November's Eagle Scout of the Month & E-newsletter

November’s Eagle Scout of the Month is Nick A. from Troop 116 in Cheyenne, Wyoming. Nick says, “Scouting has taught me how to serve cheerfully and lead by example.” Nick’s Eagle Scout project benefited the City of Cheyenne’s Lake Absarraca. Nick and his team built a life jacket loaner station for children to be safe while swimming at Lake Absarraca.

Nick is currently a senior at Central High School in Cheyenne. He is involved in swimming, soccer and National Honor Society. Nick plans on attending Davis and Elkins College in Elkins, West Virginia. Nick will swim as a collegiate athlete and pursue a career in Law. Congratulations Nick!

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Thanksgiving Holiday Closures

The Longs Peak Council Service Centers in Greeley, Louisville and Scottsbluff will be CLOSED Wednesday, November 27 through Friday, November 29.

The Loveland Scout Shop will be CLOSED only on Thursday, November 28 & Friday, November 29.
Amazon Smiles

Amazon's website operated by Amazon with the same products, prices, and shopping features as Amazon.com. The difference is that when you shop on Amazon Smile, the AmazonSmile Foundation will donate 0.5% of the purchase price of eligible products to the charitable organization of your choice. Please select the Longs Peak Council when you shop on-line at Amazon. When you shop with Amazon, they Give! Support the Longs Peak Council at no cost to you. Use the link to shop on Amazon https://smile.amazon.com/ch/84-0253710

Log your unit's service hours

Just a friendly reminder to log your unit's service hours before the year comes to a close.

A service project is a special Good Turn that puts Scout spirit into action. Some Good Turns are big—saving a life, helping out after floods or other disasters, recycling community trash, working on conservation projects.

Go here to log your hours:  https://servicehours.scouting.org/UI/Security/Login.aspx

Your Unit Leader or Committee Chair should have access, if not please call our office.

Popcorn Sale

Congratulations on a GREAT popcorn sale. $1,425,892 in popcorn sales! Longs Peak Council units were able to earn over $490,000 for their own programs and contributed over $500,000 to the Longs Peak Council. THANK YOU!

Top Selling units:
Bighorn District, Pack 57, $67,488
Wapati District, Pack 62, $40,490
High Altitude District, Pack 136, $38,931
Wapati District, Pack 673, $38,553
Bighorn District, Pack 8, $37,194
Wapati District, Pack 65, $37,059
Bighorn District, Pack 119, $34,243
Bighorn District, Pack 184, $31,870
Wapati District, Pack 60, $30,715
Golden Plains District, Pack 41, $29,485
Bighorn District, Troop 97, $29,011

Congratulations to the Top Sellers:
1. Bighorn District, Pack 57, Gavin K. $18,221
2. Bighorn District, Troop 97, Ryan P. $17,076
3. Bighorn District, Troop 12, Josiah M. $10,221
4. Wapati District, Troop 67, Isaiah K. $8,500
5. Bighorn District, Pack 188, Kolbe B. & Sydnie B. $7,757
6. Bighorn District, Pack 8, Cole I. $7,718
7. Golden Plains District, Pack 25, Whyatt M. $6,028
8. Bighorn District, Troop 314, Henry S. $6,028
9. Golden Plains District, Troop 13, Brennan T. $5,775
10. Wapati District, Pack 673, Noah C. $5,753

Reminder: Membership Disclosures

A friendly reminder that every adult leader must turn in one of
A new, signed Additional Disclosures & Background Check Authorization form must be collected before any adult's annual registration is processed in 2020. Councils will collect and retain the signature page of the authorization form in accordance with the BSA's retention schedule.

Click here for the Background Disclosures
Click here for the Authorization Form

Save the date or schedule your gift today!
Colorado Gives Day is Tuesday, December 10.

Colorado Gives Day is an annual statewide movement to celebrate and increase philanthropy in Colorado through online giving. Use these hashtags on social media:
#givewhereyoulive #coloradogives #cogivesday2019

ColoradoGives.org/BoyScouts

Nominations for the Silver Beaver Award

Due Friday, December 20 at 5:00 p.m.
The Silver Beaver Award was introduced in 1931 and is a council-level distinguished service award of the Boy Scouts of America. Recipients of this award are registered Scouters who have made an impact on the lives of youth through service given to the council.

Click here for nomination form.

Save the Date: Council Annual Banquet is Saturday, February 15 from 11:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. at the Greeley Hilton Doubletree. Come recognize some outstanding volunteers and celebrate the council's 96th Anniversary.

Shooting Sports Weekends

February 22, 2020
March 28, 2020
April 25, 2020

The Longs Peak Council Shooting Sports Committee is hosting shooting days for all registered Scouts BSA and Venturers in Longs Peak Council. Bring your troop and/or crew and spend the day shooting rifle and shotgun.
Click here for more information

Trainer's EDGE

Saturday, February 29, 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. or Saturday, March 21, 8:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

The Trainer’s EDGE, is intended for both youth and adult trainers, and is required training for Wood Badge and NYLT staffs. District and council training staff, Roundtable commissioners, and anyone who wants to improve their presentation skills are welcome to attend.
Top Shot Competition Weekend

Friday, May 1 through Sunday, May 3, 2020

Top Shot is a council wide shooting sports weekend. We will have team and individual champions in each discipline. Youth will form teams of 4 scouts. If you can’t form a team, we’ll be glad to team you up with one. Not a great shot? That’s okay! This is for fun and there will be certified instructors to help you along the way.

Scouts BSA may participate in shotgun, .22 Rifle and Cowboy Action Shooting (if completed 8th grade or 14 years of age).

Venturers and Explorers may participate in shotgun, .22 rifle, Cowboy Action Shooting, and .22 pistol. You cannot register for a team without first registering for individual events.

To register or for more information click here.

National Youth Leadership Training 2020

June 7-13
Camp Jack Nicol, Ben Delatour Scout Ranch, Red Feather Lakes, CO
Cost: $250*
*(50 non-refundable deposit due with application)
Click here for more information

Woodbadge 2020

July 31 - August 2 & August 8-9, 2020
Ben Delatour Scout Ranch, Red Feather Lakes, CO
Participants must be fully trained in their scouting position. For more information on adult training, visit: https://www.scouting.org/training/adult/

Click here for more information

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