



Boy Scouts of America
SCOUTING U
WESTLAKE CAMPUS

National Volunteer Training Conference
March 7-9, 2019—Las Vegas, Nevada

During the last four years, the National Volunteer Training/Learning Delivery Sub-Committee gathered together at Scouting U Westlake Campus in Westlake, Texas, Bethesda, Maryland, and Las Vegas, NV. We enjoyed a weekend of fun, fellowship, learning, and idea-sharing. We looked back to where we had been, we looked at where we currently were considering all of the changes made with the advent of Scouting U, and we discussed where volunteer training needs to go.

We would like to invite you to join us in March of 2019 to assess accomplishments and to make some recommendations and plans for the future of volunteer training in the BSA.

We are inviting the region training chairs, area training chairs, sub-committee members, selected council training chairs, and subject-matter experts to join us.

Several critical topics, including the following, will be discussed:

Guide to Leader Training

Training codes

“Trained” leaders

My.Scouting Tools

STEM training

National volunteer training conferences

Webinars/livestreams/VILT

Learning Management System (LMS)

Exploring training

Cub leader training

Scouts BSA leader training

Venturing leader training

Other leader (including youth) training

What’s in the works for the future

Cub Scout and Scouts BSA Training

Wood Badge revision, pilot updates

You are invited to join us on this National Training Conference. *We are very excited to host this year’s conference at the Las Vegas Area Council BSA office, 7220 Paradise Road, Las Vegas, Nevada 89119.* Click the link below to register.

REGISTER: [2019 National Volunteer Training Conference](#)

For your convenience, below is a list of a few non-casino hotels near the BSA office. Of course, the Strip is not far away, and there are many more choices there.

Double Tree by Hilton Hotel Las Vegas Airport
7250 Pollock Dr., Las Vegas, NV 89119 (~.3 miles)
702.948.4000

Hampton Inn & Suites Las Vegas Airport
6575 S. Eastern Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89119 (~2.3 miles)
702.647.8000

Hilton Garden Inn Las Vegas Strip South
7830 Las Vegas Blvd S, Las Vegas, NV 89123 (~1.9 miles)
702.453.7830

The cost is \$75.00 per person (conference fee only: covers meals [Thursday dinner, Friday breakfast and lunch; Saturday breakfast and lunch] and materials; **travel and housing are not included**). Hotel and travel accommodations will be handled by each conference attendee. You should plan to be at the Las Vegas Area Council BSA office no later than 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 7th, and if flying, you should schedule your return flight for any time after the closing on Saturday March 9th late afternoon.

What to Bring

Comfortable clothing (*uniforms are not required*), a good attitude, and lots of great ideas!

Tentative Agenda

Thursday, March 7, 2019

- 1:00 p.m. Registration
- 2:00 p.m. Welcome & introductions
- 2:30 p.m. *Guide to Leader Training*
 - Training codes
 - “Trained” leaders
 - Training Times
- 6:00 p.m. Opening Dinner (at the BSA LV office)
- 7:00 p.m. National volunteer training conferences (PTC & FSB)
- 8:00 p.m. Regional training best practices presentation

Friday, March 8, 2019

- 7:30 a.m. Breakfast @ BSA LV office
- 8:00 a.m. My.Scouting Tools

9:00 a.m. Training/Learning Delivery, ScoutingU updates
10:00 a.m. The National Training/Learning Delivery
11:00 a.m. Leadership Development updates
Wood badge, NYLT, Leadership Academy, Course Director's Conference
Noon Lunch
1:00 p.m. Training Design & Development updates
What's new in Training?
2:30 p.m. Break (afternoon refreshments)
3:00 p.m. Learning Management System (LMS)
4:00 p.m. My.Scouting Tools, Training Manager
5:30 p.m. Review
6:00 p.m. Dinner & entertainment (on your own)

Saturday, March 9, 2019

7:30 a.m. Breakfast @ BSA LV office
8:00 a.m. Direct Contact Leaders trained
9:00 a.m. Strategic Training Plan
10:00 a.m. Your next step
11:00 a.m. Closing Luncheon
12:00 p.m. Depart



2018 National Volunteer Training Conference attendees in front of the Las Vegas Council Office.