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# Pinewood Derby Holiday Special

By participating in the Pinewood Derby Holiday Special, your Pack can experience substantial savings – over \$50 per case!

The following sale conditions apply, read carefully:

- The special discount price for cars this year is **\$3.50 each**.
- An additional **\$5 discount** will be given for each full case of cars (48 cars per case).
- This discount will only be given on full, unbroken cases.
- There will be **no minimum** order required to receive the discounted price.
- To receive the special discount price, you **MUST PRE-ORDER YOUR CARS AND PICK THEM UP** on **November 22<sup>nd</sup> through November 24<sup>th</sup>**.
- To reserve your cars please fill out the online form. **YOU MUST REGISTER AND PAY ONLINE FOR THE DISCOUNT.**
- Any questions can be directed to Erin Escobar at 401-821-7005 or Patrick Afonso at 508-675-1528.
- Thank you and see you at the races!!





# Scout Shop Giving Tree



- **When you visit the Scout Shop this holiday season be sure to check out the Holiday Giving Tree! You can help Scouts in your community who may be in need of uniforms or uniform parts.**
- **Unit leaders can help identify those Scouts in need right now!**





**November 15-17<sup>th</sup> FREE Shipping Weekend for Online Orders**

**November 23<sup>rd</sup> Take-Order Distribution**

**December 13<sup>th</sup> All Popcorn Payments Due**

[www.NCBSA.org/POPCORN](http://www.NCBSA.org/POPCORN)

There is still a chance for your Scouts to earn more by selling online! Online orders earn Scouts 50% commission and ship directly to the customer.





# Popcorn Top Sellers Recognition Day at Dave & Busters

Sunday December 8, 2019



Any Scout who sells \$750.00 or more in popcorn is invited to be recognized as a *TOP SELLER*, a chance to spin the wheel for a bonus prize and enjoy the day with fellow Scouters with a *FREE PLAY CARD* as well as a breakfast buffet.





# P-Bruins Scout Popcorn Recognition Day



*Sunday, December 15, 2019  
Dunkin Donuts Center  
Providence, RI*

- **The TOP 10 SELLERS** of popcorn in the Narragansett Council are **FREE!** (Along with 1 free parent)
- All other Scouts, friends and family can purchase tickets at the special rate of \$18.00
- Each Scout will receive a patch and sports water bottle with the purchase of a ticket.

Register online

[www.providencebruins.com/popcorn](http://www.providencebruins.com/popcorn)





# Museum of Science Overnighters



Museum of Science

Discover Science in an entertaining,  
educational and interactive way  
through hands on science activities.

This event is for Cub Scouts their Parent/Adult chaperones  
and Scout aged sibling ( with a guardian).

The extraordinary, exploratory overnight adventure will keep you from going from dusk 'til dawn! The program includes an opening welcome, and instructor-led workshop, instructor-led hands-on science activities, and presentations in the Mugar Omni Theater and the Charles Hayden Planetarium. You will receive an exact schedule of events when you arrive. Adults are encouraged to participate in all overnight activities!

- Theater of Electricity Lightning show!
  - Science demonstrations
    - Omni film
  - Sleep under the dinosaurs
    - Planetarium Show!

Space is limited so check the BSA calendar and REGISTER TODAY!







# P-Bruins Scout Nights

A night out for the whole family! Join us for Scout Night at The Dunk and watch the Providence Bruins

**CASH BACK TO COUNCIL GAMES**

**SPECIAL OFFER**  
2019-20 PROVIDENCE BRUINS



**THIS OFFER IS GOOD DURING:**

- Sat. September 28th 7:00pm vs Springfield
- Sat. October 12th 7:00pm vs Rochester
- Sun. October 13th 2:00pm vs Springfield
- Sat. October 26th 7:00pm vs Laval
- Sun. October 27th 3:00pm vs Colwell Ice

**\$22 PER PERSON** LIMITED TIME SPECIAL OFFER

ORDER ONLINE AT [PROVIDENCEBRUINS.COM/DOCTSCOUT](http://PROVIDENCEBRUINS.COM/DOCTSCOUT)

**P-Bruins Rep: Andrew Clark**  
(401) 680-4725 or [Clark@pseagency.com](mailto:Clark@pseagency.com)

Check out the Narragansett Website for Game dates and for more information to register.

[www.ncbsa.org](http://www.ncbsa.org)

Scout Night at the Dunk includes this special offer - All the kids in your group receive a *POPCORN, A FOUNTAIN DRINK and a P-BRUINS Sports Bottle!* Plus, all Scouts receive a *2019-2020 P-Bruins Scout Patch.*

For every ticket sold \$1 will be donated back to your Scout's Council!





## NOAC 2020!

NOAC 2020 – National Order of the Arrow Conference

August 3<sup>rd</sup> - August 8<sup>th</sup> 2020 at Michigan State University

In 2020 the Order of the Arrow will celebrate the National Order of the Arrow Conference ( NOAC). NOAC is an awesome event **attended by Arrowmen** from all over the country. During NOAC attendees will have the opportunity to attend a wide range of training, outdoor adventure & activities, nightly shows, patch trading an much more.

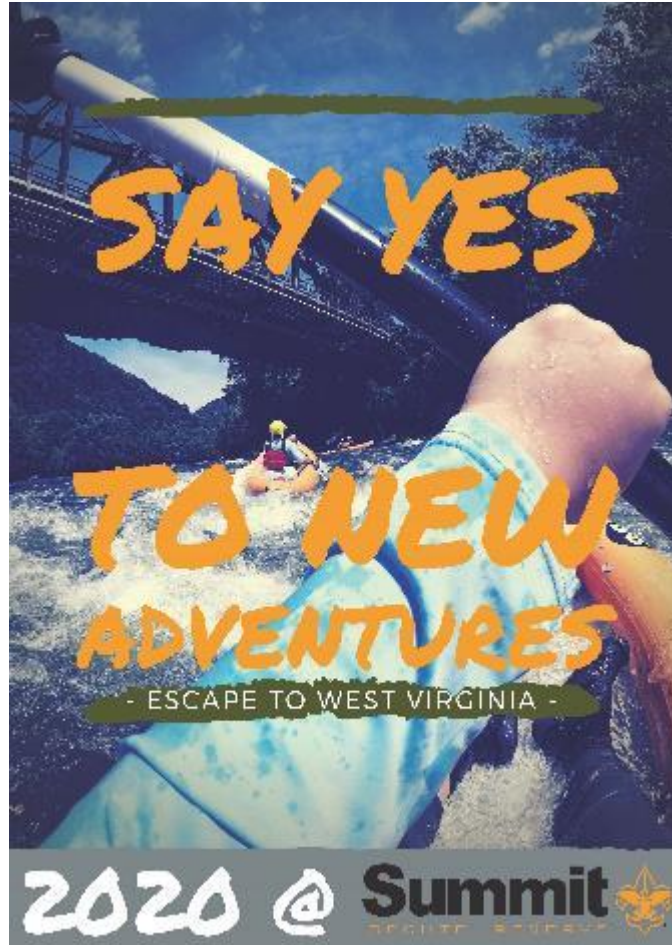
Estimated cost for NOAC 2020 is \$1,600. This includes the NOAC conference fee, food, lodging and round trip transportation to NOAC.





# Summit 2020 Leaders

## 7/19 – 7/25/2020



The Narragansett Council is looking for adult volunteers to lead a contingent of Scouts to the Summit in 2020. Our Council contingent will be participating in the

### SUMMIT EXPERIENCE.

This program includes: a half day in every onsite high adventure program area at the Summit Bechtel Reserve. Shooting, Archery, BMX, Skateboarding, Canopy Tours, Rock Climbing, High Ropes Course, Mountain Biking, service project and Lake activities. A 1/2 rafting trip can be substituted for our lake activities at an additional cost.

[SummitBSA.org/2020](http://SummitBSA.org/2020)





# Scouting for Food

Scouting for Food is the Narragansett Council's single largest service project!

Thanks to your efforts, the Scouting for Food event provided more than 190,000lbs of food to local food banks!

Thank you, Scouters!





**REPORT  SERVICE HOURS**

## Recognition is a core part of Scouting.

Don't forget to log your unit's service hours online and make sure that individual Scouts are recognized for their efforts!

By reporting your unit's service hours it allow us to better report to your communities about the great service and dedication Scouts show throughout the region.





# Holiday Family Fun Day at Camp Yawgoog December 7, 2019



Come join us for a great outdoor family event. This is also an opportunity to introduce new families to Scouting. Cubs, parents and siblings ATTEND FOR FREE! We will also have registration tables to have your new Scout sign up on the day of the event.



A chance for Scouts and families to enjoy Camp Yawgoog in all of its holiday glory! Participants can arrive anytime and enjoy activities such as hayrides, field games, a visit and pictures with Santa Claus. Lunch and candy canes are included and don't forget to stop by the Camp Trading Post for some special Family Fun Day discounts.





## 2020 Narragansett Council 16<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the *Merit Badge College* January 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020 ~ Rhode Island College



The Merit Badge College is an opportunity to learn from subject matter experts in career or lifelong hobby subjects. We seek out experts in areas that may be difficult for you to find such as Electronics or Archeology.

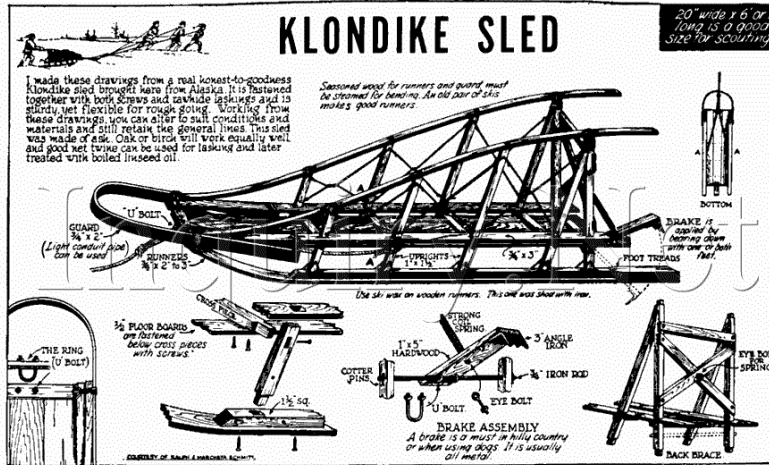
Space is limited so reserve your spot today!

Visit [www.ncbsa.org/mbc](http://www.ncbsa.org/mbc)





# 2020 Klondike Derby



The Klondike Derby is an annual winter event based on the Heritage and history of the Alaskan Gold Rush.

The event is designed for patrols to go from station to station with a traditional Klondike sled to test their skills And Leadership ability in the outdoor winter environment.

Check the Council calendar for upcoming dates for the Klondike Derby!

[www.ncbsa.org/klondike](http://www.ncbsa.org/klondike)







# Punkin' Chunkin'

## Cranboree

Friday November 15<sup>th</sup> – Sunday November 17<sup>th</sup>



Punkin' Chunkin' is all around fun for Scouts BSA that includes a catapult contest with pumpkin lunches, movies night, campfire gameshow and a Dutch oven cranberry bakeoff!

Punkin' Chuckin' is an excellent way to enjoy the fall season in New England with the fun and adventure of Scouting! Enjoy the science of Catapult building to baking delicious desserts using your Scouting skills!





# Introducing Adventure Base Camp

Located at Camp Champlin, Adventure Base Camp is a program designed to strengthen units and engage the public in Scouting.

We offer opportunities for everyone, Scouts and non-Scouts alike. Our open program includes, archery, BB, nature hikes, crafts, fire building, a physical fitness course and more. In addition to our open program, each session of Adventure Base Camp will include a focused event.

Upcoming focused events this fall include: *Basics of Car Care, Surviving the Wild, Veterans Day Tribute, STEMsgiving, Full Moon Hike and more!* Scouts can attend with their families, pack, troop, den or patrol. Adventure Base Camp is a chance for Scouts to work toward advancement while embarking on new adventures!

For more information or to register visit  
[www.adventurebasecamp.org](http://www.adventurebasecamp.org)



# Annual Volunteer Recognition Dinner

## January 30, 2020



The Annual Narragansett Council Dinner is to recognize all recipients of the Silver Beaver, North Star and Captain George Bucklin awards and give recognition to all districts for their Journey to Excellence achievements.

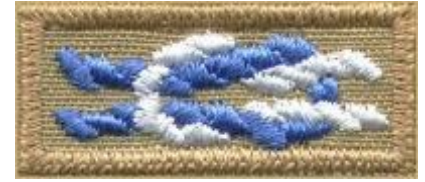
This event is for all Council level volunteers and their guests who wish to join in recognizing the many outstanding and dedicated leaders in the Narragansett Council.

Please join us for a night of recognition at the Venus de Milo!  
**REGISTER** online today!





# Silver Beaver Awards



- The Silver Beaver Award is to recognize registered Scouters of exceptional character who have provided distinguished service within the Council
- Anyone may nominate a deserving, registered Scouter to the council
- Nomination forms are due to council by **November 30th**





# Super STEM Saturday

December 14, 2019

Super STEM Saturday is for Cub Scouts, siblings and parents!

Join us for an exciting afternoon of fun, learning and STEM based activities!

3 Super STEM tracks to choose from:

***Wicked Water***

***Lively Land***

***Awesome Air***





# Recharter is Here!

The rechartering process is your unit's opportunity to clean up its roster, renew membership, and ensure insurance coverage.

The Recharter Access code email was sent to each unit's Key-3: the Unit Leader, the Charter Representative, and the Committee Chair.

Completed charters can be turned in at the November Roundtable.

More information about rechartering can be found through our website at [ncbsa.org/Recharter](https://ncbsa.org/Recharter)

If you have any questions please contact your Unit Commissioner or Unit Service Coordinator.





# Did you turn in your Recharter Packet tonight?

Rechartering is necessary to renew a unit and its membership for the coming year. If you have not turned in your charter yet, completed charters are due by

**December 14<sup>th</sup>!**

Council Administrative Office 10 Risho Avenue East Providence, RI 02914	
West Bay Scout Shop 1276 Bald Hill Road Warwick, RI 02886	East Bay Scout Shop 79 Swansea Mall Drive Swansea, MA 02777
Panera Bread 180 Smithfield Crossing Smithfield, RI 02917	Panera Bread 300 US-44 Raynham, MA 02767
Panera Bread 160 Old Tower Hill Road Wakefield, RI 02879	Dunkin Donuts 1510 Brayton Ave Fall River, MA 02723

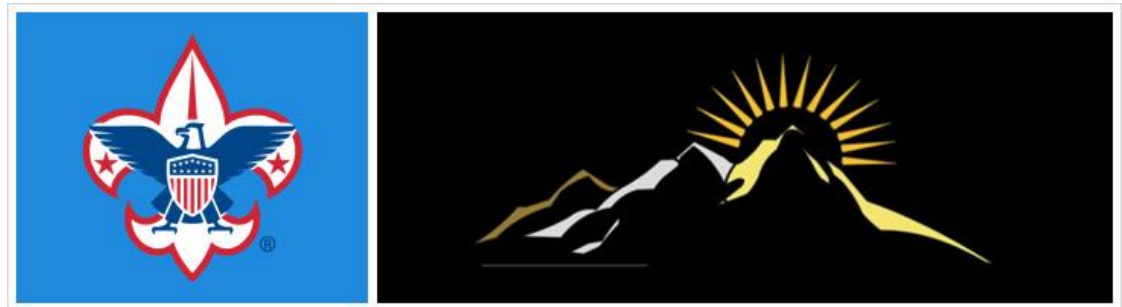
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# Journey to Excellence

- Journey to Excellence is an annual self-graded metric for units to identify strengths and weaknesses
- It is meant to encourage excellence in providing a quality program at all levels of the BSA
- Please turn JTE forms in with your recharter packet







## Yawgoog Forestry Corps. Work Day 2019



A chance for **members of Scouts BSA** to earn service hours and contribute to camp improvement while working on a service project at the Yawgoog Scout Reservation.

Please join us on **November 16<sup>th</sup>** for a service project to help re-open back country and wilderness camping sites for winter use. The effects of heavy storms, drought, and insect infestations have had a significant negative impact in the greater wildland forest of Yawgoog Scout Reservation.

**SATURDAY NOVEMBER 16<sup>TH</sup> AT YAWGOOG SCOUT RESERVATION**



# 2020 Thrive Drive Kickoff

December 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2019

6-9 PM

Clarion Inn—Seekonk

Your unit's committee chair or designee is invited to attend as our guest. Every Pack, Troop, Venture Crew and Sea Scout Ship in the Council will want to be present for this great event.



Working together, we will make Scouting THRIVE in every unit in the Narragansett Council! The Thrive Drive Kickoff will teach you how to boost your membership and retention, amp up your outdoor program, provide guidance on multi-year planning and launch our Friends of Scouting campaign to help you build a thriving Scouting program!

**Meet Council leadership: Council President Lloyd Albert, Council Commissioner Bob DeFelice, Scout Executive Tim McCandless. They want YOUR feedback on how we can assist your unit in 2020.**

**Dinner Included! Seating is limited. Reservations are required.**





Join us at Bishop Hendrickson High School on December 14<sup>th</sup> from 12:30-4 and enjoy a fun day exploring one of our 3 STEM tracks!

- **Wicked Water,**
- **Lively Land, or**
- **Awesome Air!**

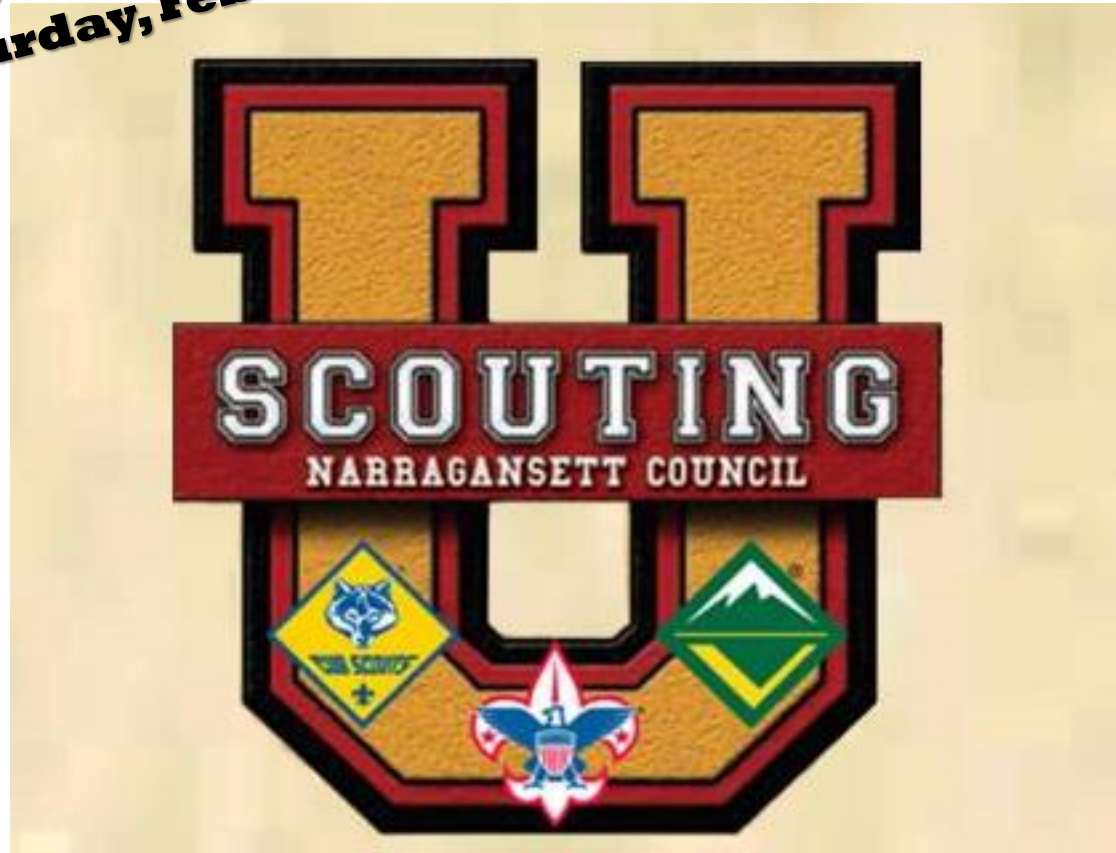
Find out more at [NCBSA.org/STEM](https://www.ncbsa.org/STEM)





# University of Scouting

**Save the Date:  
Saturday, February 22, 2020**





# Scouting for All Abilities

Narragansett Council's Scouting for All Abilities Committee aspires to offer the nation's foremost Scouting program for all individuals by:

- Raising the awareness of our Scouting Units for the need for inclusiveness of all youths with varying abilities
- Setting the stage for success by providing support and resources to unit leaders, parents, and units to deliver a quality Scouting experience for all Scouts
- Offering the latest resources and connections for Scout Leaders to have the opportunity to be continuously educated and trained

Our goal is to provide **all** individuals with opportunities to participate in a positive, all-inclusive program offered by the Boy Scouts of America to the best of their abilities.

[www.ncbsa.org/sfaa](http://www.ncbsa.org/sfaa)



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# Upcoming Events and Trainings

- 11/15-11/17 Punkin Chunkin Camporee at Norse
- 11/16 Yawgoog Forestry Corps. Workday
- 11/16 Escape: Base Camp
- 11/21 Scoutmaster specific training
- 11/23 Popcorn Take Order Distribution Day
- 12/3 Thrive Drive
- 12/7 Amazing Base Camp Race
- 12/7 Holiday Family Fun Day at Yawgoog
- 12/7 Den Chief Training at Champlin
- 12/14 Last-Chance Charter Turn-in Day
- 12/14 Super STEM Saturday
- 1/4 Merit Badge College





# Let's be friends!

## #wickedawesomescouts



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[Instagram.com/ncbsa](https://www.instagram.com/ncbsa)



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