



JUNE 2025 NEWSLETTER



OFFICE HOURS

The Golden Spread Council Office and Scout Shop are open:

Monday thru Friday 8:30 - 5:30

OFFICE CLOSURES

The Golden Spread Council will be closed for the following holidays in 2025:

Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving - November 26-28, Christmas - December 24-26th.

The Scout Shop will be closed for inventory on December 30 and 31.

The Scout Shop will no longer be open on Saturdays in September and October.

Be sure to check out our website calendar for ALL of the exciting events happening in the Golden Spread Council or follow this link:

<https://goldenspread.org/>

COUNCIL EVENTS

EDITOR'S NOTE

Hello Golden Spread Council volunteers, parents, staff and board members!

It's June, school is out and summer is here. It's summer for camping activities anyway! Fun facts about June:

June 1 - National Game Show Day

June 2 - National Leave the Office Early Day (I think I will - I'll be at camp!)

June 4 - National Cheese Day

June 6 - D-Day

June 14 - Flag Day

June 15 - Father's Day

June 19 - Juneteenth

June 20 - Summer officially begins!

June 30 - National Meteor Watch Day

The newsletter has been updated with all of the activities, office closures for holidays and Scout Shop hours for 2025 so be sure to look them over and mark your calendars accordingly so that you will always be ready for the upcoming year! As we learn of and can release information, we will pass it along to you!

Be sure to visit the council website at www.goldenspread.org regularly to get information on upcoming events, registration and deadlines and any date changes that may occur.

The newsletter will be going out every month and will contain the most current information available for council, district, and unit events. Please send unit event information, dates and pictures to Gemma Mitchell at gemma.mitchell@scouting.org or call 806-282-8296 and leave me a voicemail. **Please turn in all submissions for the newsletter in non-PDF format each month by the 25th!** Don't forget to forward all of your unit fun and activities to your district executive! If you don't know who they are or how to contact them, look on the green tabbed district pages here in the newsletter.

We are really excited to get this newsletter out to you and we are even more excited to include you and your youth! The youth of the Golden Spread Council is why we all do what we do in Scouting and when we stay focused on them, we all win!

Yours in Scouting,

Gemma Mitchell



COUNCIL EVENTS

2025 GOLDEN SPREAD COUNCIL CUB SCOUTS AND SCOUTS BSA CAMPING AND ACTIVITIES

- January 25: **Merit Badge University** (WTAMU)
- February 8: **District Pinewood Derby races** (Check the calendar for your district locations!)
- March 1-2: **OKPIK Winter Adventure Camp** (Camp MK Brown)
- March 21-23: Weekend #1 of Woodbadge Training (Camp Don Harrington)
- March 22: Scouting for Food (Cub Scouts and Scouts BSA event)
- April 5-6: Weekend #2 of Woodbadge Training (Camp MK Brown)
- April 11-13: **Camporee** (Camp MK Brown)
- April 25-27: Philmont Family Weekend
- May 10: **District Fish Fests** (Check the calendar for your district location!)
- May 31: **Cub Scout Day Camp** (Camp Don Harrington)
- June 1-6: **National Youth Leadership Training Course (NYLT)** (Camp MK Brown)
- June 7: **Cub Scout Day Camp** (Camp MK Brown)
- June 15-21: **Scouts BSA Summer Camp** (Camp MK Brown)
- June 27-29: **Cub Scout Adventure Weekend** (Camp Don Harrington)
- August 4-8: **Merit Badge Week** (Camp Don Harrington)
- September 19-21: **Webelos Woods** (Camp MK Brown)
- September 27-28: **Cub Scout Family Campout** (Camp Don Harrington)
- October 18: **Spook O Ree** (Camp Don Harrington)
- October 25: **Spook O Ree** (Camp MK Brown)
- November 8: **Environmental Science Merit Badge Class** (Camp Don Harrington)

For details on all of these camps, activities and to register, visit www.goldenspread.org. Click on the “Event Registration” tab and scroll to the date to find the camp/activity.



Please check with your unit leader for details on how to register for these events as some are unit registrations and others may be individual registrations.

If you haven't liked us already, go to the Golden Spread Council page on Facebook and like us! We also put a lot of information about upcoming events and news on this page and there are a lot of Cub Scout and Scouts BSA units that put pictures out there also!

COUNCIL EVENTS

SUMMER CAMP 2025!

Registration is now open to get your unit registered for Summer Camp! We have a cool new theme this year called “Scout Games” that is based on the Hunger Games and we still have room for YOU! Register here:

<https://scoutingevent.com/562-2025SummerCampMKB>

JOIN US FOR CAMP!

Make memories of a lifetime!

Perfect for first time Scout campers and Troops looking to stay closer to home for their summer camp experience. We offer Eagle required and other merit badges.

The Polaris First Year Camper Program focuses on the camp skills needed by Scouts, Tenderfoot, 2nd and 1st Class Scouts to aid in their rank advancement.

More information at goldenspread.org



June 15-21, 2025

In Council Troops

Early Bird (April 30): Scout \$325 Adult \$200

Regular (May 1-31): Scout \$350 Adult \$225

Out of Council Troops

Early Bird (April 30): Scout \$350 Adult \$225

Regular (May 1-31): Scout \$375 Adult \$250

MERIT BADGES & FUN

- Archery
- Rifle Shooting
- Shotgun Shooting
- Polaris First Year Camper Program
- Aquatics Program



Prepared. For Life.®

MAY THE SCOUT SKILLS BE EVER IN YOUR FAVOR!!

COUNCIL EVENTS

The CDH Pool is a great way to get your Scouts together and spend time at camp this summer. Reserve your private pool party at Camp Don for only \$5 per attendee! For more information click on the link below:

<https://campreservation.com/562/Facilities/455/14733>



COUNCIL EVENTS

Come join us for our annual program year kick-off at Camp Don. This is open to all leaders and parents in your unit so be sure to get signed up and bring your friends from your Cub Scout pack or Scouts BSA troop with you!

Register at <https://scoutingevent.com/562-2025ProgramNetworking>

**Scouting America**
Golden Spread Council



RSVP BY
AUGUST 11

**Fall 2025 Kick-Off Extravaganza**

ALL SCOUT FAMILIES AND LEADERS
CAMPING AVAILABLE
ADVANCED RESERVATIONS REQUIRED

SATURDAY, AUGUST 16, 2025
10AM-1:30PM (CHECK IN AT 9:30AM)
CAMP DON HARRINGTON
15427 FM 1541, CANYON, TX

Capital Campaign Update
Growing & Retaining Membership
Council Activities & Properties
Scout Shop
Membership & Recruitment
Training

Parent/Leader/Unit Resources
Keeping Scouting Affordable
High Adventure
Order of the Arrow
Popcorn & Camp Cards
Scoutbook

JOIN US LATER THAT EVENING FOR SCOUT NIGHT AT HODGETOWN!



- PURCHASE DISCOUNTED TICKETS FOR SCOUTS, FAMILY & FRIENDS BY AUGUST 9TH
- 7:05 GAME TIME - ARRIVE AT 6PM FOR PRE-GAME ON FIELD PARADE
- DRONE SHOW W/FIRWORKS FINALE
- SCOUT UNIFORMS ENCOURAGED

COUNCIL EVENTS

When you are done having fun, fellowship and learning at Camp Don, come join us for the Sod Poodles game! The Scouts get to take part in the field parade before the game and then get to have a nice relaxing evening with their families! Oh, and you might get to meet Ruckus also! Register at: <https://fevo-enterprise.com/event/2025golden2>



The poster features a blue sky background with a white cowboy hat logo on the left containing a yellow 'A' and a yellow arrow. To the right, the text 'YOU'RE INVITED!' is written in large, bold, blue letters. Below this, the hashtag '#Dig this Town' is written in a cursive font. A central red-bordered box contains the 'Scouting America' logo, the text 'Scout Night at HODGETOWN!', and another 'Scouting America' logo. Below this box are three red-bordered boxes with white text: 'GAME DATE: Saturday, August 16th, 2025', 'GAME TIME: 7:05PM Gates Open at 6PM', and 'PROMOTION: Drone Show w/ Firework Finale'. At the bottom left is a photo of a white dog (Ruckus) sitting on a pile of dirt. To the right of the dog, the text 'AMARILLO SOD POODLES VS. CORPUS CHRISTI HOOKS' is written in red. At the bottom right is a QR code with text above it: 'Scan the QR Code to get your seat(s) for Scout Night at HODGETOWN! Scouts need to be at the North gate when it opens at 6pm to participate in the on-field parade'.

YOU'RE INVITED!

#Dig this Town

Scouting America
Golden Spread Council

**Scout Night
at HODGETOWN!**

Scouting America
Golden Spread Council

GAME DATE: Saturday, August 16th, 2025

GAME TIME: 7:05PM Gates Open at 6PM

PROMOTION: Drone Show w/ Firework Finale

**AMARILLO SOD POODLES
VS.
CORPUS CHRISTI HOOKS**

Scan the QR Code to get your seat(s) for Scout Night at HODGETOWN! Scouts need to be at the North gate when it opens at 6pm to participate in the on-field parade



COUNCIL EVENTS

Come join us on June 7th at Camp Don for a volunteer workday! It's free to come out and help in cleaning up the camp after all of our recent storms is very much appreciated. We will even feed you lunch - just register on Black Pug so we know you are coming! <https://scoutingevent.com/562-JuneCDHWorkday>

CAMP DON HARRINGTON VOLUNTEER WORKDAY

JUNE 7

**CHECKIN AT 830AM NEAR THE MAIN GATE
START AT 9AM THROUGH NOON**

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

**DEPENDING ON THE WEATHER, WE WILL BE
DOING SOME CAMPSITE CLEANUP!**

ALL ADULTS WELCOME TO ATTEND.

**PLEASE REGISTER FOR THIS WORKDAY ONLINE
BY JUNE 5 AT :**

**[HTTPS://SCOUTINGEVENT.COM/562-
JUNECDHWORKDAY](https://scoutingevent.com/562-JuneCDHWorkday)**

COUNCIL EVENTS

SCOUT SHOP

Yes, at last Summer is here! Outdoor adventures I'm on my way!

Do you have camping gear? Are you prepared for your summer Adventures?

Woo Hoo! We have a deal for you!

15% off camping gear June 1-30,2025 (while supplies last)

Don't Miss out on these Adventures for June 2025

June 1

NYLT at MK Brown Camp

June 2

Swim Checks at CDH Camp

June 5

Swim Lesson Scouts BSA Front Crawl at CDH Camp

GE Roundtable at 7pm at scout office

June 7

Cub Scout Day Camp at CDH Camp

Swim Merit Badge at CDH Camp

Volunteer Work Day at CDH Camp

June 12

Adobe Walls Committee meeting and roundtable in Pampa 6:30pm

June 15

MK Brown Summer Camp at MKB Camp

Happy Father's Day!

June 19

Happy Juneteenth!

June 26

Swim Lesson Scout BSA Elementary back stroke at CDH

June 27

Cub Scout adventure Camp at CDH Camp

Register at goldenspread.org



COUNCIL EVENTS

SCOUT SHOP CLEARANCE SALE!

Attention all Scouters!

We have lots of Clearance at your favorite Scout Shop.

Come see us.

We have Clearance patches Too.



We also have all sorts of pins too.



DISTRICT EVENTS

ADOBE WALLS

District Executive: Colter Morrison Ph # 580-716-0231

District Chair: Jason Eugea Ph # 806-335-6805

District Commissioner: Kris Anaya Ph # 806-626-8833

Roundtable: 1st Thursday of the month - ZOOM, District meeting - 2nd Thursday of the month - 6:30 pm
First United Methodist Church, 201 E Foster St., Pampa



The poster is framed by a border of colorful icons representing various STEM fields: a rocket, a satellite, a DNA helix, a microscope, a calculator, a molecular model, a horseshoe magnet, a satellite dish, a laptop with a line graph, a QR code, a globe, a gear, a magnifying glass, and a lightbulb. In the center, the text reads:

Scouting America
Golden Spread Council

M.K. Brown
Day Camp

Saturday
June 7th, 2025
8:30am - 3:45pm

At the bottom center is the Scouting America logo with the tagline "Prepared. For Life.®". To the right of the logo is a QR code.

DISTRICT EVENTS

ADOBE WALLS

District Executive: Colter Morrison Ph # 580-716-0231

District Chair: Jason Eugea Ph # 806-335-6805

District Commissioner: Kris Anaya Ph # 806-626-8833

Roundtable: 1st Thursday of the month - ZOOM, District meeting - 2nd Thursday of the month - 6:30 pm
First United Methodist Church, 201 E Foster St., Pampa



DISTRICT EVENTS

GOLDEN EAGLE

District Executive: Michael Lopez - michael.lopez@scouting.org Ph. # 505-699-6552

District Chair: Richard “Buddy” Todd Ph # 806-367-3847

District Commissioner: Dallas Sharp Ph #

Roundtable: 1st Thursday of every month from August thru June - 7:00 pm at the Scout Office

Troop 31 from Canyon conducted their annual flag service at Dreamland Cemetery for Memorial Day. Scouts put out 1,400 flags, conducted a flag ceremony, and played taps. Well done Troop 31!



DISTRICT EVENTS

GOLDEN EAGLE

District Executive: Michael Lopez - michael.lopez@scouting.org Ph. # 505-699-6552

District Chair: Richard “Buddy” Todd Ph # 806-367-3847

District Commissioner: Dallas Sharp Ph #

Roundtable: 1st Thursday of every month from August thru June - 7:00 pm at the Scout Office



**HAZARDOUS WEATHER
ONLINE TRAINING
SCO_800**

It is recommended that any adult leader, who is attending an outdoor event, with a unit, complete Hazardous Weather Online Training.

Required Training for:

- Cubmaster
- Asst. Cubmaster
- Den Leader
- Asst. Den Leader
- Scoutmaster
- Asst. Scoutmaster
- Crew Advisor
- Assoc. Crew Advisor
- Exploring Advisor
- Assoc. Explorer Advisor
- Sea Scout Adult Leader

Login to my.scouting.org

- Click My Training
- Click YPT & Training Center
- Click Expanded Learning
- Click Program Safety
- Scroll Down to

Hazardous Weather Training

- **Enroll and Take Course**

Training expires every 2 years.



Contact Stephen Keel at
the Scouting America
Golden Spread Council
with account questions.

(806) 358-6500

DISTRICT EVENTS

GOLDEN EAGLE

District Executive: Michael Lopez - michael.lopez@scouting.org Ph. # 505-699-6552

District Chair: Richard “Buddy” Todd Ph # 806-367-3847

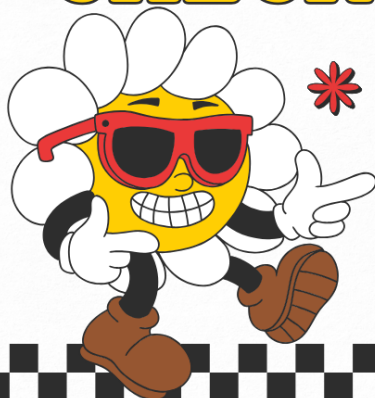
District Commissioner: Dallas Sharp Ph #

Roundtable: 1st Thursday of every month from August thru June - 7:00 pm at the Scout Office

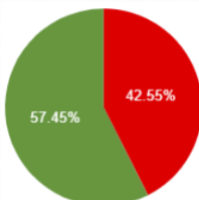
SCOUTING AMERICA BSA

ADULT LEADERS

CHECK THIS OUT!



Golden Spread Council Golden Eagle District Position-Specific Training



611 Total Adult Leaders

Trained	351	57.45%
Not Trained	260	42.55%

4/23/2025 Report

Every Adult who is registered in Scouting America BSA is required to take Youth Protection Training (YPT).

The Golden Spread Council has maintained being 100% Trained in Youth Protection Training with their new system of suspending adults when not completed!

Adult Leader Positions in all Unit's require the updated Scouting America BSA Position-Specific Training as of 12/2024.

The Golden Eagle District can only accomplish the Goal of 100% Trained with your help!

Login to your own my.scouting.org account and **update your Position-Specific Training** for each position you hold.

Need Help contact **The Golden Spread Council Scout Office** (806) 358-6500 to assist you!

DISTRICT EVENTS

GOLDEN EAGLE

District Executive: Michael Lopez - michael.lopez@scouting.org Ph. # 505-699-6552

District Chair: Richard “Buddy” Todd Ph # 806-367-3847

District Commissioner: Dallas Sharp Ph #

Roundtable: 1st Thursday of every month from August thru June - 7:00 pm at the Scout Office

GOLDEN EAGLE DISTRICT

MONTHLY ROUNDTABLE MEETING



FIRST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH
7:00 PM

**INFORMATIVE TOPICS AND DISCUSSIONS FOR CUBMASTERS, SCOUTMASTERS, OR
ANY ADULT THAT WANTS TO KNOW HOW TO BETTER SERVE YOUTH**

SCOUT OFFICE - 401 TASCOSA ROAD

MORE INFORMATION: (806) 358-6500 or
goldenspread.org/calendar/

DISTRICT EVENTS

GOLDEN EAGLE

District Executive: Michael Lopez - michael.lopez@scouting.org Ph. # 505-699-6552

District Chair: Richard “Buddy” Todd Ph # 806-367-3847

District Commissioner: Dallas Sharp Ph #

Roundtable: 1st Thursday of every month from August thru June - 7:00 pm at the Scout Office

Mark your pack calendars now for Cub Adventure Camp at Camp Don Harrington!

For more information please visit the council website at goldenspread.org



DISTRICT EVENTS

LONE WOLF

District Executive: Aaron Couch - aaron.couch@scouting.org Ph # 806-710-0424 for information

District Chair: Lori Daniel Ph # 806-228-1771

District Commissioner: Audrey House Ph # 580-522-1085

Roundtable: 1st Thursday of the month - ZOOM

Lone Wolf District

There is still time to get registered and spots available for the 2025 M.K. Brown Day Camp! Registration closes on June 4th so hurry to get signed up! We are also hosting a brisket lunch - more information on the next page. Register at: <https://scoutingevent.com/562-2025DayCampMKBrown>



The poster is framed by a border of colorful icons representing various STEM fields: a rocket, a satellite dish, a DNA helix, a microscope, a calculator, a molecular model, a magnet, a satellite, a laptop with a graph, a globe, a gear, a test tube, and a lightbulb. In the center, the text reads:

Scouting America
Golden Spread Council

M.K. Brown
Day Camp

Saturday
June 7th, 2025
8:30am - 3:45pm

At the bottom center is the Scouting America logo with the tagline "Prepared. For Life.®". To the right of the logo is a QR code.

DISTRICT EVENTS

LONE WOLF

District Executive: Aaron Couch - aaron.couch@scouting.org Ph # 806-710-0424 for information

District Chair: Lori Daniel Ph # 806-228-1771

District Commissioner: Audrey House Ph # 580-522-1085

Roundtable: 1st Thursday of the month - ZOOM

Lone Wolf District



DISTRICT EVENTS

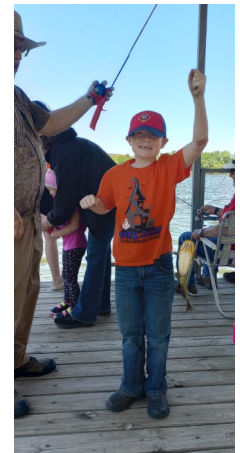
LONE WOLF

District Executive: Aaron Couch - aaron.couch@scouting.org Ph # 806-710-0424 for information

District Chair: Lori Daniel Ph # 806-228-1771

District Commissioner: Audrey House Ph # 580-522-1085

Roundtable: 1st Thursday of the month - ZOOM



A little fishing, a little clean up and a **WHOLE** lot of fun happened at Lake Fryer with the Adobe Walls/Lone Wolf fishing and clean up day!



DISTRICT EVENTS

LONE WOLF

District Executive: Aaron Couch - aaron.couch@scouting.org Ph # 806-710-0424 for information

District Chair: Lori Daniel Ph # 806-228-1771

District Commissioner: Audrey House Ph # 580-522-1085

Roundtable: 1st Thursday of the month - ZOOM

Lone Wolf District

The new Scouts BSA troop in Dalhart used the long Memorial Day weekend to celebrate the end of school and their first campout as a troop! A little chilly for the weekend, but the youth had a great time!



DISTRICT EVENTS

QUANAH PARKER (SCOUTREACH)

District Executive: Gemma Mitchell - gemma.mitchell@scouting.org Ph # 806-282-8296

District Chair: Jeremy Bradford Ph # 972-955-7177

District Commissioner: Chuck Jewell 806-220-3288



May was launch month!! We had rockets flying all over San Jacinto, Hamlet, Glenwood, Dykeman, Bivins and Rolling Hills! There were all sorts of colors in the sky above Amarillo!



WHAT A BLAST WE HAD!!

