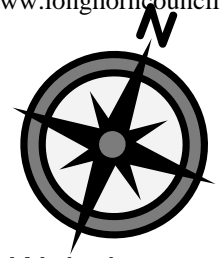


SCORE-O 2011



LUNCH is included. Open to Boy Scouts, Varsity, Venturing, Explorers, Webelos, and adults. Webelos must camp with a Troop.

October 15, 2011 at Sid Richardson Scout Ranch.

Boy Scouts, Venturers, Varsity Teams, Webelos, Explorers, Leaders and parents are all invited to participate in this exciting & popular orienteering meet! You can race for competition or just for Fun! **NOTE:** Cub Scouts can attend CUB-O on January 7.

2011 is another Scout and Venturing level Competition – with more difficult sport orienteering challenges for teams to solve. Each competing team will get a SCORE-O Ribbon and a team competition map, as well as patches and maps for each registered participant. SCORE-O T-shirts may be pre-ordered for \$10.00 each.

THE EVENT It's a fast-paced orienteering competition on Saturday afternoon, October 15th! The Longhorn Council's largest Boy Scout event! Orienteering is an International competition that consists of finding control markers in the field from locations marked on a map. This year's competition will start in the main camp area by the dining hall.

Each team gets a 2011 SCORE-O map 30 minutes before the race starts. There are 75 flags/markers marked on the map and you must find all you can in 4 hours. Some flags are very easy to find and some are hard. Each flag is worth 5, 10, 15, 20, or 30 points, depending on how hard it is to find.

Plan your strategy to find the most flags and maximize your score!! The Orange & White control markers in the field are identified with a number to let you know if you have found the right flag. To prove you found the marker you punch the score card with a pin punch that is attached to each marker. Each pin punch has a different pattern.

Orienteering is a team event, so be sure to register by teams of 4-6 Boy Scouts, Venturers, Explorers, Webelos, and adults. Your team needs a compass and a watch or stopwatch so you'll finish on time.

Participants should bring full canteens or water bottles, and cups for drinking water at water stops. In order to help control litter, no cups are provided at the water stops. The sections of camp we use for orienteering have some areas of thick vegetation and can be very rocky. Wear long pants and good shoes or boots. Short pants are not recommended!

REGISTRATION The fee is \$17.00 per participant, and includes a **SCORE-O patch, map, team flag ribbon, award ribbons, and insurance.** The registration deadline is 5:00 PM on Friday, October 7th. The late registration fee is \$22.00. Confirmations, event details, and parking assignments will be mailed to unit leaders after registrations are received. All adults and youth camping at Score-O and/or participating in Score-O must register for Score-O. No exceptions.

CHECK-IN Unit leaders check in immediately on arrival. **ALL participants must check in by 11:00 a.m. on Saturday!**

WATER Five **400 gallon water buffaloes** will be used for the water refill stations. Be sure to take lots of water with you when you head out in the woods! Please ask Scouts NOT to pour water over themselves from our 5 gallon GOTT Coolers. The water is for everyone to drink – not for showers.

MAPS The 2011 five-color orienteering map will offer a more difficult Boy Scout and Venturing level competition.

ADULT REGISTRATION All Boy Scout, Venturing, Varsity, Webelos, and Exploring adults must register for Score-O, whether or not they participate in the competition.

MEALS Lunch is included. Bring your own food for other meals or get Meal Tickets for 3 meals for \$16.00. You may also purchase individual meals. Limited to the first 600. Pre-registration is required!

T-SHIRTS SCORE-O shirts may be pre-ordered for \$10.00. A limited number will be sold at the trading post.

CAMPING Boy Scouts, Venturers, Webelos, Explorers and adults may camp. Webelos may camp with a Boy Scout troop. **Cub Scouts should attend Cub-O on January 7th.**

TRANSPORTATION All parking will be assigned. The event management has limited parking available – so please consolidate your group into a minimum number of vehicles. For safety reasons the roads will be closed to vehicular traffic from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM Saturday, plan to arrive well before 1:00 PM and leave no sooner than 5:15 PM.

TRAINING Sport Orienteering map and compass trainings will be held on Saturday morning before the race for Boy Scout, Venture, Webelos, Explorer and adult teams.

HAUNTING Participating Boy Scout Troops and Venturing Crews are invited to bring costumes and help scare Cub Scouts at the Cub Haunted Hayrides on Saturday Night. Report to Buchanan Springs camporee grounds by 7 PM.

INFORMATION PACKETS The Orienteering Committee will email a detailed SCORE-O information packet to each unit after their registration is processed. The packets will include camping and parking assignments, training times, check-in information, etc.

HAUNTED HAYRIDES for Webelos. Webelos and parents who wish to do a Haunted Hayride in the evening after Score-O may do so, subject to availability. Cost for Score-O participants (only) is: youth \$10, parents \$5. Late registration fee is: youth \$12, parents \$6. Use a Fall Festival form to register for “**Haunted Hayrides after Score-O.**” Turn in **with** your Score-O application..

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE. All SCORE-O participants must be pre-registered. Detailed information will be EMAILED with SCORE-O information packets to all registered participants. (Be sure to pre-register so you get the final schedule in the SCORE-O information Packet email)

9:00 am	Training	12:30 PM	Maps handed out
11:00 am – 12:30 PM	Lunch for all	1:00 PM	Competition START
1:00 - 5:00 PM	ROADS CLOSED! All participants must arrive and check-in by 11 a.m.	4:30 PM	Competition ENDS

A FINAL NOTE The registration deadline is Friday, October 7th and must be RECEIVED at the Council Office by Friday and must include payment. Registrations without payment and all registrations received after Oct. 8th are an additional \$5.00 per person. Registration after the deadline does not guarantee a patch. Event day Check-In and Walk-in Registration will STOP at 12 noon. Registration CUT-OFF for meals is 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, October 12th at the Council Office and must include payment. Remember, all participants get LUNCH – other meals are limited to the first 600 registering for meals. *Please bring a completed medical form for everyone participating in Score-O. Unit leaders should keep medical forms – please do not turn them in.*

2011 SCORE-O REGISTRATION FORM

October 15th, 2011 at Sid Richardson Scout Ranch. **Deadline for early registration: 5:00 PM, Fri., Oct. 7th**

District _____ Troop # _____ Varsity Team# _____ Venture Crew # _____ Pack # _____ Post # _____
(Webelos Dens)

Adult Leader _____ Home Phone: (____) ____ - _____

Address _____ Work Phone: (____) ____ - _____ Ext. _____

City/ST/Zip _____ Fax #: (____) ____ - _____

E-mail address: (H) _____ (W) _____
(Please print clearly!) (Please print clearly!)

REGISTRATION: Please make reservations for _____ youth and _____ adults for the SCORE-O.

Register by Oct 7: Enclosed is our payment of \$ _____ for _____ participants at \$17.00 each (incl. Lunch, map, patch, insurance).

Register after Oct 7: Enclosed is our payment of \$ _____ for _____ participants at \$22.00 each (incl. Lunch, map, patch, insurance).

We will have _____ Teams competing in SCORE-O.

Arriving: Friday Night _____ Saturday _____ **Camping:** Friday Night _____ Saturday Night _____ Not Camping _____

Volunteers can help with: Sat. Check-in _____ Map Handout _____ Map Scoring _____ Meal serving _____
Refilling Score-O Water Jugs _____ Finish Line _____ Bagging Souvenir Maps & Patches _____

HAUNTING:

Our Troop/Crew will bring costumes and help HAUNT along the Cub Haunted Hayride. Yes ___ No ___ # of Haunters: _____

MEALS: LUNCH is FREE. Other meals served in the dining hall are available.

3-Meal Package at \$15.00 each -OR- individual meals at \$5.00 for breakfasts and \$7.00 for dinner.

Please reserve the following meals:

_____ 3-Meal Packages @ \$16.00 = _____

_____ Saturday Breakfast @ \$5.00 = _____

_____ **Saturday Lunch** **FREE – included in Score-O fee.** Deadline to order the meals is Wed., Oct 12th..

_____ Saturday Dinner @ \$7.00 = _____

_____ Sunday Breakfast @ \$6.00 = _____

MEALS TOTAL: = _____

T-SHIRTS: # of shirts _____ X \$10 = _____ Please indicate # by size: ___S ___M ___L ___XL ___2X ___3X

All T-shirt pre-orders must be received by Wednesday, October 12th.

Fees: Registration Total \$ _____ + Meal Total \$ _____ + T-shirt Total \$ _____ = Total Enclosed \$ _____

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