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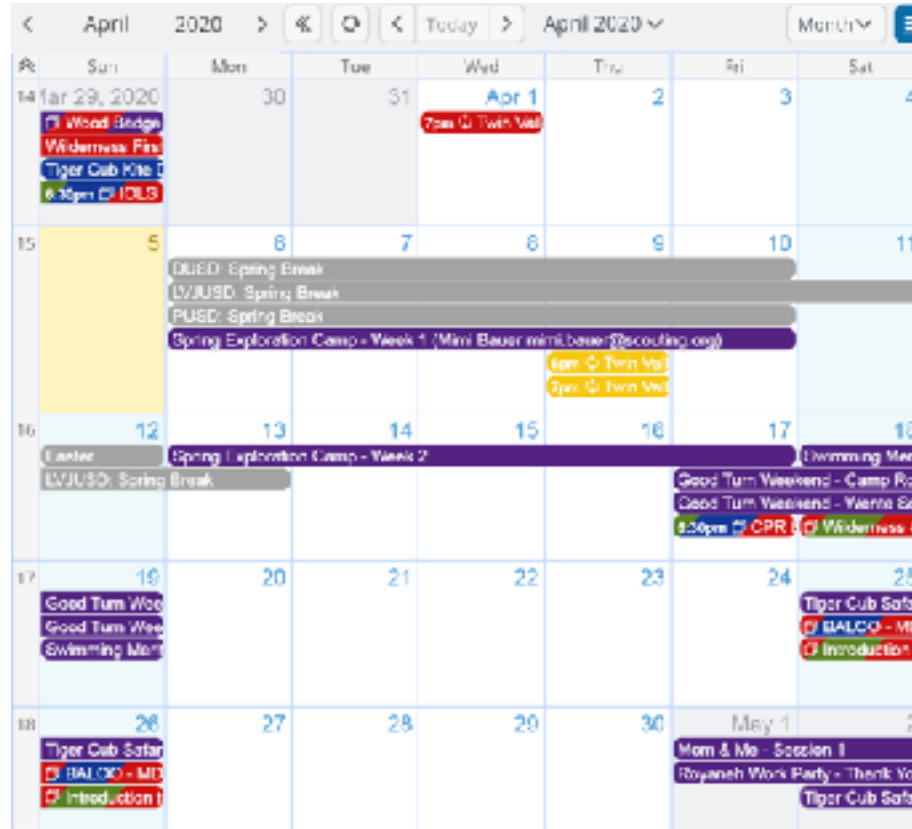
Twin Valley Roundtable

April 9, 2020



Twin Valley Calendar

- Updated from June on.
- Earlier dates are still being decided on.



- 🔒 Camping
- 🔒 Dates of Note
- 🔒 Roundtable
- 🔒 SFBAC Notable Events
- 🔒 Training
- 🔒 Twin Valley Packs
- 🔒 Twin Valley Troops



<http://twinvalleyscouting.com/calendar/>

TV Spotlight Newsletter

- You can find it by going to our website

<http://www.TwinValleyScouting.com/>

- You submit an article

TVSpotlight@TwinValleyScouting.com



Golden Gate Area Council

- Possible merger of Alameda, Mount Diablo, and San Francisco Bay Area Councils
- Due to shelter in place, the vote for the council merger has been postponed to April 20th and will be conducted by mail in ballots.
- All Charter Org Representatives have been informed and understand the process.
- The outcome of the vote will be announced before May 5th.



SFBAC Council Office and Camps

- Closed since Tuesday March 17th
- Office opening when Shelter in Place is lifted; current date of May 4
- Information about activities that are being postponed/canceled will come from the volunteer chair and the professional leading that event.



National's Response to COVID-19

- Get answerers to many of your scouting related questions here:

<https://www.scouting.org/coronavirus/covid-19-faq/>



Doing a Good Turn - PPE

REQUESTED DONATION ITEMS

- Masks (N95, surgical, and procedure)
- Disinfecting wipes such as Clorox or Sani cloth wipes
- Hand sanitizer
- Face shields
- Goggles and eye shields
- Isolation or surgical gowns
- Controlled Air Purifying Respirator (CAPR) / Powered Air Purifying Respirator (PAPR) machines and disposables
- Flocked swabs

WAYS TO DONATE



Stanford Health Care
ATTN: Supply
Donations Center
820 Quarry Rd Ext
Palo Alto, CA 94304



Stanford Health Care
550 Broadway
(On Douglas Ave side)
Redwood City, CA 94063

Open every day
1:00pm-5:00pm



Stanford Health Care -
ValleyCare LifeStyleRx
1119 E Stanley Blvd
Livermore, CA 94550

Open Monday-Friday
8:00am-5:00pm

To learn more, please visit: stanfordhealthcare.org/donatesupplies

Thank you for your generous donations and for supporting our community.

Donate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
to the Lifestyle RX in Livermore

- 8am-4pm Monday – Friday
- 1119 E Stanley Blvd, Livermore.



Postponed Events

- Tiger Cub Safari
 - Session #1: April 25-26 (postponed)
 - Session #2: May 2-3, 2020 (postponed)
- Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation
 - April 25-26 (canceled)
- Mom & Me Weekend
 - 5/1-3 (postponed)

Email Jason Lewis for info:
jason.lewis@scouting.org



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Wood Badge - 2020



- Dates:

- March 27-29 @ San Leandro Scout Office
- April 18-19 @ Rancho Los Mochos

- Cost: \$280.00 per Participant

- Early discount of \$75.00 before 12/15/2019
- Late fee of \$20.00 after 7/15/2020

- Contact: sfbacwoodbadge2020cd@gmail.com

Course Director
Mike Ransom



Twin Valley District Dinner

- When: May 9
- 5:30 PM Chili Cook-off & Fellowship
- 6:30-9:00 PM Dinner & Recognition
- Where: Veterans Memorial Hall
301 Main Street, Pleasanton
- Cost: \$25/person (or \$140/table of eight)
\$30/at the door
- Awards: nominations due 3/31
- Contact: tvdistrictdinner@yahoo.com



Award Nominations

Kristine Biehl



Camporee 2020

Empires

- New dates are August 28-30, 2020
- Mission Peak District may join us
- Registration will start again in July
- We look forward to seeing you all there!
Stay healthy.
- Wash your hands.



A Fun Stay @ Home Activity

- TV Televised Programming: Ever wanted to do a Tedx Talk? Now is your chance. Film yourself talking on a subject that you consider yourself to be a subject matter expert on. It could be Merit Badge related like how to properly clean a firearm, tying the correct knot for your climbing harness, or discussing the difference between rocks and minerals. Props, drawings, and follow-along activities are encouraged! Then email, dropbox, or google share to Matt Lindberg (matt.lindberg@scouting.org) for him to put on the Twin Valley social media and youtube pages.



Advancement Guidelines - Cub Scouts

New BSA guidance on advancement during COVID-19

This includes:

- Allowing parents and other adults in the Cub Scout's family to sign off on Webelos and Arrow of Light requirements through July 31, 2020.
- Cub Scouts can continue to work on their current den's advancement through July 31, 2020. This gives extra time for Cub Scouts to complete their badge of rank; if they earn their badge of rank prior to July 31, 2020, they may advance to the next rank.





30 DAY CHALLENGE

- <http://www.sfbac.org/membership/30-day-challenge/cub-scout-30-day-challenge/72920>

Click your Cub Scout's rank to see the 30 Day Challenge!



30 Day Webelos Challenge

Help your Webelos keep their skills sharp by taking on our 30-day challenge with activities to help with adventure and elective requirements!



Week 1 – Stronger, Faster, Higher

Week 2 – Art Explosion

Week 3 – Build My Own Hero, Aware and Care

Week 4 – Project Family, Maestro!

Week 5 – Cast Iron Chef

		1 Make an exercise plan that includes at least 3 physical activities. Do every day this month.	2 Watch a new sport online and give it a try at home.	3 Do the following and record results: 20 yd. dash, vertical jump, 5lb weight lift, pushups, curl, jump rope.	4 Demonstrate proper warm up before and cool down after an activity.	5 Make a fitness course with jumping, obstacles, weights, and running in your yard.
4 Visit an art museum or gallery online.	7 Create 2 left portraits using 2 different techniques.	8 Draw or paint an original picture outdoors.	9 Use clay to sculpt a simple form.	10 Create a comic strip! Make it at least 4 pages.	11 Host a gallery opening for your art at home and invite your family.	12 Using a camera or phone, take 10 pictures and edit to create a slide show.
13 Family discussion – what is a hero? How can others be heroes in their community?	14 Create and draw your own superhero! What makes them "super"?	15 Make "My Hero Awards" for police, firemen, and doctors/nurses.	16 Learn about a Scout hero and make a poster about them.	17 Make cards for nursing home residents.	18 Watch Special Olympics events online with your family. Discuss your thoughts/feelings.	19 Learn the Scout Oath in sign language.
20 Call a grandparent or other older and learn about life when they were growing up.	21 Family discussion – learn about family names, history, traditions, and culture.	22 Make a poster or webpage about places your family came from.	23 Help a family member with a household job, such as taking out the trash or yard work.	24 Watch a live musical performance online. Try a new type of music!	25 Plan and host a family night with activities your family likes to do together.	26 Host a concert for your family. Perform an instrument or sing at least 2 songs.
27 Find instructions online and build your own solar oven. Give it a try!	28 Plan a menu for a balanced meal for your family. Help cook it!	29 Learn about food safety practices. Make a poster for your kitchen.	30 Demonstrate how to build a fire in your backyard using sticks and leaves. DO NOT LIGHT IT!			



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- <http://www.sfbac.org/membership/30-day-challenge/scouts-bsa-30-day-challenge/72921>



Advancement Guidelines – Scouts BSA

New BSA guidance on advancement during COVID-19

This includes:

- Time extensions for qualifying Scouts and Venturers working on the Eagle Scout. Local councils will have the authority to grant this extension through the end of September 2020.
- The ability to accept electronic signatures for rank advancement and award applications — effective now through the end of September 2020.
- An option to complete Scoutmaster conferences via videoconferencing.
- An option for Scoutmasters to allow time missed during the COVID-19 outbreak to count toward requirements for participation and positions of responsibility.



Scouts BSA now available on Kindle



Online Merit Badges

- <https://twinvalleyscouting.com/online-merit-badges/>
- https://blog.scoutingmagazine.org/2020/03/20/merit-badges-for-social-distancing/?utm_source=scoutingwire&utm_campaign=swemployee3252020&utm_medium=email&utm_content=



▼ Personal Fitness Merit Badge*: Monday – Thursday, 2 pm – 3:30 pm

▼ Communications Merit Badge: Monday – Thursday, 4 pm – 5 pm

▼ Citizenship in the Nation Merit Badge*: Monday – Friday, 4 pm – 6 pm

▼ Mining in Society Merit Badge: Monday – Thursday, 6 pm – 7 pm

And more!





NEW!!!! Virtual Merit Badge classes.

- <http://www.sfbac.org/event/extended-exploration-camp-2020/2656630>
- Requires a good WiFi connection and computer with audio and video capabilities.
- Program will begin at 9 am to between 1:30 and 3 pm.
- \$40 per day



National Youth Leadership Training

- **Registration will open by mid-January.** The San Francisco Bay Area Council offers one large session this year at Rancho Los Mochos – **June 14 to 20, 2020**. Participation is open to Boy Scouts, Varsity, Venturing, and Sea Scouts from all Councils. Under rules from National, the age requirements for Scouts now are 13 at time of course. For further information or to register, visit www.sfbac-nylt.org.
- **Do Note:** NYLT is actively seeking adults to help with the program. Please visit the [NYLT staff page](#) to see where adults might be of help and please contact us at: Info@sfbac-nylt.org if interested or to learn more.



Interested in joining Troop 998 to Philmont?

- Openings in two crews
 - Girl crew
 - Boy crew
- Date: July 2nd-15th
- Contact:

Mike Lennox

mike@lennox.cc

(925) 785-0199



Council and District Announcements



Mike Allison
Matt Lindberg



General Discussion Topics

A topic that has come up recently is that of posting photos of Scouts on troop websites. Have you asked for permission? Parents are becoming more concerned about how photos are being used, especially now that facial recognition software is becoming more commonplace.



Next Roundtable: May 14th



Want a copy of tonight's slides, scan here!

