

Oakland Diocese Catholic Scouts

2008-2009 Calendar and Information

Calendar of Events

Religious Awards Counselor Training

Saturday, September 6, 2008

St. Anne Parish, Union City

Training for adults interested in working with scouts earning religious awards.

Catholic Retreat-O-Ree

Friday, Saturday, Sunday October 10, 11, 12

Camp Rancho Las Mochos, Livermore

Scouts camp overnight with activities around faith and scouting. Scouts camp with their unit leader or counselor. Open to scouts, 5th grade and older.

Religious Awards Board of Review

(Boy Scout / Venture Scout Awards)

Saturday, January 31, 2009

Oakland Diocese Chancery Office

2121 Harrison Street, Oakland

For scouts who have completed the requirements for the Ad Altare Dei or Pope Pius XII Awards.

Celebration of Scouting

Saturday, February 21, 2009

(DATE CHANGE!)

Cathedral of Christ the Light

A prayer celebration for all scouts, scout leaders and scout families. Scout religious recognition awards will be presented.

Cub and Brownie Scout Day

"A Gathering of the 12 Tribes"

Saturday, March 7, 2009 –

Hosted by St. Bonaventure Scouts.

A special day of fun for Brownies, Cubs, Junior Girl Scouts, Campfire, Webelos.



Scout Religious Awards

Religious Awards are offered as part of the catechetical program of the Church. In earning awards, scouts explore faith in relationship to church, family and friends in a scouting context. Awards are earned by completing projects outlined in awards booklets, available for each award. Award medals are presented to scouts at the annual Celebration of Scouting or in their parishes. Nomination forms are available for Adult Recognition Awards for meritorious service.

Boy Scout Program Awards:

- Tiger and Wolf Cubs: Light of Christ Award
- Bear Cubs and Webelos: Parvuli Dei Award

- Boy Scout: Ad Altare Dei Award

- Venture Scout: Pope Pius XII

Girl Scout / Campfire Awards:

- 2nd – 3rd Grade: Family of God Award

- Ages 9 –11: I Live My Faith Award

- Ages 12 –15: Marian Award

- High School Age: Spirit Alive Award

Adult Recognition Awards

- St. Anne Award – Girl Scout Leaders
- St. George Award – Boy Scout Leaders

Camp "RomanOak"

Camping at the Youth Retreat Center!

Campsites are available at the Diocesan Youth Retreat Center in Lafayette. Offered is camping for up to 50 scouts, hiking in nearby Briones Regional Park and swimming at the retreat center pool. For information or reservations, contact the Retreat Center Manager at 925-934-5802.

Diocesan Catholic

Committee on Scouting

The committee meets in September, November, January, April and June. To participate, call Catholic Scouting at 510-893-5154.

For More Information

To order religious awards and award books, or for more information, contact:

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