

Recharter time once again

Recharter packets will be handed out at local roundtables in October and brought back to roundtables in November. Internet Rechartering has turned this once dreaded and laborious task into an enjoyable and fun experience! Also, take advantage of our Internet Rechartering training available online at www.bmcbsa.org.

There will be a one day, "Last Chance" turn in date on Saturday, December 1st from 1:00 to 3:00 pm at the LDS Church on Gekeler in La Grande. Be sure to have all required signatures on the recharter paperwork and on all new applications or they can not be processed. All recharter paperwork must be submitted to the council office no later than Dec 15th to be considered on time. Any unit who turns in their recharter paperwork late will not be eligible for the Centennial Quality Unit award. Need help? Please call Tanna Bales at 541-963-2858 or 541-663-6079.

Upcoming Adult Leader Training

Mark your calendars for our upcoming training Saturday, October 13th. Training will begin promptly at 9:00 a.m. and end at 3:00 p.m. and will take place LDS Church building in Island City.

The following classes will be held:

- *New Leader Essentials
- *Cub Scout Specifics—Cubmasters, Den Leaders, Webelos Leaders, Pack Committee and all assistants
- *Scoutmaster Specifics—Scoutmasters and assistants, 11 year old Scout leaders
- *Troop Committee Challenge—Troop Committee members
- *Varsity Specifics—Coaches and assistants, Team Committee members
- *Venturing Specifics—Crew Advisers and assistants, Crew committee members

It's very important to be trained so that our Scouts will receive the best possible program. Please contact Tanna Bales at 541-963-2858 and report if you can train or are going to attend. We appreciate everyone who has volunteered to help train our new leaders!

Eastern Oregon District Committee—new additions!

Please welcome Greg and Karen Baxter to our District Committee! Greg and Karen are from Baker City and they have both agreed to take on the very important role of Advancement Chairs for the entire Eastern Oregon District.

Who should attend the District Committee Meetings? Anyone with an interest in the Scouting program is encouraged to attend! Charter Organization Representatives should be available to attend, as well as anyone with a current district committee position and roundtable commissioners. The following positions need to be filled: Finance Chair, Training Chair, Membership Chair, Camp Promotion and Outdoor Chair, Activities and Civic Service Chair, along with Cub Scout Roundtable Commissioner for Baker City and Boy Scout Roundtable Commissioner's for Baker City and La Grande.

If you would like to find out more information about these positions or volunteer, please contact Tanna Bales at 541-963-2858 or tbales@bsamail.org.

Eastern Oregon District

Serving communities in Baker, Grant, Union, and Wallowa counties

District Committee		
District Chair	Jerry Baxter	541-853-2333
District Commissioner	Ed Hibbard	541-523-8765
Program Chair	Vacant	
Activities & Civic Service	Vacant	
Advancement & Recognition	Vacant	
Camping & Outdoor	Dan Roberts	541-437-0618
Training	Vacant	
Membership	Vacant	
Finance	Vacant	
Para-Professional	Tanna Bales	541-963-2858 tbales@bsamail.org

Calendar Dates	
October	
4	La Grande Roundtable 7:00 pm LDS Church in Island City- Recharters distributed
8	Enterprise Roundtable 6:30pm @ Enterprise Baptist Church- Recharters distributed
11	District Committee Meeting 7:00pm @ LDS Church, Gekeler Ave., La Grande
13	District Training event 9:00am -3:00pm @ LDS Church, Island City
16	John Day Roundtable - 6:30pm @ Elks Lodge Recharters distributed
18	Baker Roundtable 7:00pm @ Baker City LDS Church - Recharters distributed
23	Popcorn Sale Ends
November	
1	La Grande Roundtable 7:00 pm LDS Church in Island City- Recharter Turn In
8	District Committee Meeting - 7:00 pm @ LDS Church, Gekeler Ave, La Grande.
12	Enterprise Roundtable - 6:30pm @ Baptist Church - Recharter Turn In
10	La Grande area <i>Scouting For Food</i> - All Day Event. Drop site at the Union Hall by Scout Office
15	Baker Roundtable 7:00pm @ Baker City LDS Church - Recharter Turn In
20	John Day Roundtable - 6:30pm @ Elks Lodge Recharter Turn In