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Council Training Committee

Meeting Notes

3 Nov 2010, 7 PM

Orem Service Center, Zion Conference Room

Attendance: *Doug Muir, Mat Greenfield, Chuck Loveless, Sheldon Hetzel, Russell Christensen, Lance King, Debby Mortensen, Stewart Schow, Marc Baker, Kent Jex, Dean Larsen, Juvenal Jovet, Lynn Coray, Doug Bradley, Phill Catherall,*

Professional Staff: John Peterson, John Gailey

Welcome: Doug Muir
Prayer: Mat Greenfield
Scout Oath & Law: Lance King

General Session

- 1. Introductions of new Council Training Committee Members:** Chuck Loveless will be serving as the Trainers Development Conference Committee Coordinator. Chuck is building that committee now, and the training will be available soon.
- Doug Muir announced that he and his wife will be leaving on an LDS mission early next year and will step down as Council Training Committee Chairman. Mat Greenfield has been asked and accepted to serve as the new Council Training Committee Chairman. Mat will assume the full roll in December.
- The proposed 2011-2012 council monthly basic training schedule was distributed for review and approval. The 2011 schedule is the same as previously distributed. Diamond Fork District asked if another District could swap them for the May 21 2011 date due to a conflict in their schedule. They could also consider moving the training up one week. Utah Lake District may be able to exchange dates with them. Pony Express and Lehi district asked to swap months in 2012 (Lehi go to May, Pony Express to June.) Please let John Gailey know of any other changes immediately so that we can publish this to all districts.
- Youth Protection Training Course:** There has been a question on whether, after a district YPT training, a person must go online and take the YPT quiz. The answer is no. The YPT training at the district level will fully satisfy the requirement. Remember to turn in attendance records to the council office for recording.
- Doug read an e-mail from National BSA notifying us that registered adults whose YPT is nearly lapse (two years), they will receive an e-mail notifying them that they need to retake the course.



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6. **Cub Scout Leader-Specific Training:** This training is now available online. We are still asking districts to provide classroom-based Cub Scout Leader-specific training. Cub Scout leaders should be given the option of which training to attend. The training PowerPoint is available for your use, but the syllabus is not currently available.
7. **NAYLE course (National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience):** Our council is providing a location for the National BSA to put on a NAYLE course. Up to this point, this course was only provided at Philmont. This course is the “next step” to NYLT (Timberline, All-Stars, etc.) We should encourage our youth to attend (it is open to youth throughout the Western Region.) The course will run beginning on approximately August 1, 2011. National BSA is still working on a date. Youth will register through the National website. The fee will be \$350 (same as Philmont.) Prerequisite is having attended NYLT.
8. It appears that next years “Quality Unit” type award will challenge Cub Scout leaders to complete BALOO (Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation) and OWLS (Outdoor Webelos Leader Skills). Our council and districts do not currently offer these courses. We may want to consider holding such courses occasionally - perhaps at a Sector-level. We need to meet the needs of our sponsoring institutions - so please monitor the need.

9. Committee Reports

- a. Basic Training:
- b. Akela’s Council: The course next year will not be August! Instead it will be held during the week of July 4 (probably July 5-9) at Tifie Scout Camp.
- c. Timberline: 2011 schedule is complete and available online (46 courses scheduled to date and some are still being added. To meet National requirements, there will be a course using the new syllabus (co-ed) during 2011. Steve Johnson will be the Commissioner for Timberline this year. Bruce Palmer will serve as the NYLT Quartermaster going forward. Training for Course directors and assistant Course directors will begin November 20 in the Orem Service Center beginning at 9:00 a.m. This is part one - with part two occurring in the January course director’s conference.
- d. Varsity All-Stars: Have a couple of courses that are planned. Still working on dates and locations. One piece of feedback is that once a district holds an All-Star course, they want to continue holding it in future years. Districts and LDS stakes are encouraged to consider sponsoring an initial course. Lehi



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District and Family Odyssey are the two current courses. Experience shows that June and July seem to be the best months.

- e. Kodiak: No report.
- f. Powderhorn:
- g. Wood Badge:
- h. Family Odyssey:

10. Council Training Policy: Please review this occasionally to ensure that this is kept up-to-date and is accurate.

11. January 8, 2011 is the annual Course Director's Conference. Those invited would be those adults involved with Akela's Council, Timberline, All-Stars, Kodiak, and Wood Badge. There will also be an All-Trained session that would be useful for all District Training Chairs and Sponsoring Institution Leaders. The District Training Committee course will also be conducted for all new District Training Chairs and their committees. This course is required for District Trainers to qualify as "fully trained".

12. Chuck Loveless reminded everyone that anyone providing training (those on staffs of training courses) need to attend a Trainer's EDGE course. Chuck's committee is working on a schedule for training sessions to accomplish this. A question was asked whether Districts could put on Trainer's EDGE courses themselves. That would be a goal that Chuck will look into further. The first course is hoped to occur in January. Chuck is still looking for additional staff members to assist in putting on these courses. Please forward any names to him.

District Training Chair Session

We are going into the second phase of our All Trained program in January. This will include getting both top leaders as well as all direct contact leaders fully trained.

Recording of training is still having problems. Some of the problems occur when a person takes classroom training, the attendance report is submitted to the council, and when the council tries to record it, finds that the person is not yet registered. There is a process for the DE to follow up and re-submit. There are also some problems with identifying individuals who attend from the roll sheets (can't read the name, unit not identified, etc.) Please make sure that when you submit written



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training records that the information is complete and legible. The registration number greatly helps resolve these problems.

Discussed what training is required for 2011 charter renewal. The answer is Youth Protection Training. Our council is a beta-council testing the All Trained program, and that program (focus on getting leaders fully trained) is not currently associated with unit charter renewal.

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Action Items -

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The next committee meeting will be December 1, 2010.

Closing Prayer: Kathy Worthen

Being no further business this concludes the minutes.
Respectfully submitted,

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