Welcome to
Cahokia Mounds
Virtual Roundtable

May 2020
Building your Calendar & Budget: Program Workshop

• We want to offer an hour session online for people to join and work on their calendar year and plan great program for their Scouts!

• WHEN: May 13th
  – 7:00-7:30: Cub Scouts
  – 7:30-8:00: ScoutsBSA

• Zoom link: https://gslac.zoom.us/j/98015443958

• This will be a time of brainstorming so come with questions and ideas!
Camp Cards

• Please begin collecting and turning in your camp card funds by sending in a check for $2.50/card sold to the West Pine office made out to GSLAC.

• Do not worry with turning in leftover cards at this time. Hold onto them while we decide the best/safest way to return them.

• Include a paper in your envelope with your unit number, total amount sending in, the number of cards sold, and the number of cards you need to return.
Summer Camp

• While they still have yet to make an official announcement about summer camp as of 5/6/20, they are still making plans for alternate options.

• If you do not wish to attend camp, or camp is cancelled, refunds will be honored.

• They are working on alternate programs for Camp that could be done from home for Scouts still wanting summer advancement but families don’t feel comfortable with camp.
June 13th @ 8 am-12 pm
1 pm – 5 pm
https://scoutingevent.com/312-2020ShotgunMeritBadge
Online Training Opportunities

- Cub Leader Training *May 12th* and *May 14th* 7:00pm-9:00pm ([https://www.scoutingevent.com/312-2020CMACMcommitteeDenleader](https://www.scoutingevent.com/312-2020CMACMcommitteeDenleader))
  - Must attend both sessions to be considered trained.

- Scouts BSA Training *May 6th* and *May 13th* 7:00-9:00pm ([https://www.scoutingevent.com/312-2020SMASMtrainingmay0613](https://www.scoutingevent.com/312-2020SMASMtrainingmay0613))
  - Must attend both session to be considered trained.

- Youth Protection Training *May 9th* 10:00am-Noon ([https://www.scoutingevent.com/312-2020yptvirtual](https://www.scoutingevent.com/312-2020yptvirtual))

- Youth Protection Training *May 21st* 7:00pm-9:00pm ([https://www.scoutingevent.com/312-2020YPTvirtualmay21](https://www.scoutingevent.com/312-2020YPTvirtualmay21))
2021 National Jamboree

- July 21-30, 2021
- Summit Bechtel Reserve in WV
- Troops by Council Region
- Cost = $2,050 per participant
- Includes Jamboree fee, charter transportation, full class-A uniform, class-B shirts, day pack, duffel bag, patch sets, and a few other items
- Visit the GSLAC Jamboree page:
  - [https://scoutingevent.com/312-28838](https://scoutingevent.com/312-28838)
- Fill out the Jamboree application:
  - [https://jamboree.scouting.org/](https://jamboree.scouting.org/)
- Questions: Eric J. Voss
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  - 618-288-3742
What to do while the world is on pause:

• **Virtual Meetings**: Just because you can’t meet face to face doesn’t mean you can’t meet online. If you need help setting this up, please reach out to us!
  – If you need help getting creative with activities, we’d be happy to help brainstorm.

• **Virtual Campout**: as a district we just had a virtual campout that was a lot of fun, but you can still have one with just your unit! If you want ideas of an itinerary, we can help.
Ideas Continued...

• The Council has been sending out weekly Scout Challenges! If you aren’t receiving these, please let us know!

• Virtual Crossovers

• The most important thing is to keep your kids engaged and excited about Scouting! You don’t have to reinvent the wheel to do this though. We are happy to help.

• CM Quarantine Cookbook – send in your recipes!

• Scout Story Time: On our district FB page Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10 am.

• Share your Scouting experiences on social media and invite others to join!
Family Friends of Scouting

• Many of you are dealing with the reality of cancelled Blue & Golds and Courts of Honor. This means your Family Friends of Scouting presentations have cancelled as well.

• Despite all that is happening in the world, Scouting will continue on after this. If you are still able to support Scouting, we ask that you consider doing so. Cahokia Mounds will need to come together now more than ever. You can text **COHEN20** to **91999** to give today.
National Youth Leadership Training – Currently still scheduled

• **NYLT is a 6 day** course that delivers training in a troop and patrol outdoor setting with an emphasis on immediate application of learning in a fun environment.

• **WHERE:** Camp Warren Levis

• **WHEN:** July 26th – August 1st

• For more information follow the link below:

• [https://stlbsa.org/training/youth/national-youth-leadership/](https://stlbsa.org/training/youth/national-youth-leadership/)
Collinsville Aqua Park

• Mark your calendars for July 31st, 2020!!!
• WHERE: Collinsville Aqua Park
• WHEN: 7:30 pm – 9:30 pm
• $5/person when registered as a unit – NEW SCOUTS FREE
• We need 300 registrants to make this event possible!
• https://scoutingevent.com/312-2020AquaScoutNight
Please share this video!

- [https://www.facebook.com/cahokiamoundsdistrict/videos/1222490021419461/?eid=ARAlenNDa7uWzepdp9NzR1slupcOCqrz_8hOwkWdBhXKYKWMtkGbsB63GjXo_qYQIHZ-pZ2NbGOGGrHyW](https://www.facebook.com/cahokiamoundsdistrict/videos/1222490021419461/?eid=ARAlenNDa7uWzepdp9NzR1slupcOCqrz_8hOwkWdBhXKYKWMtkGbsB63GjXo_qYQIHZ-pZ2NbGOGGrHyW)
Parent & Pal 2020

Date Change!!!

- WHEN: Moved to August 7th- August 9th
- WHERE: Camp Warren Levis
- Register here: https://stlbsa.org/activities/events/parent-pal/
- Parent and Pal is a great opportunity to build memories with your Cub Scout! The event includes a t-shirt, meals, a patch, and lots of fun activities!
Pinewood Derby

• Rescheduled to August 8th!
• WHERE: Madison Fair Grounds
• The schedule and times are still the same as before, more information and a flyer to come!
How to log service hours

→ Start this process NOW as units are doing Good Turns Daily

• The URL is https://servicehours.scouting.org/UI/Security/Login.aspx

• You can register as a user by selecting ‘New Users Click Here’.
  – You will need the Unit ID for each unit. See Brad or Kevin.
  – Enter the demographic information as requested (Unit type, your name, email address, etc.)
  – You will need a unique login for each unit that you will access’
    • tburke1048 for troop 1048
    • tburke4048 for pack 4048

• Access will be granted immediately. You can monitor service hours logged. You can also log service hours on behalf of your units.
2020 Scouts BSA Summer Camp

- Registration for 2020 Boy Scout & Venturing Summer Camp is open!
- Troops and Crews can secure their campsite and week with a $100 unit deposit
- Register at:
  - https://stlbsa.org/activities/camping/scouts-bsa-summer-camp/
  - Early bird registration is currently April 22nd
  - Refunds will be given in the unfortunate case of camp getting cancelled
2020 Cub Scout Summer Camp

• Registration for 2020 Cub Scout Overnight Summer Camp is open!

• Learn more information, find camp manuals, and Register at:
  – https://stlbsa.org/activities/camping/cub-scout-summer-camp/

• Refunds will be given in the unfortunate case of camp getting cancelled
SCOUTFEST

• WHEN: October 2-4, 2020
• WHERE: Forest Park, STL
• WHAT: A once in a decade event that will have all that a scout could ever dream of!
• Registration is open!
• For more info:
FaceBook:
https://www.facebook.com/cahokiamoundsdistrict

Check out our Facebook page for updates about what is happening in Cahokia Mounds!

Web Page:
https://stlbsa.org/cahokiamounds/