The Foundation of Scouting

Scout Oath: On my honor I will do my best to do my duty to God and my country and to obey the Scout Law; to help other people at all times; to keep myself physically strong, mentally awake, and morally straight.

Scout Law: A Scout is trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent.

Scout Mission: The mission of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Scout Law.

2020 Ideal Year of Scouting Catalog – Crossroads of America Council

Council Resources
- Website / Facebook / Twitter / Youtube
- Popcorn Fundraiser / Crossroads & Trails End Popcorn Facebook Group
- Summer Camp 2020 Information, Parent Resources, Registration
- What is Friends of Scouting and Why Should I Contribute?

Membership / Recruiting
- 2020 Crossroads of America Council Recruiting Resources webpage
- New Cub Scout Family Introduction Catalog – What is Cub Scouting?
- BSA Marketing Hub for Recruiting – customized fliers, posters, and more!

Scoutbook
Keep track of all Adventure and Rank Advancements!
- Getting Started in Scoutbook Video
- ScoutBook now features a Den Leader Experience that will help you plan and prepare for den meetings. Details on what to do before, during, and after meeting along with the resources you need to deliver the program right at your fingertips.
- Get the Scouting Application on your phone!

Scout Shop Information
- Crossroads Scout Shop Website and local store information
- Crossroads Online Shopping

Contact Council / Key Leadership

Pack Committee
- Cub Scout Pack Annual Program Planning Guide
- Succession Planning Worksheet for Committees / Succession Planning Presentation
- Template to build your Pack Program Calendar – use with IYOS Catalog & Council Calendar
- 2020 Pack JTE Scorecard

Training
- Youth Protection Training Resources for All Adults
- Position-Specific Training Requirements – all leaders
- Guide to Safe Scouting & Resources
- Age-Appropriate Guidelines for Cub Scouting

Community Opportunities / Calendar
- Crossroads of America Council’s Community Activities, Partnerships, and Service webpage
  - How to Report Community Service Hours video
- Crossroads of America Council Calendar
- Adopt-A-School – 2020 Fall Community Service Project

Popcorn
- Popcorn Fundraiser
- Crossroads & Trails End Popcorn Facebook Group

Den Leaders
- How to run a Den Meeting, information on Den Chiefs & Denners, Resources
- DL Guides
  - Lion Program Resources / New Lion Den Leader Guide / Lion Den Recording
  - Tiger Program Resources / New Tiger Den Leader Guide / Tiger Den Recording
  - Wolf Program Resources / New Wolf Den Leader Guide / Wolf Den Recording
  - Bear Program Resources / New Bear Den Leader Guide / Bear Den Recording
  - Webelos Program Resources / Webelos Den Leader Guide / Webelos Recording
- Earning Bobcat Ranking