



Pio Pico District Roundtable January 17th, 2024

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Welcome to Roundtable

- Flag Salute
- Announcements
 - Website, Newsletter, Upcoming Roundtables
 - Events, Activities, Training
 - Adult Volunteer Awards
 - High Adventure Team (H.A.T.)
- Breakouts:
 - Scouts: Preparing for New Scouts; JTE
 - Cubs: Recruiting
 - Webelos: Arrow of Light Bridging
- Closing remarks
- Scoutmaster's minute

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Pio Pico Website & Newsletter

Website

Latest announcements can be found at **piopicobsa.org**

Newsletter

The Newsletter will be sent out via email once a month.

It is also available via the piopicobsa.org website.

Each month will have announcements, training dates, district and council activities, and shout outs for recognition.

If you have any fun stories, jokes, pictures or any scouting tips, shout outs or recognitions that you would like to share with the newsletter, please be sure to email me.

If you want to receive the Newsletter, please email me at:
Sophia.Antunez72@gmail.com

Alex Begg / Sophia Antunez
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2024

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PIO PICO ROUNDTABLE DATE – TIME 7:00pm - PLACE

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Pio Pico Roundtable Plan 2024

Presenting to you: the 2024 Roundtable subjects. Questions and *especially* suggestions are requested!

Theme		Scout Breakout	Cub Breakout	Webelos Breakout
Jan	Updated Camping Rules	Preparing for New Scouts / JTE	Recruiting	Arrow of Light Bridging
Feb	History of the BSA	Backpacking Equipment / Camporee	Cub Day Camp / Summer Activities	Cub Day Camp / Summer Activities / Camporee
Mar	Hazardous Weather	Conservation/Service Projects	Next Year Planning / Recruiting / JTE	Next Year Planning / Recruiting / JTE
Apr	Getting First Aid Training	First Aid / Safety / Wood Tools	Outdoor / First Aid	Outdoor / First Aid
May	What is Recharter and USP	Recharter Processor Training	Recharter Processor Training	Recharter Processor Training
Jun	Social - Annual Picnic	PLEASE Come!!!	Social	Social
Jul	DARK	DARK	DARK	DARK
Aug	Summer is Coming	Next Year Summer Camp	Pack Meeting Awards / Scoutbook	Pack Meeting Awards / Scoutbook
Sep	How Do I Get Trained?	Camporee / Cooking Equipment	Cooking Equipment	Camporee / Cooking Equipment
Oct	Scout Acronyms	Camping	Push Cart & Pinewood Derbies	Push Cart & Pinewood Derbies
Nov	Social Media and Rules	Project Yourself / Scoutbook	Project Yourself / Blue & Gold	Project Yourself / Blue & Gold
Dec	Let's celebrate our holidays	Holiday treat exchange	PLEASE Come!!!	Social

The topics stated are subject to change. All changes will be published in the newsletter and will be emailed to all on that list.





Pio Pico District, G.L.A.A.C.

Sponsored by Troop 546

MERIT BADGE DAY



Date: Saturday, January 20, 2024

Where: Palm Park (5703 Palm Ave, Whittier, Ca 90601)

Registration: Email Counselor to reserve your seat in a merit badge class*

**Make sure to cc your Scout Leader and Parent on all emails per 2-Deep Youth Protection guidelines Must contact counselor for prerequisites*

SCOUTING FOR FOOD: PLEASE BRING CANNED GOODS

Cost: \$15.00, Includes lunch

Schedule:

8:00am: Check-In/Registration

8:30am: Flag Presentation

9:00am - 11:00am: Session #1

11:00am - 12:00pm: Lunch

12:00pm - 3:00pm: Session #2



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Pio Pico Scouting for Food

DATE: **January 20, 2024**

LOCATION: **Palm Park**

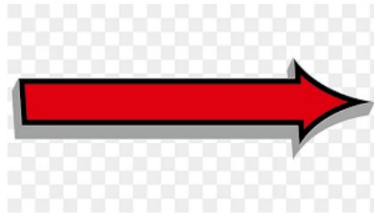
5736 El Rancho Dr., Whittier

Time: **9-Noon (Rain or Shine)**

Drop Off Boxes: **Will be located by the picnic benches and the pool parking lot.**

Please contact **piopicocamporee@yahoo.com**
If you would like to volunteer to help
with the Food Drive.





LIFE TO EAGLE WORKSHOP

LOCATION: Scout Hut 890 Via San Clemente, Montebello,

DATE: Saturday, January 20th- 9:00am

WHO: Life Scouts and their parents, Leaders and Advisor's

BRING: Your questions, pen and paper for notes

RSVP: Dan Fijan- fijand@msn.com or 562-777-4508





SATURDAY FEB. 17, 2024 **PIO PICO DISTRICT** **PUSHCART DERBY**

Racing is from 8:30am to 1:00pm (No set time on tracks your teams will need to get in line to race) Awards will be given out at 2:00pm.



We ask that all units help clean-up the tracks during the hour break before awards are given out. Thank you in advance.

Divisions:
Lion - Tiger - Wolf
Bear - Webelo/AOL
Scout Troops
New Crew/Adults

Relay Oval Track

Dragster Track

Parallel Parking

\$15 per person
entry fee

Units will need to have 2
adult volunteers to work
track as stopwatch timers.
(1 hr. shift)

REGISTER ONLINE

Leaders Guide Online
Location Stonewood Center
251 Stonewood St.
Downey 90241

Questions: Mary Gaither
562-964-3774
mgait30724@aol.com

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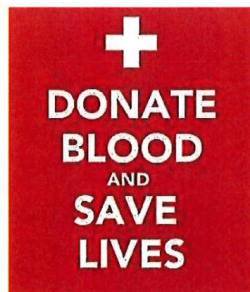
BLOOD DRIVE

DATE: SATURDAY, JANUARY 27, 2024

TIME: 8 AM – 2 PM

PLACE: FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
6725 FRIENDS AVE.
WHITTIER, CA 90601

SIGN UP AT:
WWW.REDCROSSBLOOD.ORG



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Pio Pico District Dinner March 2, 2024

Family Style Lasagna Dinner

(Meat & Veggie Lasagna, Antipasto Appetizer, Salad,
Garlic Bread, Dessert, Iced Tea & Coffee)

6:00pm \$30 per person

Our District provides a values-based Scouting program for young people in Greater LA Scouting and is focused on building character and citizenship development in our youth. Our District strives to deliver a quality program for youth, with trained adult leadership, supported by an incredibly professional staff.

Come celebrate our district volunteers!

St. Andrews Lutheran Church

11345 Miller Rd, Whittier, CA 90604

Questions: Mary Gaither 562-964-3774 Mgait30724@aol.com

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SAVE THE DATE FOR ADULT LEADER TRAINING



MARCH 16 & 17, 2024 AT FIRESTONE

IOLS provides adult leaders the practical hands-on skills they need to lead Scouts in the out-of-doors. Upon completion leaders should feel comfortable teaching Scouts the basic skills required to obtain the First Class rank.

Required for all direct contact leaders in Scout Troops and Varsity Scout Teams in order to wear the TRAINED patch. Also required for Venturing Adult Leaders if their Crew has an outdoor activity focus.

Skills:

- Campfire & Flag Ceremonies, Meal Planning & Cooking
- Setting up Campsite, Outdoor event planning
- Woods tools, knots, rope, lashings
- orienteering & other First Class rank skills.
- Many more topics

Personal Benefits:

- Experience the Patrol Method & engage the basic skills required for Tenderfoot to First Class.
- Fun interacting and collaborating with other Scout Leaders that will expand your network of support within the scouting community.
- Gain an appreciation of the importance and heritage of Scouting.

Cost: \$50

Location: Firestone Scout Reservation, Memorial Mesa

Registration will be limited to 36 participants.

Send Questions to: Roy Allinson: firestonebsatraining@gmail.com

ONLINE REGISTRATION WILL OPEN JANUARY 2024

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Pio Pico Spring Camporee



DATE: **April 19-21, 2024**

LOCATION: **Prado Regional Park**

16700 Euclid Ave., Chino 91708

In Person Registration Dates:

Feb. 21st and March 20th 2024 @ Pio Pico Roundtable

Location: Check Roundtable schedule for location.

Online Registration Dates/Fees:

Cost: \$30.00 per person

Online registration open: November 1, 2023

Online registration closes: April 1, 2024

Informational Camporee Break-out at March 20, 2024 at Roundtable Meeting.

Theme: Scouts of the Round Table

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Pio Pico Summer Outdoor Adventure Day Camp

MARK YOUR 2024 CLENDAR

JUNE 17TH TO 21ST 2024 8:00AM TO 3:30PM

MONTEBELLO CITY PARK

1301 W Whittier Blvd, Montebello, CA 90640

TIGER – WOLF – BEAR – WEBELOS – ARROW OF LIGHT

Spend an Amazing week outdoors while completing the NEW 2024 requirements and electives for your New Rank. More information to follow!

\$135.00 (Includes Camp T-shirt, Activity Belt Loops, pins, and patches will be given out at the Friday Night Awards Campfire)

Questions:

Mary Gaither
562-964-3774

We will need adult helpers & den chiefs!

1 Adult per 6 Youth

Piopicocubdaycamp@yahoo.com

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Adult Volunteer Awards

Tonight is the deadline for submission of Mickey Award nominations for 2023. Please give all nominations to Ruben Soto. Remember that there is a limit of 2 Mickey Award nominations per unit.

Please attend the Council Annual Silver Beaver Award Dinner on Wednesday, January 24, 2024, at the Quiet Cannon Restaurant in Montebello to support Pio Pico District's 2023 Silver Beaver Award recipient Rockie Mooney! Register for the dinner on the Council website. All are welcome and encouraged to attend!

Roger Reynolds

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H.A.T.

Meetings and Training

HAT meets at 7:30 pm on the first Tuesday of each month (except July and August) at the Cushman Watt Scout Center, 2333 Scout Way, Los Angeles, CA 90026.

All scout leaders are welcome , come and join us! (In-person or zoom)



1/20	Snow and Ice Travel Field Experience Cancelled (no snow)	Day Outing	Mount Baldy Area
1/27	Snow Shoeing Field Experience Praying for Snow	Day Outing	TBA
2/03&04	Winter Camping and Travel Field Experience Praying for Snow	Wkend Outing	Mount San Jacinto
2/6	HAT Meeting	7:30 – 10:00 pm	Cushman-Watt Scout Center
2/10	Canoe Training	8:00 am - 5:00 pm	Bonelli regional park San Dimas
2/23-25/2024	Adult Leaders Backpack Training Seminar	Wkend Outing	Cabrillo Beach Youth Center
TBD	Adult Leaders Backpack Training Field Experience	Wkend Outing	TBA
3/2	Scout Leaders Backpack Training Seminar	8:00 – 4:00	Cushman-Watt Scout Center
3/5	HAT Meeting	7:30 – 10:00 pm	Cushman-Watt Scout Center
TBD	Scout Leaders Backpack Training Field Experience	Wkend Outing	TBA
3/15,16,&17	B.S.A. Level I Climbing Instructor Course	Wkend Outing	Hubert Eaton Scout Reservation
TBA	CPR and First Aid	TBA	La Verne Church of the Brethren
3/23&24	Wilderness and Remote First Aid	8:00 am - 4:00 pm	Cushman-Watt Scout Center

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62nd Adult Leaders Backpack Training-2024

- WHO:** Scout Leaders who want to get a High Adventure program going in the troop or crew
- WHAT:** Adult Leaders Backpack Training
- WHERE :** Cabrillo Beach Youth Center, San Pedro
- WHEN:** Friday, Saturday, Sunday 23, 24, 25 February 2024
- WHY:** Stimulate your High Adventure Program!
- COST:** \$115 Includes meals, snacks and course materials!

Sign up by February 16th

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Did you get a California campfire permit last year?

If so, it's expired!

Get a new one at :

California Campfire Permit:

<https://www.readyforwildfire.org/permits/campfire-permit/>

Campfire Permits are required for open fires, such as campfire, barbecues and portable stoves on federally controlled lands and private lands that are the property of another person.

On private lands, written permission from the landowner is also required for campfire use.

Get your California Campfire Permit quickly and easily online!

Click the link below to get started.

GET YOUR CAMPFIRE PERMIT

Click here to get started!





BSA Acronyms

ABS

ASM

HESR/FLSR/LASC

KIS/MIF

OA

Lou Smith

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