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Roundtable

Stake Center @ 6 pm 2nd Thursday For All Cub & Boy Scout Leaders & Primary Presidency

Mar 10th: Roundtable is a special District Awards Dinner. All are welcome.

Dinner is at 6 pm and is \$8/plate. Please RSVP to Julie Redford. (208) 610-1466 or rired82@gmail.com

For new leaders:
Leader Specific Training in
April (part 1), May (part
2), June (part 3) from 6:30
to 7:30. Please RSVP to
your unit commissioner or
LeeAnn Kopsa at 2905705.

11-Year-Old Day Ca**M**p!

June 11
8am-3pm
@ Camp Peine
For all boys
11 years old
and their
friends

Please arrange with Sister Kopsa if your unit would like to camp the night before as one of the 3 overnight campouts 11-year-old scouts can do. LeeAnn Kopsa: 290-5705 or Imkopsa@aol.com



WOOD BADE

Boy Scout Leadership Training May 19-21 & June 2-4

Two full weekends at Camp Cowles by Newport!

\$270 fee will be paid through bishops for all scout leaders and Primary Presidency members

IF PAYMENT IS RECEIVED BY MARCH 19

Register and pay online at www.nwscouts.org/woodbadge and submit for reimbursement to your bishop.

Spaces are filling up quickly:

See flyers at SandpointStakeCommunications.com

CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP

CSI (CUB SCOUT INVESTIGATORS)
THURSDAY, FRIDAY & SATURDAY JUNE 23, 24 & 25
8:30-4 @ CAMP STIDWELL
one adult for every five cubs needs to attend

Each unit needs to send one adult to assist with stations. Please identify your unit's station leader by April 30 so 1-2 hours of training can be provided in May or June.

All scouts and parents need to attend Orientation on June 9 or 18
Register online by March 31
See details at http://www.sandpointstakecommunications.com/cub-scout-day-camp.html

Birthday Board & Recognition at Libby:



When we visited at Libby during Ward Conference, the new presidency surprised Sister Doughty with a fun recognition for her Feb birthday. Each child was given a sticker and as the Primary sang Happy Birthday, Sister Doughty walked by and let all the children place stickers on her. What fun! Here she is shown by the monthly birthday bulletin board, which includes each child and leader with a February birthday. What a creative way to recognize birthdays!

District Pinewood Derby April 16th For all scouts and their Families

VARIETY OF RACES INCLUDING BSA REGULATIONS FOR PARENTS AND OUTLAW FOR ALL BOYS AND THEIR FAMILIES.

SPREAD THE WORD THAT ALL ARE INVITED!!

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A special

Thank You!

for all the leaders and helpers at the Conference! We couldn't have done it without YOU!!!

Journey to Excellence 2016 (JTE)

To strategize for success in the coming year, your unit commissioner will need to meet with the Key 3+1: committee chair, cub master, bishopric representative over Primary, and Primary counselor. The goals in the 2016 JTE and planning for the coming year will be the focus. This could be done just before or after a committee meeting in the Spring. Please let your unit commissioner/stake primary know when would be best for you.

Soooo, What Happens AnyWays?

You're going to be in an indoor corporate learning environment, and an outdoor experience environment. Emphasis is less on scout skills, and more on how to be the best leader possible, and have the best unit possible. You'll have games and competitions that make learning fun, and come home with an arsenal of new knowledge and experiences to help the youth in your unit get the most out of scouting.

Bottom LINe: You'll be more effective, and have more fun doing it.

Faith in God FOLLOW UP

these are the faith in God requirements
that were touched on at the February

Activity Days Conference



p 4: scripture study – parable of the ten virgins & attributes of Christ

p 4 & back cover: My Gospel Standards: Sabbath Day, follow Heavenly Father's plan, seek good friends, keep my mind and body sacred & pure, listen to Holy Ghost, choose the right

p 7: Family History – ancestorguru.com

p 9: Serving the elderly

p 10: Make an item (floral wreath crowns)

p 12: stand for truth and righteousness

p 14: testimony



Please add a "6" to the beginning of your current unit number on application and any other paperwork. The BSA council has determined that a reason paperwork has been lost is due to the similar unit numbers among other areas in the Council. So, the David Thompson District has been assigned the number 6. This is only on paperwork—unit #'s on shirts will remain the same 3 digits!