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# SCOUT EXECUTIVE'S CORNER

## Time for Summer!



Is it just me, or did summer go by more quickly than ever? I'm sure yours was as busy as mine with camps, vacations, family activities and some good old R & R. I hope you enjoyed the summer, but look out – here comes fall!

Our council has lots of activities to keep you and your Scouts busy this fall, no matter where you fall within the Scouting spectrum. Of particular note are a few.

Cub Scout packs will be gearing up for fall recruitment in August and early September. If you are a leader in your pack, please check in with your pack committee chair and cubmaster to learn about your pack's recruitment plan and provide any support necessary to help welcome new Scouts into your pack. We're excited to welcome kindergarteners into Cub Scouting as Lions this year in select packs. There is the possibility for some confusion, as not all packs requested to be part of this pilot program. If your pack will have a den of kindergarten Lions this year, thanks for helping to usher a new group of Scouts into our family.

The fall also holds lots more in store. There's an abundance of opportunities for leaders to become trained in the fundamentals of their role, and advanced training called Wood Badge. There are programmatic opportunities like our Shoot-o-ree at Camp Lazarus for Cub Scouts and similar events at Chief Logan (Howlin' at the moon), Camp Falling Rock (Apple Butter Festival) and Camp Oyo (Halloween Camp). Still more events are planned with our partners, like the Crew, the Blue Jackets, the Zoo, and many others. There are opportunities for service through our Scouting For Food Drive in late October, Buckeye football ushering and through many different pack and troop planned projects. Many Scouting units participate in our largest fundraiser—the Popcorn Sale – to generate the funds necessary to finance a good portion of the unit activities for the year.

It's going to be another great year for our Scouts – thank you for all that you do to make it happen for them!

Yours in Scouting,  
Jeff Moe

## EXCITING NEW CAMP IMPROVEMENTS

Improvements large and small are underway at all four Simon Kenton Council camps this summer. Here are some highlights!



An investment by the Simon Kenton Council has led to the addition to new electric being installed in the Camp Oyo Dining Hall. Thanks to the support of the Camp Oyo Staff & Alumni Association, construction is underway on the camp's dam to bring back the lake for swimming and boating.

Chief Logan Reservation boasts a new shelter for use in the Foothills of the Frontier program, built as a service project by Troop 701. The camp will also have two new staff cabins, added to the four new ones built prior to camp season, as part of a long-term replacement plan.



Lake Pee Wee at Camp Falling Rock has a new feature - a boat dock, thanks to the generosity of a Scouting volunteer and the Order of the Arrow.

Campers also got to enjoy the newly renovated shower facility and will soon enjoy a renovated Krebs Lodge.

## AMERICAN LEGION SUPPORTS NEW MATTRESSES FOR CAMP



Thanks to the generous support of the American Legion with a gift of \$10,000, Simon Kenton Council has purchased new mattresses for Camp Lazarus. This gift will go a long way in maintaining quality camps for our Scouts and Scouting Families.

## ONLY SMILING FACES AT CAMP DISCOVERY DAY



On Saturday, April 30th, kids in our community who have special needs came to Camp Lazarus to enjoy Scouting for a day through Camp Discovery Day.

Partnering with Buckeye Health Plan, more than 60 kids with special needs were partnered with Scout "buddies" for the day and enjoyed archery, boating, fishing, crafts, and much more.



It was a meaningful experience for everyone involved, including our Scouts, with many earning their Disabilities Awareness Merit Badge in advance of the event.

The support of Buckeye Health Plan made this event a success. We are currently in the process of planning next year's event, so stay tuned for next year's date.

## COMMUNITY SUPPORT MAKES GREAT THINGS HAPPEN



ScoutReach District Executive Johnnie Davis had the opportunity to meet Battelle CEO Jeff Wadsworth thanks to a new grant from Battelle that will help make it possible for some of the city's most at-risk urban youth to experience the outdoors in our unique classroom in the woods setting at Camp Lazarus. The \$25,000 STEM grant will make these opportunities possible!



### FROM OUR GARDEN TO THE FOOD PANTRY

Our beautiful Scotts Miracle-Gro Garden at Camp Lazarus is doing more than just simply teaching our Scouts and the community about fruits and vegetables, and how to grow them. A donation of two bussels of cucumbers was recently made to the Worthington Food

Pantry!

Next time you are at camp, stop by the garden and check out the many herbs, tomatoes, pumpkins, kale, and potatoes growing there!



Thanks to the generous support of Columbia Gas, Scouts at Day Camp learned about natural gas safety!



The council's ongoing canoe and kayak clinic program received a generous grant

from the Ohio Department of Natural Resources as well as a gift from the Ploughe Fund at the Columbus Foundation, provided in memory of Bill Ploughe, a former Scouter and longtime leader of the canoe clinic program. Thanks to this support we are able to deliver safe watercraft programming in our council.

# FROM SCOUT TO CEO ... START A BUSINESS, EARN 5 MERIT BADGES



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The Young Entrepreneurs Academy is an after school program where middle and high school kids learn to start their own businesses!

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ALL ARE WELCOME! RSVP PLEASE

July 28th 6-7pm Dublin Entrepreneurial Center  
 August 2nd 12:15-1:00pm Marysville Entrepreneurial Center  
 August 9nd 6-7pm Marysville Entrepreneurial Center  
 August 11th 12:30-1:15pm Dublin Entrepreneurial Center  
 August 16th 5-7pm Union County Chamber

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*Don't miss any of the great opportunities Scouting provides! Mark your calendars for six months of fun!*

## AUGUST, Adult

**August 10 OSU Ushering Orientation.** Leadership Development Center at 7pm. Learn more about what it takes to be an usher for OSU Football games. This is open to Boy Scout Troops and Venturing Crews only. Questions? Contact Mike Munsch at buckeye@catlover.com

**August 18-21 Poseidon. Introduction to Sea Scouting** presented by Central Region, Area 4, and the Simon Kenton Council. This will begin on Thursday evening at 6:00 pm and conclude with a graduation commencement early Sunday afternoon. Location: Camp Lazarus. The fee is \$175.

**August 20 2016 Commissioner Conference and District Key 8 Workshop.** This conference will serve as an additional training opportunity for Commissioners from both Simon Kenton Council as well as our neighbor councils in Area 4. There will be a great opening and lunch sessions along with an afternoon global session to share lots of great commissioner information. Lunch will be provided. Cost is \$20 & Includes Lunch. Contact Bruce Boyle, Council Commissioner, at bcb51@aol.com.

**August 27-28 Wilderness Remote First Aid Training.** This course provides an intensive 16 hours of training covering injury assessment, rescuer safety, bleeding, shock, orthopedic injuries, long term patient care, and treatment with materials at hand during practice sessions. American Red Cross CPR is a prerequisite for this course. Camp Lazarus: 4422 Columbus Pike Rd Delaware, OH 43015. The cost of the Wilderness First Aid Training course is \$50.00 per person and you must attend both days, 08/27/16-08/28/16; 8am-5pm. Participants need to be 14 years of age or older in order to participate. Questions? Please contact Mary Conway at mconway@delta-h.com

## AUGUST, Youth

**August 2 The Young Entrepreneurs Academy (YEA!) Information Session.** 12:15-1:00pm at Marysville Entrepreneur Center. YEA! is an after school program where middle and high school students learn to start their own business. Over their 29 sessions, Scouts can earn as many as 5 merit badges while starting their own business. Please RSVP to the information session at (614) 989-2429 or visit yeunioncounty.org.

**August 5-7 STEM Merit Badge Campout.** Camp OYO. Cost is \$10 per person. There will be 13 Merit Badges offered that weekend Scouts can choose from to earn. Questions? Contact Ken George at kgeorgepca@hotmail.com.

**August 7 Columbus Zoo Adventures.** Columbus Zoo is hosting Scouts for four different adventures. They are: Wolf Adventure, Bear Adventure, Tiger Adventure, and Webelos Adventure. Each is tailored toward different activities. Scouts will go on wild adventures while they earn or supplement requirements towards the new Cub Scout Adventures. Cost is \$12 for Scouts and includes admission to the Zoo. Please contact the Zoo office at (614)645-3488 or scouts@columbuszoo.org. You may also visit the Columbus Zoo website.

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**August 13 Columbus Zoo Overnight Adventures.** Columbus Zoo is hosting Scouts for four different overnight adventures. They are: Wolf Adventure, Bear Adventure, and Webelos Adventure. Each is tailored

toward different activities. Cost includes special after-hours admission that evening and the entire next day, pizza dinner, snack, ride wristband that evening, activities to include an evening hike to our North American and Shores regions, up-close animal encounters, overnight security, breakfast, morning hike, supplies and a Columbus Zoo fun patch. Cost is \$45 for Scouts and includes admission to the Zoo. Please contact the Zoo office at (614) 645-3488 or scouts@columbuszoo.org. You may also visit the Columbus Zoo website.

**August 14 Marmon Valley Cub Scout Sunday.** Earn your Horseback Riding Belt Loop at Marmon Valley Farm! Bring your den or pack to enjoy a half hour trail ride, hayride through the scenic hills of Ohio, indoor rock climbing, and more. Activities run from 1:30 pm – 5:00 pm. Call to schedule your trail ride and hay ride times. Full payment required at reservation. Cost is \$33 or \$28/ person (with a group of 10+). Register online at marmonvalley.com or call 937-593-8000.

**August 16 The Young Entrepreneurs Academy Information Session.** 5:00-7:00pm at Union County Chamber. The YEA! is an after school program where middle and high school students learn to start their own business. Over their 29 sessions, Scouts can earn as many as 5 merit badges while starting their own business. For more information, please RSVP to this information session at (614) 989-2429 or visit yeunioncounty.org.

## 2017 NATIONAL JAMBOREE

The 2017 National Scout Jamboree, to be held for only the second time at The Summit Bechtel Reserve in southern West Virginia from July 19-28, 2017, should be on every Boy Scout's "To Do" list.

The Simon Kenton Council still has spots open for this once in a lifetime trip. Visit [www.skscouts.org/Jamboree](http://www.skscouts.org/Jamboree) for more information and to register!



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**August 26 Cub Scouts' Night Hike at Dawes Arboretum.** Enjoy a guided hike on a flat, grassy path near woodlands, wetlands and fields. As the light of day fades, notice how other senses are sharpened. Location: Dawes Arboretum, 7770 Jacksontown Rd, Heath, OH 43056. Cost is \$6 per person and includes a patch. Register online at the calendar tab at dawesarb.org.

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**August 27 Zoo Careers Overnight at Columbus Zoo.** Learn about Zoo Careers then drift off to sleep with the fish at Discovery Reef! Cost is \$35 per person. Cost includes: special after-hours admission that evening and the entire next day, evening snack, guided evening hike, up-close animal encounters, special activities, breakfast and a guided morning hike. From 6:30 pm until 10:00 am. Limited to 40 participants. For questions, contact the Zoo office at (614) 645-3488 or email scouts@columbuszoo.org. You can also visit the Columbus Zoo Website to register.

**August 27 Columbus Crew Scout Night & Sleepover.** Join the Columbus Crew for a sleepover at Mapfre Stadium. Includes upper sideline tickets to Columbus vs San Jose game, a patch, a movie on the pitch, and a sleepover at the stadium. First 200 Scouts participate in an on-field supporters tunnel. Cost is \$32 and registration must be completed by August 17th at 5:00 pm. Contact Tyler Peeler at (614)447-4127 or email at tpeeler@ColumbusCrewSC.com.

**August 27 Math Plus Academy Programming Merit Badge.** Develop your programming skills with hands on work from Math Plus. There will be a certified programming instructor, laptops, and snacks/refreshments for Scouts. Cost is \$50 and it will be held at the Math Plus Academy-Powell, 9681 Sawmill Road in Powell. From 1:30 pm until 4:30 pm. Contact (614)792-6284 ext. 3 or go online to mathplusacademy.com for more details.

## SEPTEMBER, Adult

**September 9 Clay Target Classic.** Join us for the 12th Annual Clay Target Classic at Cardinal Shooting Center beginning at 10:00 AM. Whether you are a first-time shooter or a seasoned pro, you will enjoy the competition and the feeling of knowing your sponsorship prepared a young person for life. You will also enjoy lunch, beverages, business networking and practice rounds. Register or sponsor at skcscouts.org/clay. Held at Cardinal Shooting Center, 616 OH 61, Marengo, OH 43334.

**September 10-11 Canoe Clinic at Alum Creek.** Help your Scouts and adults develop their flat-water canoeing skills by teaching tripping skills, completing all requirements for the Canoeing Merit Badge and ACA Introduction to Canoeing course. Completion of the Canoe Clinic course qualifies Scouters to rent Council canoes for unit functions. Open to Boy Scout aged boys. Cost: \$30.00 (includes patch). Participants must commute.

**September 16-18 Rappelling/Climbing Clinic.** Join us at Camp Falling Rock for a weekend training clinic combining

rappelling skills with fun & fellowship. Scouts 14 and older, BSA & non-BSA Adults, and Troop Leaders can attend this event. Please register at skcscouts.org under 'Programs' and 'Outdoor Adventure'. For questions, contact Angie Styer at (614) 843-0279 or rappellmaster@gmail.com.

**September 23-25 Green Bar 2016.** This two weekend course (second weekend October 21-23) has been designed to offer all of the basic training modules designated for Scoutmasters, Assistant Scoutmasters, Troop Committee members, Webelos leaders, and interested parents. Scouters who complete the entire course will receive their "Trained" strip and recognition that they are a Green Bar graduate. Location: Camp Falling Rock..

## SEPTEMBER, Youth

**September 3 Math Plus Academy Programming Merit Badge Workshop.** Develop your programming skills with hands on work from Math Plus. There will be a certified programming instructor, laptops, and snacks/

refreshments for Scouts. Cost is \$50 and it will be held at the Math Plus Academy-Powell, 9681 Sawmill Road in Powell. From 1:30 pm until 4:30 pm. Contact (614)792-6284 ext. 3 or go online to mathplusacademy.com for more details.

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**September 24 Columbus Zoo Adventures.** Columbus Zoo is hosting Scouts for four different adventures. They are: Wolf Adventure, Bear Adventure, Tiger Adventure, and Webelos Adventure. Each is tailored toward different activities. Scouts will go on wild adventures while they earn or supplement requirements towards the new Cub Scout Adventures. Cost is \$12 for Scouts and includes admission to the Zoo. Please contact the Zoo office at (614)645-3488 or scouts@columbuszoo.org. You may also visit the Columbus Zoo website.

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instructor, laptops, and snacks/ refreshments for Scouts. Cost is \$50 and it will be held at the Math Plus Academy-New Albany, 9681 5346 North Hamilton Road in Columbus. From 1:30 pm until 4:30 pm. Contact (614)792-6284 ext. 3 or go online to mathplusacademy.com for more details.

**September 24 Grange Audubon: Bird Study Merit Badge** at the Grange Insurance Audubon Center located at 55 Whittier Street, Columbus, Ohio. Cost is only \$15 and it runs from 9:00am-12:00pm. For more information and to register, please contact Allison Clark at aclark@audubon.org.

**September 24-25 Shoot-O-Ree.** Camp Lazarus is hosting the 2016 Shoot-O-Ree. Open to all Cub Scouts, Webelos, siblings, and parents. Safety briefing will be given before participation in any shooting activities. Chuck wagon is also available for food. Cost is \$10 at the door or \$8 if pre-paid by September 21st. Will be held from 9:00 am until 4:00 pm. Visit www.skcscouts.org to register.

**September 25 Fish and Wildlife Management Badge at Columbus Zoo.** The Columbus Zoo and Aquarium is now offering the Fish and Wildlife Management Boy Scout Merit Badge program. The badge workshop is not all-inclusive. Due to length of time needed for completion, requirement five is not completed. Registration limited to first 130 Scouts. Cost is \$30 and is from 10:00 am until 4:00 pm. Please contact the Zoo office at (614)645-3488 or scouts@columbuszoo.org. You may also visit the Columbus Zoo website.

## OCTOBER, Adult

**October 1 Wilderness Remote First Aid Training.** The Wilderness First Aid course provides an intensive 16 hours of training covering injury assessment, rescuer safety, bleeding, shock, orthopedic injuries, long term patient care, and treatment with materials at hand during practice sessions. The cost of the Wilderness First Aid Training

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**October 8 Okama 26 Session 1.** This type of training is still the best interactive, indoor and outdoor learning experience, taught by an experienced and enthusiastic staff. This enhanced course allows Parents, Scoutmasters, Assistant Scoutmasters, Committee Chairmen, Chartered Organization Representatives, Committee Members, Webelos Leaders and Den Leaders to "live" Scouting and learn by doing. It helps Webelos Leaders, Cub Leaders and parents to prepare early for their sons' "Crossing Over" into Scouting. From 7:30 am until 8:30 pm at Camp Falling Rock Lower Camp. Cost is \$65 by September 23rd and \$80 thereafter. Visit scoutingevent.com/?okama26 to register or contact Steve Smith, course director, at 614-276-9772 or email at sksmith@wideopenwest.com.

**October 22 Okama 26 Session 2.** This type of training is still the best interactive, indoor and outdoor learning experience, taught by an experienced and enthusiastic staff. This enhanced course allows Parents, Scoutmasters, Assistant Scoutmasters, Committee Chairmen, Chartered Organization Representatives, Committee Members, Webelos Leaders and Den Leaders to "live" Scouting and learn by doing. It helps Webelos Leaders, Cub Leaders and parents to prepare early for their sons' "Crossing Over" into Scouting. From 8:00 am until 5:30 pm at Stonybrook UMC, 485 Cherry Bottom Road, Gahanna Ohio 43230. Cost is \$65 by September 23rd and \$80 thereafter. Visit scoutingevent.com/?okama26 to register or contact Steve Smith, course director, at 614-276-9772 or email at sksmith@

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**October 7 Tecumseh Scary Camp 2016.** Two weekends of scary fun and activities are offered at Camp Oyo. Choose from October 7 -8 or October 14-15 or attend both! A family friendly weekend for all Cub Scouts and Webelos Scouts. More information and registration

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will be coming soon. This is one of the most popular events that you won't want to miss!

**October 7 *The Cooking Dead.*** The skills portion of the Camp-O-Ree on Saturday is to teach and reinforce basic Scout skills as they relate to the cooking merit badge. In addition to meeting some of these requirements, Scouts will take part in fun activities centered around them. The following skills will be utilized for the cookout: nutrition, sanitation, cooking fires, camp kitchen setup, target shooting (with paintball guns), and zombie campsite setup. Cost is \$15 and it starts at 6:00 pm in Camp Lazarus. Visit [https://scoutingevent.com/?Arrowhead\\_TheCookingDead16](https://scoutingevent.com/?Arrowhead_TheCookingDead16) to register or contact James Borders at [scoutmasterborders@gmail.com](mailto:scoutmasterborders@gmail.com)

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## 17th ANNUAL BOY SCOUT CAMPOREE

requirements towards the new Cub Scout Adventures. Cost is \$12 for Scouts and includes admission to the Zoo. Please contact the Zoo office at (614)645-3488 or [scouts@columbuszoo.org](mailto:scouts@columbuszoo.org). You may also visit the Columbus Zoo website.

**November 19 Dawes Arboretum - Webelos:** Into the Wild. Visit the Discovery Center and hike the trails to find wildlife of wetlands, forests and fields. Where will these animals go and what will they do next? Complete the requirements for the Into the Wild Adventure. \$5 per youth at Dawes Arboretum, 7770 Jacksontown Rd, Heath, OH 43056. Register online at [dawesarb.org](http://dawesarb.org).

### DECEMBER, Youth

**December 4 Columbus Zoo Adventures.** Columbus Zoo is hosting Scouts for four different adventures. They are: Wolf Adventure, Bear Adventure, Tiger Adventure, and Webelos Adventure. Each is tailored toward different activities. Scouts will go on wild adventures while they earn or supplement requirements towards the new Cub Scout Adventures. Cost is \$12 for Scouts and includes admission to the Zoo. Please contact the Zoo office at (614)645-3488 or [scouts@columbuszoo.org](mailto:scouts@columbuszoo.org). You may also visit the Columbus Zoo website.

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### JANUARY, Adult

**January 21 University of Scouting.** Please save the date for the 2017 University of Scouting!

Over 750 tickets were sold to Scouts and their families for the 2017 Columbus Clippers Camporee!



Over 550 of those Scouts and family members spent the night on the field after the game

## POPCORN IS PROGRAM - START PLANNING NOW!



The late summer months are the perfect time to plan for a successful Scouting program. The annual popcorn sale is right around the corner and should play a large role in planning of outdoor programming for your Pack or Troop.

A well-funded Scouting program means your Pack or Troop has the ability to do more outdoor activities, purchase better program equipment and generally do cool stuff. Think of popcorn as the means to engaging your Scouts in the core

component of Scouting: Outdoor activities. Consider this testimonial of why a local Scout unit sells popcorn:

*"Popcorn sets our budget for the year and pays for just about everything we do. It enables us to run a great program without having to go to parents for money to pay for each event."*

At its most basic level, Scouting is an organization that thrives only with a growing number of youth participants. The more young people enrolled in Scouting, the better it is for future generations. So, what's the simplest way to attract new youth into Scouting? Cool outdoor programming. What's the simplest way to pay for cool outdoor programming? How about a fundraiser that nets 32% of proceeds for your Scout group? Enter the popcorn sale.

### Here are some key dates for the 2016 Sale:

- 8/16: Metro Columbus leader training @ SKC Office @6:30PM (option one)
- 8/24: Metro Columbus leader training @ SKC Office @6:30PM (option two)
- Other district trainings TBD. Check [skscouts.org/popcorn](http://skscouts.org/popcorn) for more info.
- 9/1: Final day to place Show and Sell requests
- 9/17: Sale Starts
- 11/5: Sale Ends

For more popcorn related info check out [skscouts.org/popcorn](http://skscouts.org/popcorn) or contact Marshall Long at [marshall.long@scouting.org](mailto:marshall.long@scouting.org).

## HOW YOUR BACK TO SCHOOL SHOPPING CAN GIVE BACK TO SCOUTING

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## CUB SCOUTS CAN'T MISS THE SHOOT-O-REE

For over 25 years, the Shoot-O-Ree at Camp Lazarus has introduced thousands of Cub Scouts, Webelos, siblings, parents, and family members to shooting sports. Join us on September 24 and 25 to learn the shooting skills of BB, archery, sling shots, and more!



Shoot-O-Ree fun will begin at 9:00 a.m. and run until 4:00 p.m. both days. Register and pay by September 21 for only \$8.00 a day, or pay \$10.00 a day starting September 22. Register online at [skscouts.org](http://skscouts.org) under the 'events' tab.

Want to enjoy both days? You can stay the night! Cabins and tent camping are available for additional cost. To reserve a cabin or tent space, contact [rwhitehouse1@hotmail.com](mailto:rwhitehouse1@hotmail.com).

## A UNIQUE SCOUTING EXPERIENCE OSU FOOTBALL USHERING



Join us for one of the most unique experiences only offered through Scouting. Simon Kenton Council's football ushering civic service project is for Boy Scout and Venturing units (Cub Scouts and associated Packs are not permitted).

Please come to the information session on August 10 at 6:00pm at the Leadership Development Center to learn more about how you and your Scouts can get involved.

## LION PILOT PROGRAM INTRODUCES CUB SCOUTING TO KINDERGARTENERS



Scouting families have been asking for years, "when will Scouting be made available for kindergarteners." Well, the time as come!

This is a Boy Scouts of America pilot being tested this year in councils across the country, including ours. Simon Kenton Council has 50 packs entering into year one of a three year pilot.



During year two the pilot will be expanded to a larger number of packs and year three, should the Lion program continue with our National organization, will be a full implantation and ALL packs participate. The program kicks off with this fall's recruitment season and is designed to provide kindergarten-age boys with a Scouting experience that is suitable to their age, skills and experience levels.



### QUARTERLY SCOUTS SKATING SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2016

OHIOHEALTH CHILLER DUBLIN

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2016

OHIOHEALTH CHILLER EASTON

SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 2017

OHIOHEALTH CHILLER NORTH

SATURDAY, MAY 13, 2017

OHIOHEALTH ICE HAUS

*\*TIME IS FROM 5:00-8:00 PM*

**COST:** FREE FOR SCOUTS AND \$7 PER PERSON (INCLUDES SKATE RENTAL) FOR FRIENDS & FAMILY - THIS IS \$3-4 OFF OUR NORMAL PRICING. NO MINIMUMS ARE REQUIRED.

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