

Cub Scout Leader Pow Wow

Happy Birthday B.S.A.

“Century of Values”

What it is: THE Cub Scout Training event of the year! An entire year’s worth of new ideas and inspiration that will enhance your Cub Scout Pack, Den and programs.

Who should attend: Pow Wow is for ALL adults interested in the Cub Scout program. This includes, but is not necessarily limited to Tiger Cub partners, Den Leaders, Cubmasters, Committee Members, Webelos Leaders and parents. There will also be an all-day Den Chief Training for Boy Scouts at the same time and place.

What is Den Chief Training: Den Chief Training at Pow Wow is leadership training for Boy Scouts to help them learn the necessary skills needed to be a fantastic Den Chief. A Den Chief is a Boy Scout who assists a Den Leader with den meetings, at the recommendation of his Scoutmaster. Boy Scouts must be at least 1st class rank to register to take this class.

When is Pow Wow: Saturday, November 14, 2009 8:00 a.m (registration open) Opening 8:30-8:45am, classes start at 8:45am, Closing 3:15pm-3:30pm.

Where is Pow Wow: The Church at Quail Creek- located at 801 Tascosa Rd, Amarillo, Texas.

What classes can I take? There is an extensive variety of classes to take at Pow Wow! Look at the Course List and pick your 5 classes. Make sure you choose 5 alternate classes in case your first choice is full. The only problem may be that you want to sign up for everything! PLEASE NOTE: All classes must have a minimum of 7 participants to make. Classes are assigned on a first-come, first served basis.

Can I bring my kids to Pow Wow? Pow Wow is intended for adult leaders and classes are intended for adults only. There will, however be babysitting available for an additional fee. Please see the reservation form for details. No same day registration will be accepted so register in advance please.

How do I register? The registration form is below. Please complete the form and mail or bring to the Scout Office by the date listed below.

How much does Pow Wow cost? Registration is \$15.00 per person. This takes care of supplies, a patch, lunch, and your choice of five classes. Late registration fee (received at the council office on or after November 5, 2009) is \$25. Save yourself \$10 and be an Early Bird registrant!

Midway Display Area/Resource Alley!! Not only are there classes at Pow Wow, but there’ll be a number of outside organizations sharing opportunities for den and pack activities. Visit the Midway to receive information about activities, things to do and places to visit with your Cub Scouts, along with information about 2010 summer camps! The Order of the Arrow will have breakfast snacks available along with snack throughout the day for a small fee small bring your cash!

Class Schedules: You will select the classes you want to take and rank them according to your preferences – early registrants get “first pick”! You will be given your schedule at check-in.

What to Wear and Bring: Wear your uniform and comfortable shoes, perhaps a light sweater. Bring a bag or day-pack to carry literature and other trophies and trinkets you pick up. At the very least, bring a notepad and pencil.

Housing: For our out of town participants there are plenty of camp sites available at Camp Don Harrington. If you are interested in reserving a campsite at Camp Don, please contact the Scout Office at 806-358-6500. There is NO cost for the use of the camp!

Refund Policy: There are no refunds available but fees are transferable to another Scouter.

Questions? Please feel free to contact Scott Kilian, Council Program Director at 806-358-6500 or email at scott.kilian@scouting.org

Pow Wow Sessions

TRAINING:

Class Code	Class Name	Class Description
T1	Pack Organization and Program Planning	Make sure your Pack runs smoothly from den meetings to pack meetings. Greater results with less effort come from an organized pack that plans an exciting 12-month program
T2	Cub Scouting 101	Does the entire Scouting lingo confuse you? Need some basic ideas for den meetings that have pizzazz? This class will tell you what you've always wanted to know!
T3	Cubmaster 101	This workshop is designed to give Cubmasters the skill and techniques they need to run an effective and fun program.
T4	Tiger Cubs 101	The Tiger Cub program is the first Scouting experience for most boys and parents. This class will help make it GRRRRREAT!
T5	Budget Planning and Fundraising	A critical element for an energetic, successful pack is having funds to provide a dynamic year-long program.
T6	Recruiting a Strong Pack	A vital, on-going pack requires boys and trained leaders. But how do we recruit and retain boys and adults from year to year?
T7	First Aid	If an accident does happen, be ready with basic first aid skills, the right first aid kit and authority to treat. This is not a certification course – no cards will be issued.
T8	Webelos to Scout Transition (2 nd year leaders)	How do we take Webelos across the “bridge” to Boy Scouts in great numbers?
T9	Working with Overactive Kids	This session will address how leaders can make program changes and find resources to use with “challenging” kids.
T10	Webelos Den Leader 101	First year Webelos Den Leader planning and organization
T11	The Pack Committee	How can this group of people get organized and accomplish amazing projects to better their pack? Come and learn from those that have made it work.
T12	Family Camping	Learn about all the upcoming camping opportunities for your Scouts.
T13	Den Leader 101	This session will teach you how to do a great Den Meeting using the Boy Scouts of America resources.
T14	Guide to Safe Scouting	An overview of the guidelines and planning safe Pack activities
T15	Small Pack Strategies	Tips for making a small pack work and ideas to grow

CRAFTS:

Class Code	Class Name	Class Description
C1	Leather Craft	Here come the mallets! Basic skills, techniques and ideas for projects
C2	Wooden it be Easy	Easy basic projects and skills to introduce the feel and fun of wood working. Great ideas for a den full of happy hammers and safe saws.
C3	Tie Slides	This Cub Scout basic is presented with more ideas and materials than you thought possible!
C4	Lanyards	Come and learn how to make those colorful key chain lanyards out of plastic lacing.
C5	All Tied Up?	Knot a problem! A “hands-on” course in Cub Scout knots. Everyone will make a monkey’s head knot.
C6	Rockets	Build ‘em, fly ‘em. Sky high excitement!

C7	Walking Sticks	Learn how to embellish walking sticks with handgrips, knots, emblems and other interesting things. Bring your own stick – or buy one at the Golden Spread Council Trading Post!
C8	Cub Scout Crafts	Craft and project ideas for younger Cub Scouts
C9	Crafts for older Cub Scouts	Learn about crafts that the older Cub Scouts would enjoy
C10	Leader Knots	Learn how to tie many advanced knots just to have under your belt!

PROGRAM AND PRESENTATIONS:

Class Code	Class Name	Class Description
P1	Flag Etiquette	Want to present your flag presentations and ceremonies correctly? Here are the basics on rules and respect, along with ideas you can use right now!
P2	Duty to God and BSA Family Program	Learn the requirements for religious awards and family program.
P3	American Indian Lore	Great ideas for Native American games, tales and crafts that can put a touch of our nation's history in your events.
P4	Commissioners...Who are these people and how can they help me?	You've got questions? We've got answers. What is a commissioner? How can they help your unit? Bring your questions to this open forum for a commissioner?
P5	Ideas for recognizing leaders	All you wanted to know about how to recognize your leaders
P6	Pocketknife Safety	Nervous about Cubs and knives? This class will give the confidence and knowledge to help you teach your boys the intended use of a pocketknife with responsibility & safety. Bring a pocketknife!
P7	Around the Campfire	Learn the importance of stories and the Cubmasters minute. Tips, techniques, and ideas.
P8	Let the Games Begin	How to plan, teach and lead games. Fast, slow, inside, outside-we have them all and now you can too!
P9	Derbies - Land, Sea, and Air	Pinewood, Space Rockets, and Raingutter Regattas...learn scoring methods, techniques, rules, and awards for these special events.
P10	Awards beyond Ranks	Fun Awards for cub scouts that include Pins, Belt Loops and other awards beyond ranks
P11	Cub Scout Songs	Learn some songs and how to teach them...have some fun!

OUTDOOR:

Class Code	Class Name	Class Description
O1	Fire by Friction	Did you ever read Jack London's story "To Build a Fire"? Learn basic fire safety, how to start a fire, and how to put it out.
O2	Leave No Trace	Learn how to camp & leave the environment better than you found it.
O3	Conservation for Kids	"Do a Good Turn Daily" – find out how! Good ideas for den and pack service projects that benefit individuals, the community, and the environment.
O4	Fishing for Fun	Not a born bass master? This class will help you get your line in the water with ideas of where to go, what to take, and what to do when you get there.

O5	Outdoor Cooking	Outdoor cooking techniques, recipes, and equipment with safety and sanitation. Extra cost: \$5/participant. This is a two hour course.
O6	Aquatics and You	What you need to know before taking your boys to the water

TRAINING FOR YOUTH:

Class Code	Class Name	Class Description
YI	Den Chief Training	This course will introduce Boy Scouts to the responsibilities of a Den Chief. Leaders may attend this session with First Class and above Scouts. Bring a pencil, paper, and a letter of approval from your Scoutmaster to the event (½ day class/ \$15 per participant/youth).

MIDWAY/EXHIBITS:

Class Code	Class Name	Class Description
Not Applicable	Midway and Exhibits	You may want to devote some of your day to just browsing this area of games, fun, and program enhancing ideas. You can visit the midway in between classes and before/after lunch.
Lunch	Blue and Gold Banquet	You will participate in a Blue and Gold Banquet which will take place at lunch. You will learn about table decorations, events that should take place at a Blue and Gold and other great ideas for your Pack!

2009 Pow Wow Registration Form

Pack # _____

Name: _____

Email: _____ Phone #: _____

Registered Position in Scouting: _____

Please mark your class selections in the boxes below. **Please select 5 First Choices & 5 Alternate Choices.** Classes will be filled on a first-come, first serve basis. Registration fees must be paid before participant is registered in any Pow Wow session.

1st Choice for classes. Please use course code and list in order of importance.

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2nd Choice for classes. Please use course code and list in order of importance.

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I would like to register _____ youth for childcare.
(For potty trained youth up to age 11 only – Parental or Guardian signature required below))

Names of children/age _____

Parent/Guardian Signature

Emergency Phone #

Sign me up for Den Chief Training!
(For first class and above Boy Scouts – Scoutmaster letter of approval is required for registration.)

Adult Leader Fees:#\$
\$15.00 before November 5th. \$25.00 if registered after November 5th.
(Fees include training supplies, patch, and lunch)

Extra Fees for Specified Classes\$
(See class listing for details)

Den Chief Fees:#\$
\$15 – flat rate

Childcare Fees: \$10 per youth (8 hours of care)#\$

Total Due:\$

Return to: 2009 Pow Wow
Golden Spread Council
401 Tascosa Road, Amarillo, TX 79124

Acct. Code: 1 –6801-145-20