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# Twin Valley Roundtable

October 10, 2024

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# Welcome to Roundtable

Tonight's slides are available online at:



**Twin Valley District**

**Serving: Dublin, Livermore, Pleasanton, and Sunol**



Volunteer Opportunities

Join Scouting

District Contacts

Webelos to Scouts BSA

## Recent News



### Drive-Through Tri-Tip Dinner Fundraiser

August 3, 2022

Everyone loves a good barbeque, but now you can enjoy good food for a good cause! This dinner is to help raise money for the Twin Valley District Scouting program. Proceeds go directly in support of the local Scouting program for our youth in the Tri-Valley Area...

Read More

<https://twinvalley.ggacbsa.org/>

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Rather Important Stuff

# VITAL NEWS

# Scouting for Food Land Grab

Early Access After Roundtable!!!



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# Scouting for Food Drop-offs

To be confirmed!!!

Livermore

**Walmart**

2700 Las Positas Rd  
Livermore, CA 94551



Pleasanton

**Walmart**

4501 Rosewood Dr,  
Pleasanton, CA 94588

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# Spotlight on Scouting!!!



# The Scouter Share

There are so many wonderful moments in our scout life - let's share them!

Highlight your unit's great moments or great scouts to be shared across the Twin Valley District's newsletter, website and social media handles.



All you need:

- Name, Email, City, Unit
- A sentence or two about the moment/scout
- One photo approved to be used

A screenshot of a Google Form titled "The Scouter Share". The form has a header image of a river flowing over rocks. Below the title, there is a submission instruction: "Submit image and story approved to share across Scout of America social media channels and in the Twin Valley District newsletter." The form includes a user profile section for "rene.saroukhanoff@gmail.com" with a "Switch account" link. The main form fields are: "Name" (required), "Unit" (required), "City" (required), and "Share your story or background on the image" (required). There is an "Attach approved image or video clip" section with an "Add file" button. At the bottom, there is a "Submit" button and a "Clear form" link. The footer includes a disclaimer: "Never submit passwords through Google Forms. This form was created inside of Boy Scout Troop 941, Pleasanton, California." and the "Google Forms" logo.

Really Fun Stuff

# ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

# Jamboree on the Air Jamboree on the Internet

**JOTA / JOTI at Pacificon 2023**

**Saturday, October 19, 2024**

Mt. Diablo Amateur Radio Club and Golden Gate Area  
Council, BSA – International Committee are presenting

Jamboree-on-the-Air (JOTA) 2024 and

Jamboree-on-the-Internet (JOTI) 2024 at [Pacificon 2024](#)

Come any time from 9:00am – 4:00pm on October 19, 2023



# TRI-VALLEY VETERANS DAY PARADE

Sunday November 3rd 2024



1:00 PM Main Street

Pleasanton

Pleasanton Community Concert

Band

2:00 PM 301 Main Street

visit [www.trivalleyvdp.com](http://www.trivalleyvdp.com)

SPECIAL TRIBUTE TO OUR MILITARY CHAPLAINS

Parade entry forms are due by:

**Friday, October 25** - NO ENTRY FEE

Parade day check-in is Sunday, November 3rd from  
10am-12pm at 301 Main Street in Pleasanton.  
Step-off is at 1pm.

register online:



# Sharks Scout Night!

Saturday, November 2nd  
at the Shark Tank

Includes a patch!



**SCOUT**  
GROUP NIGHT

VS

[HTTPS://SJSHARKS.COM/SCOUTS](https://sjsharks.com/scouts)

JOIN US ON SATURDAY,  
NOVEMBER 2ND FOR SCOUT  
NIGHT AT THE TANK! SCOUTS,  
TROOP LEADERS, AND  
FAMILY ARE ALL INVITED TO  
JOIN US FOR THIS FUN  
EVENT! THIS SPECIAL TICKET  
PACKAGE COMES WITH A  
PATCH GIVEAWAY.

SCOUT PATCH OPTIONS

LOOKING TO BUY AS A LARGER GROUP?  
PLEASE CONTACT AUSTIN BRICK AT [ABRICK@SJSHARKS.COM](mailto:ABRICK@SJSHARKS.COM).

The poster features a blue background with white and yellow text. It includes the San Jose Sharks logo, a 'VS' symbol, and a cartoon scout character. A circular logo for 'SAN JOSE SHARKS SCOUTS GROUP NIGHT' is also present.



# Nuclear Science Day for Scouts



Lawrence Berkeley  
National Laboratory



We will be celebrating our 12th annual Nuclear Science Day for Scouts Event at Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory on

**Saturday, November 9, 2024**  
**from ~9:00 am to ~4:30 pm**

This in-person event is designed for Girl Scouts and Scouting America (BSA) youths, as well as those from other scouting movements, in 8th grade or higher. There is no cost to attend.

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Improvement Stuff

# TRAINING

# TRaining EXtravaganza



October 19, 2024

Stay tuned

**POSTPONED**  
Stay tuned for more details

Church

Roll Center Parkway

Pleasanton

# Training



- 450 online classes @ <https://training.scouting.org/catalog>
- Training questions contact: [training@twinvalleyscouting.com](mailto:training@twinvalleyscouting.com)

Celebration Staff

# RECOGNITION



# Voice of Democracy Essay Contest

2024-2025 Theme

**“Is America Today our Forefathers' Vision?”**

Student Entry Deadline: **October 31, 2024**

Patriotic Audio Essay Competition Grand Prize: **\$35,000 Award**

Since 1947, the Voice of Democracy has been the Veterans of Foreign Wars' (VFW's) premier scholarship program. Each year, nearly 80,000 high school students compete for more than \$2 million in scholarships and incentives. Students compete by writing and recording an audio essay on an annual patriotic theme.





# Patriot's Pen Essay Contest

2022-2023 Theme

**"My Voice in America's Democracy"**

Student Entry Deadline: **October 31, 2023**

Patriotic Audio Essay Competition Grand Prize: **\$5,000 Award**

Conducted nationwide, this VFW-sponsored youth essay competition gives students an opportunity to write essays expressing their views on an annual patriotic theme. We invite you to join the more than 84,000 students who participated last year in this contest.



# NESA Outstanding Eagle Award

## Now Accepting Nominations



### Overview

Are you acquainted with an exceptional Eagle Scout within your unit or local community? Someone who embodies the daily virtues that define an Eagle Scout? If such an individual comes to mind, the Golden Gate Area Council's National Eagle Scout Association Committee invites you to submit a NESA Outstanding Eagle Scout Award nomination.

### Who Can Earn This Award?

Eagle Scouts in good standing with BSA and registered with or have primary residence in nominating council



# Scouter's Training Award

This award can be earned by Cub Scout, Scouts BSA, Venturing, and Sea Scout leaders as well as District Committee members to encourage training, tenure in a position, participation, and performance of adult leaders.



presented to

**René Saroukhanoff**



# Scouters Training Award

# T-Shirt Club

Be in the room where  
it happens

change into a t-shirt  
and see you there!



# Scouting for Food Land Grab

Early Access

