

# YOLANO DISTRICT



Newsletter of the Yolo-Solano District, Golden Empire Council, BSA

January 2019

## Welcome Yolano District

The beginning of a new year brings a new district. The Golden Empire Council welcomes the newly formed Yolo-Solano District, also known as the Yolano District. The Yolo District and the Trailblazer District was formed to create an even greater adult volunteer base to put on the best possible program for the Scouting youth and families. Tyler Bonino, Senior District Executive, states, "We are excited for the change and the great things that will come from it".

The Yolano District began their new adventure with a 'meet-and-greet' at Lamppost Pizza in Davis. David Grundler will serve as Yolano District Chair, with Jeff Wilson as Vice Chair of Programs, Christina Yeung as Vice Chair of Membership, and Travis Lybbert as Vice Chair of Finance.

Our main goal is for the Scouts to have fun learning about outdoors, responsibility, citizenship, nature, and a whole lot more. Our Scouting program has four specific objectives, commonly referred to as the "Aims of Scouting." They are:

1. Character Development
2. Citizen Training
3. Leadership
4. Mental and Personal Fitness

The monthly Commissioner Team meeting is scheduled for the **first** Thursday at 6:30 followed by the District Leadership meeting at 7:30, and the District Roundtable is scheduled for the **third** Thursday also at 7:30. All three meetings take place at Tremont Elementary School in the multipurpose room located at 355 Pheasant Run Drive in Dixon.

## Are You A Trained Leader?

Are you a newly appointed Adult Leader? Are you looking for training but don't know where to start? The Scouting website provides a quick view on the required training by position.

Log on to <https://My.Scouting.org/>  
(non-mobile device using FireFox or Chrome work best)

- Select the **Home** drop down menu.
- Select **My Dashboard**.
- Across the top, select **Requirements**.
- A training list with expiration dates is displayed.

If you have questions, please contact your District Training Chairman or District Executive. Additional information is available on our [Council Training Webpage](#).

### Important Dates:

[Jan 26: University of Scouting](#)

[Jan 26, Feb 9 & 23: Merit Badge Trail Drive](#)

[Mar 2 & 9: Scouting for Food](#)

[Apr 26: Wood Badge](#)

[Apr 26: Introduction Outdoor Leader Skills \(IOLS\)](#)

[Apr 26: Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation \(BALOO\)](#)

**Apr 26-28:** Camporee/Cub Family Camp

**May 16:** District Dinner

**May 4:** District Pinewood Derby

**Jun 19-22:** Cub Twilight Camp

**Jun 28-30 & Jul 5-7:** [NYLT](#)

**Jul 20:** Pack-O-Ree Picnic/Cub Recruitment

**Jul 22-Aug 2:** [24th World Scout Jamboree](#)