

Simon Kenton Council 2012 University of Scouting

“A Salute to Veterans”



Saturday, January 21, 2012

Registration begins at 7:30 am

Opening at 8:30am

Pickerington North High School

7800 County Highway 7, Refugee Road

Pickerington, OH 43147-7987

(614) 830-2700

Catalog of Courses ***The 2012 University of Scouting***

It is with great pleasure that we invite you to the Simon Kenton Council's 2012 Edition of the University of Scouting - **“A Salute to Veterans”**. As we continue to pursue our common goal of providing our Scouting volunteers with tools for better Scouting, we hope you will find the information you receive useful. Scouting has a proud 102 year history, and we hope an even greater future!

We wish to extend our gratitude to all the present Deans of the Colleges whose names are listed in the attached Course Catalog, as well as to our Registrar Allison Cramer who designed our online registration system, and Jeff Lockhart, who as Dean of Facilities coordinated the classroom arrangements. We also extend a special thank you to our Professional Advisor Robert Drew and Connie Everhart the Assistant Provost and 2013 Provost. And we can't forget the entire staff who helped to make this University very special...

Judy Manley
Tyler Coleman
Chris Hartman
Kerry Cheesman
Jen Koma
Mark Hoppes

Joy Holloway
Cindy Baily
Rebecca Williams
Pam Pyle
Andy Stiebler
Bob Beasley

The instructors who teach in our University of Scouting have been chosen by the College Deans for their knowledge, creativity and enthusiasm toward Scouting. It is our hope that you take the resources they provide back to your districts and units to help ensure QUALITY PROGRAMS at those levels for all youth served. *Our young people deserve no less!*

And so, we hope you enjoy the camaraderie of our community within this University of Scouting, and we thank you for participating in the supplemental training you'll receive here. Have fun Scouting!

Nancy Peto
University Provost

We gratefully acknowledge our host school:

Pickerington North High School

Directions to Pickerington North High School from downtown Columbus travel East on I-70 for approximately 13 miles to exit 112A Take exit **112A** to merge onto **OH-256 E/Baltimore- Reynoldsburg Rd/Hill Rd N** toward **Pickerington** Continue to follow OH-256 E/Hill Rd N for 1.9 mi. Turn **left** at **Refugee Rd** for 2.4 mi.

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Courses are listed under the five colleges of study (Cub Scouting, Boy Scouting, Venturing, Scouting Enrichment, and Commissioning). Please carefully note the times each course is offered when filling out your registration choices.

Please turn to the last page for registration information.
Feel free to mix and match classes among the colleges.

All course listings enclosed in between these pages.



2012 Course Descriptions

- CSC101** 9 – 3:45 PM **Cub Scout Basic Leader Training & Cub Scout Leader Position Specific** 
This course complements Fast Start, This Is Scouting and Youth Protection to ensure that you are trained for your leadership position.
This is an ALL DAY Training. Do NOT sign up for any other courses.
- CSC102** 9 - 9:45 AM **Enjoying Tiger Cubs:** *How to fill your meeting with games, crafts, songs & outings appropriate for the Tiger Cubs that are also fun for you.*
- CSC103** 9 - 9:45 AM **Being green:** *How to include environmental awareness in the Cub Scout program. This includes project ideas and how to teach Cub Scouts the Outdoor Code.*
- CSC104** 9 - 9:45 AM **Pack Committee, who and why?:** *Who is on your Pack Committee. What is their function. How do they all work together to help a pack GROW*
- CSC105** 9 - 9:45 AM **Knots and Knives:** *How to teach the knot and knife skills for Wolf, Bear, and Webelos. How to be safe and enjoy the process.*
- CSC106** 9 - 9:45 AM **Cub Scout PARTY:** *How to organize and plan a successful party or event for your Cub Scouts and their families. Have fun, not stress!*
- CSC107** 9 - 9:45 AM **Character Connections:** *Not just for adults, the BSA program for building character in boys and helping them grow into men of character.*
- CSC108** 9 - 9:45 AM **Pack to Troop:** *Form a relationship with a Troop for your Scouts' needs. How to Benefit both the Pack and Troop.*
- CSC202** 10 - 10:45 AM **Will they follow me?:** *How to motivate and manage your den. How to start guiding boys from the earliest ages without hovering.*
- CSC203** 10 - 10:45 AM **Knots and Knives:** *How to teach the knots required for Wolf, Bear, and Webelos advancement. How to be safe and enjoy the process.*
- CSC204** 10 - 10:45 AM **Earned our ranks, now what?:** *How to continue to motivate boys to earn achievements when they have earned their rank. Answers the question, what to do next?*
- CSC205** 10 - 10:45 AM **Hidden resources** *Learn about resources that can help your den and Pack Function more smoothly and have more fun.*
- CSC206** 10 - 10:45 AM **Webelos Community Pins:** *Learn how to tie in the Citizen, Communicator, Family Member & Readyman pins to the lessons of Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts.*
- CSC207** 10 - 10:45 AM **Blue and Gold Banquet:** *Learn how to organize and plan a successful Blue & Gold banquet for your Cub Scouts and their families.*

- CSC208** 10 - 10:45 AM **Not your first rodeo?** *Have you been a den leader or pack leader for awhile? How to Stay motivated, interested, and engaged for the scouts and yourself.*
- CSC209** 10 - 11:45 AM **Wood, water, and air:** *Pinewood Derby, Raingutter Regatta, and Space derby. Learn how to market, run, and have fun at the big three.*
(THIS IS A 2 SESSION CLASS 10 - 11:45)
- CSC2010** 10 - 11:45 AM **Ceremonies: Impressive not crazy:** *How to make recognition of your Cub Scouts a memorable time that isn't crazy for the adults.*
(THIS IS A 2 SESSION CLASS 10 - 11:45)
- CSC304** 11 - 11:45 AM **Cub Camp Why should we?:** *Come learn about Simon Kenton Council Scout Cub Camps and the latest summer Camp facilities & program news. Discuss how you can prepare your pack to be ready to get the most out of their Council summer Camp experience. Sign up for camp during this course.*
- CSC305** 11 - 11:45 AM **Summertime dens:** *Summer doesn't have to be a time off from scouting. There are projects to do and fun to be had. Why should you keep your den and pack going during the summer?*
- CSC306** 11 - 11:45 AM **Cub Scout Sports:** *Do the scouts in your den or Pack play sports? How to manage scouts that have team conflicts. How to incorporate sports into your Program, even for boys that don't play sports. Play sports the Scouting WAY!*
- CSC307** 11 - 11:45 AM **Webelos Mental Pins:** *Learn how to tie in the Artist, Scholar, Showman & Traveler pins to the lessons of Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts.*
- CSC308** 11 - 11:45 AM **Science and Scouts:** *Easy ways to teach your boys the wonders of science without Danger and with fun!*
- CSC402** 1 - 1:45 PM **Bring Fitness into your unit:** *Fitness is not something that happens on its own. Help the boys and adults be active & start them on a lifetime of physical fitness. Reinforcing positive behaviors isn't just fun, it is easy and essential.*
- CSC403** 1 - 1:45 PM **Campfires: more than s'mores.** *Sure, s'mores are fun, but what else can you do? Incorporating the 4 S's for a successful campfire – Songs, Stunts, Stories, and Showmanship; and campfire safety (ok, we'll talk about s'mores too).*
- CSC404** 1 - 1:45 PM **Sharing leadership:** *How to encourage parents to help with your pack or den. Recruiting help that is helpful. Filling jobs that are empty. Finding help, because You shouldn't do it all.*
- CSC405** 1 - 1:45 PM **Let's Go See It!:** *Ideas for pack and den field trips. For Cub Scouts, Webelos Scouts and Tiger Cub Go-See-It outings. How to plan a safe and fun outing that leaders and families enjoy.*
- CSC406** 1 - 1:45 PM **First Aid for Cub Leaders:** *Skills for emergencies and to teach your boys.*
- CSC407** 1 - 1:45 PM **Webelos Outdoor Pins:** *Learn how to tie in the Forester, Outdoorsman, Geologist & Naturalist pins to the lessons of Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts*

- CSC408** 1 - 1:45 PM **Science and Scouts:** *Easy ways to teach your boys the wonders of science without Danger and with fun!*
- CSC502** 2 - 2:45 PM **Cubs and crafts: beyond Popsicle sticks:** *You will learn lots of ideas on how to include crafts into your den program. Look beyond Popsicle sticks with us.*
- CSC503** 2 - 2:45 PM **Pack Trainer: who and why?** *Why do you need one? Who is right for the job? How they can help your pack grow and strengthen.*
- CSC504** 2 - 2:45 PM **Den Doodles & Doodads:** *Ideas for immediate boy approved recognition. Learn about this marvelous incentive and methods for creating your own.*
- CSC505** 2 - 2:45 PM **Day Hikes: don't be scared:** *How to run a safe hike; ideas for destinations Come on boys, let's go!*
- CSC506** 2 - 2:45 PM **Knots and Knives:** *How to teach the knots required for Wolf, Bear, and Webelos advancement. How to be safe and enjoy the process.*
- CSC507** 2 - 2:45 PM **Webelos Technology Pins:** *Learn how to tie in the Craftsman, Engineer, Handyman & Scientist pins to the lessons of Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts*
- CSC508** 2 - 2:45 PM **Games for Cubs:** *Old games, new games, learn all kinds of games for your Den.*
- CSC602** 3 - 3:45 PM **Cubs and crafts: beyond Popsicle sticks:** *You will learn lots of ideas on how to include crafts into your den program. Look beyond Popsicle sticks with us*
- CSC603** 3 - 3:45 PM **Conducting a Pinewood Derby Workshop:** *Get ideas on how to help families who are "tool challenged" when trying to build the perfect car.*
- CSC604** 3 - 3:45 PM **Cub Scout Recruitment & Retention:** *This session will explain creative recruiting methods, describe how to retain Cub Scouts once they have joined.*
- CSC605** 3 - 3:45 PM **Electives: look at the back of the book:** *What about all those electives in the back of book. Why are they there? What are you supposed to do with them? Come find out how to use them to help your pack and den grow.*
- CSC606** 3 - 3:45 PM **Boys in a room: den and pack management** *Large or small, how to manage your unit. How to keep a group on task and having fun using the methods of scouting.*
- CSC607** 3 - 3:45 PM **Pack Leader to Troop Leader:** *Transitioning from one program to the next comes with new challenges. Find out how your leadership role changes.*
- CSC608** 3 - 3:45 PM **Games for Cubs:** *Old games, new games, learn all kinds of games for your Den.*

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2012 Course Descriptions

Scoutmaster Training

BS101 9:00-3:45 PM **SM/ AS Leader Specific Training** *This course complements Fast Start, This Is Scouting, Intro to Outdoor Skills and Youth Protection to ensure that you are trained for your leadership position. This is an ALL DAY Training. Do NOT sign up for any other courses. Instructor: Roy Niedzielski*

Troop Fundamentals

BS102 9-9:45 AM **Patrol Method – Troop Annual Planning (New)**: *Annual Planning is the life blood of a troop. Come see how a troop plans their year and activities to motivate and challenge their scouts. Instructor: Steve Canini*

BS202 10-10:45 AM **Patrol Method – Troop Patrol Leader Conference (New)**: *Annual Planning is the life blood of a troop. Putting the annual planning into action is the responsibility of the Troop Patrol Leader Conference. Come and see how to do it. Instructor: Dale Hayes*

BS302 11-11:45 AM **Patrol Method – Outings and Activities (New)**: *Once the plans are completed, the fun begins. Come and see how you use the patrol method for motivating and fun outings and activities. Instructor: Tom Hart*

BS402 1-1:45 PM **Patrol Method - Troop Program Planning**: *Explore program planning techniques And objectives designed to invigorate your troop & ensure the Promise of Scouting. Discuss ideas centered around keeping them in Scouting and comin' back for more! Instructor: Jim Ramey*

BS502 2-2:45 PM **Patrol Method - The Troop Committee**: *Learn about the Troop Committee Challenge Course, the roles each committee member fills, and make your Scoutmaster's life easier and happier. Instructor: Jeff Smith*

BS503 2-2:45 PM **Troop Hiking for Beginners**: *Learn how to organize a troop or patrol hike and the resources available to you to make the hike a success. Information on local trails. Instructor: Kurt Novak*

BS504 2-2:45 PM **The Troop/Pack Relationship**: *Learn about the importance of building a strong and timely rapport with the Pack to insure membership growth. Instructor: Jeff Leach*

BS605 3-3:45 AM **Outdoor Boy Scout Games**: *Troop and inter-patrol activities for fun and spirit. Learn also about "skill-a-round" events and how they can be a great recruiting tool to help your troop grow in numbers and spirit. Be prepared to go outside. Instructor: Jeff Keller*

Training Opportunities

- BS103** 9-9:45 AM **Boy Scout Leader Training Opportunities:** *From Basic Leader Training to advanced and specialized training, learn about adult leader training opportunities offered by the BSA. Instructor: Ray Pearsall*
- BS303** 11-11:45 AM **Scoutmaster Roundtable:** *Come and listen/participate in a discussion on “best practices” for troop operations and the patrol method. Instructor: CeCe Lynch*
- BS403** 1-1:45 PM **Wood Badge 101:** *An overview of the Wood Badge Course, what you can learn from this course and what the pre-requisites are. Instructor: Jeff Lockhart*
- BS505** 2-2:45 PM **Training for Youth Leaders:** *The class features THE CONTINUUM OF TRAINING FOR YOUTH LEADERSHIP, FOR BOY SCOUTS AND VENTURES, FROM YOUR HOME UNIT TO PHILMONT! INCLUDES UNIT LEVEL, COUNCIL LEVEL AND NATIONAL LEVELS OF TRAINING PROGRAMS. Instructor: Scott Simpson*
- BS603** 3-3:45 PM **Scoutmaster Moments:** *Discuss and explore those precious opportunities to guide and counsel your Scouts. This class will cover Scoutmaster Minutes and Scoutmaster Conferences. Discuss approaches to counseling and how to develop ideas for SM minutes. Instructor: Barb Burger*

Boy Scout Advancement

- BS104** 9-9:45 AM **Life to Eagle and Beyond:** *Yes there IS a beyond! Help your Scout meet the necessary requirements to achieve Scouting’s ultimate goal, including how to motivate Scouts not to put off getting those Eagle-required merit badges. PLUS, explore ways to keep your new Eagle Scout engaged in your unit. Instructor: Kirk Riley*
- BS304** 11-11:45 AM **Merit Badge Counselor Orientation:** *Do you want to be a Merit Badge Counselor? Learn about counseling methods & your role in advancement. Review of district and council merit badge counselor lists. Instructor: Judy Grigsby*
- BS305** 11-11:45 AM **“Road to Eagle”:** *Receive tips and ideas for counseling your Life Scout to “finish” that “road”. This course will also explore resources and ideas for selection and planning that truly meaningful and rewarding Eagle project. Instructor: Kirk Riley*

General Boy Scout Topics

- BS105** 9-9:45 AM **Fire Making I:** *Everything you need to know about BASIC fire building. Course fee - \$3. Instructor: Jeff Collins*
- BS106** 9-9:45 AM **Orienteering:** *Learn how to teach orienteering skills to Scouts through fun activities. Instructor: Dave Beck*
- BS203** 10-10:45 AM **BSA High Adventure Opportunities:** *Learn about the BSA high adventure opportunities, how to design one for your unit, and the logistics involved. Instructor: Jeff Schneider*

- BS204** 10-11:45 AM **Fire Making II:** Continuation of Fire Making I (must take BS 102). 15 ways to start a fire WITHOUT MATCHES. (This is a two session class, do not sign up for a course at 11:00 a.m.! Course Fee: \$3. Instructor: Jeff Collins
- BS205** 10-11:45 AM **Cooking Options for the Out-of-Doors:** Dutch oven cooking and beyond: learn creative outdoor cooking approaches for even the most reluctant Scouts. Learn about box ovens and other techniques. Samples of recipes. (This is a two session class; do not sign up for a course at 11:00 a.m.!) Course fee - \$4. Instructor: Steve Smith
- BS206** 10-10:45 AM **Backpacking, Camping and Hiking Gear:** See the variety of gear available to make that outing special and learn how to set priorities for equipment purchases. Instructor: Jonathon Barth (Clintonville Outfitters)
- BS404** 1-1:45 PM **Make It & Take It (New):** Learn how to make some of your own gear inexpensively. Instructor: Dale Gelter
- BS405** 1-1:45 PM **Shooting Sports for Scouts:** Shooting sports is one of the most popular for Scouts. Learn what is required for this activity and how you can bring this program to your Scouts. Instructor: Mark Hazelrigg
- BS406** 1-1:45 PM **Leave No Trace:** Explore the principles of “Leave No Trace”, which should be at the heart of every outdoor BSA experience. Why is it so important, now more than ever! Instructor: Jeff Schneider
- BS506** 2-2:45 PM **Camp Tools:** Learn the selection, use and care of the tools that make the campout more successful. Demonstrate and practice the use of these tools. Instructor: Doug Eakins
- BS604** 3-3:45 PM **Hiking Adventures and Awards:** How to plan hiking adventures, earn the “Historic Trails Award”, the “50 Miler” Award, and others. Information on local trails. Instructor: Bruce Purdy
- BS605** 3-3:45 PM **A Scout is Reverent:** Learn how to plan a “Scout’s Own” service appropriate for a camp-out, a high adventure trip or other setting. Learn what resources are available and participate in a discussion about the Boy Scout approach to observing appropriate religious services. Instructor: Mitch Duff
- BS606** 3-3:45 AM **Planning for Summer Camp:** Come learn about Simon Kenton Council Scout Camps and the latest summer Camp facilities & program news. Discuss how you can prepare your troop to be ready to get the most out of their Council summer Camp experience. Instructor: Jonathan Bonness

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College of Venturing

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2012 Course Descriptions

Training Opportunities

- V101 9-11:45 AM** **Introduction to Leadership Skills for Crews, ILSC (NEW):** *This youth training is the first level of leadership training for Venturers and is a mandatory prerequisite to Kodiak. This will fulfill a requirement for the Venturing Silver award. This is a Venturing **YOUTH** training! Please do not register for afternoon courses. Instructors: Ariel Hunt, Sam Clark*
- V202 10-3:45 PM** **Venturing Leader Specific Training : (5 sessions)** *Come learn all the basics to become the best Venturing Leader for your Crew & Council. This day long course is an overview of the Venturing program and will get you psyched to get your Crew moving. Venturing Fast Start and Youth Protection are pre-requisites and must be completed prior to attending this course (both are available on-line). Please bring documentation for these two trainings. Lead Instructor: Jenny Duff*
- V402 1-1:45 PM** **Position Specific for Venturing Youth Crew Leaders and their Mentors (New):** *This course is designed to give Venturing Crew Youth Leaders the tools & ideas they need to be successful in their office. Mentors will also learn their role in guiding and supporting the youth officer. Instructors: Katelyn Childs, Rachael White and Sam Clark*

You're Trained, Now What?

- V102 9-9:45** **Leadership Opportunities Beyond the Crew (New):** *Come meet our National President and learn about youth leadership opportunities on a council, area, regional and national level. Instructor: Dan Carriveau, National Venturing President.*
- V203 10-10:45** **What's New in Venturing, Direct From National (New):** *Meet our national president and learn about all the new and exciting events national BSA is preparing for Venturers. Instructor: Dan Carriveau, National Venturing President.*
- V303 11-11:45** **Scout Master and Venturing (New):** *Are you currently a scout master and unaware of the venturing program? Come learn how the venturing program can complement and expand on the Boy Scout program. Instructor: Jeff Lockhart*
- V403 1-1:45** **What's New in Venturing, Direct From National (New):** *Meet our national president and learn about all the new and exciting events national BSA is preparing for Venturers. Instructor: Dan Carriveau, National Venturing President.*

- V502 2-2:45 **The High Adventure Bases and Venturing (New):** *Learn about how you, or you and your crew are able to participate in the programs at the high adventure.*
Instructor: Blaine Lott – Central Region Area 4 Venturing President
- V503 2-2:45 **Beyond the Outdoors (New):** *Although Venturing has its roots from the outdoor piece of the old exploring program, there's so much more Venturers can do. Come join us to find idea that will keep your program fresh and exciting, such as ice breakers and get to know you games and out of the box event ideas like a murder mystery party.*
Instructors: Elizabeth Williams, Elizabeth Hyer, Ariel Hunt
- V602 3-3:45 **The Summit and National Jamboree for Venturers (NEW):** *The Summit is BSA's newest high adventurer base and home of the 2013 national jamboree. Come learn how you can be involved in both.* *Instructor: Blaine Lott – Central Region Area 4 President*

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College of Scouting Enrichment

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2012 Course Descriptions

Education

- E101** 9-9:45 AM **Social Networking and the Web:** *Learn how to use the new social networking and web tools with your scouting program. Instructor-Deanna Bragg Boggs*
- E201** 10-10:45 AM **Handling Scouts with ADHD/Autism Spectrum:** *Learn how to handle the behavioral and social challenges of a Scout diagnosed with ADHD / Autism Spectrum. This workshop will consist of activities, resources and discussions to help you understand the adaptations needed to support scouts with ADHD/Autism. Instructor-Mike Krajnak*
- E301** 11-11:45 AM **Handling Scouts with Physical Disabilities:** *Learn how to integrate a scout with physical disabilities (like deaf, blind, wheelchair bound) into scouting activities (camping, hiking, swimming and meetings). . This workshop will consist of activities, resources and discussions to help you understand the adaptations needed to support scouts with physical disabilities. Instructor- Mike Krajnak*
- E401** 1-1:45 PM **Scouting Religious Emblems:** *This class explains all about the various religious emblems program and how to get it started. Update on community efforts to promote reverence in scouting. Instructor- Sandy Puet*
- E501** 2-2:45 PM **Budgets, PO Requests, and Tax Advantages for Scouters **NEW:**** *Learn about purchase orders and more directly from Simon Kenton Council financial personnel. Instructor: Kris Emke*
- E601** 3-3:45 PM **Games with a Purpose **NEW:**** *This interactive class will involve multiple types of Games that can be adapted for age and ability. Instructor- Chris Rodgers*
- E602** 3-3:45 PM **Website & Online Tools 101 **NEW:**** *Learn about the new additions made to the SKC website including the Merit Badge Counselor search function, the unit login process, how to submit information to be posted, and so much more. You will*

also learn about the various social media tools used by Simon Kenton Council and how your unit can benefit from “following” the Council. Instructor: Jen Koma

Handicrafts

- E502** 2:00-2:45 PM **Scrapbooking Your Scouting Memories.** *Unlock your creativity and join us in Making a special project to display your scout’s activities.* **Fee: \$5** ~ Instructor- Connie Everhart
- E603** 3:00-3:30 PM **Scrapbooking Lab (optional)** – You may join us to put the finishing Touches on your project. Instructor – Connie Everhart
- E302** 11-1:45 AM **Basic Leather craft:** *Participants will construct a leather project. This class will include instruction on stamping, finishing, snap setting, and assembly/stitching. (This is a two session class; do not sign up for a course at 1:00 p.m.!).* Participants have a choice of making woods tool with flashlight case **Fee \$8** or Pocket knife case for **\$6**. Instructor-Buckeye Leathercrafters

Nature Study

- E102** 9-9:45 AM **Putting Nature in Den Meetings** **NEW:** *Learn how easy it is to insert nature and its marvels into your den meetings and pack functions.* Instructor- Maryann Cheesman

Scouting Adventures and Training

- E303** 11-11:45 PM **Philmont Leadership Challenge (PLC):** *Go beyond Wood Badge bringing your Wood Badge skills to life. This session will introduce the class to the modules used in this NEW Adult Leadership Course.* Instructor- Don Everhart & Brian Stanfill
- E403** 1-3:45 PM **CPR:** *American Red Cross Basic CPR Training* **Fee \$ 35.** **(This is a three session class; do not sign up for a course at 2:00 p.m. or 3:00 pm)**
Instructor: Sandra Stults

Unit Operations

- E103** 9-9:45 AM **Medals, Patches & Awards:** *Find out how to enhance your scouting program with special medals, patches & awards that can be earned by Scouts of ALL ages!*
Instructor- Tom Ross
- E104** 9-9:45 AM **How to Add and Keep Volunteers:** *Recruiting and keeping those Volunteers who are essential to your groups success!* Instructor- Opal Spears
- E504** 2-2:45 PM **Adult Recognition for Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Venturers & Sea Scouts:** *Awards and Knots are part of the scouting program. Use the Adult Recognition Program to grow and retain your leadership.* Instructor- John Fulton

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College of Commissioner Science

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Commissioners serve units by being their customer service contact. Commissioning is a great way for former leaders looking to stay active with Scouting while helping units. If you are interested in learning more about becoming a Commissioner the Associate Degree program will get you started.

2012 Course Descriptions

Associate Degree Courses

The Associates Degree or Commissioner Basic training is the first training for new Unit Commissioners and is required to wear the 'Trained' patch with a Commissioner badge of office. In this training Commissioners will cover all basic aspects of Commissioner Service. Commissioners needing basic training should register for all 3 courses.

Unit Commissioners must complete this training within 90 days of registering and before receiving their commission.

CC101	9:00 – 10:45	ACS101 —Why Commissioners?
CC301	11:00-1:45	ACS102 —Commissioners Top Priority (Lunch 12:00 – 1:00)
CC501	2:00 – 3:45	ACS103 —How to Help a Unit

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Bachelor's Degree Courses

Bachelor of Commissioner Science Degree (BCS)

Prerequisites

- Maintain registration in any capacity as a commissioner during the entire training program listed below.
- Completion of commissioner orientation (Commissioner Fieldbook for Unit Service and Commissioner Fast Start)
- Completion of Commissioner Basic Training

Course Requirements

Completion of seven courses of instruction, at least five of the courses at the bachelor's program level.

Performance

- Approval of Council Commissioner
- Approval of Scout Executive or Advisor to Commissioner Service

CC102	9:00 – 9:45	BCS 101 Introduction to Commissioner Science <i>An overview of commissioner service and the single most important resource — The Commissioner Fieldbook.</i>
CC202	10:00 – 10:45	BCS103 The Commissioner and the District <i>Interaction of the commissioner with the district executive and district committee. Understanding district and council operation.</i>
CC203	10:00 – 10:45	BCS104 Unit Visitation <i>The ultimate responsibility of unit commissioners is to see that every unit assigned to them succeeds. Commissioners do a variety of things to help units succeed, but the most basic task is the unit visit. Without unit visits, we can't know how to help a unit improve its program and operation. Without visits, we only find out about major problems after the unit fails or weakens and the kids have "voted with their feet" and left the unit. Topics will include: Types of unit visits, Before the visit, During the Visit and After the visit. Tracking visits through UVTS and how to prioritize your units and visits will also be discussed.</i>
CC302	11:00 – 11:45	BCS105 Practical Solutions to Common Unit Needs <i>Helps commissioners understand how to respond to unit needs. Participants become familiar with Unit Commissioner Worksheets and Commissioner Helps for Packs, Troops, and Crews.</i>
CC402	1:00 – 1:45	BCS106 A Commissioner's Priorities <i>Suggests the priorities for a unit commissioner's Scouting time and energy, reviews steps in handling unit problems, and covers the important Centennial Quality Unit Award.</i>
CC502	2:00 – 2:45	BCS110 Commissioner Style <i>Presents important qualities of commissioner diplomacy, a concept of "exceptional service", thoughts about "roots and wings," service recovery, and explains how to remove a volunteer.</i>
CC602	3:00 – 3:45	BCS112 What Would You Do? <i>A group participation/discussion session on 10 fascinating situations that commissioners might encounter.</i>

Master's Degree Courses

Master of Commissioner Science Degree (MCS)

Prerequisites

- Completion of bachelor's degree or have been awarded the Commissioner's Key
- Earned Arrowhead Honor
- Current registration as a commissioner

Course Requirements

Completion of seven additional courses of instruction (total of 14), at least seven of the courses at the master's program level.

Performance

- Approval of Council Commissioner
- Approval of Scout Executive or Advisor to Commissioner Service

CC103	9:00 – 9:45	MCS303 Commissioner Lifesaving I <i>This session sets the stage for saving a unit and reviews the basic unit lifesaving steps.</i>
CC204	10:00 – 10:45	MCS304 Commissioner Lifesaving II <i>This is an in-depth continuation of MCS 303, dealing with the seven unit “hurry cases.”</i>
CC303	11:00 -11:45	MCS306 Counseling Skills <i>This session presents counseling as an effective method for commissioners to help units succeed. It covers many elements of good counseling.</i>
CC304	11:00 – 11:45	MCS307 Webelos-to-Scout Transition <i>Covers important ways commissioners can help boys make the transition from a Cub Scout pack to a Boy Scout troop.</i>
CC403	1:00 – 1:45	MCS309 Good Commissioners Need Both Head and Heart <i>Includes great reflections for experienced commissioners. Take home thought-provoking tips and anecdotes.</i>
CC503	2:00 – 2:45	MCS402 Recruiting New Commissioners <i>This bread-and-butter session for all administrative commissioners covers the steps of recruiting commissioners, group recruiting techniques, and sources of prospects.</i>
CC603	3:00 -3:45	MCS406 Unit Service in Remote Rural Areas <i>This session helps commissioners tailor their service to sparsely populated rural areas, with practical methods for recruiting rural adults and working with rural units.</i>

Doctor's Degree Courses

Doctor of Commissioner Science Degree (DCS)

Prerequisites

- Completion of master's degree
- Have been awarded the Commissioner's Key
- Current registration as a commissioner

Course Requirements

Completion of 10 additional courses of instruction not used to qualify for other college awards (total of 24), at least five of the courses at the doctor's program level.

Thesis or Project

- Completion of a thesis or project on any topic of value to Scouting in the local council.
- The topic and final paper or project must be approved by the dean of the doctor's program and the staff adviser.

Performance

- Serve on the College of Commissioner Science faculty (instructor or support staff) for at least one year.
- Recruit at least three new commissioners.
- Approval of Council Commissioner.
- Approval of Scout Executive or Advisor to Commissioner Service.

CC104	9:00 – 9:45	DCS601 Selecting a Thesis/Research Project Topic <i>This session introduces the participants to the thesis project, discusses what constitutes a good thesis or research topic, and helps them select their general thesis topic.</i>
CC205	10:00 – 10:45	DCS602 Limiting the Scope of the Topic <i>Participants receive help in reducing the thesis topic to workable size and ideas for thesis/project research.</i>
CC305	11:00 – 11:45	DCS603 Developing the Thesis Outline and Writing the Report <i>This session covers the thesis outline and a variety of suggestions for writing and revising the report.</i>
CC404	1:00 – 1:45	DCS604 Thesis Workshop <i>This course is for those who feel they need more help getting started on or completing their thesis.</i>
CC104	9:00 - 9:45	DCS608 Advanced Commissioner Lifesaving <i>Loss of adult leadership, lack of quality program or conflict between leaders. Any of these situations require immediate "intensive care" from the commissioner corps. Learn how and when to organize a "Lifesaving Team" and when to send them in.</i>
CC405	1:00 – 1:45	DCS611 Consider Your Spouse and Family <i>Suggests ways to enhance family relations and resolve family conflicts regarding Scouting. Discusses how commissioners' spouses can receive recognition from Scouting.</i>
CC504	2:00 – 2:45	DCS620 Assessing Council and District Health <i>Review the importance of a fully staffed district committee. Learn how to use the district annual planning conference to set district goals, and how to have the commissioning team achieve them.</i>

CC603	3:00 – 3:45	DCS701 Beyond BCS114: The Commissioner and the Professional <i>Learn how the professional and commissioner BOTH work closely together to reach the common goal of providing quality service to units.</i>
CC505	2:00 – 3:45	DCS 900 District Commissioners Meeting <i>Open only to District Commissioners.</i>

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THE SCOUT ADVENTURE COLLEGE YOUTH CLASSES ~ALL NEW

Registration fee for youth is \$20 and includes **lunch** and the University Special Edition CSP.

Some classes have an additional fee and/or materials requirement.

Registration: is online at SKCBSA.ORG. Register early so you have time to do the pre-requisites.

Dean: Leanne Lockhart ~ lockhartl@insight.rr.com

Phone: 614-267-7529

Assistant Dean: Judy Grigsby ~ jgrigsby@ameritech.net

- YSA101** 9 - 11:45AM **Den Chief Training:** *Learn what it takes to be an effective Den Chief to a pack or Den. Learn how to provide fun learning opportunities to encourage retention and advancement. This Course covers 3 sessions. Instructor – Ruth White*
Fee - \$7.50 – Includes Den Chief Handbook & materials.
- YSA501** 2 - 2:45 PM **Road to Eagle:** *This class will cover the trail from scout to eagle and the learning moments in between. Instructor- Judy Sanders*
- YSA601** 3 - 3:45 PM **Life to Eagle:** *Material necessary for the successful completion of the eagle rank including eagle projects will be discussed and explained. A must for any life scout. Instructor- Judy Sanders*
- YSA102** 9 - 3:00 PM **Chess Merit Badge:** *Instructor - Rob and Josh Cramer*
- YSA103** 9 - 3:00 PM **Law Merit Badge:** *Instructor - William Wahoff*



YSA104 9 - 3:00 PM Engineering Merit Badge: Instructor - Matt Frye



YSA105 9 - 3:00 PM Architecture Merit Badge: Instructor - Thomas Pauling



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2012 UNIVERSITY OF SCOUTING

Registration Fee: \$25.00 before December 15, 2011

\$35.00 after December 16, 2011

Fee includes registration, lunch, CSP, and certificate.

The instructor fee is \$10.00 and includes lunch, patch, and certificate.

All instructors must register and pay by December 15, 2011.

Registration is online at www.skcbasa.org

The online process will give you immediate feedback about classes that are filled, options for payment, a printed schedule, and an opportunity to order the lunch selection of your choice.

A large variety of vendors, sponsors, and partners will have displays and materials available for you. The Scout Shop will be there with lots of wonderful bargains! That is why it is very important that you schedule one class as the Midway so you have plenty of time to visit the many vendors this year.

Special Course offerings: This year we are pleased to offer The Scout Adventure College for our youth: Den Chief Training, Life and Road to Eagle plus an additional offering of Merit Badges. The registration fee includes the course materials and lunch. All courses are open to all 14 and older.

Don't miss the closing program. We will be presenting some very special awards and draw for door prizes.

Special Needs: Simon Kenton Council aims to make our program accessible to all Scouters. If you need accommodations, please contact Robert Drew at the council office (614-436-7200 or 800-433-4051) at least two weeks prior to the University.

Credit for a Training Award: Most of the adult leader training awards accept participation in the University of Scouting in fulfillment of the requirements. Please check the appropriate and most current requirements for details.

Walk-ins: Walk-ins are not encouraged. Due to the nature of our University, it is recommended that if you plan to attend, you need to register for your courses. Walk-ins will be assigned classes as space is available, will pay the \$35 fee, and will **not** be guaranteed lunch or a participation patch.

Selecting Your Classes

Please use the Catalog of Courses to select the classes you want to take at the University of Scouting. Carefully review the times that your desired classes are offered to be sure there are no conflicts. You may choose any of the classes you like from any College. Cub Scout leaders do not have to select only classes from the College of Cub Scouting, for instance. All courses are open to all Scouters, with the exception of those classes in the College of Commissioner Science that have prerequisites.

Classes will be filled on a first-come, first-served basis. If a class is full, you will need to reschedule a new option. **Register early!!!!** The on-line registration at www.skcbasa.org allows you immediate feedback about your class choices.

Use the form below as a working draft – find the course numbers and place them on the schedule form. Be sure to pick some alternate choices in case some classes are filled when you register. When you have your schedule the way you want it, take the filled-in form with you to the computer and proceed to register for your classes. (*Don't forget to choose a sandwich for lunch also.*)

Planning Schedule (Please remember to schedule the Midway)									
Check-In/ Registration	Opening Ceremony	1 st Period	2 nd Period	3 rd Period	Lunch	4 th Period	5 th Period	6 th Period	Closing Ceremony
7:30 am – 8:30 am	8:30 am – 8:50 am	9:00 am – 9:45 am	10:00 am – 10:45 am	11:00 am – 11:45 am	11:50 am – 12:55 pm	1:00 pm – 1:45 pm	2:00 pm – 2:45 pm	3:00 pm – 3:45 pm	3:45- 4:00 pm
Example 1 st Choice 2 nd Choice		CS102	MIDWAY	E304	Lunch	CS405	E503	CS605	<i>Have a safe trip home!!</i>
			X		X				
			X		X				

This is a *worksheet* only, not a registration form!

Go to www.skcbasa.org to register!!