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GENERAL INFORMATION:

Cubmaster Visits! Contact [Shaina](#) today to schedule your cubmaster visit. We will be talking about Fall recruitment!

New Popcorn Commission Structure:

All units start at 23%!

- Attend Program Planning in April: +2%
- Attend Popcorn/Membership Kick off In August with 2 people and turn in budget and calendar: +3%
- Increase popcorn sales by at least \$1 from 2017: +2%

You can get a total of 30% popcorn commission!

Does your unit plan to sell popcorn this Fall?! Popcorn commitments are needed! Please send who your popcorn kernel is and their contact information to [Sandy!](#)

ROUNDTABLE SCHEDULE! Plan now to attend Roundtable EACH MONTH, 7 pm, on the 2nd Thursday of the month. Roundtable is a meeting that is open to all Scouting volunteers and parents! The next roundtable is a potluck at the park!

Month	Cub Scout Topic	Boy Scout Topic
June	Potluck at the park!	Potluck at the park!

For the Potluck on June 14th, if you plan to attend, please bring a dish to share!!

Just a friendly reminder that the August membership/Training Roundtable on August 9th should have two representatives from your unit as well as a one-page calendar and budget to turn in.

Who is your Unit Commissioner? Click [here](#) to see who is assigned to your unit! Remember, the commissioner is your first contact with questions. They are the liaison between our units and the district staff. Make sure to contact them today!



Lewis & Clark Scout Camp needs more staff! Click [here](#) for the listing. Know anyone who might be interested in a position? Have them contact Elizabeth Beall at Elizabeth.e.beall@gmail.com for more information on schedule and compensation.

Sioux Falls Day Camp and Newton Hills Akela Camp Volunteers Needed!

We are in need of volunteers to help out at the Sioux Falls Day camp on June 16th and the Newton Hills Akela Camp on June 22-24th. If you are available to help, please contact [Char](#) today!

Commissioners Needed! We are looking for some more individuals who are enthusiastic scouters to join our commissioner team to be an asset to other units. Interested? Please contact [Char](#) or [Dennis Medd](#) today!

Council Office will be closed: Monday, May 28th for Memorial Day (Scout Shop closed too) and Wednesday, July 4th for Independence Day.

Safety Village is hosting two Children's Camps this June for youth! The Children's Safety Camp is June 5th from 9am-12 pm as well as June 7th from 10 am-12 pm and is open for kids 7-11 years of age. The Heroes Camp is June 12 from 8 am-June 13 at 3 pm as well as June 26 at 8 am to June 27 at 3 pm and is open for ages 12-13 years. Go to www.safetyvillage.org for more details.

CUB SCOUTS:

Passport to Adventure! Cub Scout Day Camp registration is open! \$30 for the World Tour if paid by May 1st. If paid after May 1st, the fee goes up to \$40. T-shirts are sold separately. Go to our website to register or click [here](#).

Explore the Flight Lab at 2018 Akela Camp! Akela Camp registration is now open! Price is \$45 if registered by May 1st. If you register after May 1st, registration goes up to \$55. The registration cost includes meals, supplies, and camping! Adult fees and Saturday only options are less. T-shirts are extra. Go to our website to register or click [here](#).

Disability Awareness Challenge Day is coming up on August 4th. Plan for your Pack to attend! This event will be at Frank L. Boyce Miracle Field at Terrace Park. Registration will be coming in a month or so at www.sioux council.org!

BOY SCOUTS:

Philmont Trek! There are still spots open! The 2019 Philmont trek is from July 1, 2019 to July 13, 2019. The three treks will depart on or around June 30, 2019. The fees are \$1950 for the trip which includes transportation, shirt, food, Philmont fees and the BSA insurance. To sign up go to www.sioux council.org/philmont.

SCOUT SHOP NEWS:

- Need your patches sewn on? Stop in to the Scout Shop or call us we will take care of it for you. The cost is \$2.50 per patch and \$10 for hemming pants.
- We are hiring! Part-time Sales Associate position available. Contact Marie at the Scout Shop if interested.

[Contact Marie at the Scout Shop for more information.](#)

District/Council Calendar

District Committee/Commissioner,
June 7th

Luverne Day Camp, June 9th

Roundtable/OA, June 14th

Sioux Falls Day Camp, June 16th

Newton Hills Akela Camp, June 22-24th

District Committee/Commissioner,
Aug 2nd

Disability Awareness Challenge Day, Aug 4th

Popcorn/Membership Roundtable,
Aug 9th

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