April's Eagle Scout of the Month is Skyler R. from Troop 191 in Fort Collins. Skyler joined Cub Scouts as a Tiger Cub. While in Cub Scouts, Skyler enjoyed the Pinewood Derby Event. Once he joined Troop 191, Skyler's first overnight backpacking trip was a winter snowshoeing trip to Zimmerman Lake, camping in 5 feet of snow, at 10,000 feet elevation in February. “This experience challenged me and now is one of my favorite troop trips,” says Skyler.

Skyler's Eagle Scout project benefited Boyd Lake State Park in Loveland. His project consisted of anchoring three new benches at the swim beach and replacing one of the benches along the bike path. “Scouting has taught me leadership, outdoor skills and to giving back to our community,” says Skyler.

Skyler is a sophomore at Fort Collins High School. He has recently applied for a 3-year CNC Machinist Apprenticeship at Woodward and he plans to pursue a career in Mechanical Engineering. Congratulations Skyler!

Virtual Campout
Saturday, April 25 at 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Click here to sign-up

The Longs Peak Council would like to invite all Scouts and families to join us for our virtual campout. Set up camp in your backyard or in your living room and join us for an evening under the stars! Don’t have a tent? Build your best fort in your living room.

Parents or Scout leaders: Tag us on Facebook or Instagram @LongsPeakCouncilBSA and post about
Submit and Share your videos or pictures extended for turn-in to Saturday, April 18 by 5:00 p.m. Send to james.williamson@scouting.org. Get together with your family and share your flags, songs, skits, musical talent, safe community service photos from COVID-19 and more. It is encouraged for Scouts and leaders to wear your Scouting field uniform or activity uniform. Please introduce yourself with first names and what pack, troop or crew and what city. All footage will be compiled and reviewed.

Join us LIVE on You Tube on our Longs Peak Council, Boy Scouts of America channel on Saturday, April 25 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. at this link: https://youtu.be/JDwhSOjP2Do

Merit Badge Classes On-line

We are currently offering over 15 merit badges, there are a few openings left. Please keep checking back as we will be continuing on-line classes through May.

Click here for more information on Classes Offered and Dates

April is Youth Protection Month

Our number one priority is to keep our youth safe. Youth Protection is a year-round topic. Remember to spread the word, aim to gain more awareness of how to protect youth from abuse, and acknowledge all of your efforts to keep our programs safe for youth and leaders. Take some time this month to discover and review these updates, revisions, and opportunities.

Check if your training is up-to-date at my.scouting.org.

We all have a critical role in keeping youth safe. Remember…youth protection begins with YOU.

Scouting and Community Service

Please share your photos and stories with us! There is a lot of great ideas and Scouts in action in our communities.

Please send to kelly.moll@scouting.org

For community service ideas that are safe click here to our website.

Please record your service hours here.

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