

Advertised Longhorn Council Training Events

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This is a listing of training courses offered by various districts in Longhorn Council that have been advertised on the LHC website or identified by Districts as being offered or planned. Refer to <http://www.longhorncouncil.org/activity-event-calendars/training-calendar/> for most up to date information and additional activity-based training (e.g. Archery, NRO, Climbing, WFA, etc).

Note: Other training courses may be available at local districts that are not published to the LHC calendar.

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YPT In-Person Class

BSA Adult Requirement: [take YPT2](#)

All BSA registered adults are required to take the new **YPT2** Youth Protection Training by October 1, 2018. [Click here to login and take Youth Protection training](#) online at my.scouting.org. You do not have to be a registered member of the Boy Scouts of America to take Youth Protection training.
State of Texas Requirements

The new *BSA YPT2 online course* is now approved by the state for certifying adults at summer camps and day camps in the state of Texas. The State of Texas requires all adults (18+) attending day camps, resident camps, and summer camps to take a YPT course that is approved by the state Department of State Health Services. YPT cards from Texas-approved YPT Courses are good for 2 years for attending Texas Youth Camps.

Which courses are approved by the state for adults at youth camps? *(Note that the state requirement applies only to adults attending summer camps and day camps in the state of Texas and does NOT apply to unit weekend camping.)*

- **YPT2 Online course.**
- **YPT2 Classroom course.** *(Available selectively through the council Training Committee)*
- **2011-2017 Classroom course.** *(The previous course.)*
 - *Certification cards received for passing the old state approved 2011-2017 BSA YPT classroom course are still good for two years from the date of the class for purposes of the state-mandated course only. The BSA still requires the new course.*
 - *That course material is older, but still meets the requirements of state law, which didn't change.*

Click here to find [classroom YPT classes](#).

The state-approved YPT Course requirement applies ONLY to adults (18+) attending or staffing the following:

- [Cub Scout Day Camp](#)
- [Cub Scout Resident Camp](#)
- **Summer Camps** and week-long camps in Texas, including [Camp Tahuaya](#), [Worth Ranch](#), and [Sid Richardson Scout Ranch](#) (SR2)
- In-state **High Adventure** camps, like our Texas High Adventure Base: [Chisholm Trail Adventure](#), [Wakeboarding](#), [Brazos River Canoe Trip](#)

About the NEW BSA Online YPT2 Course

You do not have to be a registered member or have a member ID to take Youth Protection training. To take Youth Protection training go to my.scouting.org and create an account. *(If you do not have a My.Scouting account, you can create one.)*

The course takes 1 to 1.5 hours to complete. Anyone is welcome to take the course. If you are a registered member of the Boy Scouts of America, be sure to have your BSA Person ID number ready at your fingertips before you start the course. Anyone who completes the course and the test will have an opportunity to print a “YPT card.”

Date From:	Location	Time	
April 4, 2019	Church of Jesus Christ of LDS	6:30 pm-8:30 pm	<u>Register</u>
May 2, 2019	Church of Jesus Christ of LDS	6:30 pm-8:30 pm	<u>Register</u>
June 1, 2019	Joy Fellowship Church	10:00 am-12:00 pm	<u>Register</u>
June 6, 2019	Church of Jesus Christ of LDS	6:30 pm-8:30 pm	<u>Register</u>
November 2, 2019	Joy Fellowship Church, 1901 Industrial Blvd., Colleyville, TX 76034. Suite 100 (First Floor)	10:00 am-12:00 pm	<u>Register</u>
December 3, 2019	Joy Fellowship Church	7:00 pm-9:00 pm	<u>Register</u>

New Member Coordinator

New Member Coordinator training is most easily accessed online at <https://my.scouting.org> then “My Dashboard” then “Training Center” then “Position Specific Training.”

Scouts BSA Training

Scoutmaster Position-Specific Training

<http://www.longhorncouncil.org/event/scoutmaster-basic-training/>

This training shows **Scoutmasters** and **Assistant Scoutmasters** how the Scouts BSA program operates, provides troop leadership with the information and tools they need to lead successful Scouts BSA troops. Scoutmasters and assistants who complete this training, along with Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills (IOLS) and Youth Protection training are considered “trained.”

Publish Date: March 2, 2019

Date From:	Location	Time	
March 2, 2019	Lamb of God Lutheran Church, 1401 Cross Timbers Rd, Flower Mound in Classroom F	8:30 am-12:30 pm	Register
March 2, 2019	SAM Building, 5001 Arborlawn Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76109	8:30 am-11:30 am	Register
March 9, 2019	Joy Fellowship Church 1901 Industrial Blvd Suite 100, Colleyville, Tx 76034	9:00 am-1:00 pm	Register
September 7, 2019	Joy Fellowship Church, 1901 Industrial Blvd., Colleyville, TX 76034. Suite 100 (First Floor)	9:00 am-1:00 pm	Register
October 19, 2019	Joy Fellowship Church, 1901 Industrial Blvd., Colleyville, TX 76034. Suite 100 (First Floor)	9:00 am-1:00 pm	Register

IOLS – Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills (February 15, 2019)

<http://www.longhorncouncil.org/event/iols/>

Working as patrols, this hands-on course provides adult leaders the practical outdoor skills they need to lead Scouts in the out-of-doors. Outdoor skills taught include knife and ax handling, cooking, pioneering, patrol method and more. Upon completion, leaders should feel comfortable teaching Scouts the basic skills required to obtain the First Class rank. Scoutmasters and assistants who complete this training, along with Scoutmaster Specific Training and Youth Protection training are considered “trained.” Varsity Coaches and assistants who complete this training, along with Varsity Coach Basic Training and Youth Protection training are considered “trained.”

Publish Date: Feb 15, 2019

Date From:	Date To:	Location	Time	
February 15, 2019	February 16, 2019	Camp Burnett	5:00 pm-5:00 pm	<u>Register</u>
March 16, 2019	March 17, 2019	Twisted Cedar Ranch, 517 Thornton Lane, Palo Pinto, TX	8:30 am-11:00 am	<u>Register</u>
March 22, 2019	March 23, 2019	Briarwood Camp, 670 Copper Canyon Rd, Argyle, TX 76226	5:30 pm-7:00 pm	<u>Register</u>
March 30, 2019	March 31, 2019	Camp Wisdom	8:00 am-2:00 pm	<u>Register</u>
September 20, 2019	September 21, 2019	Camp Burnett	5:00 pm-5:00 pm	<u>Register</u>

Troop Committee Challenge

<http://www.longhorncouncil.org/event/troop-committee-challenge/>

This training helps troop committee members better understand their roles and responsibilities and to give better support to the troop, Scouts and Scoutmasters. Troop Committee Training is available at <https://my.scouting.org> under “My Dashboard” and then “Training Center.” Troop Committee members who complete this training along with Youth Protection training are considered “trained.”

Publish Date: Feb 23, 2019

Date From:	Location	Time	
February 23, 2019	Whites Chapel UMC, 185 S Whites Chapel Blvd, Southlake, TX	8:00 am-12:30 pm	Register
March 2, 2019	SAM Building, 5001 Arborlawn Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76109	8:30 am-11:30 am	Register
March 2, 2019	Lamb of God Lutheran Church, 1401 Cross Timbers Rd, Flower Mound in Classroom D	1:00 pm-4:00 pm	Register
March 2, 2019	Troop 120 Scout Hut, 114 West Trammell Avenue, Everman, TX 76140	8:30 am-1:30 pm	Register

The Essentials of Merit Badge Counseling

<https://www.longhorncouncil.org/event/merit-badge-counselor-training-2/>

This presentation covers the required procedures for merit badge counseling, clarifies the role of counselors in the BSA advancement program, and discusses the appropriate approaches to use in working with Scouts.

It is intended as an instructor-led presentation to counselors of any experience level and takes 60 to 90 minutes to complete.

The merit badge counselor is a key player in the Scouts BSA advancement program. Whatever your area of expertise or interest—whether it is a special craft or hobby (basketry, leatherwork, coin collecting), a profession (veterinary medicine, aviation, engineering), or perhaps a life skill (cooking, personal management, communications)—as a merit badge counselor, you can play a vital role in stirring a young man’s curiosity about that particular topic. By serving as a merit badge counselor, you offer your time, knowledge, and other resources so that Scouts can explore a topic of interest.

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Date From:	Location	Time	
March 2, 2019	SAM Building, 5001 Arborlawn Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76109	1:00 pm-2:00 pm	<u>Register</u>
May 4, 2019	MBC Recruiting - Joy Fellowship Church, 1901 Industrial Blvd., Colleyville, TX 76034. Suite 100 (First Floor)	10:00 am-12:00 pm	<u>Register</u>
May 4, 2019	MBC Training - Joy Fellowship Church, 1901 Industrial Blvd., Colleyville, TX 76034. Suite 100 (First Floor)	1:00 pm-4:00 pm	<u>Register</u>

Den Chief

Scouts wishing to become den chiefs take this course as part of their training to become a den chief. The course identifies den chief responsibilities and tasks, and describes the den chief's relationship to the adult den leaders and how that relates to the den chief's activities with the den.

This is an "in-person" instructor-led course. The training is now also available online.

[Take Den Chief ONLINE Training here.](#)

Classroom training allows a more personal interaction and opportunities to ask questions.

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March 2, 2019	Lamb of God Lutheran Church, 1401 Cross Timbers Rd, Flower Mound in Classroom E	9:00 am-12:00 pm	Register
April 6, 2019	Joy Fellowship Church 1901 Industrial Blvd Suite 100, Colleyville, Tx 76034	9:00 am-12:00 pm	Register

NAT. YOUTH LEADER TRAINING – TWIN ARROWS

<https://www.longhorncouncil.org/event/national-youth-leadership-training-twin-arrows/>

NYLT-Twin Arrows Training is the premier youth leadership development course for the Boy Scouts of America within the Longhorn Council.

Twin Arrows brings together youth leaders from all over the council to learn and apply the skills they need to be effective leaders in their teams and units. This course draws upon the most current leadership models used by corporate America, academic circles, and successful outdoor leadership organizations throughout the country. This exciting and fast-paced training discusses team development and appropriate leadership strategies to enable teams and units to reach their highest performance level. Come experience the ultimate in youth leadership training.

Date From:	Date To:	Location	Time	
March 11, 2019	March 16, 2019	TA-213 at SR2	12:00 pm-4:00 pm	Register
July 15, 2019	July 20, 2019	TA-214 at SR2	12:00 pm-4:00 pm	Register
December 26, 2019	December 31, 2019	TA-215 at Camp Tahuaya	12:00 pm-4:00 pm	Register

Leave No Trace Trainer Course

<https://www.longhorncouncil.org/event/leave-no-trace-trainer-course/>

This 16-hour, overnight course trains interested Scouts (ages 14 and up) and Scouters to serve as Leave No Trace Trainers. Trainers are the backbone of Scouting's outdoor ethics program, providing instruction to individuals and units wishing to adopt cutting-edge outdoor ethics into their unit programs. Trainers are specially commissioned to teach the *BSA Leave No Trace 101 Course* and to qualify individuals for the BSA Leave No Trace Awareness Card. Each BSA Trainer course is taught by a recognized Leave No Trace Master Educator, so your Trainer standing is recognized nationally by BSA's partner agency, the Leave No Trace Center for Outdoor Ethics.

Participants will be expected to give a 10-minute assigned presentation during the course.

Participants will receive an e-mail with course details once registration confirmation is received.

Class enrollment is limited. Cancellations made within a week from the course start date are not eligible for a refund.

\$45 fee includes food, camp facilities and all training materials.

Date From:	Date To:	Location	Time	
April 27, 2019	April 28, 2019	Camp Finlayson, Fort Hood	9:00 am-1:00 pm	Register

Cub Scout Training

BALOO – Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation

<http://www.longhorncouncil.org/event/baloo/>

This 1.5-day course is designed as an introduction to the Cub Scout outdoor program for leaders interested in adding a camping component to their Pack activities. It is required for any Cub Scout den or pack outdoor event, including pack camping overnights and Webelos den overnights.

BALOO training is comprised of two components—an online component and a practical, hands-on component. The online component must be completed prior to the practical outdoor and classroom component. The online training contains introductory and basic information that will be built upon during the practical training.

To take the online component, go to My.Scouting.org.

One BALOO trained leader is required to be present on any Pack family camping overnight camping. With the exception of family camping at Council events, ALL Pack Family Camping requires one adult certified in BALOO. Camp Rangers cannot allow a Pack to camp without a BALOO certified leader onsite.

The new BALOO combines the previous BALOO and a course called Outdoor Leader Skills for Webelos Leaders, or OWL. The training code for the new, hybrid BALOO is C32.

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September 20, 2019	September 21, 2019	Camp Burnett	5:00 pm-5:00 pm	Register

Cubmaster Position-Specific Training

<http://www.longhorncouncil.org/event/cubmaster-training/>

An overview of the Cub Scout program and training on how to perform your job. Cubmasters are provided with information and tools needed to conduct successful den meetings and to successfully plan a successful pack program.

If your pack has more leaders who can use this training, your district training chair can help set up a course for you on demand.

This is an “in-person” instructor-led course. The training is also available online at my.scouting.org under “My Dashboard” then “Training Center” then “Cub Scouting.” *(If you do not have a my.Scouting account, you can create one.)* Classroom training allows a more personal interaction and opportunities to ask questions.

Cubmasters and assistants who complete this training, along with Youth Protection training, are considered “trained.”

Publication Date: Jan 31, 2019

Date From:	Location	Time	
January 31, 2019	Lamb of God Lutheran Church, 1401 Cross Timbers Rd, Flower Mound, TX - Classroom E	6:30 pm-9:30 pm	<u>Register</u>
March 2, 2019	SAM Building, 5001 Arborlawn Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76109	8:30 am-11:30 am	<u>Register</u>
March 9, 2019	Joy Fellowship Church 1901 Industrial Blvd Suite 100, Colleyville, Tx 76034	9:00 am-1:00 pm	<u>Register</u>
September 7, 2019	Joy Fellowship Church, 1901 Industrial Blvd., Colleyville, TX 76034. Suite 100 (First Floor)	9:00 am-1:00 pm	<u>Register</u>
October 19, 2019	Joy Fellowship Church, 1901 Industrial Blvd., Colleyville, TX 76034. Suite 100 (First Floor)	9:00 am-11:00 am	<u>Register</u>

Den Leader Position-Specific Training

<http://www.longhorncouncil.org/event/den-leader-basic-training/>

An overview of the Cub Scout program and training on how to perform your job. Cub Scout Den leaders and assistants get the information and tools needed to conduct successful den meetings.

If your pack has more leaders who can use this training, your district training chair can help set up a course for you on demand.

This training is also available online at my.scouting.org under “My Dashboard” then “Training Center” then “Cub Scouting.” (*If you do not have a my.Scouting account, you can create one.*) Classroom training allows a more personal interaction and opportunities to ask questions.

Cub Scout Den leaders and assistant leaders who complete this training, along with Youth Protection training, are considered “trained.”

Publication Date: March 2, 2019

Date From:	Location	Time	
March 2, 2019	SAM	12:00 pm-3:00 pm	Register
April 6, 2019	Joy Fellowship Church 1901 Industrial Blvd Suite 100, Colleyville, Tx 76034	9:00 am-12:00 pm	Register

Webelos Den Leader Position-Specific Training

<http://www.longhorncouncil.org/event/webelos-den-leader-training/>

Please see the [Den Leader Position-Specific Training](#) page for training which covers all den leaders—Tiger, Wolf, Bear, and Webelos.

Pack Committee Position-Specific Training

<http://www.longhorncouncil.org/event/pack-committee-training/>

This course provides guidance to Pack committee members on how to give the support needed by Cubmasters and Den Leaders and to successfully plan your Pack's program to deliver a high-quality Cub Scout experience.

Pack Committee members who complete this course and Youth Protection Training are considered "trained."

This is an "in-person" instructor-led course. The training is also available online at my.scouting.org under "My Dashboard" then "Training Center" then "Cub Scouting." (*If you do not have a my.Scouting account, you can create one.*) Classroom training allows a more personal interaction and opportunities to ask questions.

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March 2, 2019	SAM Building, 5001 Arborlawn Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76109	8:30 am-11:30 am	Register

Charter Organization Representative Training

<http://www.longhorncouncil.org/event/chartered-organization-representative-training/>

Chartered Organization Representative training provides information regarding the relationship between a Scouting unit, its chartered organization, and how the Chartered Organization Representative serves as the liaison between the two. The training is available online at <https://my.scouting.org> at “My Dashboard” then “Training Center” then “Position Specific Training.”

None published

Venture Training

Venturing Crew Advisor Position-Specific Training

<https://www.longhorncouncil.org/event/venturing-advisor-basic-training/>

This course provides Venturing Crew Advisors and Assistant Advisors with the basic information they need to help youth leaders manage a Crew. Topics covered include working with youth leadership and how to run an effective Crew.

Learn about:

- the nature of the Venturing program and its value to youth.
- the specifics of the Venturing program.
- the relationship between crew officers and Advisors.
- the challenges of working with youth and young adults.
- the Venturing recognition opportunities.
- the annual program planning process

Developed for Venturing Advisors, Associate Advisors, and Crew Committee Members, this training incorporates Venturing’s current adult leader training.

This is an “in-person” instructor-led course. The training is now also available online at <https://my.scouting.org/>. Classroom training allows a more personal interaction and opportunities to ask questions.

Crew Advisors who complete this course, Introduction to Outdoor Leader Specific Training (IOLS), and the Venturing Youth Protection training are considered “trained.”

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Venturing Crew Committee Challenge – Position-Specific Training

<https://www.longhorncouncil.org/event/crew-committee-challenge-training/>

This course provides guidance to committee members on how to give the support needed by Crew Advisors and youth Venturers to deliver a high-quality program experience.

Committee members who complete this course and Venturing Youth Protection Training are considered “trained.”

This is an “in-person” instructor-led course. The training is now also available online at <https://my.scouting.org/>. Classroom training allows a more personal interaction and opportunities to ask questions.

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October 26, 2019	Joy Fellowship Church, 1901 Industrial Blvd., Colleyville, TX 76034. Suite 100 (First Floor)	1:30 pm-3:30 pm	Register

Woodbadge

21st Century Wood Badge is the premier adult leadership development course for the Boy Scouts of America.

Check <http://www.longhorncouncil.org/training-2/wood-badge/> for training updates

Standard Course Fee: \$210, Lakeview Course Fee: \$275, Philmont Course Fee: \$550

[Wood Badge Staff Interest Form](#)

[2019 Wood Badge Banquet and Awards Nomination Forms](#)

2019 COURSES

Jeff Palmer – 2019 Spring Course Director

[S2-662-19-1 at Worth Ranch](#), Two Weekends.

3-day Weekend #1: Mar. 22-24, Fri. 7:30 a.m. to Sun. 5PM

2-day Weekend #2: Apr. 6-7, Sat. 7:30 a.m. to Sun. 5PM

John Hughes – 2019 Summer Course Director

[S2-662-19-2 at Lakeview Lodge](#), SR2

Five Day Course: Tue. 7:30 a.m. to Sat. 5PM, June 18-22

Wayne Morton – 2019 Fall Course Director

[S2-662-19-3 at Sid Richardson Camp 10](#), Two Weekends.

3-day Weekend #1: Oct. 4-6, Fri. 7:30 a.m. to Sun. 5PM

2-day Weekend #2: Oct. 26-27, Sat. 7:30a.m. to Sun. 5PM

[Register Online](#) [2018 PDF Form](#) [2019 PDF Form](#)

[Click here to EMAIL your Wood Badge questions](#)

Powder Horn

Scouting leaders often face the dilemma of having a strong desire to provide challenging and fun outdoor programs to meet the needs of their older youth, while lacking the knowledge and/or resources to do so. Powder Horn responds to this quandary by exposing Scouts BSA and Venturing leaders to a wide range of outdoor/high adventure activities. More importantly, Powder Horn provides participants with valuable resources and contacts to assist them in delivering the promise of Scouting's high adventure. Capitol Area and Longhorn Councils are proud to co-host this year's Powder Horn training course at Longhorn Council's beautiful Camp Tahuaya, located near Belton, Texas.

During Powder Horn, we "learn by doing" with expert consultants who demonstrate the skills and explain where resources, such as equipment, facilities, guides, instructors, and certifications can be obtained. You will sample the activities yourself so you will know how much fun your crew or troop will be able to have. We recruit an all-star staff of experienced Scouters and experts from all over Texas to guide you through the adventure!

Powder Horn isn't only for Venturing leaders, but also for Scoutmasters, Assistant Scoutmasters and older youth leaders!

Powder Horn is a resource course designed to introduce and expose Venturing and Scouts BSA adult and youth (over the age of 14) leaders to the activities and resources necessary to operate a successful outdoor/high adventure unit-level program.

<https://www.longhorncouncil.org/training-2/powder-horn/>

<http://www.powderhorn-bsa.org/dates.html#region>

Next course: September 6-8 & 20-22, 2019 at Camp Tahuaya. Register at <http://tiny.cc/cactxph>.