last few months, it's that we have to be prepared for an ever changing situation. As scouters and OA members we have been adapting and trying new things to keep our units and members active as possible. Please continue to be active with your units and chapters as much as possible. As the lodge we are planning on having scheduled events for the rest of this year. With this being said we will evaluate all state and local recommendations to hold safe events. We all appreciate your willingness to be flexible, patience and understanding as we evaluate each event and make appropriate decisions. The Vigil elections committee has been working and has made their vigil selections for the year 2020. Those selected will receive notification by mail shortly. **Your Lodge Leadership will keep you informed via email, social media, and lodge website about upcoming events. Please stay connected and feel free to reach out to leadership with any questions.** Conclave 2020 will now be held the weekend of September 25-27 at Seven Ranges Scout Reservation in Kensington, Ohio. Be sure to keep up with Section C-4 on social media to keep yourself informed on everything C-4 and Conclave related!

### 2020 Lodge Calendar

Date	Event	Location
Sep 11-13	Summit Fellowship <sup>0</sup>	The Summit
Sept 25-27	Conclave	Seven Rangers SR
Oct 9-11	Fall Ordeal <sup>*□</sup>	Camp Roland
Nov 6-8	FORUM	Camp Lazarus
Dec 12	Winter Banquet	The Summit

\* denotes Ordeal opportunity

□ denotes Brotherhood opportunity

<sup>0</sup> denotes Vigil opportunity

All registration links and more information on each event can be found by visiting [www.takhonek.org/registration](http://www.takhonek.org/registration).



## TRAINING CORNER

by Carol McCarthy

By now I hope you have been online to check and update all your training (especially YPT that expires). You can take any training you find there to expand your scouting experience as well.

HOW? Create an account and remember your password and username for signing back in to finish things. Be sure to complete ALL the YPT modules not just the supplemental ones. (When you are done it should allow you to print or save a certificate.)

Consider taking "District Committee Training" online as everyone should know how to support the District and what that Committee does.

Our "NEW NORMAL" is beginning to emerge in a short-term view as things begin to open back up with lots of rules still in place. It is more important than ever to check the council website ([buckskin.org](http://buckskin.org)) for updates on all things and what is available NOW! KEEP SCOUTING in the meantime: communicate with your unit, participants and parents. Work out options that keep our youth communicating and doing advancement work/projects, while following the rules.

How can your group fill a gap and still be at a safe distance? Live training is cancelled for now. Keep a watch on the website for virtual courses and Basic Leader Training by ZOOM. IOLS and BALOO are still scheduled for the fall (for now) and special consideration on that is in the works... so confirm that on the website later.

We are also designing a Virtual EDGE course for trainers.

**Cub Scouts Leaders:** We already offer a Cub Leader Virtual training...just reach out to Carol or Sue to arrange that. It takes about 2 hours and you will get full credit for being trained. Check the training coming up on the calendar!

**Scouts BSA Leaders:** A big thank you to Sue Williams and Rosann Brooks for doing two SM/Asst SM virtual courses. These offerings will continue as an option for outlying communities after things reopen completely.

### New Scouts BSA Training

The new online/facilitated version of the Scouts BSA training will be available on August 3rd. Because of the change in the Learning Management System (LMS) you will need to complete any modules you may be currently working on. If you do not complete the training by August 3rd you will have to restart the training using the new learning plans and modules. The change will affect the following positions: Scoutmaster/Assistant Scoutmaster, Committee Chair, Committee Member, and Merit Badge Counselor.

### BALOO Training

BALOO (Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation) training is required for at least one Cub Scout leader in order to take your Pack camping. Two classes are scheduled this fall :

- September 18-19 at Camp Arrowhead
- October 23-24 at Camp Roland

Register online and pay when you check in.

### IOLS Training

IOLS (Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills) training is required for Scoutmasters and Assistant Scoutmasters to be fully trained. Two classes are scheduled this fall:

- October 2-3 at Camp Arrowhead
- October 23-24 at Camp Roland

Register online and pay when you check in.

## TRAINING CALENDAR

### September

- 10 Charter Organization Rep. training – via Zoom
- 18-19 BALOO training, Camp Arrowhead

### October

- 2-3 IOLS training, Camp Arrowhead
- 8 Cubmaster, Den Leader, Pack Committee training – via Zoom
- 23-24 BALOO/IOLS training, Camp Roland

### July 2021

- 12-16 NYLT - National Youth Leadership Training

Go to the [www.buckskin.org](http://www.buckskin.org) for further information. Click on the menu icon (the stacked horizontal lines in top right) and open the full Menu.

TAKE TRAINING COURSES ONLINE while you have all this time at home! If we can help....email or call!

### Schedule Training for Your Unit

- Call: Carol McCarthy, Council Training Chair  
DesignsbyCarol@gmail.com 703-587-4453
- Or Sue Williams, Council Training Vice Chair  
buzy2buzy@gmail.com 217-741-0900



# Adena District

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Boyd, Carter, Lawrence, KY Counties  
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Family FOS	Pryce Haynes III	304-416-0453
Community FOS	Joe Randolph	304-633-1794
Product Sale	Melanie Young	304-523-3408
Golf Scramble	Mark Cox	304-736-3054
Membership	vacant	
Training	Sue Williams	217-741-0900
Program Chair	Robert Shields	304-638-4536
Camp Promotion	Jon Keelin	606-739-9232
Advancement	Ed Dzierzak	304-634-6189
Marketing	Jeremy Reed	304-972-9116
Cub Scout Roundtable	Melanie Young	606-928-4903

### DISTRICT COMMITTEE

The District Committee Meeting will be conducted via Zoom Video Conference at 6:00pm. These meetings will continue to be held via Zoom until we are able to meet in person at Central United Methodist Church, 11<sup>th</sup> St West and Jefferson Ave, in Huntington. These meeting begin at 6:00pm on the third Thursday of each month. All units should have a representative attend.

### ROUNDTABLE

The August Roundtable will be our annual Program Kick-off at Camp Arrowhead on Aug 15. Things get underway at 10:00am in the Handicraft Shelter. Each unit is encouraged to have someone attend to pick-up their program packet of events and activities planned for the 2020-2021 program year. Regular Adena District Roundtable meetings are held the first Thursday of each month beginning in September. Meetings are for all Scout leaders regardless of your position. Melanie Young has some interesting ideas for the coming year. Watch for more information about the upcoming Roundtable.

### PINEWOOD DERBY

Held over from last March, we will try to get our Pinewood Derby in on Aug 29. Cub ranks will be scheduled as we will only have one track in the Handicraft Shelter at Camp Arrowhead. Each racer will receive a patch. Trophies for top three finishers in each rank. Watch for more details.

# Adena Event Calendar

## August

- 11 Council Virtual Popcorn Kickoff, 7:00 pm
- 15 Program Kick-off, 10:00 am
- 20 District Committee, 6:00 pm
- 29 Pinewood Derby, 9:00 am

## September

- 1 Popcorn Sale begins
- 3 Roundtable, 6:30 pm
- 7 Labor Day - Service Center & Shops closed
- 18 Scramble for Scouting, 8:00 am
- 18-19 BALOO, 7:00 pm
- 26 Cub Fun Day, 9:00 am
- 26 Kanawha Trace Fall Hike

## October

- 1 Roundtable, 6:30 pm
- 2-3 IOLS Training, Camp Arrowhead
- 15 District Committee, 6:00 pm
- 23-24 Camporee
- 30-31 Halloween Family Camp

**BE SURE TO CHECK THE COUNCIL WEBSITE AND DISTRICT FACEBOOK PAGE FOR UPDATES REGARDING SCHEDULED EVENTS.**

### SCRAMBLE FOR SCOUTING

The annual golf event, Scramble for Scouting will take place Friday, September 18, at Guyan Golf and Country Club. Put together your foursome and come enjoy a morning round with other Scout friendly supporters. On course beverages, lunch and door prize opportunities are provided. Check with Dr Mark Cox at [mdcoxod@aol.com](mailto:mdcoxod@aol.com) or call Carl at 304-523-3408.

### BALOO

The next offering of Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation for Cub Scout leaders will be Sep 18-19 at Camp Arrowhead. Register on-line via the Council website for this event. Participants will need to bring their own tents and camp chairs.

### CUB FUN DAY

Saturday, Sep 26 we are planning a Cub Scout Fun Day at Camp Arrowhead. Families will have an opportunity to register for a scheduled start time and will rotate through the activities being offered. The Fun Day is one chance for packs and the district to deliver on the commitment we make to our Cubbies to do the activities the Cubbies sign up to do. Watch for more details.

### KANAWHA TRACE FALL HIKE

The KT Fall Hike will also be held on Sep 26. Open to all scouts, their families and friends, participants have the chance to enjoy the outdoors during a walk in the woods. Donation of \$0.50 to hike. Patch available.

# Chief Cornstalk District

Serving: Logan, Boone Mingo Kanawha, Braxton & Clay Counties in WV & Pike County in Ky.  
bill.bryant@scouting.org

## Chief Cornstalk District Committee

District Chair	Mark Linville	304-369-2795
District Commissioner	Paul Helmick	304-744-3211
Field Director	Billy Bryant	304-340-3663
Vice Chair	Kem Abraham	304-855-8543
Vice Chair	Jeffrey Brandt	304-982-5546
Vice Chair	Steve Snodgrass	304-837-3302
Membership Chair	Kevin Abdalla	304-345-8091
Community FOS Chair	Les Wilkerson	
Family FOS Chair	Mike Kawash	304-768-3948
Product Sales	Jessica Hunter	304-389-8842
Special Event Chair	Steve Downey	
Program Chair	Grace Ann Tolbert	304-988-9537
Training Chair	Bonnie Starling	304-965-7680
Advancement Chair	John Teare	304-550-3516
Camping Chair	James Sutphin	304-553-9676
Marketing Chair	Jim Strawn	
Cub Day Camp	Kara Cvechko	304-573-6720
Cub Day Camp	Alicyn Spencer	304-380-4167
Cub Family Camp	Becky Kinser	304-752-0454
District Chaplain	Danny Pauley	304-561-7666

## Chief Cornstalk Event Calendar

### August

- 11 Council Virtual Popcorn Kickoff, 7:00 pm
- 20 Cornstalk District Committee Meeting (Zoom mtg.)

### September

- 1 Popcorn Sale begins
- 7 Labor Day - Service Center & Shops closed
- 17 Cornstalk District Committee Meeting (Zoom mtg.)

### October

- 15 Cornstalk District Committee Meeting (Zoom mtg.)
- TBA Cub Fun Day

### Chief Cornstalk District Committee

The District Meeting will continue in a digital format for the next few months. The Meeting is the third Thursday of each month at 7:00pm. Anyone can attend help plan upcoming events and receive information about the Council and District activities.

### October Cub Fun Day

The Cornstalk District are planning a Cub Fun Day for the month of October. Information concerning the event will be released in the upcoming weeks. If you would like to help plan the event or want more information, please contact Billy Bryant @ 304-687-0476.

# Shawnee District

Serving: Putnam, Mason, western Kanawha Counties, WV; Gallia and Meigs Counties, OH  
larry.wunderly@scouting.org

## Shawnee District Committee

District Chair	Leo Lopez	304-776-6148
District Commissioner	Rosann Brooks	304-881-1042
Asst. Scout Executive	Larry Wunderly	304-340-3663
Vice District Chair	Colleen Sergeant	304-552-0297
Vice District Chair	Mark Newman	304-549-0532
Vice District Chair (Finance)	Brian Linville	
Advancement Chair	Debbie Slack	304-340-3663
Program Chair	Chad Cavender	
Cub Program Chair	Melinda Craddock	304-727-0143
Camping Chair	Barry Lindley	
Boy Scout Roundtable	Mark Newman	304-549-0532
Cub Scout Roundtable	Colleen Sergeant	304-552-0297
Product Sales/Family FOS	Amy Carte	304-964-4208
Membership Chair	Tracy Hudson	304-382-9679

## Shawnee District Event Calendar

### August

- 6 District Committee mtg via Zoom mtg.
- 11 Council Virtual Popcorn Kickoff, 7:00 pm

### September

- 1 Popcorn Sale begins
- 7 Labor Day - Service Center & Shops closed

### October

- TBA Fall Fun Day

### District Committee Meeting

The August District Committee Meeting will be held via Zoom on August 6th at 7:00 pm. We will be discussing recruiting, product sales, upcoming events, and other current events. As of now we still plan to meet the first Thursday of every month until the current pandemic has past and we can resume face to face meetings.

### Popcorn Sale

Our 2020 Popcorn sale is right around the corner with the Show and Sell orders due July 31st and the traditional sale beginning September 1 and orders are due to council October 26th. All other information is available on the Buckskin website.

### Fall Fun Day

The Shawnee District is looking to hold a Fun Day for our Cub Scouts consisting of Shooting Sports, a Fishing Derby, and many other exciting activities. Due to Covid 19 we are looking to hold this event in October 2020 but have not set an official date. Keep an eye out on the website for all future details.

# Kootaga District

Serving: Wood, Jackson, Wirt, Roane, Ritchie, Calhoun counties in WV, and the communities of Belpre, Little Hocking, and Coolville in Ohio  
michael.cidor@scouting.org

## Kootaga District Committee

District Chair	James Bennon	304-485-1547
District Commissioner	Christopher Burk	304-615-5648
District Director	Michael Cidor	814-860-1562
VC Comm. & Marketing	Christopher Burk	304-615-5648
VC Finance	Kevin Trippett	304-422-0806
VC Membership	Sarah Paxton	304-917-9972
VC Programs	Jeri Lynn Boudreau	304-991-8870
Product Sales	John Shepard	304-588-2849
Special Event Fundraising	Andy Shaffer	
Day Camp Admin-Pkbg	Jeri Lynn Boudreau	304-991-8870
Day Camp Program-Pkbg	Jeremy Holland	
Day Camp Admin-Jackson	Eric Summers	304-531-8452
Camping	Keith Morrow	
Advancement	vacant	
OA Chapter Advisor	Jay Wilson	

## Kootaga Event Calendar

### August

11 Council Virtual Popcorn Kickoff, 7:00 pm

### September

1 Popcorn Sale begins  
7 Labor Day - Service Center & Shops closed  
18-19 BALOO training at Camp Arrowhead

### October

2-3 IOLS training at Camp Arrowhead  
8 Cub Leader training, via Zoom

Hello All, we hope all of you are doing well and staying healthy. We are working on several things to help units, from digital Den meeting support, virtual roundtables and more. We are working on recruiting plans for the different options based on how the schools will be allowing access. We know things are different this year and we are adapting to how we can deliver the great Scouting program to the youth in our community.

We are working on plans for Fall recruitment. Most of the recruitment will be based on the availability for getting information to students and if units are meeting. If your unit is planning to have regular meetings and have room to add additional scouts, we will help you with recruiting efforts. The meetings can be either in person (following proper guidelines) or virtual. We want to make sure that if we are inviting new youth to join Scouting that they will have a place to be active.

### Popcorn

We are gearing up for the Fall Popcorn Sale. Campmasters and Buckskin Council are working together to provide scouts and units with tools to help everyone participate in the sale safely. Please send in your commitment forms. We will have an online kickoff event on August 11<sup>th</sup> at 7 PM. Please visit the [Buckskin.org/popcorn](https://Buckskin.org/popcorn) page for more details.



# Mountain Dominion District

Serving: Monroe, Mercer, McDowell, Summers & Wyoming Counties in WV;  
Giles, Bland & Tazewell Counties in VA  
[Johnny.aliff@scouting.org](mailto:Johnny.aliff@scouting.org)

## Mt. Dominion District Committee

District Chair	Philip Ball	304-425-2196
District Commissioner	Thomas Kozikowski	540-626-4242
District Director	Trey Aliff	304-308-0405
Cub Scout Prog Chair	Paula Mattox	
Boy Scout Prog Chair	Dan Trent	276-322-3911
Venture Prog Chair	Tim Wallace	276-963-0525
Finance Chair	Philip Ball	304-425-2196
Training Chair		
Advancement Chair	Dan Cook	540-544-7100
Camping Chair	Kermit Davis	304-425-8889
Unit Service	Thomas Kozikowski	540-626-4242
Popcorn Chair	Angie Higginbotham	540-599-9111
OA Chapter Advisor	Barry Nowlin	304-320-7217
Membership Chair	Carrie Kozikowski	540-626-4242
Family FOS Chair	Philip Ball	304-425-2196

### Important update on district events:

Due to the uncertain nature of the COVID-19 virus, we may have to reschedule several district and council events in the near future. Please check the district website regularly for up to date information for upcoming events.

[www.buckskin.org/mtdominion](http://www.buckskin.org/mtdominion)

### Roundtable

Held the 3rd Thursday each month via an online Zoom Meeting. Topics and links to the meeting for each month will be posted on the Mt Dominion District page on the Council website. Roundtable begins at 6:30pm and is open to all registered leaders. This is a great opportunity to stay up to date with the latest trainings, programs and events in our area. Roundtable does not meet every month; please check the calendar to see which months they will be meeting. District committee starts at 7:15pm and is also open to all registered leaders. The District Committee is responsible for the overall operations of all aspects of the Mt Dominion District. If you are interested in joining the district committee, contact District Chair Phillip Ball at [pkball94@hotmail.com](mailto:pkball94@hotmail.com)

## Mt Dominion Event Calendar

### August

- 8 Mt Dominion District Kickoff- Camp Roland
- 11 Council Virtual Popcorn Kickoff, 7:00 pm
- 20 Roundtable Meeting- 6:30 pm (Online Zoom Mtg)
- 20 District Committee, 7:15 pm (Online Zoom Mtg)

### September

- 1 Popcorn Sale begins
- 7 Labor Day - Service Center & Shops closed
- 17 Roundtable Meeting- 6:30 pm (Online Zoom Mtg)
- 17 District Committee, 7:15 pm (Online Zoom Mtg)

### October

- 10 Cub Scout Fun Day- Camp Roland, Bastian VA
- 16-18 District Fall Camporee and Jamboree on the Air- Camp Roland, Bastian VA
- 22 Roundtable Meeting- 6:30 pm (Online Zoom Mtg)
- 22 District Committee, 7:15 pm (Online Zoom Mtg)

### Cub Scout Fun Day

We are hoping to be able to offer a Cub Scout Fall Fun Day on October 10<sup>th</sup> at Camp Roland. This event will be open to all Cub Scouts and will feature Archery, BB Guns, Sling Shots, Fishing and more! Registration will be available online at the Mt Dominion District webpage.

[www.buckskin.org/mtdominion](http://www.buckskin.org/mtdominion)

### District Kickoff

The annual Mt Dominion District Kickoff is scheduled for August 8<sup>th</sup>, 10:00AM. The kickoff is our first official meeting of the new Scout calendar year and leaders will be provided with all of the information that they and their units need for a successful year. Please make sure that at least one leader attends the meeting. This year's kickoff will be online via a Zoom meeting. Trey will be contacting leaders with information.



# Seneca District

Serving: Fayette, Raleigh, Nicholas, Webster, Greenbrier and Pocahontas Counties in WV  
david.leckie@scouting.org

## Seneca District Committee

District Chair	OPEN	
District Commissioner	William Turner	304-237-2688
Sr District Executive	David Leckie	304-542-5071
Advancement Chair	Jeff Proctor	304-673-2640
Program Chair	OPEN	
Training Chair	Carol McCarthy	703-587-4453

Please Note\*\* As our country is going through this difficult time it may be necessary to postpone events for the safety of all involved. Please monitor the Buckskin Council website for up to date information about events.

### Fun Day

The Seneca District will be hosting a FUN DAY for all Cub Scouts in Seneca District on October 17<sup>th</sup>. Final arrangements are still being made, but please save the date. We look forward to an exciting day of Cub Scout Program.

### Website Resources

Please make sure that you are checking the Buckskin Council Website often for Scouting Resources and upcoming programs. [WWW.BUCKSKIN.ORG](http://WWW.BUCKSKIN.ORG)

### Unit Charters

Please work on your charters in the upcoming months, and if you need any assistance please contact David Leckie at 304-542-5071 to schedule an appointment. If you have any youth members that need financial assistance to continue their journey in Scouting please send David an email at [dleckie@bsamail.org](mailto:dleckie@bsamail.org).

## Seneca Event Calendar

### August

11 Council Virtual Popcorn Kickoff, 7:00 pm

### September

1 Popcorn Sale begins

7 Labor Day - Service Center & Shops closed

### October

17 Cub Fun Day

### Popcorn Kickoff

For units that will be participating in the fall popcorn sale please plan on joining us for the Virtual Popcorn Kickoff on August 11<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM. Please fill out the unit commitment form available in this Courier.

### Recruitment

The Buckskin Council Membership Committee is diligently working on developing the recruitment plan for this coming school year. Please give David Leckie a call at 304-542-5071 to discuss your unit and develop a plan that best serves your unit.



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# ADENA DISTRICT Pinewood Derby



August 29, 2020  
Handicraft Shelter, Camp Arrowhead

Blow the dust off your Pinewood Derby car as we will try to race on Saturday, August 29, at Camp Arrowhead. This race session will be different from how we have raced in the past. Racing will be by Cub Scout rank. Due to limitations, we will not have a Grand Champion race nor will we host an Open Division race for siblings and adults.

Check-in will be in front of the garages under Meacham Lodge at Camp Arrowhead. At check-in, temperature checks will be made of everyone attending. Scouts and family members are asked to wear face masks and bring a camp chair if you wish. Anyone that is over the temperature threshold (100.4) will be asked to not participate and go home.

Weigh-ins will be conducted in a shelter that will be located in the amphitheater. Scouts will have an opportunity to adjust the weight of their car at that time. Scouts will then place their cars on a table where the cars will not be touched until racing begins. Racing will take place on a single track located in the large shelter by the lower lake.

To limit the number of attendees in camp during the event, racing will be limited to each Cub Scout rank. Each rank group will be given a scheduled start time. Check-in and weigh-ins will begin 30 minutes prior to racing.

**Scheduled Start Times for each Cub Scout Rank**

<b>Cub Rank</b>	<b>Check-in</b>	<b>Racing</b>
<b>Webelos/Arrow of Light</b>	9:00am	9:30am
<b>Wolves</b>	10:15am	10:45am
<b>Bears</b>	12:00pm	12:30pm
<b>Tigers</b>	1:15pm	1:45pm
<b>Lions</b>	2:30pm	3:00pm

Each racer will receive a patch. Trophies will be awarded to the First, Second and Third Place finishers in each rank group. Scouts will race in the rank group that were in during the past school year. Webelos who have crossed over to a troop may race as Webelos.

Please register in advance on the Council website – [buckskin.org](http://buckskin.org) – for the Adena District Pinewood Derby. There will be a registration fee of \$3.00 per racer, payable at check-in. All Cubs in the district are invited to participate.

Register at [www.buckskin.org/adena-events/adena-pinewood-derby/](http://www.buckskin.org/adena-events/adena-pinewood-derby/)

**Buckskin Council, BSA**  
**BASIC ADULT LEADER OUTDOOR ORIENTATION**  
**SEPTEMBER 18-19, 2020 – CAMP ARROWHEAD**



BALOO is intended for new Cub Scout leaders or parent volunteers who have minimal camping experience but want to plan and carry out entry level outdoor experiences for the pack. The format for this training is an outdoor camping adventure. The course is designed to address a wide variety of topics which need to be considered when preparing for a Cub Scout outdoor activity. Some of the topics include Aims & Purposes, Planning, Campfire, Health & Safety, Equipment, Cooking, program ideas, and more.

Prior to taking the practical component, participants must have completed the online component. Both the online and the practical, must be completed in order to fulfill the “BALOO Trained” status. In the event the online component is not completed prior to the practical, the trained status is withheld until both components are successfully completed. The online portion is available through the BSA LearnCenter. Log onto [my.scouting.org](http://my.scouting.org) and select the BSA LearnCenter image on the right side of the home page.

The next course will be September 18 & 19 at Camp Arrowhead. Check-in begins Friday at 6:30pm. All participants are expected to arrive by 7:00pm. The course is planned to conclude by 7:00pm on Saturday. The course is \$18.00 per person (pay at check-in). This covers course material, cracker barrel on Friday night, along with breakfast and lunch on Saturday.

You should bring a tent, sleeping bag/blanket, camp chair, flashlight & batteries, personal items, and refillable water bottle. Participants will be expected to wear a face mask and be physically distant during the course. Temperature checks will be made each day. Dress for the weather – the course goes on rain or shine.

If you have questions about this course, please contact Sue Williams at 217-741-0900 or [buzy2buzy@gmail.com](mailto:buzy2buzy@gmail.com).

**Registration Deadline – Wednesday, September 16, 2020**

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## **BALOO REGISTRATION FORM – SEP 18-19, 2020**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Pack # \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

Detail any food allergies, please \_\_\_\_\_

Complete the registration form and return the form (registration to be paid at check-in)

**Buckskin Council, BSA, Attn : BALOO – Camp Arrowhead**  
**2829 Kanawha Blvd. East**  
**Charleston, WV 25311**

Registration may also be completed using the Council website – [www.buckskin.org](http://www.buckskin.org)



Buckskin Council, BSA  
**INTRODUCTION TO OUTDOOR LEADER SKILLS**  
**OCTOBER 2 & 3, 2020 – CAMP ARROWHEAD**

**What is IOLS?** The Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills (IOLS) course builds and expands on the concepts and themes introduced in Scoutmaster Positions-Specific Training and Varsity Coach Position-Specific Training and provides Scouters with the confidence to take youth into the outdoors.

- Gives 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. In addition, the teaching methods, activities, and games model the variety of teaching used in effective and engaging Scouting programs.
- Hands-on participation is the best learning tool, and this course models the techniques used by effective Scoutmasters, and other leaders in the Scouting program. Attendees will see and experience different aspects of how Scouting works while playing the role of Scouts in a troop.
- Participants will leave the training experience with a full understanding of how the patrol method operates, a feeling of comfort in working with the instructing their Scouts, and an increased level of confidence taking Scouts outdoors safely.

**What is covered in IOLS?** The course is designed to address a wide variety of topics such as Outdoor Ethics, Cooking, Fire Site Preparation & Building, Campfire Program, Interfaith Worship, Flag Ceremony and more.

**What is the cost to attend?** The course is \$20.00 per person, please register online and payment due when you arrive at camp. This covers course material, cracker barrel on Friday night, along with breakfast and lunch on Saturday.

**When is IOLS training?** The next course will be October 2 & 3, 2020 at Camp Arrowhead. Check-in begins Friday at 6:00 pm. All participants are expected to arrive by 7:00pm. The course is planned to conclude by 5:00 pm on Saturday.

**What should I bring?** Bring your own tent, chair, water bottle and a mask is required. You should also bring a Boy Scout Handbook, a sleeping bag or blankets, flashlight & batteries, personal items, a notebook and pen or pencil. Dress for the weather – the course goes on rain or shine. Temperature checks will be made each day.

**QUESTIONS?** Contact Rosann Brooks 304-881-1042 or [rosann1030@aol.com](mailto:rosann1030@aol.com)

**Registration Deadline – Wednesday, September 30, 2020**

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## IOLS REGISTRATION FORM – OCTOBER 2 & 3, 2020

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Troop # \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_ District \_\_\_\_\_

Detail any food allergies, please \_\_\_\_\_

Complete the registration form and return to:

**Buckskin Council, BSA, Attn: IOLS – Camp Arrowhead**  
**2829 Kanawha Blvd. East**  
**Charleston, WV 25311**

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