

CALIFORNIA INLAND EMPIRE COUNCIL BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA



Serving the communities of Riverside and San Bernardino Counties

2016 Annual Report



Council Vision Statement

The California Inland Empire Council will deliver the promise of the Scout Oath and Scout Law through responsible financial stewardship that enables a superior training program, and increased membership to prepare for life skills.

Mission Statement

The mission of the California Inland Empire Council, Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law.

Scout Oath

On my honor I will do my best, to do my duty to God and my country, and to obey the Scout Law; to help other people at all times; to keep myself physically strong, mentally awake, and morally straight.

Scout Law

A Scout is: trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent.

Council Leadership

Mike O'Connor - President
Matt Flanagan - Council Commissioner
Joseph Daniszewski - Scout Executive/CEO

Vice Presidents

Sheila Armstrong - Treasurer
Robert Camerota, Sr. - Finance
Mike Downs - Properties
Paul Foster - Program
Scott "Mac" McLeod - Immediate Past President
Darrel Olson - District Operations
Jim Prior - Relationships/Membership
Mike Riley - Administration/Past President

Executive Board Members

Matt Barth
Cynthia Blessum
Robert Campbell, Jr.
Robert Camerota, Sr.
Joseph Cleary
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Joseph P. Fellin
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Peter Mandery
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Jim Root
Mario Saucedo
Linda Settember
Patrick Singer
Paul H. Smith, Sr.
Richard Stewart
Bob Swartzel

In order to succeed, the BSA must have volunteers and professional leadership at all levels who are well trained and motivated to carry out the strategies of Scouting and support the Council Mission.

Thank you to the thousand of adult leaders and our 2016 Executive Board for an outstanding year!

**California Inland Empire Council
2016 Journey to Excellence Achievements**



- "Scouting's Journey to Excellence" is the BSA's council performance recognition program designed to encourage and reward success and measure the performance of our units, districts, and councils. It is meant to encourage excellence in providing a quality program at all levels of the BSA.*
- B** FUNDRAISING
GAIN IN CONTRIBUTIONS
 - B** ENDOWMENT
INCREASE IN NEW ASSETS
 - G** YOUTH RETENTION
81.64% OF SCOUTS STAYED IN SCOUTING
 - S** CUB SCOUT ADVANCEMENT
66.64% OF CUB SCOUTS ADVANCED A RANK
 - G** CUB SCOUT CAMPING
68.22% OF SCOUTS ATTENDED CAMP
 - S** BOY SCOUT CAMPING
58.07% OF SCOUTS ATTENDED LONG TERM SUMMER CAMP
 - G** 138,729 COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS
AVERAGED 8.84 HOURS OF SERVICE PER SCOUT
 - G** UNIT RETENTION
95.16% TRADITIONAL UNIT RETENTION
 - S** UNIT VISITATIONS
22.01% OF UNITS VISITED REGULARLY BY A COMMISSIONER
 - S** VOICE OF THE SCOUT
56.47% PARTICIPATING COUNCIL IN VOICE OF THE SCOUT
 - G** COUNCIL LEADERSHIP
IMPROVED IN SELECTED CRITERIA
 - S** DISTRICT LEADERSHIP
DISTRICT COMMITTEES AVERAGE 30 MEMBERS
 - S** UNIT LEADERSHIP
INCREASED PERCENTAGE OF TRAINED LEADERS TO 38%

B = BRONZE **S** = SILVER **G** = GOLD

**CALIFORNIA INLAND EMPIRE COUNCIL
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**

CUB SCOUTS (AGES 5-10)

IS A YEAR-ROUND PROGRAM DESIGNED TO MEET THE NEEDS OF YOUNG BOYS AND THEIR FAMILIES THROUGH FUN AND CHALLENGING ACTIVITIES DESIGNED TO PROMOTE EDUCATION, CHARACTER, AND PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

**CUB SCOUTS: 5,596
PACKS: 271**

BOY SCOUTS (AGES 11-18)

IS AN OUTDOOR PROGRAM CREATED TO DEVELOP CHARACTER, CITIZENSHIP, AND FITNESS IN YOUNG MEN.

**BOY SCOUTS: 6,762
TROOPS/TEAMS: 455**

VENTURING (AGES 14-20)

IS A PROGRAM FOR YOUNG MEN AND WOMEN DESIGNED TO HELP YOUNG ADULTS GROW INTO RESPONSIBLE AND CARING ADULTS THROUGH EDUCATION AND RECREATIONAL EXPERIENCES.

**VENTURERS: 933
CREWS: 160**

EXPLORING (AGES 14-20)

IS A CO-EDUCATIONAL WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM FOR YOUTH IN 10TH GRADE OR ABOVE.

**PARTICIPANTS: 2,038
POSTS : 102**

CALIFORNIA INLAND EMPIRE COUNCIL

TOTAL YOUTH MEMBERSHIP: 15,690

TRADITIONAL YOUTH: 13,652

**TOTAL UNITS: 988
(PACKS, TROOPS, TEAMS, CREWS, AND POSTS)**

TOTAL ADULT VOLUNTEERS: 7,405

ACHIEVEMENTS & AWARDS

CUB SCOUTS

**680 ARROW OF LIGHT
693 WEBELOS AWARD
805 BEARS
818 WOLVES
386 TIGERS
1,148 BOBCATS**

BOY SCOUTS

**478 EAGLES SCOUTS
420 LIFE SCOUTS
531 STAR SCOUTS
566 FIRST CLASS SCOUTS
591 SECOND CLASS SCOUTS
616 TENDERFOOT SCOUTS
21,561 MERIT BADGES**

Camping & Activities Highlights

2,014 CUB SCOUTS ATTENDED DAY CAMP & CAMP WILEY

626 BOY SCOUTS ATTENDED CAMP EMERSON

SCOUTING FOR FOOD COLLECTED

34,000 POUNDS OF FOOD FOR LOCAL FOOD BANKS

77,965 EAGLE SCOUT SERVICE HOURS

38,285 COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS

22,479 CAHUILLA LODGE - ORDER OF THE ARROW SERVICE HOURS



2016 Silver Beaver Award Honorees



As a movement whose leadership is overwhelmingly volunteer, the Boy Scouts of America recognizes the need to acknowledge the invaluable services that men and women render to youth.

The Silver Beaver Award was established in 1931 and is presented for distinguished service to youth at the local council level. The recognition is granted by one's own peers in Scouting.

For making a difference in the lives of so many... Congratulations!

- George Anasis - Temescal
- Chris Andrews - Mount Rubidoux
- Jessie Andrews - Mount Rubidoux
- Rice Berkshire IV - Tahquitz
- Brian Crain - Tahquitz
- James Dallas - High Desert
- Mauricio Diaz - Temescal
- Keith Fairbrother - Temescal
- Louis Waldo Flores - Grayback
- Geoffrey Kahan - Temescal
- Bryan Kocen - Sunrsie
- Kenneth Nordstrom - Tahquitz
- Raymond Norris - Grayback
- Mike O'Connor - Council
- Debbie Packer - Temescal
- Angela Rosenberg - High Desert
- Mark Shaffer - Grayback
- Bijan Sharifi-Tabesh - Mount Rubidoux
- Carolyn Stanley - Grayback
- Robert Stanley - Grayback
- Carl Vicnaire - Tahquitz
- Anastasia Vlastic-Leveck - Mount Rubidoux
- Dennis Weiner - Arrowhead



*National Catholic Committee on Scouting
Quality Diocese Award*

Diocese of San Bernardino



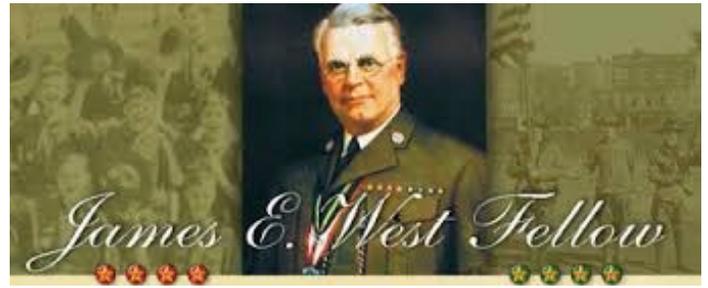
NESA Outstanding Eagle Scout Award (NOESA)

Ryan Clark



*Glenn A. & Melinda W. Adams
National Eagle Scout Service Project
Of the Year Award*

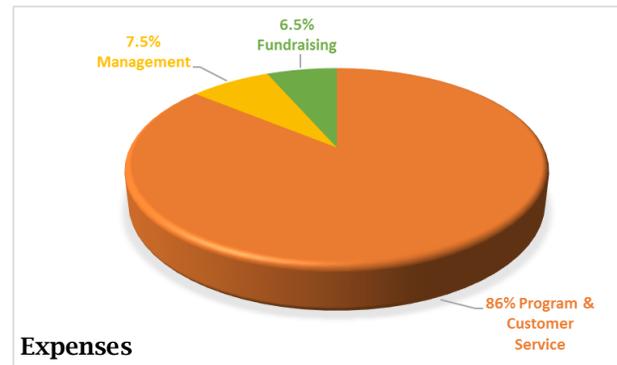
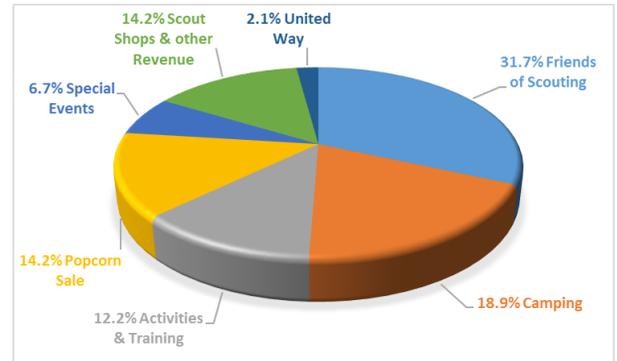
Ryan Hosking



Endowments are permanent restricted funds established by a Donor whereby only the interest each year is used for the specified purpose of the fund.. While a donor may contribute cash, stock or other gift for immediate use, a gift designated to an endowment is an investment in the future.

- In Honor of Paula Boothe by Anonymous Donor
- In Honor of Sue Clemente by Anonymous Donor
Sandra K. Cooley
- In Honor of Gary Defraene by Anonymous Donor
Thomas V. Donatoni
Beverly Gruendner
- In Honor of Hayden Martois by Cahuilla Lodge - Order of the Arrow
- In Memory of Gordon Pfitzer by Boy Scout Troop 2399
- In Honor of Jarod Quinn by Cahuilla Lodge - Order of the Arrow
Larry L. Ryan
- In Honor of Dane Santisteven by Peter Mandery
Richard A. Signs
Julie Stevens
- In Honor of James W. Vineyard by John Vineyard

Operating Support & Revenue



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