



ACORN 2020



Every Youth Deserves Trained Leaders

What is ACORN?	ACORN is a combination of Scoutmaster/ASM Leadership Training (SMLST) and Introduction to Outdoor Leadership Skills (IOLS). These two courses are the required training for Scoutmasters and Assistant Scoutmasters.
When and Where?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SM/ASM Leadership Training – May 2, 2020 – SFBAC YLTC in San Leandro • Intro. to Outdoor Leadership Part 1 – May 3, 2020 – YLTC in San Leandro • Intro. to Outdoor Leadership Part 2 – May 15-17, 2020 – Rancho Los Mochos
How much?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SM/ASM Leadership Training – May 2, 2020 -- \$20 at the door. • Intro to Outdoor Leadership – May 3 and May 15-17, 2020 -- \$30 at the door.
NOTE: Links for registration will open in late February on the Council website – Registration is required in advance, and all payments must be made online at the time of registration.	
Who should attend?	Every adult leader, every committee member and every involved parent in your Troop can benefit from the skills and concepts they will learn at ACORN.
Taught by?	Current and former Scoutmasters, ASMs and other experienced Mission Peak District Scouters – men, women and youth who have been there!



What you will learn:

- The purposes, aims and methods of Scouting
- Troop organization
- The patrol method
- The Patrol Leaders Council
- How to organize and help plan a great Scouting program
- How to promote fun and successful troop campouts
- Training youth leadership
- The advancement program
- Scout skills such as knots, lashings, first aid, axes and knives and much, much more!



ACORN participants get a real taste of the Scouting program in action – everyone has Fun with a Purpose!

For more information, sign-up details or even – most fun of all – to be on staff, contact Brian Tudor at betudor@sbcglobal.net or Tom Sims at trsims@att.net