

Alamo Area Council March Roundtable

March 6, 2025 McGimsey Scout Park



Alamo Area Council Unit Health

Unit Metrics

Training

Cubmaster, Scoutmaster, Venturing Advisor, Skipper, Explorer Advisor, and the Committee Chair in each program are position trained.

Unit Size

- 20 or more Cubs in pack
- 12 or more Scouts in troop
- 7 or more Venturers in Crew, Sea Scouts in Ship, and Explorers in Post

Growth

- Positive Year over Year membership growth or
- Pack has 50+ Cubs;
- Troop has 30+ Scouts
- Crew has 15+ Venturers
- Ship has 15+ Sea Scouts
- Post has 30+ Explorers

Advancement/ Leadership

- At least 30% of Cubs/Scouts have rank advancements in prior 12 months
- At least 20% of Sea Scouts have rank advancement in prior 12 months
- Crew/Post is lead by youth officers elected to their office and trained.

Outdoor Activity

Pack/Troop/Crew/Ship/ Post participated in an outdoor or super activity requiring advanced planning and promotion by unit members in prior 12 months. Participation in a super activity by another group qualifies.



Unit Metrics - Training











73/80

101/112

13/14

2/2

Unit Metrics - Size











63/112

11/14

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Unit Metrics - Growth











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Unit Metrics - Growth



Unit Metrics - Advancement











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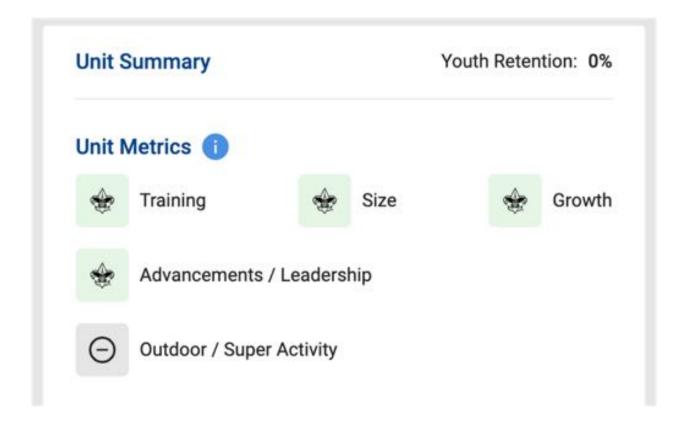
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Unit Metrics – Outdoor Activity

- 1,249 Scouts attended a long-term camp last year (summer camp, winter camp, high adventure, etc.)
- 575 Adults
- Every High Adventure Base (Philmont, Northern Tier, Sea Base, Summit)



Unit Metrics - My. Scouting



Unit Health

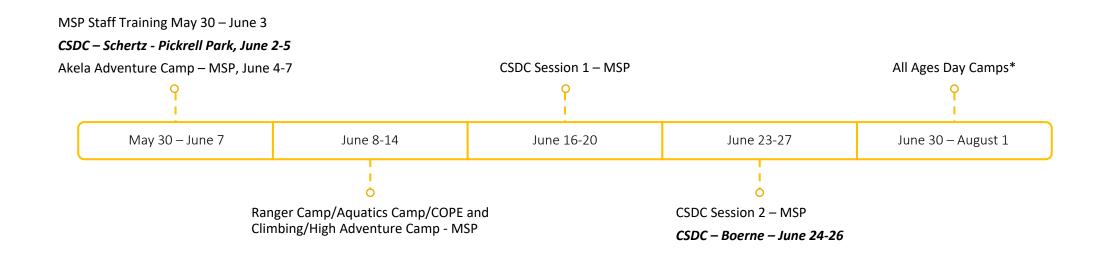


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Summer Camp Plan 2025





Akela Adventure Camp

JUNE 4-7, 2025

Target Audience – Webelos and Arrow of Light Dens.

Cost – 250 per scout, 120 per adult.

Ratio 1 to 3 with 2 deep leadership the minimum.

Program:

Webelos – Aquanaut, BB, Slingshot, Archery, YoYo, Aware and Care, Let's Camp Webelos, Catch the Big One, Chef's Knife, Team Building/COPE

Arrow of Lights – Archery, Slingshot, BB, Fishing, Swimming, Knife Safety, Estimations, Into the Woods, High Tech Outdoors, Team Building/COPE

Ranger Camp

June 8-14, 2025

Target Audience – newly crossed over Scouts BSA – now Arrow of Lights

Cost: \$375 per scout, \$175 per adult

Scheduled to complete:

Scout Rank – 1a-f, 2a-d, 3a-b, 4a-b, 5

Tenderfoot Rank – 1a-c, 2a-c, 3a-d, 4a-d, 5a-d, 6a, 7a-b, 8

Second Class Rank – 1a-c, 2a-g, 3a-d, 4, 5a-d, 6a-e, 8a-b, 9a-b

First Class Rank – 1b, 3a-d, 4a-b, 5a-d, (6a-e*), 7a-f, 9a-b

Merit Badges – First Aid, A handicrafts, Swimming (if can pass swimmers test).

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Other Resident Camp Opportunities

BSA Aquatics Camp

- Target Audience Troops, Crews and Ships
- Focus on the National Outdoor Awards for Aquatics
- Lifeguard Training
- Paddle Boarding Award
- Snorkeling Award
- Mile Swim
- Swimming Merit Badge
- Lifesaving Merit Badge
- Canoeing Merit Badge
- Rowing Merit Badge
- Kayaking Merit Badge

COPE/Climbing Camp

- Target Audience Troops
- 10-12 participants
- Climbing Merit Badge
- Low COPE –
 Communication, Team

 Building
- High COPE Personal challenges

High Adventure Preparation Camp

- Target Audience Troops, Crews and Ships
- Moving campsites each day.
- New activities each day (shooting, swimming, climbing, etc.)
- Trainings (CPR/WRFA)
- Team building



Theme: Outdoor Adventures¹⁸

Pickrell Park, Schertz*

- June 2-5
- 4 full days
- 8:30 to 3:30 pm
- Cost: \$140 EB/\$160 per scout
- POOL!
- Champions for Nature all ranks
- Aquatics for all ranks
- BB, Archery and Slingshot
- Daily Themes: Agile Adventurers, Organism Observers, Earth Explorers, Weather Watchers
- Take homes: Bird Feeder, Stepping Stone, Suncatchers, Bracelets, and more.

Agricultural Museum, Boerne*

- June 24-26
- 8:30-3:30 pm
- Cost: \$110 EB/\$120
- POOL!
- Champions for Nature Tiger –
 Webelos
- Into the Woods AOL
- Cubs Who Care/Aware and Care
- Swimming, BB and Archery for all ranks!
- Everyone will earn AT LEAST 4 electives!

*ratio of unit leadership is 1 adult for

McGimsey Scout Park

Basic Information:

- June 16-20 and 23-27
- 8:00 to 3:00 pm
- Cost: \$225 EB/\$250 per scout
- NEW! Register for both weeks for only \$400!
- Addons after camp swim lessons \$50 per week or after camp care \$60 per week
- No leadership required we provide staff
- Electives: Champions for Nature all ranks, Aquatics for all ranks, BB, Archery and Slingshot, Fishing for all ranks, plus more!

Daily Themes:

- Week 1: Waterfall Day, Falcon Flight Day, By the Sea Day, Dragonfly Day, Desert Island Day
- Take Homes: Stepping stone, sun catcher, etc.
- Week 2: Become an Explorer, Weather Watching, Water Navigation, Plant Animal Birds Survival, Search for Treasure Day.
- Take Homes: Bird Feeder, Keychain, Bracelet, Kite





All Age Day Camps

Dungeons and Dragons, Cards Games, 3D Printing, Robotics, Coding/Programming, Animation, Handicrafts, COPE/Climbing, Paul Bunyan/Pioneering, Range and Target Activities, Game Design, Graphic Arts, Lifeguard Certification

Camp Design

- 8:30 am to 5:00 pm
- Ages 7 to 17
- Cost: \$300 per Scout
- Class size is 4-10 participants
- Sign up for 1 class for the week
- Same instructor all day
- Focus on Air-Conditioned Classrooms and shaded areas around camp
 - White House, Sports Pavilion, OA Building, Council Conference Room x2
- Lunch is provided
- Outside activity each day (swimming, sports, ranges, etc).
- If Scouts BSA age will earn merit badge if aligns with class (i.e. climbing, etc)





Fall Camp - November 22-25, 2025 McGimsey Scout Park

Cost: Scout - \$300

Adult - \$120

Provisional - \$315

All meals included

Contact Your Roundtable Team!



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