



Special Summer Camp Issue

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Provisional Summer Camp at Lost Valley

Is your troop going to camp a week that you are not able to attend?

Does your SPL want to come to camp a week early and prepare for your troop?

Do you just want an extra week of Summer Camp to earn additional merit badges?

Is your troop not going to camp this summer?

Do you just want more Lost Valley?

Provisional Summer Camp at Lost Valley is the answer for you...

Ideally you would spend a week at camp with our own troop, but sometimes is not possible. If your troop is going to camp a week that you are not able to attend but you still want to go to summer camp then provisional summer camp is your chance to go to Lost Valley.

Even if your troop is not attending Lost Valley or if you want to stay an extra week to earn more merit badges this is your opportunity.

You can sign up for "Adventure Troop 2010" and attend Lost Valley as an individual, with your parent, or even sign up with a friend. Earn merit badges, Ride a Horse, go Rock Climbing... it's all there for you.

This is also a great opportunity for your troop SPL to come a week before the troop so that he has a chance to learn about the camp and be better prepared when the rest of the troop arrives.

Who can go?

Any registered Boy Scout or Varsity Scout. The camp will provide trained adult leadership, your meals will be eaten in the camp dining hall and you will be provided with a tent and a cot, you just need to arrange your own transportation. Parents have the option sign up to go with you.

A week at camp costs \$340 for Orange County Scouts or \$350 for out of council Scouts. Orange County Parents have the option sign up to go with you for \$160 and out of council parents \$170.

How do you sign up?

Use the "Adventure Troop 2010" provisional camper sign up form enclosed on Page 2 of the Lost Valley Tribune.

Is your troop sending all your Scouts to Summer Camp?

Orange County Council has a goal to send every possible Boy Scout to Summer Camp.

Scouts who attend summer camp are 87% more likely to earn their Eagle than scouts who do not. One of the most important things we can do to help Scouts succeed in the Scouting program is to get that Scout to Summer Camp.

Lost Valley is among the very best of all Scout Camps and hope we are your choice for summer camp this year.

It's not too late to sign your troop up for Summer Camp!

If your troop has not yet signed up for summer camp and there is anything we can do to help your troop to provide the summer camp experience for your Scouts please contact us to discuss what we can do to help you.

If there are Scouts in your troop that cannot afford Summer Camp please contact us about Camperships that can help pay the cost of camp.

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Lost Valley Calendar

June	
4-6	Open Camping Weekend
11-13	Order of the Arrow Ordeals
27- 7/1	Summer Camp week 1
July	
5-10	Venturing Summer Camp
7-10	Cub / Webelos Summer Camp
11-17	Summer Camp week 3
18-24	Summer Camp week 4
25-31	Summer Camp week 5
August	
1-7	Summer Camp week 6
20-22	Open Camping Weekend

Is Your Troop Going Summer Camp at Lost Valley?

It's not too late to sign your troop up for Summer Camp!

Simply put - if your troop is not signed up to go to Summer Camp our goal is to help get your Scouts to Summer Camp.

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Lost valley has some of the most modern facilities at any Scout Camp in the entire nation, Orange County Council has spent over \$3,000,000 over the past 10 years to provide our Scouts with two modern dining halls and the very best program areas available.

Whether your Scouts want to Swim in our 2 olympic size swimming pools, shoot on our rifle or shotgun ranges, go horseback riding, rowing on the lake, rock climbing, or challenge themselves on our COPE course there are many fun activities for everyone.

If you need our help to get your troop or any of your Scouts to summer camp contact:

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Frequently Asked Questions...

It's too late to register for Summer Camp...

Reality: It's not too late to register for Summer Camp at Lost Valley, some weeks are already full but we can find space for you, give us a call



We don't have enough adult leadership to bring our troop to camp...

Solution: Sign your entire troop up as Provisional Campers and the Camp will provide trained qualified leadership for the boys in your troop.



We have Scouts who cannot afford the cost of summer camp...

Solution: Camperships are available to Scouts who cannot afford to pay the entire cost of summer camp, contact the Scout Office at (714) 546-8558 and speak to Toni Klemm at ext. 136 for more information on what camperships are available.



We have a couple of Scouts who are not able to attend with the troop due to family vacations or school schedules...

Solution: Get those Scouts signed up as provisional campers! It is best if they can go with the troop, but if they cannot go with the troop they can still go to Summer Camp.



Is your Summer Filled With This Much Fun?



Program Area Focus...

Archery

The Lost Valley Archery Range has many exciting new improvements for 2010!

New for 2010, the Archery Range has four permanent covers to provide shade for the shooters, a cover for classroom instruction, new hay bale target stands, and a berm to stop stray arrows.

Many thanks to the volunteers who spent several weekends at camp building these new improvements: Bob Westmyer, Deanna Westmyer, Lawrence Moore, Justin Scott, Jim Guilford, Daryl Beck, Jose Marquez, Tim Buell, David Buell, Jeff Scott, and Kelley Paulin. All this was possible through a generous donation of all building materials by Steve Johnson.

Lost Valley offers two programs within the Archery range during Summer Camp. The first is the merit badge program. Each week scouts have the opportunity to learn about the exciting sport of archery, through classroom lectures and shooting on the range. The other program is daily open shoots. These times are allocated for individual scouts and Troops to experience shooting with bows and arrows. The new range creates a safer shooting area through the use of a berm (arrow stop). During the summer, the harsh sun is blocked by our new sun shades. This allows participants to shoot in a shaded area. Lost Valley is proud of its Archery program and has invested heavily in keeping this specialized range open and operational almost year round.

Don't forget: The Archery Range is available for year round practice for your Unit or non-Scouting event. Contact the OCBSA Camping Department to reserve the Archery range today!



Meet the Man...

Ted Fletebo -

Grace Post Director



This month's featured staff member is Ted Fletebo. Ted joined the Lost Valley staff in 2008 as a member of the Irvine Pool Staff. In 2009, Ted moved to Grace Trading Post and can best be remembered as a member of the GTP Pirates that raided the Friday afternoon Aquacades. He is one of the hardest working members of the Lost Valley staff and is always friendly and willing to help. For 2010, you will be able to see Ted every time you visit the Trading Post. He is returning as director of the Grace Trading Post, ready to sell all of the patches, candy, soda, and other necessities that make summer camp more enjoyable.

In his non-camp life, Ted is a member of Troop 1999 of Garden Grove, CA and OCBSA National Eagle Scout Association Vice President. He was recently honored as Orange County Scout of the Year- Santa Ana, by VFV Post 10694. Ted is an avid soccer player and high school honor student.

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