

Conference Schedule

2025



Learn new skills from our world-class faculty and share experiences with guests from across the country at one of our exciting conferences.

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Choose from a variety of conferences and programs that will help strengthen Scouting in your Unit, District, and Council; or choose a Family Adventure Camp...Scouting's Best Family Vacation! Check out the Philmont website for conference and program descriptions www.philmontscout ranch.org/PTC.

How to Register for 2025

Go to: Philmontscout ranch.org/PTC

Select your desired program — click "REGISTER"

For more information: email Philmont.trainingcenter@scouting.org or call 575-376-1135.

JANUARY-FEBRUARY¹

2/1-28 Open for Winter Lodging

MARCH-APRIL-MAY

- 3/2-7 Council Properties and Program Administration (Scouting U)
- 3/9-14 Camp Ranger Basic
- 3/10-14 Advanced District Administration (ScoutingU)
- 3/10-14 District Operations 2 (ScoutingU)
- 3/15-16 National Camp School, Cub Scout
- 3/21-28 National Camp School, Resident
- 5/3-10 BSA Certified Angling Instructors
- 5/3-10-8 BSA Certified Angling Directors

JUNE 8-14

Week 1

COMMISSIONER WEEK

- Commissioners: Applying BSA Technology for Impact
- Council Commissioner: Strategically Delivering the Promise
- Council Service Territory Commissioners²
- Creating Bridges—Connecting Units Leaders and Commissioners
- Empowering the District Commissioner Team
- Increase Your Impact: Commissioners' Roles in Growing Scouting
- Unit Commissioner: A Strategic Perspective
- Unit Service Today, Navigating Reality
- Family Adventure Camp FW/HW

JUNE 15-21

Week 2

- Mechanics of Advancement for Today's Scouts
- Philmont Ambassadors I²
- Philmont Ambassadors II²
- Philmont Fly Fishing
- Family Adventure Camp FW/HW
- National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience (NAYLE)—Session 1

JUNE 22-28

Week 3

STRENGTHENING TRUST AND AUTHENTICITY IN RELATIONSHIPS WEEK

- 6/21-28 Zia Adaptive Backcountry Trek
- Adaptive Special Needs
- Advancement Issues and Solutions for District and Council Leaders
- Psychology of Scouting: Youth Mental Health
- NEW International Scouting Annual Training
- Opening Doors: Women, Mentors, and Allies
- Philmont Ambassador Experience: Trek Prep²
- Scouting Relationships Advocate
- Wilderness First Aid: Instructor Development Course
- Zia Family Experience: An Adaptive Philmont Adventure for Scouts with Special Needs and Disabilities
- Family Adventure Camp FW/HW
- National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience (NAYLE)—Session 2

JUNE 29-JULY 5

Week 4

PTC 75th ANNIVERSARY WEEK

- PTC 75th Anniversary Alumni Reunion
- Home on the Range Family Adventure Camp FW
- National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience (NAYLE)—Session 3

JULY 6-12

Week 5

- Chart. Lead. Explore: Planning for the Future of Older Youth Programs
- Developing a Culture of Growth
- Finding Your Way
- Making Scouting Unforgettably Fun (Scouts BSA and Venturing Programs)
- NYLT Leadership Academy Development
- Philmont History: The Land, The People, The Saga
- Scouting Chaplaincy
- Scouting in the Catholic Church
- Scouting in the Lutheran Church
- Scouting in the Methodist Church
- Family Adventure Camp FW/HW
- National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience (NAYLE)—Session 4

JULY 13-19

Week 6

SCOUTING U—TRAINING WEEK (Four more conferences coming)

- 7/12-19 Zia Adaptive Backcountry Trek
- BSA Retirees Reunion
- Advanced District Administration (ScoutingU)²
- Council Key 3 Courses (CST 1-8, 9-16)
- District Operations 2 (ScoutingU)²
- NYLT Leadership Academy
- Family Adventure Camp FW/HW
- National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience (NAYLE)—Session 5

JULY 21-26

Week 7

ORDER OF THE ARROW

NATIONAL COUNCIL OF CHIEFS WEEK

- National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience (NAYLE)—Session 6

JULY 27-AUGUST 2

- Family Adventure Camp FW/HW

AUGUST¹

- 3-9 Circle Ten Council Wood Badge
- 3-9 Family Adventure Camp FW/HW
- 14-17 Casting For Recovery²
- 18-22 Land Management Symposium²
- 17-23 Philmont Leadership Challenge

SEPTEMBER¹

- 5-8 Autumn Family Adventure Camp
- 14-21 National Outdoor Conference
- 21-27 Longhorn Council Wood Badge
- 22-24 Mountain West Council Retreat
- 26-29 Autumn Family Adventure Camp

OCTOBER¹

- 5-11 Scouting New Mexico Landscape with Your Camera: History, Lands and Wildlife with Moose Peterson
- 9-12 Great Trail Council Donor Tour

FW/HW - Full Week/Half Week Camps

¹Available for council retreats, special events, workshops and family reunions.

²By Invitation Only

Rev 10-17-24 ♦ More Conferences Coming