

Susquehanna District Roundtable Announcements

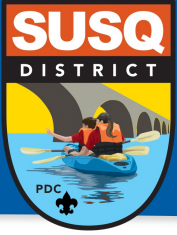
Upcoming Events

- [CST 13 Leadership Lab](#) – Mar 23
- [Campership Application](#) Deadline – Mar 31
- [Solar Eclipse](#) – Apr 8
- District Pinewood Derby – Apr 13 (register by Apr 10)
- Iron Forge Merit Badge College (open to all) – Apr 13
- District Adult Social Event – Apr 19
- Life to Eagle Seminar – Apr 24 ([Register Here](#))
- Camp Mack Open House – May 4
- Council Camporee – **POSTPONED until 2025**

- IOLS / BALOO Training – May 11-12

- **Council Office is CLOSED Mar 28 & 29**





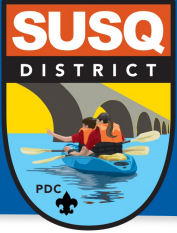
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Save the Date

2024 Roundtable Event
May 2, 2023

**Leader Cookoff -or-
Roundup**
you decide tonight





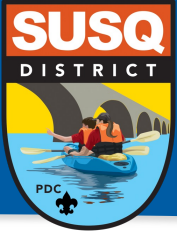
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This year... you can be a STAR!



**Scouter
That
Attends
Roundtable**





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National Youth Leadership Training

PA Dutch Course Cancelled for 2024

Course options at nearby councils

Baltimore Area – Apr 11 + Apr 26-28 + May 17-19 @ Camp Oest

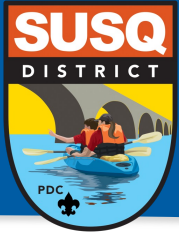
Chester County – Apr 12-14 + Apr 19-21 @ Camp Ware

Del-Mar-Va – Jun 30 – Jul 5 @ Henson

New Birth of Freedom – Jun 16-21 @ Hidden Valley

Hawk Mountain – Aug 11-16 @ Hawk Mountain





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Gary Guare Retirement Celebration

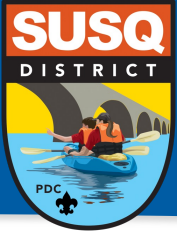
Sunday April 28, 12:30 PM
Camp Mack Pavilion

After 39 years of service to countless scouts and scouters as Ranger of Camp Mack, Gary Guare is retiring this year.

Come to Camp Mack and show your appreciation for Gary as we wish him and Connie all the best in retirement!

[Click here for full details](#)





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2024 CST 13 Leadership Lab

March 23, 2024

Chester County Council PARC Center (Exton, PA)

Open to all registered leaders. This year will feature a special focus on the new Cub Scout Program.

Other sessions include:

- Marketing and Communications,
- Governance,
- Safety and Well-Being, and
- Membership

[Click here to register](#)





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Program and Service Ideas

Check reservation table for other handouts

[MASOC Scout Orienteering Event – May 4](#)



[Lancaster County Sportsmen for Youth Field Day – Jun 1](#)



[Patriot Days at Daniel Boone Homestead – Jun 14-16 \(brochure\)](#)

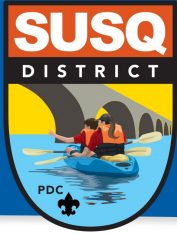


[Lancaster Conservancy Volunteer Opportunities](#)



[Baltimore Orioles Scout Day – Jun 2](#)





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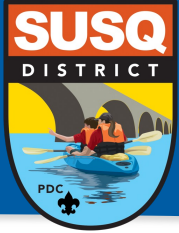
[Mid-Atlantic Scout Orienteering Championship](#)

May 4 - French Creek State Park

Open to Cub Scouts and Scouts BSA

Register by March 22





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[Scouts BSA Program Updates](#) • New Advancement requirements effective January 1, 2024

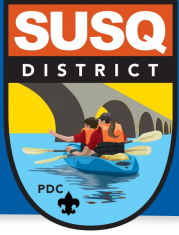
[Cub Scout Program Updates](#) • The latest updates on the Cub Program, effective June 1, 2024

Wunita Gokhos Lodge – [Where to go Camping Guide](#)

Hawk Mountain Council – [Places to go with your Scouts](#) - 149 locations across eastern PA

[Google map of BSA Council Resident Camps](#) – incomplete, but still a good collection



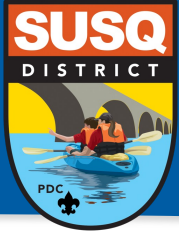


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Youth - Scholarship and Award Nominations

- [PA DCNR Forest Conservation Award](#) – rolling application
- **Over 2 dozen** other scholarships on [scouting.org](https://www.scouting.org)





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[Click here to sign up for the Council's Monthly eNewsletter – Scouter Focus](#)

Adult – Training Enrichment

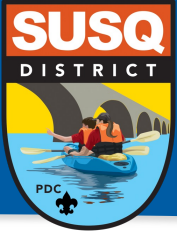
[Cub Scout to Scouts BSA Transition](#) – Learn new ways to improve transition retention

Adult Application Policy Update

New Adult Leaders are NOT active until their application has been fully processed by Council/National.

This means that even if clearances are available, you can no longer drop off a last-minute adult application if you are suddenly without 2-deep leadership for an event.





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Register Now



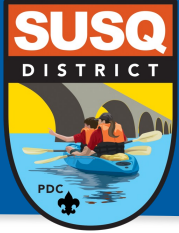
2023 District Recognition Dinner

June 12, 2023

**Ascension Lutheran Church
Willow Street**

Register by May 17





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Adult Recognition Nominations

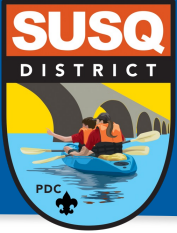
Dates coming soon

Click the award name for nomination form

- [Silver Beaver \(more info\)](#) – May
- [District Award of Merit](#) – Apr 12
- [Scouter of the Year](#) – Apr 12
- [Spark Plug Award](#) – Apr 12
- [NESA Outstanding Eagle Scout Award](#) – Oct/Nov

[Scouter Profile Form](#) - for gathering information





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Award of the Month

District Award of Merit

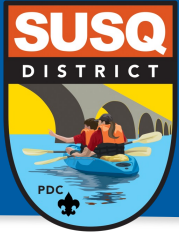


Available to registered Scouters who render service of an outstanding nature at the district level.

Presented to registered adult volunteers by districts in the same manner that the Silver Beaver is, as a national award presented by councils; it is not appropriate to nominate a Scouter who has already received this award.

For questions – Contact Ken Neumann - kbneumann1@comcast.net

** [Click here for award application.](#)



Adult Awards and Recognitions

Scouter of the Year & Spark Plug Awards

The image shows two overlapping nomination forms. The top form is titled "Spark Plug Award Susquehanna District" and features a spark plug icon. The bottom form is titled "Scouter of the Year Awards Susquehanna District" and features a Scout logo icon. Both forms include sections for "Name of Nominee", "Position", "Submitted by", "Email", "Phone", and "Date". The Scouter of the Year form also includes a section for "Why do you think this person should receive this recognition? Please list specific examples of how the nominee exhibits the above criteria:" with several lines for text entry. The Scouter of the Year form also lists criteria: Leadership, Training, Advancement, Exciting and Active Program, Scouting beyond the Unit, and Recruitment and Retention. The Spark Plug Award form includes a section for "We are present" with a list of roles: Venturing Leader, Commissioner, Committee Member, Scouts BSA Leader, Cub Leader, and Scouter.

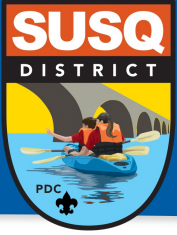
Local awards to recognize registered and non-registered volunteers within the district.

Anyone may nominate a Scouter of the Year. Unit Adult Leadership must submit the nomination for Spark Plug Award recipients.

Nominations are taken until April 12. Awards are presented at the annual District Recognition Dinner in June.

[Scouter of the Year Nomination Form](#)
[Spark Plug Award Nomination Form](#)





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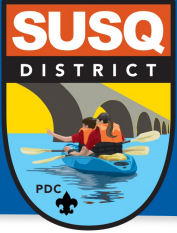


2024 Spring Product Sale Porch & Pantry

Key Dates:

Apr 15 – Pickup orders at Council Office





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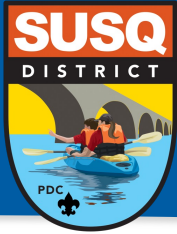
**Lancaster Stormers
Scout Night**

Friday, June 14, 2024

Clipper Magazine Stadium

www.lancasterstormers.com





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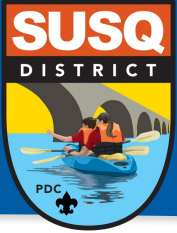
Order of the Arrow Updates

- Schedule Unit Elections NOW
- [Lodge Family Banquet](#) – Apr 7
- [Fellowship Weekend](#) (Mack) – Apr 26-28
- [Spring Ordeal](#) (Mack) – May 17-19
- [Section NE-6B Conclave](#) (Mack) – May 31-Jun 2

- 2024 NOAC (National OA Conference) [Registration is now open](#)
July 29 – Aug 3, 2024 – Univ of Colorado, Boulder, CO

padutchbsa.org/programs/order-of-the-arrow/





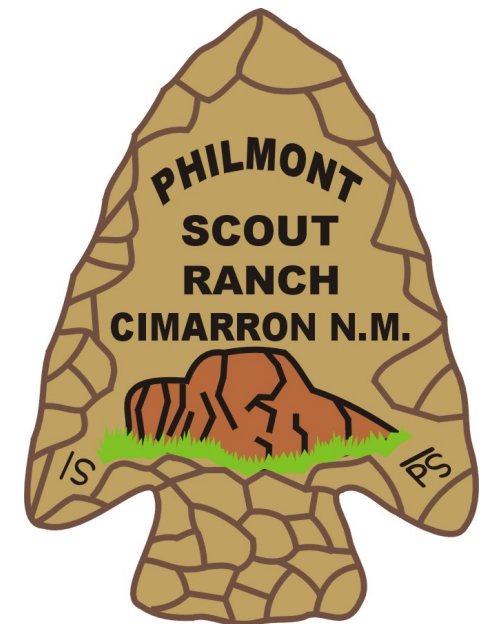
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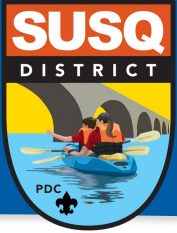


2025 Council Philmont Trek

June 21 – July 5, 2025

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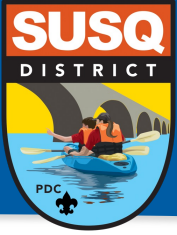


- Donate now for 2024
- Schedule a unit presentation for the coming year

[Email Sheila Fasig](mailto:Sheila.Fasig@bsa.org) to schedule a Unit presentation

padutchbsa.org/fundraising/friends-of-scouting/





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Wood Badge

Sep 13-15 and Oct 26-27, 2024

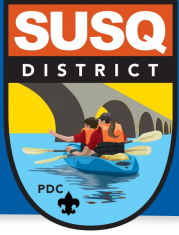


The Pennsylvania Dutch Council is excited to announce our next Wood Badge course in the fall of 2024! If you have ever found that you want to help your unit run better, but are not sure where to start, then this is the course for you!

Open to all registered, trained, adult scouters

If you have any questions, please contact Ben Wohlberg, the course director, at padwoodbadge24@gmail.com.





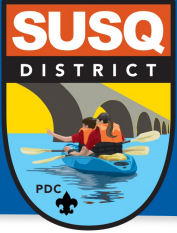
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- [Membership Recruiting Resources](#)
- [BSA Brand Center](#)

Contact your District Exec for recruiting materials – yard signs, flyers, cards, etc.





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Camp Mack 2024

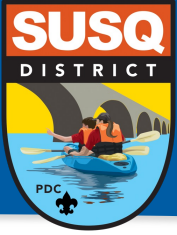
Follow the links below for information and registration

[Camp Mack](#)
[Apply for Summer Camp Staff](#)

Contact [Ben Wohlberg](#) or [Sheila Fasig](#) to schedule a camp promotion presentation before Mar 31 to receive \$50 off the pack's camp registration.

[Campership Applications](#) are due March 31





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Camp Bashore 2024

Follow the links below for information and registration

[Camp Bashore](#)
[Apply for Summer Camp Staff](#)

Registration is open - 4 of 7 weeks are already full.

Reserve your space soon!

[Campership Applications](#) are due March 31

