



Welcome to Cranberry Harbors March Roundtable

Gathering Activity (Scouting Magazine Quiz): January's Roundtable mentioned the value of Scouting Magazine – did you check it? Test your knowledge:

1. Pick up the Scouting Magazine Quiz at the sign in table
2. Answer the questions (without using references!)
3. Compare answers with fellow Scouters
4. Consider how your unit may use a quiz game (Boys' Life?) at some meeting or other activity



Note: added after Roundtable – Quiz Answers

Cranberry Harbors District

Gathering Activity Quiz: “Scouting Magazine and Outdoor Essentials”

1. What are the six Cub Scout Outdoor Essentials?

Flashlight, Filled Water Bottle, Whistle, First Aid Kit, Sun Protection, Trail Food.

2. What are the 10 Scouts BSA Outdoor Essentials?

Pocketknife, Rain gear, Trail food, Flashlight, Extra clothing, First-aid kit, Sun protection, Map and Compass, Matches and fire starters, Water storage

3. According to a new BSA Survey of youths 6-17 years of age, what did 30% of the youths identify as one of the problems they most wanted to solve?

Bullying

4. At what rank/level/age should Cub Scouts be earning their Whittling Chip?

Bear (3rd grade or ~ 8 yrs, old)

5. When a Webelos Scout bridges to Scouts BSA, does her/his Whittling Chip qualify him/her to carry a pocket knife?

No, the Scout should earn the Scouts BSA Totin’ Chip first.

6. Philmont Scout Ranch launched the BSA Family Adventure Camp program in the summer of 2018. Who can sign up to attend?

Any family group that has a member registered in the BSA

7. What is the purpose of the BSA’s Powder Horn training?

Provide High Adventure Resources to Units.

8. In the article, Upgrade Your Diet, what does Jeff Csatari recommend as a healthy breakfast, what does he suggest avoiding and why?

Healthy: eggs or oatmeal, avoid flavored instant oatmeal and most cold cereals which are “often sugar laden and highly processed”.

9. In the article, Beyond the Basics, 9 Scouters were asked to add one “favorite, non-essential” item they would add for an outdoor trip. Name 4 of them.

Pliers, light weight running shoes, 1 ft. square of fiberglass screen for a strainer, book that I wouldn’t normally read at home, altimeter, shears and a mesh bag, packet of notes from a friend, Sierra cup.

10. What would you add as your personal “non-essential” item? (Personal Answer)

11. “Survivorman” Les Stroud proposed a list of items for a home survival kit checklist in the article Survive Close to Home.

How many days food supply (per person) does he recommend? 7

How much drinking water (per person) does he recommend? 5 gallons

March Roundtable

Opening Ceremony: Mottos and Promises

Opening Prayer



**Let us
give you
a hand**



Welcome New
Attendees!

Cranberry Harbors Mar. Roundtable – Agenda



- Opening Ceremony: Mottos and Promises
- Prayer
- Welcome to NEW RT Attendees!
- Attendance Sheets!
- Gathering Activity: Answers available on sign-in table
- District KEY 3 – District Chair, District Commissioner, District Executive
- Other Items / Announcements
- Safety Minute: AHMR
- “Big Rock” Topic: Beyond “Traditional” Scouting
- Commissioner’s Minute: “Traditions”
- Breakout – Cub: Leadership Training & Succession Planning, Spring Training Opportunities
Scouts BSA: Life to Eagle Process



District Key-3 Minutes

- District Chair
- District Commissioner
- District Executive
 - *WELCOME* Field Director:
Joe Livingston



3 THINGS TO KNOW

NOW THAT THE BSA HAS FILED FOR CHAPTER 11

1

Scouting Continues



Blue & Gold Banquets



Pinewood Derbies



Regular Meetings



Campouts



Service Projects



Courts of Honor



Crossover Ceremonies

2

Scouting is safer now than ever before

~90%

OF PENDING AND
ASSERTED ABUSE CLAIMS
are related to abuse from 30+ years ago

EFFECTIVE
BARRIERS
TO ABUSE

RECOGNIZE
RESPOND
REPORT

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BSA Ch. 11 Filing:

from BSA Email, Feb. 18, 2020:

“...the national organization of the Boy Scouts of America (BSA) filed for Chapter 11 bankruptcy to achieve two key objectives: equitably compensate victims who were harmed during their time in Scouting and continue to carry out Scouting’s mission for years to come.”



BSA Ch. 11 Filing, #2



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You can make a difference

Explain BSA's youth protection policies to friends and neighbors

Plan or attend service projects or public events to show your community the value of Scouting

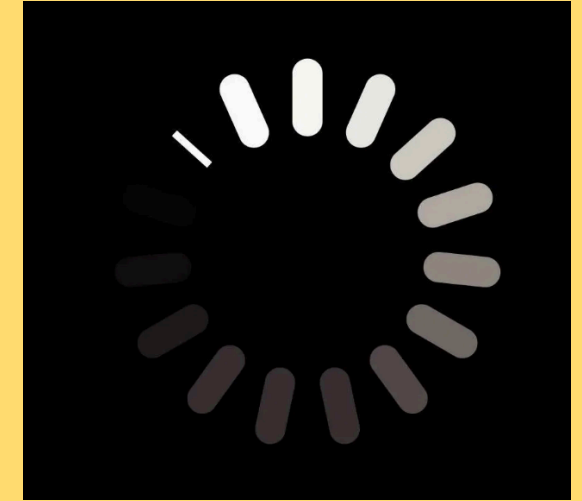
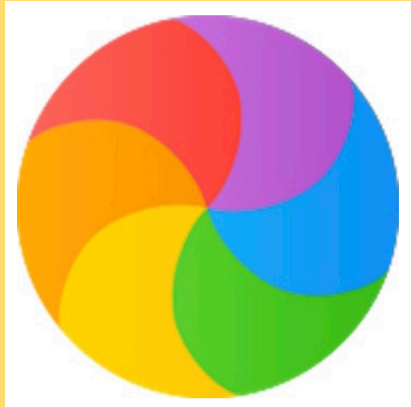
Proudly share with others – in person and on social media – why Scouting is important



BSA Ch. 11 Filing, #3

Other actions:

- Review the National Ch.11 info website: <https://www.bsarestructuring.org/>
- Watch the 4 min. video: <https://www.bsarestructuring.org/scouting-community/#youtube-video>
- Review tips for discussing with youth: <https://www.bsarestructuring.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/Tips-for-Discussing-the-BSAs-Restructuring-with-Youth.pdf>
- Refer media inquiries to Council Office or to National at: PR@Scouting.org
- Omni Agent Solutions Email Mar. 3:
 - Periodic formal legal notices
 - Additional info: www.omniagentsolutions.com/bsa is the official bankruptcy case website, can also be accessed via www.OfficialBSAclaims.com
 - Filing Document at: https://casedocs.omniagentsolutions.com/cmsvol2/pub_47373/803247_122.pdf
- ***KEEP ON SCOUTING: Continue to provide an excellent program to our youth***
- ***Remember – Youth Protection is MORE than biennial adult training***
- ***Other questions? – email MyScouting@Scouting.org or restructuring@scouting.org or call dedicated restructuring hotline at 1-866-907-BSA1***



Likely views of your computer screen if you wait until
September to renew Youth Protection Training
(Required every 2 years)

AVOID FRUSTRATION!



Renew YPT BEFORE the end of June!

Other Items:

- **Hazardous Weather Training Status?**
- Charter Printing:
 - Unit Key-3 - Organization Manager
- Caution: “Aged” on-line resources
- **District Dinner**: Sat. Mar. 28
 - 6-10 PM, Monponsett Inn, Halifax
 - Register online by Mar. 15 (\$40)
(Council Calendar) “Business casual”
<https://www.mayflowerbsa.org/event/2020-cranberry-harbors-district-dinner/>
- **Activities** (sign up/info on calendar):
 - Squanto “Beaver Day” Mar 28
 - District Pinewood, Kingston
Collection, Apr. 18

- **Training** (sign up/info on calendar):
 - MBU – Youth registration closed
 - Mar. 7 – CPR/AED, Scoutmaster
Position Specific
 - Mar. 21 – Red Cross 1st Aid, Troop
Committee Challenge, Youth
Protection Training
 - Outdoor Ethics, Canton Svc Ctr, Mar 14
 - Wilderness 1st Aid, Squanto, Mar 14-
15 & Apr 18-19
 - IOLS, Squanto, Apr 4-5
 - Woodbadge, NE Base Camp, Milton,
Mar 27-28
 - NE College of Commissioner Science,
Mar 21, EDCO, Bedford, MA





- Other Items / Announcements

- 2021 National Jamboree, July 21-30, Summit Bechtel Reserve

- Jamboree Web Site: <https://jamboree.scouting.org/>
- Contact Brian Duane, 339 244-4107 (home), 781 820-9985 (cell), bduane105@comcast.net for presentation
- Register at: <https://www.mayflowerbsa.org/event/2021jamboree/>

- Tax tips for BSA volunteers: <https://blog.scoutingmagazine.org/2020/02/14/tax-time/>

- Communicable Disease Prevention: [https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-055\(8-19\)-Communicable-Disease-Prevention-WEB.pdf](https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-055(8-19)-Communicable-Disease-Prevention-WEB.pdf)

- Feb RT Slides posted on District Page, Council Website

<https://www.mayflowerbsa.org/about/overview/council-districts/cranberry-harbors-district/>

- Roundtable Email Lists to be Updated this month
- Summer Camp Info Sheet
- Parking Lot

April Plans (tentative):

“Big Rock”: Everything is STEM

Cub Breakout: Your favorite spring/outdoor activity

Scouts BSA Breakout:

Safety Minute: Annual Health & Medical Record



Notes added after Roundtable:

Download AMHR safety moment at:

[https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-055\(16\)_AHMR.pdf](https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-055(16)_AHMR.pdf)

Download forms and FAQ's at:

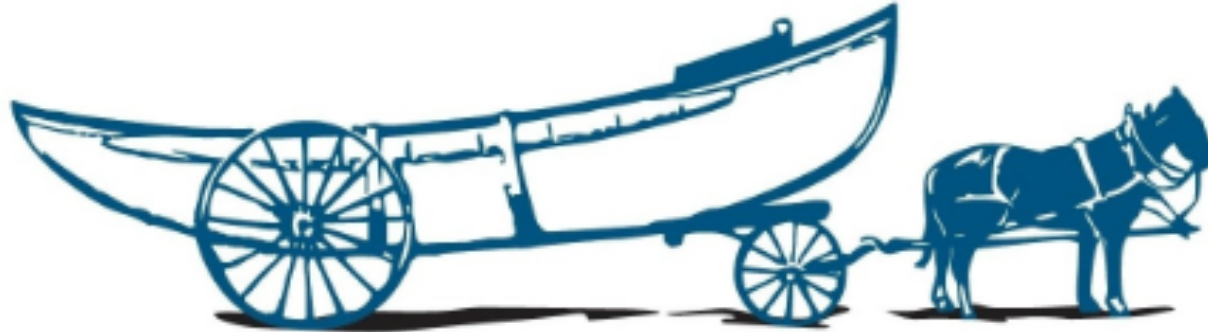
<https://www.scouting.org/health-and-safety/ahmr/>

Big Rock Topic: Beyond “Traditional” Scouting



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SAVING LIVES THEN. CHANGING LIVES NOW.

HULL LIFESAVING MUSEUM

Post Roundtable Note: Presentation follows

The Hull Lifesaving Museum

FIELD TRIPS, ROWING, STEM, ADVENTURE



Hull Lifesaving Museum

1117 Nantasket Ave, Hull

Our Offerings

- Field trips to the museum – Including station tour, exploration, activities
- Breeches Buoy Exercise – Scouts get to try out the breeches buoy set up outside the museum
- Open water rowing – Opportunities in Boston Harbor with launching points in both Hull and Boston
- Community service opportunities – Including Eagle Scout projects



Station Tours & Field Trips

Highlights:

- Lifesaving history
- Joshua James: “Father of the Coast Guard”
- Boat Room: Surfboat/Nantasket, Lyle Gun, Breeches Buoy
- Cupola: Views of Boston Light, Graves Light, and The Narrows
- Pre-stamped post cards to be mailed for you



Breeches Buoy

Highlights:

- Experience this unique rescue method firsthand
- A very different view of Boston Light



Open Water Rowing

Highlights:

- Explore the Boston Harbor Islands
- Exercise
- Teamwork
- Rowing can be customized to your schedule



Community Service

Highlights:

- Projects at both the museum and the boathouse can be customized to troop size and interest
- Eagle Scout projects

The Hull Lifesaving Museum

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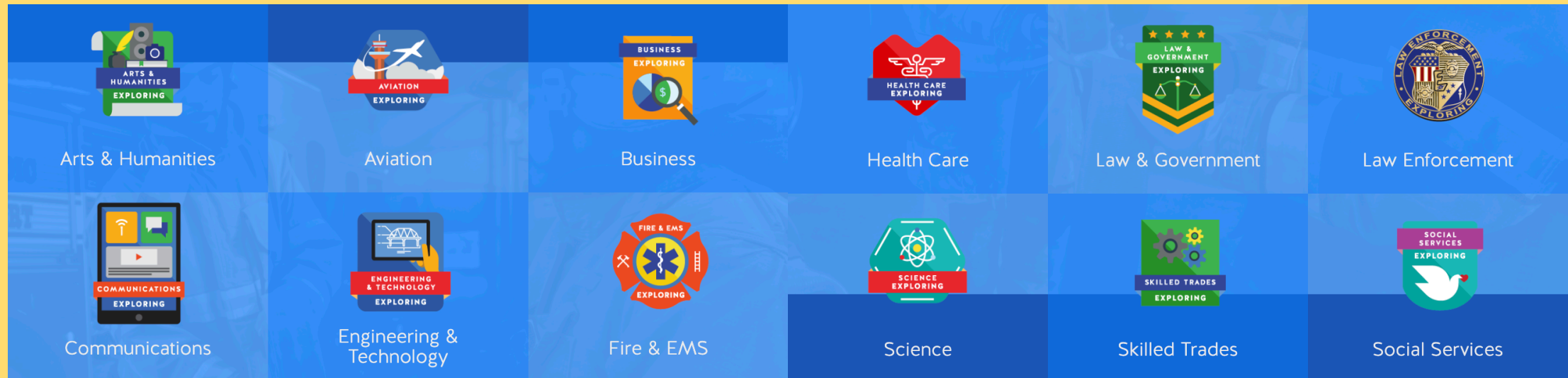
National Web Site: <https://www.exploring.org/>

Exploring provides exciting activities and mentorship for youth looking to discover their future.

Two Programs:

Clubs: Ages 10-14
Often School associated

Posts: Ages 14 - 20
Often Career associated



National Web Site: <https://stemscouts.org/>

STEM Scouts at a Glance:



- 10-20 boys and girls, 3 or more leaders per unit
- Units grouped by elementary, middle and high school ages
- Weekly meetings, monthly field trips
- 4- to 6-week learning modules
- Lessons created & vetted by STEM educators
- Participation and achievement awards rather than ranks or rank advancement
- Leadership and mentoring opportunities
- Development of new skills

Per Web Site (2-17), labs in CT and NY, none in MA



Introduction to STEM Programs

Boy Scouts of America – Mayflower Council
Cranberry Harbors Roundtable Mar 4th, 2020



STEM Program – What it is and why we care

- 4 Areas: Science Technology Engineering Mathematics – falling behind...
- To stimulate interest in STEM fields and raise awareness of how STEM appears all around us, the Boy Scouts of America has created Awards programs with activities and exposure to STEM at all levels.
- These programs are optional and subject to age limitations of the scout unit. They are designed to be age appropriate and progressively more intricate.
- Two types of awards, each having multiple awards exploring fields within each STEM areas
 - **Nova**: 11 for Cub Scouts, 10 for Scouts BSA, 9 for Venturing and Sea Scouts
 - **Supernova**: more rigorous, deeper journeys, supervised by council registered mentor, with certificate and medal. Scouts to present a STEM activity to Cub Scouts...

Nova Patches and Pi (π) pins - www.scoutshop.org



Cub Scout Nova Patch – SKU 613042



Scouts BSA Nova Patch – SKU 618757



Venturing / Sea Scout Nova Patch – SKU 618670

Pi Device SKU 613037. Scouts should already have the STEM Nova Award patch obtained after earning his or her very first STEM Nova Award. For each subsequent STEM Nova Award earned Scouts should pin another STEM Nova Award pi device to the patch.



Supernova Award Path

**Venturing and
Sea Scouting**



Dr. Sally Ride
Bronze medal



Wright Brothers
Silver medal



Dr. Albert Einstein
Gold medal
(Must be a registered Venturer or Sea Scout)

Scouts BSA



Dr. Bernard Harris
Bronze medal



Thomas Alva Edison
Silver medal

Cub Scouting



Dr. Luis Walter Alvarez
Wolf and Bear Scouts
Bronze medal



Dr. Charles H. Townes
Webelos Scouts
Bronze medal



BSA STEM Program – 11 Cub Scouts Nova Awards

Award Name	STEM Field
Science Everywhere	Science
Tech Talk	Technology
Swing!	Engineering
1-2-3 Go!	Mathematics
Down and Dirty	Science
Nova Wild	Science
Out of This World	Science
Fearful Symmetry	Mathematics
Uncovering the Past	Science
Cub Scouts Can Code	Technology
Up and Away	Engineering



BSA STEM Program – 10 Scouts BSA Nova Awards

Award Name	STEM Field
Shoot!	Science
Start Your Engine	Technology
Whoosh!	Engineering
Designed to Crunch	Mathematics
Let it Grow!	Science
Splash!	Science
Mendel's Minions	Science
Hello World	Technology
Up and Away	Engineering
Next Big Thing	Engineering



BSA STEM Program – 9 Venturing/Sea Scouts Nova Awards

Award Name	STEM Field
Launch!	Science
Power Up	Technology
Hang On!	Engineering
Numbers don't Lie	Mathematics
Wade!	Science
What a Life	Science
Execute	Technology
Something from Nothing	Technology
Up and Away	Engineering



BSA STEM Program – Supernova Awards

BSA Unit	Award Name
Cub Scouts	Dr. Charles Townes Supernova Award for Webelos
Cub Scouts	Dr. Luis W. Alvarez Supernova Award for Bears and Wolves
Scouts BSA	Thomas Edison Supernova Awards
Scouts BSA	Dr. Bernard Harris Supernova Award
Venturing / Sea Scouts	Dr. Albert Einstein Supernova Award
Venturing / Sea Scouts	Wright Brothers Supernova Award
Venturing / Sea Scouts	Dr. Sally Ride Supernova Award



Administering the Nova program

- Registered Supernova Mentor – training 2-3 hrs.
- Nova award registration and tracking – no blue card, use the workbooks
- Completion in Scoutbook or the advancement report 34404 (specific Nova code)
- Three Nova awards prior to Supernova
- Supernova awards with application 512-055 to Council for approvals
- Award recognition – Nova patch on first award
- Patch on the right shirt pocket



Resources

- Unofficial but rich in support material:
 - <http://usscouts.org/advance/nova/index.asp> (all material © U.S. Scouting Service Project – see Use restrictions at bottom of page)
 - <https://www.bsastemresources.com/> - Nova and Supernova workbooks, training
- Official:
 - Guidebooks at the Scout shop or scoutshop.org
 - Guidebooks include a section for the parent/adult leader/mentor
 - <https://www.scouting.org/stem-nova-awards/awards/>
 - [Program Support](#) on same site offers great resources to promote the STEM program
 - Training – my.scouting.org -> BSA LEARN CENTER -> Expanded: **STEM in Scouting**



Questions?

- Email to myscouting@scouting.org

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Commissioner's Minute: “Traditions”





THANKS
For Your Participation
AND
For all you do for our Youth