

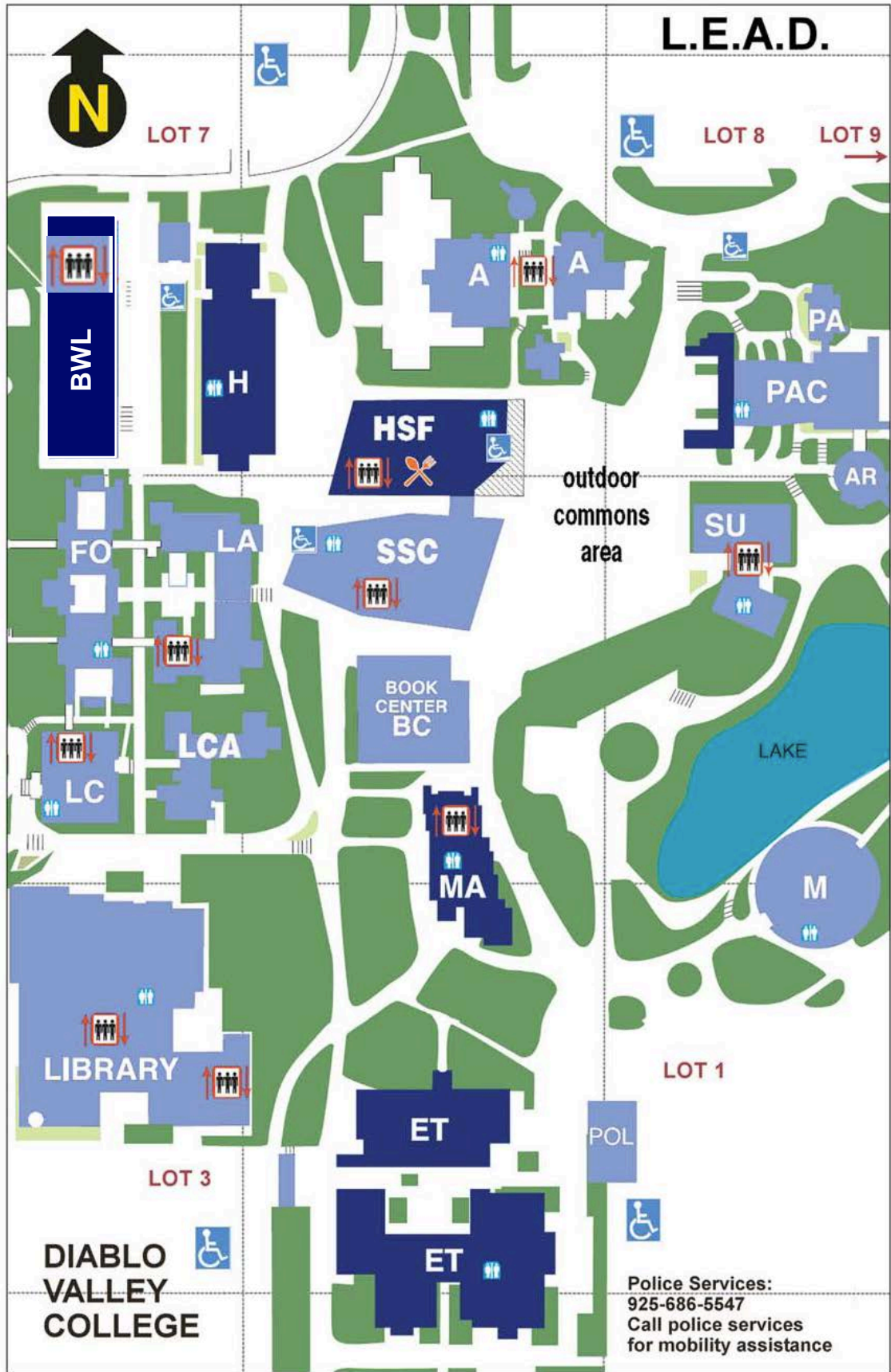
# L.E.A.D. 2023

## Leader Education and Discovery Program

"This is the way..."



# DVC CAMPUS MAP



## LEGEND

**PARKING:**  
Lots 8 & 9

**STAFF PARKING:**  
Lots 1, 7, 8

**REGISTRATION:**  
In front of PAC  
(west side)

**STAFF REGISTRATION:**  
In rear of HSF,  
1st floor  
(west end)

**OPENING,  
LUNCH,  
CLOSING:**  
In HSF

**CLASSES:**  
H (humanities)  
MA (math)  
ET (engineering/tech)  
BWL (business/world lang)

**MIDWAY:**  
between HSF  
& SSC

**LEAD HEADQUARTERS:**  
In rear of HSF,  
1st floor

**FIRST AID:**  
In rear of HSF,  
1st floor  
(west end)

**Buildings in use  
shown in dark blue**

**CAMPUS POLICE SERVICES:**  
In POL

**Police Services:**  
925-686-5547  
Call police services  
for mobility assistance

**DIABLO VALLEY COLLEGE**

# SCHEDULE

7:00 am - 8:00 am

**Participants and Staff Check-in**

8:00 am - 8:30 am

**Opening Ceremonies – Main Street Bistro**

Flag Ceremony

Welcome

Tom Weibert, Council President

Roy Adam, Course Director

Speaker

Hon. Benjamin T. Reyes II

## **Morning Sessions**

8:40 am - 9:30 am

Session 1

9:40 am - 10:30 am

Session 2

10:40 am - 11:30 am

Session 3

11:30 am - 2:00 pm

**Vendor and Program Resources Display - Midway**

11:45 am - 12:00 pm

**Wood Badge Beading Outside (Weather Permitting)**

Wood Badge Gathering

12:00 pm - 1:00 pm

**Lunch Outside (Weather Permitting)**

Grace and World Friendship Fund Collection

## **Afternoon Sessions**

1:10 pm - 2:00 pm

Session 4

2:10 pm - 3:00 pm

Session 5

3:10 pm - 4:00 pm

Session 6

4:10 pm - 4:40 pm

**Closing Ceremony - Main Street Bistro**

Closing

Roy Adam, Course Director



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**GOLDEN GATE AREA COUNCIL**

# STAFF



Course Director **Roy Adam**

Asst. Course Director **Craig Mizutani**

Past Course Director **Courtney Mizutani**

Professional Staff Advisor **Melissa Yarns**

Curriculum Chair **Eric Gee**

Dean of Cub Scouts **Steve deRosier**

Dean of Scouts BSA **Carla Jensen**

Asst. Dean of Scouts BSA **Linda Ransom**

Dean of Continuous Ed **Tracy Peters**

Dean of Outdoor Ed **Yoshiko Bartetta**

Dean of Venturing **Patrick Jaime**

Dean of Technology **Ron Fedele**

Dean of Sea Scout **Steve Welch**

Asst. Dean of Sea Scout **James Jensen**

Dean of Exploring **Stuart Mahler**

Facilities **Matt Houser**

Asst. Facilities **Monika Miller**

Asst. Facilities **Cyrus Colangelo**

Asst. Facilities **Pavani Punugoti**

Midway **Julie Graham**

Registration **Dana Leong**

Publicity/Marketing **Kara Miller**

Food Lunch/Staff Dinner **RJ Lane**

Program Design **Ray Chan**

Staff Slides **Michelle Shinn**

Printing **Steve Tom & Coast Litho**

Degree Program Verification **Mike Ransom**

Degree Program Verif. Asst. **Pavani Punugoti**

**Su cuy'gar Fellow Scouters!!  
(Su cuy'gar = "Hello!" In Mandalorian)**



Welcome to L.E.A.D (Leader Education And Discovery) or also known as University of Scouting. I am happy to say that this is our second L.E.A.D as Golden Gate Area Council, although L.E.A.D itself has started from 2008. Today's L.E.A.D is slightly different from 2008. However, one thing remains the same, we train our adult leaders for scouting skills and knowledge, as our scouts deserve trained adult leaders.

Scouting itself, started in 1908 and Boy Scout of America founded on February 8, 1910, therefore, we will be celebrating 113 years of scouting in the United States this coming month. Many things have changed since 1910. The uniform has changed and the rank advancement requirement has changed. Additionally, what used to be a movement for boys only, now has allowed girls and LBGTQ registered as its members. One thing still remains the same, that we are here to prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes.

As mentioned earlier, scouting itself started in 1908 by Lord Baden Powell in England. However, scouting has been a worldwide movement. Scouting is in 173 countries and has about 54 million scouts worldwide. They wear different uniform styles and colors. They have different color and design of badges. They have different rank requirements, but in basic, they all have the same mission and activities, no matter where they come from and what scouting organization they belong to. This is proven with the existence of World Scout Jamboree and annual Jamboree on The Air and Jamboree on the Internet.

I am so lucky that I have a very unique background and I have experienced all of those I mentioned earlier in my own personal life. Although I just lost my dear dad last summer, he was a Crown Scout under the Dutch system. I originally came from Indonesia and Indonesia used to be colonized by the Dutch. During my time, I was in scouting under the Indonesian system. Eventually I moved to the USA and my son is an Eagle Scout with Troop 24 in Berkeley. One thing that we always enjoyed together is to sit down together and talk about our great experience in our scouting journey. I have found out, all of us, 3 different scouting organizations, 3 different ages, 3 technically different countries, were talking about the same things and subjects.

This is the reason behind the theme of L.E.A.D 2023. I have found out that Scouting is "The Way." As the Mandalorian catch phrase is "This is The Way", this should be ours as well. "This is The Way" as Scouting is the way. Therefore L.E.A.D 2023 will show you the way.

Thank you and enjoy your day.... a great day for Scouting!

Yours in Scouting,

*Roy Adam*

L.E.A.D 2023 Course Director

# COURSE DIRECTORS

## Roy Adam, L.E.A.D 2023 Course Director



Roy Adam started his scouting career when he was in Indonesia as a cub scout through First Class rank of Gerakan Pramuka Indonesia (scouting organization in Indonesia). He started his scouting career in BSA when his son, Seiya Adam, decided to become a Cub Scout as a Bear in Pack 104 El Cerrito. He shared a responsibility as a den leader for his son's den with another scouter in the den. While he was a den leader, he also took his Woodbadge Training in 2011 spring course. Eventually when his son bridged to Troop 24 in Berkeley, Roy took on the responsibility as an Assistant

Scoutmaster. Outside his unit service, he also holds positions as Herms District Committee member. He is also the current Golden Gate Area Council's international representative for the International Committee. He has served two National Jamboree (2013 and 2017) and World Scout Jamboree (2019). When he is not doing scouting, Roy enjoys his amateur radio hobby (callsign: N6FUN), shooting sports and culinary adventure. Roy lives in Richmond with his wife Yumiko Shimamori and with his daughter, Rika Adam. His Eagle Scout son is now pursuing study of Entomology in UC Davis.



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# COURSE DIRECTORS

## Craig Mizutani, L.E.A.D 2023 Assistant Course Director



Craig Mizutani has been involved in scouting since becoming a Bobcat in Cub Pack 3 (Albany, CA). He recently stepped down as Scoutmaster of Troop 444 in Concord after serving for 12 years. Prior to that he has been a Cubmaster of Cub Pack 444 and Assistant Scoutmaster and Troop Committee member of Troop 14 in Albany. In 2013 he served as a Council contingent Scoutmaster for the National Jamboree. He has participated in numerous District and Council training courses, including staff on several Woodbadge courses.

Craig has been involved with every L.E.A.D. since its beginning and has been involved with both facilities and curriculum. He is excited to be the Course Director for next year's L.E.A.D. course. Craig is an Eagle Scout and has earned the Silver Beaver and NESA Outstanding Eagle Scout Award. During non-scouting hours, Craig is employed as an engineer at the Central Contra Costa Sanitary District and is Chairman of the City of Concord Planning Commission. His hobbies include running, cycling, playing the guitar, and home-improvement projects. His entire family including adult children James and Claire, and wife Courtney are involved in the Scouting program.



# GUEST SPEAKER

## Honorable Benjamin T. Reyes II



California Governor Jerry Brown appointed the Honorable Benjamin T. Reyes II to the Superior Court of California on May 22, 2017. On July 12, 2017, Chief Justice Tani Cantil-Sakauye administered the oath of office to Judge Reyes. Judge Reyes is the first Filipino American judge on the Contra Costa bench, and only the second Filipino American trial court judge appointed in the nine San Francisco Bay Area Counties.

For most of his 24 years as an attorney, Judge Reyes managed a public agency practice. Judge Reyes was a Partner and owner at Meyers Nave (“Nah-vey”) a statewide public agency law firm.

While at Meyers Nave, he was appointed to serve as the City Attorney for the Cities of Pinole and Union City. He started his career as a deputy city attorney for the City of San Jose, where he served on the trial team. Judge Reyes served in the U.S. Army Reserves from 1983 to 1987.

Judge Reyes is an Eagle Scout and served as the President of the Boy Scouts of America, Alameda Council, until the merger to form the Golden Gate Area Council. He also served on the Board of the Golden Gate Area Council. Judge Reyes is also the father of an Eagle Scout and served as an assistant scoutmaster, a merit badge counselor and a troop transportation coordinator. He previously served as the President of the Alameda Free Library Foundation, as a Board Member of the California Alumni Association (Berkeley) and as the Chair of the Contra Costa City Attorneys Association. He is active in the California Asian Pacific Judges Association, Filipino Bar Association of Northern California, Asian American Bar Association and the Contra Costa County Bar Association. He was recently elected as the President of the California Asian Pacific Judges Association PAC.

Judge Reyes teaches on the faculty of the University of California Berkeley School of Law and the University of San Francisco School of Law.

Judge Reyes earned a Juris Doctor degree from the University of San Francisco School of Law and a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of California, Berkeley. He, and his wife, Susan, have two adult children, Adam and Isabel. Adam is an Eagle Scout.



**FALL 2023**



# WOOD BADGE

**One amazing opportunity  
over two fun-filled weekends**

**Dates: September 15-16-17 (Friday-Sunday)  
& October 14-15 (Saturday-Sunday)**

**Location: Camp Herms both weekends**

**What is the cost of the course?**

LEAD attendees are eligible for a special reduced cost.

To qualify for this discount, you need to sign up for the FALL course by 11:59 pm TODAY ONLY 01/28/2023.

Use the QR code or website below to see the cost.

**How do I register?**

You can register TODAY by following the QR Code below or by going to: [www.WOODBADGE2023.org](http://www.WOODBADGE2023.org)

## Who is Wood Badge for?

Wood Badge is for all adults in Scouting: anyone age 18 or older, male or female, involved with Cub Scouts, Scouts BSA, Venturing, Sea Scouts, Exploring, District, or Council.

The only requirements for attending Wood Badge are:

- ✦ Be a registered member of the Boy Scouts of America (there are no minimum tenure requirements).
- ✦ Have completed the basic training courses for their Scouting positions, including current YPT.
- ✦ Have completed the outdoor skills training programs appropriate for their Scouting positions.
- ✦ Be capable of functioning safely in an outdoor environment.
- ✦ Completion of the BSA Health Form parts A, B & C.



# GGAC Silver Beaver Awards

"The Silver Beaver award recognizes registered Scouters of exceptional character who have provided distinguished service within a council."

Golden Gate Area Council is delighted to recognize and honor the 2021 Silver Beaver Recipients:



Ralph Cole  
Doris Gamache  
Bob Karn  
Michael Lennox  
Janet McDonald  
Hon. Ben Reyes  
Caroline Tsuyuki  
Steve Welch

Twin Valley  
Muir  
Alameda  
Twin Valley  
Herms  
Alameda  
Briones  
Golden Gate

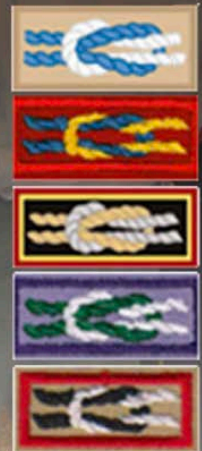


They will be recognized at the GGAC Volunteer Celebration: Saturday, March 4 at 1:00pm  
Alameda Elk's Lodge - 2255 Santa Clara Ave, Alameda  
Register for the GGAC Volunteer Celebration: <https://scoutingevent.com/023-VOLCEL2023>

Golden Gate Area Council

## VOLUNTEER CELEBRATION 2023

Alameda Elks Lodge  
March 4th, 1pm



## GGAC HIGH ADVENTURE TRAINING

### HAT Courses for 2023

HAT training courses are designed to help prepare Trek Leaders to safely take scouts into the wilderness. For information, see the GGAC Training website drop-down menu for HAT at: [Training | GGAC \(ggacbsa.org\)](https://www.ggacbsa.org/Training).



#### **Basic Backpacking Awareness** - CD Filberto de Cal

- February 4-5, 2023 – Rancho Los Mochos

Contact the course director Fil de Cal for any questions at: [Filberto de Cal <fil.decal@gmail.com>](mailto:Filberto.de.Cal@gmail.com)

#### **Okpik Snow Camping Awareness** - CD Keith Gale

- Feb 8 & 15, 2023 Indoor GGAC office; Mar 4-5, 2023 Snow Camping Outdoor Silver Lake

Contact the course director Keith Gale for any questions at: [keith\\_gale@hotmail.com](mailto:keith_gale@hotmail.com)

#### **Outdoor Ethics & Leave No Trace (LNT)** – CD Lilli Remer

- May 20-21, 2023 - Camp Herms

Contact the course director Lilli Remer for any questions at: [remer@astound.net](mailto:remer@astound.net)

#### **Paddle Sports** – CD Keith Gale

- May 3, 2023 Indoor; May 20-21, 2023 Outdoor; Jun 7, 2023 Indoor; Jun 14, 2023 Outdoor

Contact course director Keith Gale with any questions at: [keith\\_gale@hotmail.com](mailto:keith_gale@hotmail.com)

#### **Wilderness and Remote First Aid** - CD Steve Von Ehrenkrook

- 2023: Mar 18-19; Apr 15-16; Sep 23-24; Oct 7-8 – Camp Herms

Contact course director Steve Von Ehrenkrook for any questions at: [steve@cjsassociates.com](mailto:steve@cjsassociates.com)

#### **Climbing Awareness** – CD Mark Hovermale

- Dates scheduled by appointment for 2023 for Indoor & Outdoor sessions

Contact Mark Hovermale for any questions at: [MarkHovermale@Comcast.net](mailto:MarkHovermale@Comcast.net) cell 510-846-2370



# Janet McDonald

## Congratulations for your

# Silver Beaver

## Class of 2022

## From Herms District





HILLER AVIATION MUSEUM



# Scout BSA Merit Badge Programs

## One-Day Programs for Scouts



Scouts can complete their requirements for the Aviation, Weather or Astronomy Merit Badge through special programs at the Hiller Aviation Museum in San Carlos. All programs include:

- Admission to the Hiller Aviation Museum
- Aviation, Weather and Astronomy Presentations in an Aerospace-Themed Environment
- Flight Simulation Missions in the Flight Sim Zone
- Optional Evening Observation Session for Astronomy Merit Badge

Scouts complete hands-on activities in each program, including flight simulation, hands-on science experiments, building and flying model aircraft, constructing scientific instruments and more.

### Merit Badge Program Schedule 2022-2023

<u>Astronomy (\$75)</u>	<u>Aviation (\$59)</u>	<u>Weather (\$65)</u>
9:00AM - 3:30PM (Saturdays)	9:30AM - 4:00PM	9:30AM - 4:30PM
6:30PM - 8:00PM (Tuesdays)		
November 19th (Sat)	September 17th	September 10th
November 29th (Tue)	October 8th	October 1st
	November 12th	December 17th
January 14th (Sat)	December 10th	February 4th
January 24th (Tue)	January 28th	March 25th
	February 11th	April 29th
	March 18th	
	April 22nd	
	May 20th	

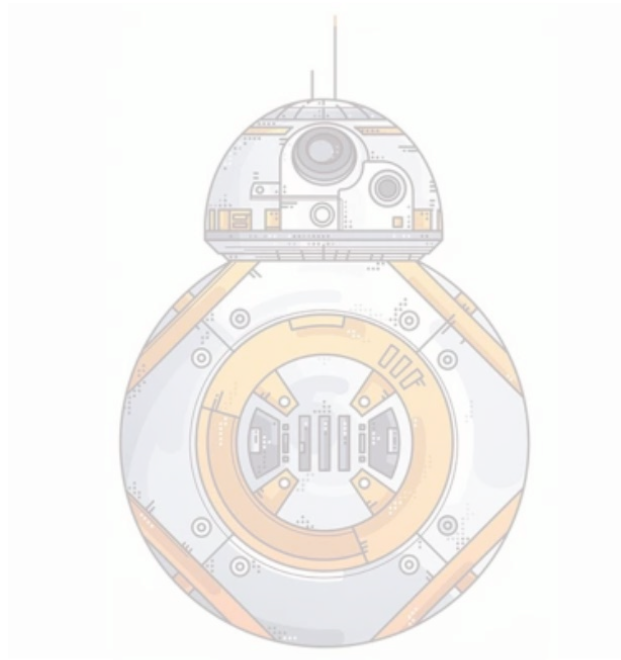
- Astronomy program includes a Saturday daytime meeting followed by an optional Tuesday evening observation session. An alternate evening will be announced in the event of inclement weather.
- Aviation Badge participants complete all requirements on the day of the program. Astronomy and Weather participants must complete follow-up observation programs. Completed observations and blue cards may be submitted to Merit Badge Counselors at the Museum for endorsement.

Visit [www.hiller.org](http://www.hiller.org) or call 650-654-0200 for more information

# WE OWN ADVENTURE



## NOTES



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# CUB CAMPING



Tiger Cub Safari    Webeloree  
Day Camp    Mom and Cub  
Wolf & Bear Adventure  
Webelos Adventure Camp

Events range from overnight camping, to summer Day Camps!



- ✓ Register now!
- ✓ Modern facilities
- ✓ Fantastic staff
- ✓ Something for all ages
- ✓ Wide range of activities



## ALL ABOARD!

### Niles Canyon Railway

Welcomes Scouts BSA Troops for Railroading Merit Badge workshops!

Please contact us for more information and to schedule a Railroading Merit Badge workshop for your Troop. Niles Canyon Railway offers amazing hands-on opportunities to learn more about trains and the railroad system, all at the railroad train yard location itself!

Contact: Donna Alexander, Station Agent  
Niles Canyon Railway in Sunol, CA  
(510) 996-8420 or [station-agent@ncry.com](mailto:station-agent@ncry.com)





*We need you!*

**Attend a Citizenship in Society  
Merit Badge Orientation  
7:00 PM**

**Tuesday, January 31<sup>st</sup>  
Wednesday, February 8<sup>th</sup>  
Friday, February 17<sup>th</sup>**

*Join Zoom Meeting*

*<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88043263558?pwd=U7dSRjLLUzBlZlVlXlM18qMm7EcXBDZg09>*

*Meeting ID: 880 4326 3558*

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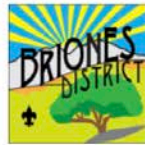
## Districts

Click on district logo to go to district webpage or Facebook page.



### [Alameda](#)

Covers the communities of Alameda and Bay Farm Island.



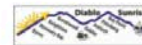
### [Briones](#)

Covers the communities of Lafayette, Moraga, Orinda, Pleasant Hill, and Walnut Creek.



### [Chief Solano](#)

Covers the communities of Fairfield, Suisun City, and Travis Air Force Base.



### [Diablo Sunrise](#)

Covers the communities of Antioch, Bay Point, Bethel Island, Brentwood, Byron, Knightsen, Oakley, and Pittsburg.



### [Golden Gate](#)

Covers the communities of San Francisco and the Northern half of Daly City.



### [Herms](#)

Covers the communities of Albany, Berkeley, and West Contra Costa County including Crockett, North Richmond, El Cerrito, El Sobrante, Hercules, Kensington, Pinole, Richmond, Rodeo and San Pablo.



### [Lake](#)

Covers the communities of Clearlake, Clearlake Oaks, Kelseyville, Lakeport, Lower Lake, Lucerne, Middletown, Nice, and Upper Lake.



### [Meridian](#)

Covers the communities of Alamo, Danville, Diablo, and San Ramon.



### [Mission Peak](#)

Covers the communities of Fremont, Newark, and Union City.



### [Muir](#)

Covers the communities of Clayton, Concord, Martinez, and Pacheco.



### [Peralta](#)

Covers the communities of Oakland and Emeryville.



### [Silverado](#)

Covers the communities of American Canyon, Angwin, Benicia, Calistoga, Napa, St. Helena, Vallejo and Yountville.



### [Tres Ranchos](#)

Covers the communities of Castro Valley, Hayward, San Leandro, and San Lorenzo.



### [Twin Valley](#)

Covers the communities of Dublin, Livermore, Pleasanton, and Sunol.



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## Yerba Buena Lodge 719 Order of the Arrow



### WHAT IS THE OA?

The Order of the Arrow (OA) is Scouting's National Camping honor society. Since 1915 the Order of the Arrow has recognized Scouts and Scouters who best exemplify the Scout Oath and Law in their daily lives.

Inducted members, known as Arrowmen or Brothers, is open to all genders in Troops, Ships and Crews. The OA is organized into a local youth-led lodge that promotes fellowship, camping, and service to the Golden Gate Area council and its' districts. The OA also provides additional leadership capabilities beyond what the local troop, ship or crew can offer.

For more information or to schedule a unit election:

Contact us at: [info@yerbabuena.ggacbsa.org](mailto:info@yerbabuena.ggacbsa.org)

Visit us at: <https://yerbabuena.ggacbsa.org/>

**SCOUTING'S NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY**



### National Youth Leadership Training

## NYLT

June 11-17, 2023 and  
Feb 17-19, 23-25, 2024

NYLT, the premier youth training course for personal development, is youth-led and simulates one month in the life of youth-led scouting. Scouts will develop valuable skills for activity planning and communicating with others. They and their patrol will learn and complete activities working towards a vision of success. The course culminates with a Quest for the Meaning of Leadership, a chance for Scouts to present their newfound skills to newfound friends and staff.



To Register:  
[Training.GGACBSA.org/NYLT](https://Training.GGACBSA.org/NYLT)

For Questions:  
[nylt@ggacbsa.org](mailto:nylt@ggacbsa.org)

### NYLT Goals

- To develop a youth's confidence and knowledge in leading their unit's program.
- To gain working understanding of the resources, skills and methods needed to undertake further leadership responsibility.
- To share ideas and learn from the experiences of other youth from troops, crews, and ships.
- To support adult leaders in training youth leaders.
- To reinforce a youth's relationship with their unit leader and other adults.
- To experience Scouting at its very best.



# MUIR DISTRICT CONGRATULATES!

**DORIS GAMACHE**  
**SILVER BEAVER**



**PATRICK JAIME**  
**DISTRICT AWARD OF MERIT**



## SAVE THE DATE

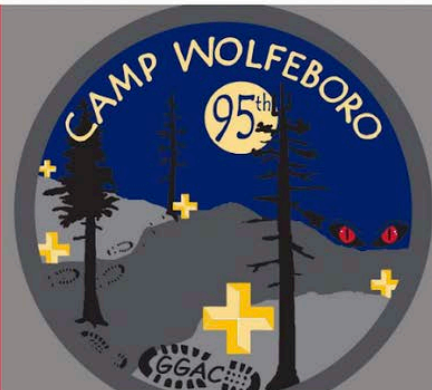
*Scouting's Highest Honors  
Recognition Event*

**Sunday June 4, 2023**



[eagles.ggacbsa.org](http://eagles.ggacbsa.org)

# WHICH ADVENTURE DO YOU CHOOSE?



Summer is closer than you think! Visit our table today to purchase your 2023 shirt. Stake a Claims still being accepted



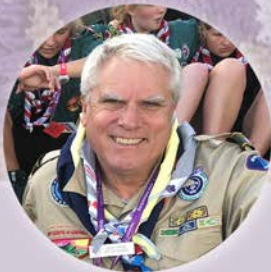
Congratulations to

Dave Shaw, Yoshiko Bertetta, and Behzad Izad

for the

International Scouter's Award

Class of 2022



# **HOLD THE DATE ADVANCECAMP 2023 SEPTEMBER 29-30, 2023**



**We offer over 60 different Merit Badges & most of Trailhead Rank Advancement**



**Merit Badge Counselor Training Friday Night 7:00-8:30**

## **Solano County Fairgrounds**

**900 Fairgrounds Drive – Vallejo, CA. 94589**

**If you have parents willing to help scouts on their pathway to Eagle please volunteer to be on staff as a merit badge counselor, trailhead staff or help as a building coordinator**

**For more information stay informed by checking out [www.advancecamp.com](http://www.advancecamp.com)**



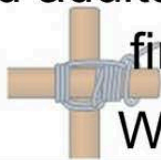
# Advance Camp 2023

September 29th & 30th, 2023

## Trailhead Experience

Volunteers are needed for the Trailhead Area  
Trailhead covers most  
Scout to First Class Requirements

We are looking for scouts from Star to Eagle  
and adults who want to help new scouts in their  
first steps on the trail to Eagle.



We know you have the training.

We know you have the skills.

What a better way to pay it forward, by helping  
those new to scouting.

Please volunteer to be on the Trailhead Staff,  
or if your skills are in other areas, you can help  
out as a Building Coordinator



For more information email the Trailhead Director

[gryphon97@gmail.com](mailto:gryphon97@gmail.com) or call

Rich at 925-628-4278

# **ADVANCECAMP 2023 MERIT BADGE COUNSELORS NEEDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2023**



**We offer over 60 merit badges and need volunteers to work with the scouts. Are you willing to help scouts on their trail to Eagle Scout? WE NEED YOU!**



**Merit Badge Counselor Training Friday Night 7:00-8:30  
Solano County Fairgrounds  
900 Fairgrounds Drive – Vallejo, CA. 94589**

**If you are willing to help scouts on their pathway to Eagle, please  
volunteer to be a merit badge counselor**

**We provide you a hot break fast during your staff meeting and lunch**

**For more information email [acstaffdirector@gmail.com](mailto:acstaffdirector@gmail.com)  
or call James Jensen at 530-521-5636**



**Cub Scouting**

Youth grades K-5



**Scouts BSA**

Youth 11-17 years old



**Venturing**

Co-ed 14-20 years old



**Sea Scouting**

Co-ed 14-20 years old



**Exploring**

Co-ed 10-20 years old

# NOTES



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# 2023 Council Calendar and Events

Date	Event	Oversight Committee	Location
1/2/2023	New Years Day (Observed)	Holiday	All Offices/ Trading Posts Closed
1/16/2023	Martin Luther King Jr. Day	Holiday	All Offices/ Trading Posts Closed
1/20/23 - 1/22/23	Work Weekend	Properties	Camp Royaneh
1/20/23 - 1/22/23	Work Weekend	Properties	Wente Scout Reservation
1/14/2023	Winter Camp Awareness	Order of the Arrow	USS Hornet
1/22/2023	Lunar New Year	Holiday	
1/28/2023	L.E.A.D.	Training	Diablo Valley College
1/28/23 - 1/29/23	BALOO	Training	Diablo Valley College / Camp Herms
2/4/2023	Work Day	Properties	Rancho Los Mochos
2/8/2023	BSA 113th Anniversary	Program	
2/10/2023	Scout Jumuah	Membership	Mosques
2/11/2023	Scout Shabbat	Membership	Temples
2/12/2023	Scout Sunday	Membership	Churches
2/17/23 - 2/19/23	Work Weekend	Properties	Camp Royaneh
2/17/23 - 2/19/23	Work Weekend	Properties	Wente Scout Reservation
2/18/23 - 2/20/23	Winter NYLT (weekend #1)	Training	Camp Herms
2/18/23 - 2/20/23	Klondike Derby	Order of the Arrow	
2/20/2023	President's Day	Holiday	All Offices/ Trading Posts Closed
2/21/2023	Council Coordinated Meeting	Council Key 5	TBD
2/24/23 - 2/26/23	Winter NYLT (weekend #2)	Training	Camp Herms
2/25/2023	Nor-Cal Commissioner's College	Commissioners	Online
3/4/2023	GGAC Council Recognition Reception	Program	Alameda Elks Lodge
3/4/2023	Lodge Leadership Development	Order of the Arrow	
3/4/2023	Work Day	Properties	Rancho Los Mochos
3/11/23 - 3/12/23	BALOO	Training	Camp Royaneh
3/17/23 - 3/20/23	Work Weekend	Properties	Camp Royaneh
3/17/23 - 3/20/23	Work Weekend	Properties	Wente Scout Reservation
3/18/2023	Crab Feed	Development	TBD
3/18/23 - 3/19/23	Wilderness First Aid	Training	Camp Herms
3/22/2023	Ramadan begins	Holiday	
3/24/23 - 3/26/23	Spring Wood Badge (weekend #1)	Training	Camp Herms
3/31/2023	Cesar Chavez Day	Holiday	
4/1/2023	Work Day	Properties	Rancho Los Mochos
4/5/2023	Passover Begins	Holiday	
4/7/2023	Good Friday	Holiday	All Offices/ Trading Posts Closed
4/14/23 - 4/16/23	Good Turn Weekend	Properties	Camp Royaneh
4/14/23 - 4/16/23	Good Turn Weekend	Properties	Wente Scout Reservation
4/9/2023	Easter Sunday	Holiday	
4/14/23 - 4/16/23	OA Spring Induction	Order of the Arrow	Rancho Los Mochos
4/15/23 - 4/16/23	Wilderness First Aid	Training	Camp Herms
4/21/2023	Ramadan ends	Holiday	
4/22/23 - 4/23/23	Spring Wood Badge (weekend #2)	Training	Rancho Los Mochos
4/22/2023	Earth Day	Conservation	
4/29/23 - 4/30/23	Tiger Cub Safari	Camping	Wente Scout Reservation
4/22/23 - 4/23/23	Mom & Cub	Camping	Camp Royaneh

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Date	Event	Oversight Committee	Location
5/6/23 - 5/7/23	Tiger Cub Safari	Camping	Wente Scout Reservation
5/6/2023	Work Day	Properties	Rancho Los Mochos
5/12/23 - 5/13/23	Trade-o-ree	Order of the Arrow	Camp Herms
5/19/23 - 5/21/23	Mom & Cub	Camping	Camp Royaneh
5/20/2023	FAGES II	Order of the Arrow	Camp Herms
5/20/2023	Wolfeboro Pioneers Spring Meeting	Wolfeboro Pioneers	Camp Herms
5/20/23 - 5/21/23	Leave No Trace Trainer	Training	Camp Herms
5/23/2023	Council Coordinated Meeting	Council Key 5	TBD
5/26/23 - 5/29/23	Ancient Mariner Regatta	Sea Scouting	
5/26/23 - 5/29/23	Family Vacation Camp	Camping	Wente Scout Reservation
5/29/2023	Memorial Day	Holiday	All Offices/ Trading Posts Closed
6/2/23 - 6/4/23	OA Summer Induction	Order of the Arrow	Camp Herms
6/3/2023	Work Day	Properties	Rancho Los Mochos
6/4/23 - 6/10/23	Camp Wolfeboro Staff Week	Camping	Camp Wolfeboro
6/11/23 - 6/17/23	Summer NYLT	Training	Rancho Los Mochos
6/11/23 - 6/17/23	Resident Camp Session A	Camping	Camp Wolfeboro
6/11/23 - 6/17/23	Camp Royaneh Staff Week	Camping	Camp Royaneh
6/11/23 - 6/17/23	Wente Scout Reservation Staff Week	Camping	Wente Scout Reservation
6/18/23 - 6/24/23	Resident Camp Session B	Camping	Camp Royaneh
6/18/23 - 6/24/23	Resident Camp Session B	Camping	Camp Wolfeboro
6/18/23 - 6/24/23	Resident Camp Session B	Camping	Wente Scout Reservation
6/18/23 - 6/24/23	Eagle Requirements Camp	Camping	Camp Royaneh
6/19/2023	Juneteenth	Holiday	
6/22/2023	Diversity Event	Development	TBD
6/25/23 - 7/1/23	Resident Camp Session C	Camping	Camp Royaneh
6/25/23 - 7/1/23	Resident Camp Session C	Camping	Camp Wolfeboro
6/25/23 - 7/1/23	Resident Camp Session C	Camping	Wente Scout Reservation
7/2/23 - 7/8/23	Resident Camp Session D	Camping	Camp Royaneh
7/2/23 - 7/8/23	Resident Camp Session D	Camping	Camp Wolfeboro
7/2/23 - 7/8/23	Resident Camp Session D	Camping	Wente Scout Reservation
7/4/2023	Independence Day	Holiday	All Offices/ Trading Posts Closed
7/9/23 - 7/15/23	Resident Camp Session E	Camping	Camp Royaneh
7/9/23 - 7/15/23	Resident Camp Session E	Camping	Camp Wolfeboro
7/9/23 - 7/15/23	Resident Camp Session E	Camping	Wente Scout Reservation
7/16/23 - 7/22/23	Resident Camp Session F	Camping	Camp Royaneh
7/16/23 - 7/22/23	Resident Camp Session F	Camping	Camp Wolfeboro
7/16/23 - 7/22/23	Resident Camp Session F	Camping	Wente Scout Reservation
7/19/23 - 7/28/23	National Scout Jamboree	Jamboree	Summit Bechtel Reserve
7/21/23 - 7/23/23	Wolf & Bear Adventure Camp	Camping	Rancho Los Mochos
7/23/23 - 7/29/23	Resident Camp Session G	Camping	Camp Royaneh
7/23/23 - 7/29/23	Resident Camp Session G	Camping	Wente Scout Reservation
7/30/23 - 8/5/23	Resident Camp Session H	Camping	Wente Scout Reservation
7/30/23 - 8/5/23	Webelos Resident Camp	Camping	Camp Royaneh
8/1/23 - 8/12/23	World Scout Jamboree	Jamboree	SaeManGeum, Korea
8/17/2023	Technology Event	Development	TBD

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8/11/23 - 8/13/23	Program Planning Conference	Program	TBD
8/25/23 - 8/27/23	Family Vacation Camp	Camping	Wente Scout Reservation
8/29/2023	Council Coordinated Meeting	Council Key 5	TBD
9/1/23 - 9/4/23	Family Vacation Camp	Camping	Camp Royaneh
9/1/23 - 9/4/23	Family Vacation Camp	Camping	Wente Scout Reservation
9/4/2023	Labor Day	Holiday	All Offices/ Trading Posts Closed
9/8/23 - 9/10/23	Sea Scout Weekend	Sea Scouting	Wente Scout Reservation
9/15/23 - 9/17/23	Work Weekend	Properties	Camp Royaneh
9/15/23 - 9/17/23	Work Weekend	Properties	Wente Scout Reservation
9/15/23 - 9/17/23	OA 17N Section Conclave	Order of the Arrow	
9/15/23 - 9/17/23	Fall Wood Badge (weekend #1)	Training	Camp Herms
9/16/2023	Gala	Development	San Francisco
9/16/2023	International Coastal Clean-Up	Program	
9/23/23 - 9/24/23	Wilderness First Aid	Training	Camp Herms
9/24/23 - 9/25/23	Yom Kippur	Holiday	
9/30/23 - 10/1/23	Webeloree	Camping	Camp Herms
10/7/2023	Work Day	Properties	Rancho Los Mochos
10/7/23 - 10/8/23	Wilderness First Aid	Training	Camp Herms
10/13/2023	Construction Lunch-O-Ree	Development	Hilton Union Square
10/13/23 - 10/15/23	OA Fall Induction	Order of the Arrow	Camp Royaneh
10/14/23 - 10/15/23	Fall Wood Badge (weekend #2)	Training	Camp Herms
10/20/23 - 10/22/23	Cub Camping Connection	Camping	Rancho Los Mochos
10/20/23 - 10/22/23	Work Weekend	Properties	Wente Scout Reservation
10/20/23 - 10/22/23	Work Weekend	Properties	Camp Royaneh
10/28/2023	National Make a Difference Day	Program	
10/28/23 - 10/29/23	Webeloree	Camping	Camp Herms
10/28/23 - 10/29/23	BALOO	Training	Fairfield
11/4/2023	Wine Auction	Development	Napa Valley
11/4/2023	Work Day	Properties	Rancho Los Mochos
11/4/2023	Scouting for Food Flyer Drop Off	Program	Council-Wide
11/10/2023	Veterans Day (observed)	Holiday	
11/11/2023	Scouting for Food Pick-Up	Program	Council-Wide
11/17/23 - 11/19/23	Work Weekend	Properties	Camp Royaneh
11/17/23 - 11/19/23	Work Weekend	Properties	Wente Scout Reservation
11/23/2023	Thanksgiving	Holiday	
11/23/23 - 11/24/23	Thanksgiving Break	Holiday	All Offices/ Trading Posts Closed
11/28/2023	Council Coordinated Meeting	Council Key 5	TBD
12/2/2023	Work Day	Properties	Rancho Los Mochos
12/7/2023	Distinguished Citizen	Development	TBD
12/7/23 - 12/15/23	Hanukkah	Holiday	
12/9/2023	Order of the Arrow Lodge Banquet	Order of the Arrow	
12/16/2023	Wolfboro Pioneers Winter Meeting	Wolfboro Pioneers	Camp Herms
12/25/23 - 12/29/23	Holiday Break	Holiday	All Offices/ Trading Posts Closed
12/25/2023	Christmas	Holiday	
12/26/2023	Kwansaa begins	Holiday	

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