

CHAPTER 1

Cub/Webelos Awards for California Inland Empire

FIREBIRD TRAIL

The award can only be earned at Camp Helendade (California Inland Empire Council) during the Summer and very early Fall months.

Requirements:

1. This award can be earned by Webelos, Den Chiefs, Scouts and Scouters who hike five (5) miles, round trip, on the Firebird Trail as a Webelos Den. Trailhead is located at Camp Helendade.
2. At least one adult is required for every three Webelos. A minimum of two adults on every trip.
3. Water and a sack lunch must be carried by each participant. Day packs are suggested. Each participant must carry his personal first-aid kit and one adult must carry a Den first-aid kit and be qualified in basic first-aid.
4. No fire, at anytime, is permitted. File a Local Tour Permit two weeks prior to the hike.
5. Leader must check in and out with the Camp Ranger and provide a list of all hikers. Certificate is available for each participant during Summer Camp only. For health and safety reasons, do not swim in, or drink the water in Deep Creek.
6. The Den must start the hike by 9:00 AM. It is suggested an overnight campout be planned. It is strongly recommended that the Den Leader, or adult in charge, have completed the Basic Backpack training.



FIG.1-1
FIREBIRD TRAIL
2" X 2"

WEBELOS UNDER THE STARS

Webelos, Den Chiefs and Scouters can earn this overnight camping patch by planning and attending any Webelos Den overnight campout. However, this patch cannot be earned when working on any other High Adventure Award.

Requirements:

1. Two weeks prior to the overnight campout, a Local Tour Permit must be filed with your local Council Office.
2. The patch is earned by completing a Den overnight campout where Webelos are working on various Activity Badges. This could be a family campout that Webelos, parents, and Den Leaders are attending.
3. The patch may be worn on the right shirt pocket of the Webelos Uniform as a temporary patch.
4. While the overnight campout does not have to be at a Council Camp, it is recommended.
5. At least one adult should have a first-aid kit and be qualified in basic first-aid.



FIG. 1-2
WEBELOS UNDER THE STARS
2" X 2"

MT. BADEN-POWELL

Requirements:

1. Comply with the General Requirements.
2. Climb to the peak of Mt. Baden-Powell (9,399 ft.)

INFORMATION

1. This award may be earned by Webelos. This hike is NOT RECOMMENDED for Cubs.
2. This award can be earned alone, or with other awards where you may plan a climb of Mt. Baden-Powell.
3. Summer is the best time for this trip. The trail is closed during the Winter months, usually from November to June.
4. Carry your drinking water for the hike from home. There is no dependable source at the trailhead or on the trail.

LOCATION

A trail is located at Vincent Gap. From I-10 and I-215 proceed north on I-215, 22 miles to Cajon Junction, take Hwy. 138, then Hwy 2 (West) 19.5 miles to Vincent Gap.



FIG. 1-3
MT. BADEN POWELL
2" x 2"

AKELA AWARD

The Akela Award program is to be used to encourage WEBELOS to become BOY SCOUTS. This is an optional program and is not required by BSA for any rank advancement or transition. The program is to be implemented at the discretion of the Unit Leaders.

Requirements:

1. As a WEBELOS, earn at least six Activity Pins AND at least one Cub Adventure Award AND attend a Boy Scout Troop Meeting or Court of Honor; OR earn the ARROW OF LIGHT Award.
2. As a WEBELOS, complete two hours of service in the home, church, school, or community. Parents and boy must agree on the scope of the project and the Webelos Leader must approve the project. Parents certify that project has been completed.
3. Within four months of graduating from the Cub Scout Pack or after completing the Fifth Grade, the boy must register with a Scout Troop and complete the Boy Scout joining requirements.
4. As a BOY SCOUT, be active in your Troop and Patrol for at least six months AND attend at least one overnight troop campout; OR, advance to the TENDERFOOT Rank.



FIG. 1-4
AKELA AWARD
3" DIA.

FOR LEADERS: The AKELA AWARD may be presented to the Cubmaster, Webelos Leader, Webelos Den Chief, Scoutmaster, Assistant Scoutmaster for New Scouts, or Troop Guide who has had a minimum of four boys in their Pack, Den or Troop earn the AKELA AWARD.

Implementation:

1. The Scoutmaster should coordinate with the Webelos Leader for the "Troop Visit" and plan a "Bridging Ceremony" for graduating WEBELOS.
2. When the boy joins the Scout Troop, he must inform the Scout Leader that he has been a Webelos, that he has completed the AKELA AWARD requirements for WEBELOS, and that he desires to complete the Boy Scout AKELA AWARD requirements.
3. It is recommended that the AKELA AWARD should be presented at a meeting of the Scout's former Cub Pack to help encourage Cubs to transition into Scouting.
4. Apply for awards through your local HAT or order from ADVENTURE AWARDS, 23419 E. Mane Dr., Diamond Bar, CA. 91765.



HOME TOWN HISTORIC SITES

The Home Town Historic Sites Award is designed to promote awareness of local community history. The award may be earned by Cubs, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, or Adult Leaders as an individual or a Unit activity.

Requirements:

1. Comply with all applicable GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.
2. File a Local Tour Permit.
3. Contact a High Adventure Team member or your local community historical society for suggestions on appropriate sites to visit. Upon completion of all requirements, file an awards application with your local High Adventure Team or Council Office, OR mail to ADVENTURE AWARDS, 23419 E. Mane Dr., Diamond Bar, CA. 91765.
4. Prepare a listing of local historical sites in or near your community which are of interest to you.
5. Within a sixty-day (60) period, visit any four sites on your list. For two, (2), of these sites, you must hike between one site and the other. The hike may be completed on foot or by bicycle. (Unit Leader may waive this requirement if route is not safe for all participants, or if distance is over two miles between sites).
6. Each participant shall prepare a report at a Den or Pack Meeting on the sites visited. The report may be oral, written, a drawing, or a display.

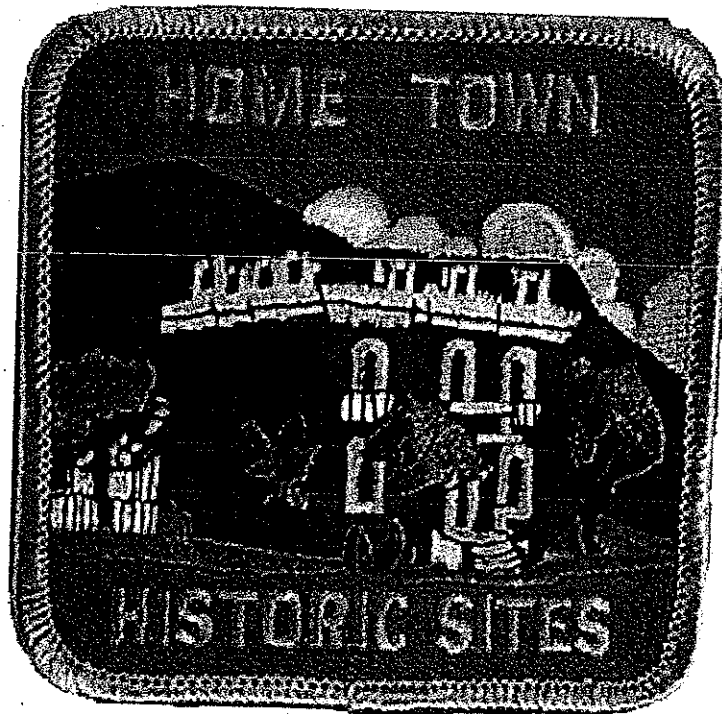


FIG. 1-5
HOME TOWN HISTORIC SITES
3" X 3"

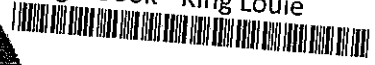
JUNGLE BOOK AWARD

This award has been developed to assist Cub Leaders in promoting outdoor programs and summertime activities. The seven parts of the award are designed to augment the WOLF or BEAR Arrowhead Electives and the Webelos Activity Pin requirements. The Jungle Book Award may be earned by Den Chiefs and Adult Leaders who participate in the outings. (Characters used with permission, Walt Disney Co., 1988)

Jungle Book Akela



Jungle Book - King Louie



Jungle Book - Shere Khan



FIG.1-7
JUNGLE BOOK AWARD
4 1/2" DIA.

Jungle Book - Kaa



WEBELOS CYCLING

This award is designed to promote the enjoyment of bicycling. It should be planned as a Webelos Den Activity. Only registered Webelos Scouts, Adult Leaders, and Den Chiefs may qualify for this award.

Requirements:

1. Before the first bicycle ride, have Handyman requirement 5, 6, and 7 signed off. Additionally, be sure the bicycle meets local laws. Earn the Handyman Activity Badge before receiving the award.
2. For both rides, each boy should have access to the following equipment:
 - a. Patch kit or extra inner tube.
 - b. Tire lever for removing the tire from the rim.
 - c. A tire pump.
3. Cyclist must have taken a day training ride of at least 15 kilometers (9.3 miles) before the award ride.
4. The cyclist must complete this award ride within a day by riding at least 25 kilometers (15.5 miles).
5. Each ride should be done for enjoyment, so stopping at points of interest is encouraged. Water and lunches are recommended.
6. Leader to Webelos ratio must be at least 1 adult leader for 8 boys and not less than 2 adults for any ride.
7. Leader must carry a parent release (emergency consent) for each Webelos, which specifies the outing and date covered, and must have a completed tour permit turned into the Council office.
8. Riding group must have at least one registered adult Scouter. Each riding group must also have an adult with a current First Aid card. The adult Scouter may be the First Aid card carrier.
9. It is highly recommended that each rider wear a safety helmet.
10. It is highly recommended that the riding group use Class I bikeways. Class I bikeways, also referred to as "bike trails" or "bike paths", are routes that do not follow any previously established right-of-way. Ideally, they are constructed exclusively for use by cyclists and offer the most pleasant recreational riding.

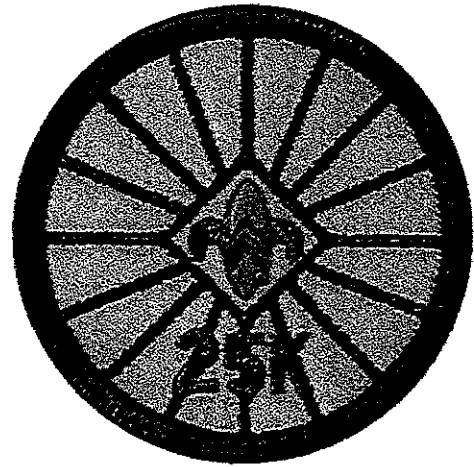


FIG. 1-6
WEBELOS CYCLING
1 1/4" DIA.

Requirements:

1. Comply with the GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.
2. Each segment requires a separate outdoor activity and a different Arrowhead or Activity Pin requirement. Den Leader will keep a record and verify completion of all requirements.
3. File a Tour Permit with your local Council for all outings.

THE MOWGLI AWARD: (2" Center Patch)

This award **MUST** be earned prior to earning any of the individual segments

1. Study the stories of the Jungle Book Tales by Rudyard Kipling and by Disney. Answer the following questions:
 - a. Who was Mowgli?
 - b. Who was Akela?
 - c. Who spoke for Mowgli to join the Wolf pack?
 - d. Who taught Mowgli the "Law of the Jungle"?
 - e. What did Kaa do to help Mowgli?
 - f. What was the "Red Flower"? Why did Mowgli use it?

AKELA SEGMENT:

May be earned as a WOLF, BEAR, or WEBELOS.

1. Participate in a Den or Pack outing to a local zoo or nature center and observe one of the animals represented by a character from the "Jungle Book Stories". Draw a picture of the animal OR describe the following:
 - a. Animal's features
 - b. Native habitat
 - c. Foods the animal eats
2. Complete two requirements toward a Cub Arrowhead Elective or Webelos Activity Pin on animal or family topics.

KAA SEGMENT:

May be earned as a WOLF, BEAR, or WEBELOS.

1. Participate in a Den, Pack, or Council outdoor or summertime activity OR earn one of the following Cub Adventure Awards:
 - a. Cub Ranger
 - b. Firebird Trail
 - c. Vasquez Rock-Geologic Hike
 - d. Big Sycamore Canyon
2. Complete two requirements toward Arrowhead Elective or Webelos Activity Pin related to outdoor topics.

BALOO SEGMENT:

May only be earned while a BEAR or WEBELOS.

1. Participate in a Den, Pack or Council outdoor or summertime activity OR earn one of the following awards:
 - a. Conservation Award.
 - b. Whale Watcher (WLAAC) OR Whale Award (SDC)
 - c. Grunion run
2. Complete two requirements towards an Arrowpoint elective or Activity Pin on a Nature or Conservation topic.

KING LOUIE SEGMENT:

May only be earned while a BEAR or WEBELOS.

1. Participate in a Den, Pack, or Council outdoor or summertime activity OR earn one of the following awards:
 - a. Home Town Historic Sites
 - b. Historic Cycling Tour
 - c. ~~El Camino Real~~
 - d. Old Town Heritage
 - e. Los Fierros
2. Complete any two requirements towards an Arrowpoint Elective or Activity Pin on Games or Sports topics OR earn a Cub Sports Award

BAGHEERA SEGMENT:

May only be earned as a WEBELOS.

1. Participate in a Webelos Den or Council outdoor or Summertime activity OR earn one of the following awards:
 - a. Webelos 5-mile Hiker
 - b. Mormon Battalion Trail
 - c. Webelos Cycling 25-km
 - d. Penguin Club
2. Earn the Readyman Activity Pin, AND
3. Complete any ONE of the following Activity Pins:
 - a. Athlete
 - b. Fitness
 - c. Sportsman
 - d. Aquanaut

SHER KAHN SEGMENT:

May only be earned as a WEBELOS.

1. Participate in a Den, Pack or Council outdoor or summertime activity OR earn one of the following awards:
 - a. Webelos Scout Hiker (WLAAC)
 - b. Webelos Under the Stars (CIEC)
 - c. Webelos Overnighter (SDC)
 - d. Scout-Webelos Weekend (WLAAC)
 - e. Webelos Trail Maintenance (WLAAC)
2. Complete any two of the following Activity Pins:
 - a. Forester
 - b. Outdoorsman
 - c. Naturalist
 - d. Geologist
3. Earn or have earned the Readyman Activity Pin.

Apply for your Awards through your Council HAT or order from ADVENTURE AWARDS, 23419 E. Mane Dr.,

AWARD IS RETROACTIVE TO January 1, 1989.

CHAPTER 2

Cub/Webelos Awards for Long Beach Area

LOS FIERROS

Obtain the Los Fierros pamphlet from the Long Beach Area Council. You will need this Award Brochure to answer questions, refer to maps, and submit your application for the Los Fierros Award.

Requirements:

1. Visit Rancho Los Cerritos and Rancho Los Alamitos. (Directions in award brochure).
2. Visit the Rancho Boundary Series Markers. (Map on page 4 of brochure.)
3. Visit the following Long Beach landmarks:
 - a. Willmore's Dream: near corner of 14th and Pacific.
 - b. Anaheim Landing: South of intersection of Pacific Coast Highway and Seal Beach Boulevard.
 - c. Boundary marker between Rancho Los Cerritos and Rancho Los Alamitos, on Ocean Boulevard at end of Anaheim Avenue.
 - d. Boundary marker between Rancho Los Alamitos, Rancho Los Cerritos, and Rancho Los Coyotes, at DeMille Junior High School near Los Coyotes Avenue and Carson Boulevard.
 - e. Site of first Long Beach bench mark: In Rotary Club Park on top of Signal Hill on Panorama Drive.

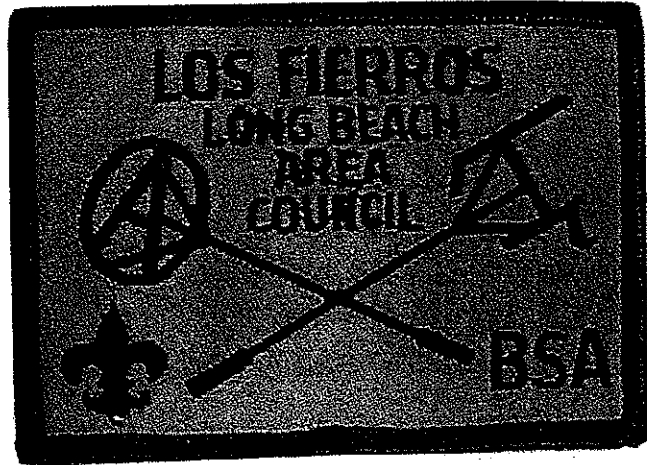


FIG. 2-1
LOS FIERROS
4" X 3"

Do either #4 or #5 not both.

4. Report on any of the following:
 - a. Willmore's Dream
 - b. Anaheim Landing
 - c. The first bench mark in Long Beach.
5. Visit and report on any one of the following:
 - a. Dominguez Ranch: 18127 Alameda, Compton. Property of Dominguez Seminary. Tours by appointment. Phone: (213) 631-5981
 - b. Phineas T. Banning Mansion: Banning Park, Pacific Coast Highway, Wilmington. Open daily, April through October, from 1:00 PM to 4:30 PM. Admission: Adults, \$.25. Children \$.10 (subject to change).
 - c. La Mesa Battlefield: 4500 Downey Road, Vernon. In Crocker-Citizens Bank parking lot.
6. Camp overnight at Will J. Reid Scout Park; other than Boy Scout groups, at Monte Verde Park in Lakewood. Reservations are required for both parks.
7. Answer 13 out of the 15 questions on page 6 of the Award Brochure.

CUB SCOUT CYCLIST AWARD

The objective of this award is to introduce Cub Scouts to the pleasures of cycling, while teaching both safety and cycling laws. This award may be earned by all registered Cub Scouts and Adult Cub Scout Leaders.

4- PATCH AWARD:

Red	=	5 Miles
Bronze	=	10 Miles
Silver	=	15 Miles
Gold	=	20 Miles

Each patch is embroidered in 4 different colors. Each patch **MUST** be earned separately.

Requirements:

- General Requirements must be met. Reference: Cub Scout Bicycling Sports Book, available at Council offices.
- There will be a minimum of 2 adults for every 8 boys and at no time will there be less than 2 adults present.
- Only Class 1 Bicycle Routes may be used on the 5, 10 and 15 Mile Rides. Class 2 Routes may be used (with proper approval of HAT Rep) by Webelos Groups on the 20 Mile ride, only when used to reach a camp from a Class 1 Route. All Routes must be pre-approved by your local HAT Representative.
- All bicycles are to be licensed in the city of each Cub's residence.
- All Cubs, Scouts and Scouters will be made aware of the State and Local Traffic Laws in regard to **SAFE CYCLING**. the leader is responsible for checking on all applicable laws. Reference: California DMV Handbook and Cycle Merit Badge Counselor.
- All Cubs must earn the Bicycling Fitness Sports Belt Loop prior to attempting any of these rides.
- All bicycles will be "safety checked" prior to trip by a BSA Merit Badge Counselor or local bike shop.
- At least one adult cyclist will hold a current Red Cross Standard First Aid card or better and will carry a first aid kit.
- Each Cub Scout must be in uniform and carry his personal equipment such as energy snack, drinking water and jacket. Each boy should have access to the following equipment: Patch Kit or inner tube, tire lever and tire pump.
- The Trips:
 - This Ride must be a minimum of 5 Miles in length. This Ride earns the **RED BORDERED** cycling patch.
 - After completing the 5 Mile Ride, a second Ride of 10 Miles in length may be taken. There must be a minimum of one week between rides. This Ride earns the **BRONZE BORDERED** cycling patch.
 - After completion of the 5 and 10 Mile Rides, a ride of 15 Miles may be taken. If it has been some time since the previous two rides were taken, a warm up ride of not less than 5 miles is required prior to the 15 Mile Ride. There must be a minimum of one week between rides. This Ride earns the **SILVER BORDERED** cycling patch.
 - For the 5th Grade Webelos who have completed the 3 previous rides,, a 20 Mile Ride (2 - 10 Mile Segments) with an overnight camp may be taken. If it has been some time since the previous rides were taken, a warm up ride of not less than 5 miles is required prior to attempting this ride. This Ride earns the **GOLD BORDERED** cycling patch and completes the award.
- A chase vehicle must accompany the group and the drivers must be aware of the trail access locations.



FIG. 2-2
CUB SCOUT CYCLIST AWARD
3" DIA.

12. Each participant must carry out his own trash and any left over by others.
13. Each Den must make an oral report at the next Pack meeting. (The National BSA office has determined that written reports by Cubs are not required, nor necessary).

Comments:

It is recommended that these trips be attempted on a DEN basis.

After a rain, trail access along flood control trails are locked. Therefore, check your local authorities regarding trail access.

Class 1 Trail information can be obtained from the L.A. County Transportation Commission, Long Beach Parks and Recreation, Orange County Dept. of Public Works and through many publications offered by your local bike shops.

A Class 1 Trail is a trail which is fully separated from traffic, such as a river bed trail.

A Class 2 Trail is a trail which is separated from traffic by a line indicating a bike lane.

CHAPTER 3

Cub/Webelos Awards for Boulder dam Area

DESERT AWARENESS AWARD

This award was established to promote awareness of the desert as a viable ecosystem.

Requirements:

1. Meet all applicable Area IV General Requirements.
2. Before the hike, study about deserts and know:
 - a. What makes a desert.
 - b. How plants and animals adapt to the dry environment.
 - c. What special equipment or supplies are needed to safely hike in the desert.
3. Take a two hour hike in the desert:
 - a. Be sure to carry 1 quart of more of water for each person. If hike will last longer than 2 hours, be sure to bring extra water. Wear hats and use sunscreen.
 - b. Think safety first. Be aware of weather conditions, and do not hike in excessive heat or if there is a chance of a thunderstorm.
 - c. At least one adult leader should be qualified in Basic First Aid and carry a first aid kit.
 - d. Note any animals or plants you see.
4. After the hike, the den will submit a short report telling:
 - a. The names of three deserts.
 - b. Naming five plants and/or animals that you saw on the hike, or that live in the area in which you hiked, and tell how they are adapted to living in the desert.

FIG. 3-1
DESERT AWARENESS AWARD
3" DIA.

Resource list for reading material:

Let's Take a Trip: A Living Desert, Guy Spencer
Wonders of the Desert World, Judith Rinard
A Closer Look at Deserts, Jill Hughes
The Hidden Life of the Desert, Thomas Wiewandt



CHAPTER 4

Cub/Webelos Awards for Desert Pacific

EL CAMINO REAL

Many places are not programmed for large groups of Cub-age youth (such as Packs) so it is strongly recommended that this award be a Den project. Young people learn more, and have more fun, when in smaller groups. Trips to missions, museums and the hike should be done by Dens.

Requirements:

1. History of El Camino Real.
 - a. Scan a brief history of El Camino Real.
 - b. The lunch period of the hike, or sit down, should include (in addition to eating and "letting off steam"), a discussion of El Camino Real during the hundred year period from 1760 to 1860. This discussion should include:
 - (1) A description of El Camino Real and the mission it served in the Den's Council where the Den is earning the award.
 - (2) Why El Camino Real was founded and by whom.
 - (3) The many peoples who traveled along El Camino Real in its short history.
 - (4) Life in Southern California when El Camino Real was at its greatest use.

2. Visit at least two of the original twenty-one Missions of Alta California (U.S.A.) and visit a museum portraying artifacts and life of the mission era. The museum may be at one of the missions visited.

3. Assist the Den in the preparation and eating of a mission drink and a mission dessert. Suggestions are:

"Chaperrado" (Spanish hot chocolate): Use double the amount of your favorite chocolate mix and add a dash of cinnamon to achieve the flavor of "chocolate caliente".

"Jiricalla" (nearest thing to Mission ice-cream): Separate 6 egg yolks from 6 whites, mix 1 qt. milk, 3/4 cup sugar and a dash of nutmeg; add slowly to egg yolks; blend in cornstarch and cook over medium heat, stirring continuously until thickens. Remove from heat, add egg whites (whipped stiff), to top. Place in oven long enough to set meringue. Remove, sprinkle lightly with sugar and cool. (A good project for a Den meeting at a cooks house).

4. Hike 5 miles along El Camino Real. As most of El Camino Real is now on private land, in streets and along highways where hiking is dangerous, the High Adventure Team has approved a 5-mile hike in San Diego's "Old Town" and "Presidio Park". Contact Desert Pacific Council for maps and additional information.

5. Comply with the General Requirements for Cub Adventure Awards.



FIG. 4-1
EL CAMINO REAL
3" DIA.

OLD TOWN HERITAGE

This patch is designed to encourage scouts to learn about local history and about the American period in Old Town State Historical Park. To earn this patch, Cub Scouts must take a field trip to the park and complete three of the following.

Requirements:

1. Tour Seeley Stables and see a film on the History of Old Town;
2. Tour the Casa de Estudillo;
3. Visit the Mason Street School House and learn from the docent what it was like to be a student in a one-room school. Call (619) 297-1183 to make arrangements for the preparation;
4. Hold a short Den Meeting in the Plaza to salute the American Flag. Discuss how many flags flew over Old Town and how many have flown in California;
5. Take a nature walk through the park to learn about native plants and flowers (Contact the Desert Pacific Council for their brochure containing a map, guide, and preparation sheet) or arrange a tour of the Old Town San Diego State Historic Park (call 619/237-6766 for tour and admission information).



FIG. 4-2
OLD TOWN HERITAGE
3" X 3"

Webelos 5 Hiker -HAT

WEBELOS HIKER



Requirements:

1. Hiker must be a member of a Webelos Den on a scheduled outing and have earned the Forester Activity Badge.
2. Hiker must have taken a day training hike of at least 2-1/2 miles before this award hike.
3. Hiker must complete this award in a non-urban area. It must be at least five (5) miles round trip and preferably less than eight (8) miles.
4. Every Webelos should be in uniform and carry his own personal equipment, including a snack, drinking water, and jacket.



FIG. 4-3
WEBELOS HIKER
2" X 2"

Requirements for Webelos Hike Leader:

1. Leader must meet all applicable Desert Pacific Council General Requirements (Form HA2000 available at the Council Service Center) and should get approval (by telephone is OK) from H.A.T. representative during early planning stages regarding trail to be used, etc.
2. Webelos unit must be accompanied by two (2) adults (21 years old or older), one of which must have a current American Red Cross Multimedia First-Aid car or better in his possession.
3. Leaders to Webelos ratio must be at least two (2) leaders for 8 boys and not less than two (2) adults for any hike.
4. Leader must carry a parent release (emergency consent) for each Webelos which specifies the outing date covered. Form is available at Council Service Center.
5. Local Tour Permits must be obtained from Council Office before hike and carried by hike leader on the hike.

U.S. MORMON BATTALION TRAIL

Many places are not programmed for large groups of Cub-age youth (such as a Pack) so it is strongly recommended that this award be a Den project.

Requirements:

1. History of the Mormon Battalion Trail.
 - a. Read a brief history of the Mormon Battalion in the Mexican War. See Desert Pacific Trek Aid No. 107 for books recommended for Cub-age youth.
 - b. The lunch period of the hike, or sit-down session, should include a discussion of the Mormon Battalion in the Mexican War. Include:
 - (1) What the Mormon Battalion was.
 - (2) The route, or trail, of the Battalion from Council Bluffs, Iowa, to San Diego, California.
 - (3) The Mormon Battalion and the Indians.
 - (4) The hardships encountered by the Battalion, particularly the crossing of the Southwest Deserts.
2. Visit a memorial to the Mormon Battalion, if within reasonable driving distance. Those earning the award in the Desert Pacific Council shall visit either the Mormon Battalion Memorial in Presidio Park, or the Mormon Battalion Visitor's Center at 3520 Juan Street in "Old Town", San Diego. Visit a museum that displays artifacts and life of the period of the Mexican War.
3. Assist the Den in the preparation and eating of a typical Battalion trail lunch. Since the Battalion did not typically stop for lunch, their lunch consisted basically of dried meat and biscuits which could be carried and eaten as they marched. Beef jerky may be substituted for "mule meat".
4. Take a five mile hike along the original Trail of the Mormon Battalion. However, some of the original trail, particularly in built-up areas may be closed to hikers. When it is not practical or safe to hike on the actual trail, the participants may follow an alternate trail known to have been used by the U.S. Army in the Mexican War. These alternate trails must be approved in writing by the H.A.T. of the Council in which they are located.
5. Tour Permits are required. Comply with the General Requirements for Cub Adventure Awards.

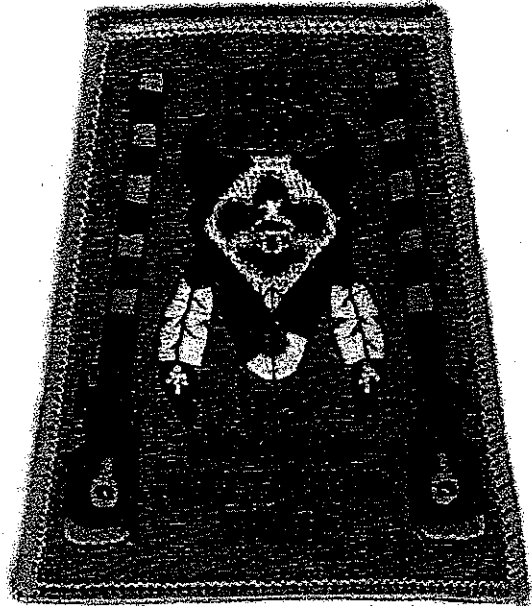


FIG. 4-4
U.S. MORMON BATTALION TRAIL
3" X 4"

WEBELOS OVERNIGHTER

Requirements:

1. Camp overnight in a Boy Scout Camp or public/private campground. Webelos can sleep in a tent or under the stars.
2. With an adult partner, plan a breakfast, lunch and dinner. Webelos Scout is to cook his breakfast and dinner. Clean up afterwards.
3. Participate in an evening campfire.
4. Comply with the General Requirements Cub Adventure Awards



FIG. 4-5
WEBELOS OVERNIGHTER
Whale Award DIA.



WHALE AWARD

Requirements:

1. Read one of the following which may be checked out from your local library:
 - a. The Whales Go By, by Fred Phlegar
 - b. The Great Whales, by Herbert S. Zim
 - c. Whales, by Bernard Stonehouse
 - d. Whales and Dolphins, by G. Collins Wheat.

or, ask your librarian to help you find any other book on whales which you can read and understand.

NOTE: Do not keep these books checked out too long because there are other children who might also want to use them.

2. Visit the whale exhibit in the basement of the Museum of Natural History in Balboa Park. Especially notice the miniature models of whales, and skeletons of the whale and dolphin.
3. Visit the Cabrillo National Monument (lighthouse) atop Point Loma and:
 - a. Read the California Gray Whale exhibit displayed out-of-doors, listen to the tape recording, and
 - b. SIGHT A GRAY WHALE GOING NORTH OR SOUTH ALONG THE COAST OF SAN DIEGO COUNTY or if a whale is not sighted, visit Sea World and watch the Whale Show.Note: The whales do not need to be sighted from the lighthouse, but may be sighted anywhere along the San Diego County Coast.



FIG. 4-6
WHALE AWARD
3" DIA.

CHAPTER 5

Cub/Webelos Awards for Ventura County

BIG SYCAMORE CANYON

This hike award is designed as a supplement to the CUB DAY HIKER award for those units who undertake an active hiking program, and it provides an added level of recognition to promote continued interest in the outdoor program of the Cub Pack. It is a recognition for Cub Scouts and Registered Leaders who complete the Big Sycamore Canyon hike.

The basic patch may be earned only once, but for units that schedule this hike periodically, repeat hikers may be recognized by being allowed to wear a repeat numeral in the sky area of the patch under the word "SCOUT". (Use the Webelos Den-numerals.)

Requirements:

1. Meet all of the Council General Requirements and General Requirements for Cub Adventure Awards including the filing of a TOUR PERMIT one week before hike.
2. Each Cub and Leader must have earned the CUB DAY HIKER award on a prior hike, and indicate adequate conditioning for a 9 mile hike.
3. There must be two registered leaders for the first ten (10) Cubs, plus one additional leader for every 10 Cubs (or fraction) more; at least one leader must carry a first-aid kit and be familiar with basic first-aid.
4. Every Cub Scout should be in uniform and carry his own personal equipment, including a snack, drinking water, and jacket.
5. The hike starts in the dirt parking lot of Rancho Sierra Vista at the north end of Point Magu State Park. This is accessed off Potrero Road, turn south 1/3 mile west of the corner of Potrero and Reino Rds. at the far south end of Newbury Park. The hike heads out of the parking lot and south to the brim of Big Sycamore Canyon, then down into the canyon along a paved road. Just before the Danielson Ranch Multi-use Area, bear right on the dirt road/trail (at about 3-1/2 miles). Follow this route south to the beach (another 5 miles). The hike ends at the Sycamore Cove picnic area on the beach side of the Pacific Coast Highway.
6. The hike objective should be to observe the natural features of the canyon, and to observe the plant and animal life along the way. Each Cub must bring a paper and pencil to record the types of plants and animals, and natural features seen. Hike Leaders should have nature breaks about every 1/2 hour to discuss the natural surroundings.
7. Every Cub (or Den with every Cub participating) must submit a list of at least 20 plants, animals, and features seen on the hike.
8. Carry your trash and that left behind by others.
9. On completion of the hike, complete a High Adventure Award application and submit along with the Nature List(s) to your local H.A.T. Representative for approval.
10. It is suggested you start by 8:30 am to reach the beach by 1:00 pm (assuming breaks each 1/2 hour).



FIG. 5-1
BIG SYCAMORE CANYON
3" DIA.

CUB DAY HIKER

This award is designed to promote the outdoor program in the Cub Pack and give recognition to the participants.

Requirements:

1. File a Local Tour Permit one week prior to the hike.
2. The hike should take a minimum of two (2) hours to complete.
3. Each Cub Scout should be in uniform (if available) and carry his personal equipment such as lunch, drinking water, and extra clothing (jacket, etc.).
4. Each Cub Scout should bring a pencil and paper to take notes, and each Den is to submit a short hike report to the Pack.
5. At least one adult in the group should carry a first-aid kit and be familiar with basic first-aid.
6. Carry out your trash and trash left behind by others.
7. On completion of the hike, fill out a hike award application and submit this with the Den Hike Report to your local High Adventure representative for approval.



FIG. 5-2
CUB DAY HIKER
2" X 2"

Cub Ranger



CUB RANGER

This award is designed to supplement the cubbing program, especially in the summer months. Cubs, Webelos, Den Chiefs and registered adult scouters may earn this award by completing all the requirements. This award cannot be earned in conjunction with any other High Adventure Award, but you are encouraged to use this award as part of advancement requirements.

Requirements:

1. Comply with all Council General Requirements and General Requirements for Cub Adventure Awards.
2. Visit a National, State, County, City or Local Park that has a "Ranger" type program relating to the outdoors. Example: Guided nature hikes, environmental and animal programs, etc.
3. Participate in the "ranger" program, take notes, and complete a Den Report.
4. A boy from the Den will present this report at the next Pack Meeting. If possible, the award should be presented to the Den during the Pack Meeting.
5. Awards may be displayed on the right pocket (temporary patch location) of the Cub and Webelos uniform. Den Chiefs and Scouters should display these awards on a "brag sheet" or backpack.



FIG. 5-3
CUB RANGER
2" X 2"

CHAPTER 6

Cub/Webelos Awards for Western Los Angeles County

CUB CONSERVATION

Requirements:

1. Must have approval from agency or representative of area where conservation project is going to be done prior to beginning work on this project.
2. The B.S.A. Local Tour Permit is required.
3. The Tour Permit and Award Application Form must be signed (on backside) by the agency representative to receive credit for hours worked.
4. Must be an approved unit function.
5. Each participant must be a currently registered Cub or Webelos Scout including currently registered Leaders.
6. All award applications shall be approved by your H.A.T. Council Representative before awards will be issued.
7. The award is divided into three separate five-hour segments with the "patch" awarded together with the first five-hour "segment-patch" upon completion of five hours of approved conservation work.
8. Den Chiefs can earn equivalent Conservation Award in the Scouting program.

NOTE: This award WILL NOT be issued for picking up trash. The Mission Council Anti-Litter Award is available for "trash pick-up" activities.

Cub Conservation



5 hour Segment



10 Hour Segment



15 Hour Segment

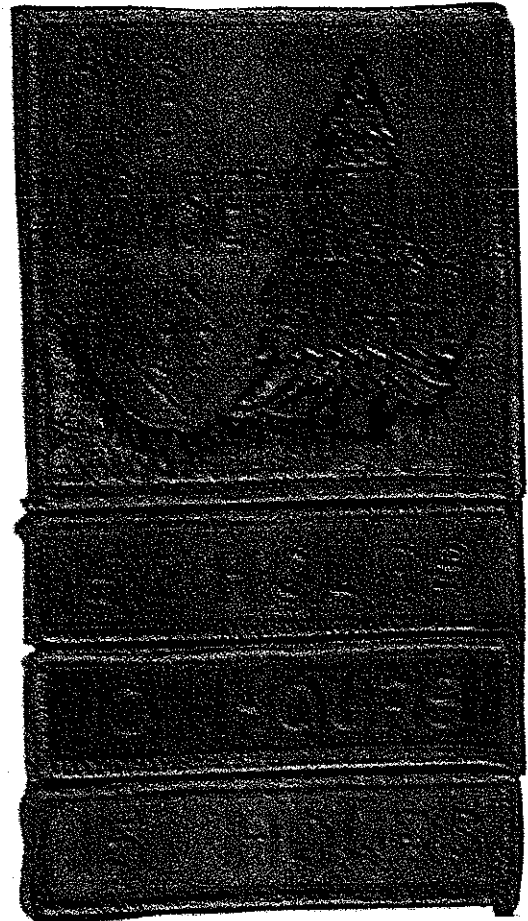


FIG. 6-1
CUB CONSERVATION
3" X 5½" w/SEGMENTS



GRUNION RUN

Requirements:

1. Obtain the B.S.A. Local Tour Permit. This award is available to Brownies as well as Cub Scouts.
2. Attend the Grunion Program presented by Cabrillo Marine Museum, 3720 Stephen White Drive, San Pedro, CA. Phone (213) 548-7562.
3. Write a report describing:
 - a. How and why the moon is essential to the Grunion.
 - b. The Grunion Run at the beach including a drawing of the Grunion.
 - c. Two different activities at the museum.
4. After completing requirements 1,2 and 3, submit an awards application to your H.A.T. Council Representative for approval.



FIG. 6-2
GRUNION RUN
3" DIA.

MUSEUM PROGRAM INFORMATION:

Programs are held 2-4 days after a new or full moon during the months of March through July. Call the museum for exact dates each year. Museum opens for viewing at 8:00 PM.

A special program about Grunion including films and a lecture is held in the auditorium at 9:00 PM and 10:00 PM. Grunion eggs are hatched on the patio. The group is then lead to the beach to observe a supervised Grunion run. The run usually occurs between 10:30 PM to 12:30 AM.

There is no charge for the museum or the parking lot. The museum would appreciate a donation of aluminum cans. There is no food service at or near the beach.

The months of April and May are the closed season for Grunion. During that time they may not be touched or captured (they may be observed only). The months of March, June and July are open season. Anyone 16 years of age or older must have a valid California State Fishing License to touch or capture the Grunion.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED:

- Warm clothing that can get wet.
- A flashlight.
- A blanket for sitting on the beach.
- Food and hot drinks.
- Bath towel.

NOTE: Although this award is based solely upon the museum's program, they are not involved in the administration of the award. So please do not ask the museum questions other than about Grunion run dates and the Grunion themselves. If you have other questions, please call Marilyn Marrs (818) 896-1776.

This award was developed by Marilyn Marrs. THANK YOU Marilyn!

CUB HISTORIC CYCLING TOURING

The award was established to celebrate the heritage of the Mexican and Spanish people who long ago colonized and developed Southern California into a land of enchantment. Within most Council's boundaries are many historic sites which go unnoticed by the average Californian, and many of our young people are never made aware of the history of our state.

Requirements:

1. Meet all applicable GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.
2. Cubs: (8 - 10 years old) Cycle between a minimum of three historical sites in one day.
3. Contact an Approval Person from your Council's High Adventure Team prior to doing this trip.
4. Tour group will have a motor vehicle for emergency use at all times.
5. Bikes must be currently licensed, and pass inspection, and be certified as safe (brakes, tires, reflectors, etc.) by a qualified cycling counselor such as a bike shop representative.
6. Touring group must at all times have at least one registered adult scouter, age 21 years or older, with a current Red Cross multi-media first-aid card or better.
7. Participants must be familiar with the State Vehicle Code, and the Orange County Council BSA Bike-Aid Brochure.
8. Each group will write and submit a report of their tour with their application to their local Council High Adventure Team Representative.
9. Keep the size of the group, for safety, to eight (8) youths per adult, with a minimum of two (2) adults with each touring group at all times.
10. It is strongly recommended that one of the adults on the trip have completed the latest H.A.T. Cycling Seminar.
11. These SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS shall supersede the GENERAL REQUIREMENTS if there is an area of conflict.



FIG. 6-3
CUB HISTORIC CYCLING TOURING
3" X 3"
(Blue Border)

Historic Touring / Blue





SCOUT/WEBELOS WEEKEND

This award is designed to promote a better Pack-Troop relationship, and promote Cub interest and awareness in the Boy Scout program. The award provides interaction and preparation for the transition from Webelos to Scouts. The activity will be a planning/teaching experience for the Scouts, and a learning/doing experience for the Webelos and an educational experience for the adults.

Requirements:

1. Meet all applicable General Requirements and Webelos overnight camping policies. Make advanced reservations at a Council Camp.
2. This activity will be conducted in uniform (a minimum of scout/cub shirt, belt and scarf).
3. Weekend Campout of 2 days and 1 night. (LDS Units may earn this award in 2 one day outings to accommodate church policy)
4. High Adventure Team Approved Council Camps are to be used. This will help accomplish a meaningful experience within a good environment, with good facilities and without the distraction and problems associated with public campgrounds.
5. Adults have a separate campsite and program. This may include scouting and troop program awareness, Webelos transition, future activities, etc.
6. The program and schedule will be planned by Scouts to include Scout Skills and related Webelos Activity Badge requirements. Scoutmaster and Webelos Leader to approve plans.
7. Preparation of meals to include cooking skills and Webelos Outdoorsman Activity Badge Requirements.
8. Saturday requirements (1st day for L.D.S.)
 - a. Camp setup including campsite selection, arrangement, tent setup, cooking areas, sanitation and wood cutting area are to be setup by Scouts and Webelos.
 - b. One morning and one afternoon learning session to be conducted by Scouts for Webelos (see suggestions).
 - c. Dinner to be prepared on approved type fire. Cooking will be with approved equipment and utensils. (see suggestions).
 - d. Saturday night campfire (L.D.S. units may do this on 2nd day's activities). Scouts and Webelos to make plans including songs, skits, recognition's, awards, etc. Campfire does not need to have a real fire or be after dark. Adults may be included.
9. Sunday requirements (2nd day L.D.S.)
 - a. Dinner to be prepared on approved type of fire. Cooking will be with approved equipment and utensils. Adults may be included.
 - b. Scouts Own to be conducted by boys. Adults may be included.
 - c. One learning session to be conducted by Scouts for Webelos. This should be a Nature type experience. (See suggestions)
 - d. A one hour service project, assigned by Camp Ranger, is to be completed. Adults qualifying for award must also participate.
 - e. Scouts and Webelos to disassemble Camp areas to be put back as found. Equipment to be packed and stored properly and campsite to be left cleaner than found.
 - f. An evaluation of the activities will be conducted including Adults, Scouts and Webelos.
10. These SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS shall supersede the General Requirements of there is an area of conflict.



FIG. 6-4
SCOUT/WEBELOS WEEKEND
3" x 3"



WHALE WATCHER

Requirements:

1. Meet all applicable General Requirements. This award is available to Brownies as well as Cub Scouts.
2. Attend presentation of slides on whales in Western Los Angeles County Council.
 - a. The slides may be borrowed from the H.A.T. Chairman along with the text for the accompanying narrative and the lists of whalewatcher cruises, museums and whale shows necessary to complete the award. For Orange County contact Greg Silver 714/638-1585.
 - b. In Girl Scout Council's that have approved this award, their Scouts will fulfill the same requirements as stated and shown.
3. Participate in whale watching cruise or one of the following:
 - a. Visit a whale show at Sea World.
 - b. Or, visit a whale museum such as Cabrillo Marine Aquarium, San Pedro, or the Orange County Marine Museum, Dana Point.
4. Draw a picture of the whale being observed. Label parts. Pictures may be substituted for drawings.
5. Draw a map of the migratory route.
6. Give a report on whaling practices past and present including current laws on whale hunting.
7. Define the following vocabulary words to your unit leader or their representative.

1. Terrestrial	11. Migration	21. Pectoral Fin
2. Endangered Species	12. Sailing	22. Bearing
3. Spout	13. Baleen Plates	23. Baja
4. Dorsal Ridge	14. Dorsal Fin	24. Krill
5. Echo Locate	15. Pods	25. Caudal
6. Cetacea	16. Mammal	26. Snorkeling
7. Lob Tailing	17. Mysticeti	27. Lice
8. Spy Hopping	18. Footprints	28. Breaching
9. Piniped	19. Blow Hole	29. Blubber
10. Odontoceti	20. Laminate	30. Saddle Patch
7. The award application must be approved by a High Adventure Team approval person.
8. These SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS shall supersede the General Requirements if there is an area of conflict.



FIG. 6-5
WHALE WATCHER
3" DIA.



WEBELOS SCOUT HIKER

Requirements:

1. Meet all applicable GENERAL REQUIREMENTS and Webelos overnight camping policies.
2. In one year's time, participate in four (4) outdoor hiking activities. One of the outdoor hiking activities should be a Parent/Son experience.
3. The outdoor experience must have a planned program to cover the outdoor requirements for the following activity awards: Outdoorsman; Forester; Naturalist; Geologist.
4. The Unit Leader is to submit a minimum of four (4) Local Tour Permits and have the Council H.A.T. representative sign and approve the award application. As a Webelos, this patch will be worn on the right pocket of the uniform. When the Webelos becomes a Scout, he then puts this award on a "brag sheet", his pack, or pack flap.
5. All four (4) Activity Badges must be earned prior to receiving the Webelos Hiker Patch.
6. Webelos do not all have to go on the same hikes - but each boy must have four (4) outdoor experiences to qualify for the award. Each hiking activity must be a minimum of one (1) mile.
7. These SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS shall supersede the GENERAL REQUIREMENTS if there is an area of conflict.



FIG. 6-6
WEBELOS SCOUT HIKER
2" X 2"

VASQUEZ ROCKS - GEOLOGIC HIKE

This award was established to generate an interest in the geologic formation in our area while enhancing the outdoor program in Cub Scouting. The award was developed and sponsored by Manuel Arroyo of Pack 186 in the Antelope Valley District.

Requirements:

1. Meet all applicable GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.
2. At least one adult leader has completed the High Adventure Outing Leader Seminar.
3. Cubs, Webelos, Den Chiefs, and Registered Adult Scouters may earn this award by completing the requirements.
4. Before the trip (hike) the participants shall discuss the geologic formation and the San Andreas fault. The hike should be done as a Den or Pack.
5. Each participant shall:
 - a. Be in uniform and carry their own personal equipment.
 - b. Bring a lunch.
 - c. Bring water for drinking in a canteen.
 - d. Bring a pencil and paper to take notes.
 - e. Bring extra clothing.
6. Hike shall take a minimum of two (2) hours to complete.
7. During the hike examine the area and take notes/pictures of what you observe.
8. Following the hike, den(s) shall submit a short report to their pack.
9. After completion of the trip, the leader shall attach Den Hike Report (8-1/2 x 11) to your award application and present it to your Council High Adventure Team Approval person for approval.
10. It is recommended that you pick up these awards within 30 days after trip and approval has been attained.
11. These SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS shall supersede the GENERAL REQUIREMENTS if there is an area of conflict.

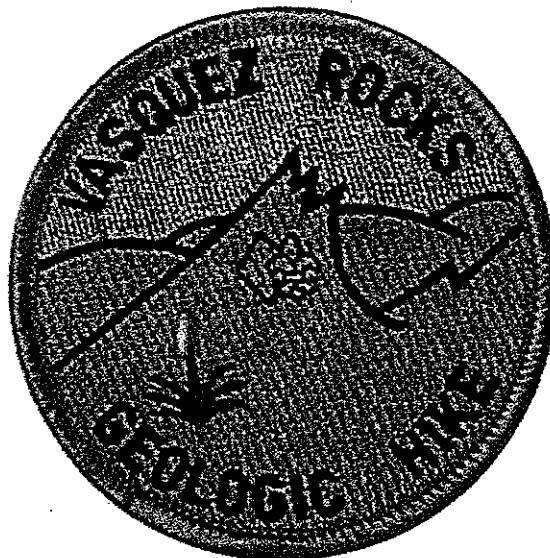


FIG. 6-7
VASQUEZ ROCKS - GEOLOGIC HIKE
3" DIA.

Vasquez Rocks



HORN OF PLENTY AWARD

This award was developed for the youth in scouting to learn how important it is to help others and to know there are hungry people in their own community who need help.

Requirements:

1. Meet all applicable GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.
2. Youths ten (10) years or younger, registered in the Boy Scout or Girl Scout programs, may earn this award.
3. Registered adults in either BSA or GSA may earn this award by having a minimum of four (4) youth in their unit earn this award.
4. You must have approval from an agency/representative of a food/hunger project prior to beginning work on the project.
5. You must have your BSA Local Tour Permit signed by the agency representative along with indicated hours worked.
6. The award application should be approved by a High Adventure Team approval person.
7. These SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS shall supersede the General Requirements of there is an area of conflict.

Notes:

1. The award is divided into three (4) separate five (5) hour segments with the Horn of Plenty patch awarded together with the initial five (5) hour segment and an additional (5) five hour segment, Rescue Ranger.
2. This award was developed by Pack 644 of Canoga Park. Cubmaster Nancy Edwards.

Horn of Plenty



10 Hour Segment



Resuce Ranger



15 Hour Segment



5 hour Segment



FIGURE 6-8
HORN OF PLENTY AWARD
5 1/4" x 3" w/segments

GHOST CHASERS HISTORIC AWARD

This award was established to lead young and old of scouting to the scenes and towns of the early west. Many ghost towns and historic sites are within a day or two drive from Southern California. Why not do something exciting and fun? Relive the good old days of the past.

Requirements:

1. Meet all applicable General Requirements.
2. This award may be earned by registered Cubs, Webelos, or Scouters in the BSA program and registered Cadets, Senior Scouts, and adults in the GSA program.
3. Youth must visit a minimum of two (2) Ghost Towns or Historical Sites*.
 - a. May stay at a nearby camp site overnight close to the Ghost Town or Historical Site. Must be a family campout.
 - b. Write or give an oral report of the history of each of the three Ghost Towns or Historical Sites visited.
4. Registered adults must have a minimum of four (4) youth earn this award to be eligible to receive this award. The award application should be approved by a High Adventure Team approval person.
5. These SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS shall supersede the General Requirements of there is an area of conflict.

* Historical Sites are designated State Historical Parks.

References: California-Nevada Ghost Town Atlas by Neil Johnson; California Ghost Towns, Automobile Club of Southern California.



Ghost Chaser Historical Award



WEBELOS TRAIL MAINTENANCE

Requirements:

1. Meet all applicable GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.
2. You must have approval from the agency or representative of the area where Trail Maintenance Project is going to be done prior to accomplishing the project. You must contact a Council Trail Boss prior to the trip for a review of the project. After completing the required hours and the project have an agency representative sign the BSA Local Tour Permit.
3. This award is divided into three (5) hour segments and an additional (5) hour segment, Brush Whacker, which are cumulative. Den Chiefs can earn the equivalent Conservation Award in the Scouting program.
4. The award application should be approved by a High Adventure Team approval person.
5. These SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS shall supersede the General Requirements of there is an area of conflict.

Webelos Trail Maintenance



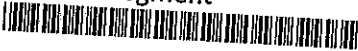
Bush Wacker



5 hour Segment



10 Hour Segment



15 Hour Segment



FIG. 6-10
WEBELOS TRAIL MAINTENANCE
6" x 3" w/segments

CHAPTER 7

Cub/Webelos Awards for Los Padres

THE HISTORIC TRAIL

The Historic Trail, sponsored by the Santa Lucia Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, was initiated in 1990 and has been designated by the BSA National Office as an approved Historic Trails Award. The trail is designed to present to its participants the historical significance and natural beauty of the San Luis Obispo County area. The trail is divided into two primary sites approximately 40 miles apart. (1) The San Luis Obispo Walk is the "PATH OF HISTORY" with 19 historical points of interest. (2) The San Miguel Tour includes the Mission San Miguel and the Rio-Caledonia Adobe.

The trail is suitable for Tigers, Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and Explorer Scouts, and is open to all registered members of the Boys Scouts of America.

Applicants must write the Santa Lucia Area Council for a complete list of requirements, suggested readings, tour information and awards order form.

Requirements:

1. Tigers and Cub Scouts must complete the San Luis Obispo Path and the leader must hold a group reading session of a book listed on the suggested reading list.
2. Obtain Stamp/Credential at each Mission visited. All Scouts should wear their uniforms.
3. Obtain a Local or National Tour permit from your Council Office at least two weeks before the scheduled outing.
4. Two adults must accompany each unit; at least one adult must be a registered scout. The maximum group size is 16 scouts.
5. A patch and/or medal is available to those completing the trail.
6. The sponsor of the trail will not be responsible for any accidents which may occur during the course of using the trail. Each group is responsible for its own safety and discipline as well as obeying pedestrian and traffic safety rules.
7. Church services, restaurants, and food supplies are available in San Luis Obispo, San Miguel, and surrounding communities. For emergencies, call 911.



FIG. 7-1
HISTORIC TRAIL AWARD
4" X 2"

SEVEN SISTERS

Applicants must write the Santa Lucia Area Council for a complete list of requirements, suggested readings, tour information and awards order form.

Requirements:

1. Only registered active members of Webelos, Scout, Explorer, or Varsity units of the Boys Scouts of America are eligible.
2. At least one adult leader must complete the "Seven Sisters Award Orientation" session conducted by the Santa Lucia Area Council H.A.T. prior to attempting any of the hikes.
3. B.S.A. Council Tour Permits, property owner permission (Bishop Peak, Cerro Chumash, Cerro Romauldo, Cerro San Luis Obispo, and Hollister Peak) must be obtained in advance of any hike. See climbing notes in the Seven Sisters Awards brochure.
4. Comply with the GENERAL REQUIREMENTS for Cub Adventure Awards.
5. The specific routes discussed in the Climbing Notes and illustrated on the maps in the Seven Sisters Awards brochure MUST be followed. Any significant departure will result in disqualification for the award.
6. Each peak must be accomplished on a separate date.
7. Each peak hike must have no more than four (4) youth per adult with a maximum of ten (10) individuals in any hiking group. Large units must space hiking groups at least thirty minutes apart to reduce trail and summit traffic. No pets are allowed on any hike.
8. Each member of the hiking group must carry:
 - (1) map, (2) compass, (3) personal first aid kit, (4) flashlight, (5) matches, (6) firestarter,
 - (7) extra clothing, (8) extra food/water, (9) knife, and (10) sunglasses.
9. Anyone age 11 years or older applying for the Seven Sisters Award must read at least one book from the approved Bibliography contained in the Brochure and correctly answer all the questions on the Log and Questions sheet. Webelos must discuss and answer the questions with their unit leader who has completed the "Seven Sisters Award Orientation" session.

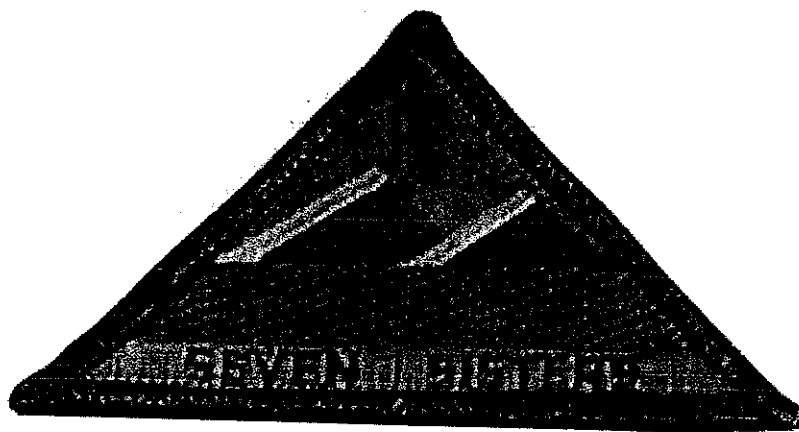


FIG. 7-2
SEVEN SISTERS
4" X 2"

CHAPTER 8

Cub/Webelos Awards for Orange County

SANTA ANA MOUNTAINS CUB TREKKER

This award was established to: (1) promote the outdoor program of the Pack; (2) provide an avenue for completion of specific outdoor Wolf/Bear achievement and arrow point requirements; and (3) introduce Cubs, Scouts and Scouters to hiking in the Santa Ana Mountains and Cleveland National Forest. This award was developed and sponsored by Pack 633 of Rancho Santa Margarita/Trabuco Canyon.

Requirements:

1. Comply with all applicable GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.
2. File a Local Tour Permit prior to the hike.
3. Registered Cub Scouts (second & third graders; Wolves & Bears), Scouts, and Scouters may earn this award by completing the requirements.
4. The hike should take a minimum of two hours to complete and be less than 4 miles round trip. Recommended hikes in the Santa Ana Mountains include, but are not limited to, the following:

Ladd Canyon Spring
Trabuco Canyon
San Juan Loop Trail
Upper Hot Spring Canyon

Holy Jim Falls
El Cariso Nature Trail
Chiquita Basin



FIGURE 8-1
SANTA ANA MOUNTAINS CUB TREKKER
3" DIA.

A highly recommended reference is "Afoot and Afield in Orange County" by J. Schad, Wilderness Press, Berkley, CA, 1988.

5. The trek leader must be knowledgeable about local regulations and obtain any wilderness permits required by the local land manager, i.e. US Forest Service; Cleveland National Forest. Some trailheads are accessed by dirt roads that may require sturdy or high clearance vehicles and may be impassable during or after heavy rains. Information can be obtained by writing or calling the Trabuco Ranger District, USFS, 1147 E. Sixth St., Corona, CA, 91720, (909) 736-1811 or consulting the reference listed in requirement 4.
6. Prior to the hike, the boys should discuss the OUTDOOR CODE at a regularly scheduled Den meeting. At the trailhead, the adult trek leader and "sweeper" are designated and trail safety and etiquette should be reviewed. Complete the hike as a Den. All Scouts and Scouters should be in uniform and carry their own lunches.
7. It is recommended that the trek leader have completed the Backpack Awareness course.
8. The trek leader should carry a parent release for each Cub/Scout on the hike.
9. These SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS shall supersede the GENERAL REQUIREMENTS if there is an area of conflict.

SANTA ANA MOUNTAINS WEBELOS TREKKER

This award was established to: (1) promote the outdoor program of the Pack; (2) provide an avenue for completion of specific outdoor Webelos activity badge requirements (Geologist, Naturalist, Forester, Outdoorsman); and (3) introduce Webelos, Scouts and Scouters to hiking in the Santa Ana Mountains and Cleveland National Forest. This award was developed and sponsored by Pack 633 of Rancho Santa Margarita/Trabuco Canyon.

Requirements:

1. Comply with all applicable GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.
2. File a Local Tour Permit prior to the hike.
3. Registered Webelos, Scouts, and Scouters may earn this award by completing the requirements.
4. The hike should be a minimum of 3.5 miles but less than 8 miles round trip. Prior to earning this award, Webelos hikers must have previously earned either the Santa Ana Mountains Cub Trekker award or any other Cub Adventure Award that involves hiking, or taken a day hike of at least 2.5 miles. Recommended hikes in the Santa Ana Mountains include, but are not limited to, the following:

Black Star Canyon Falls
Trabuco Canyon
Viejo Tie Loop

Silverado Motorway to Bedford Peak
Bedford Road
Morgan Trail

A highly recommended reference is "Afoot and Afield in Orange County" by J. Schad, Wilderness Press, Berkley, CA, 1988.

5. The trek leader must be knowledgeable about local regulations and obtain any wilderness permits required by the local land manager, i.e. US Forest Service; Cleveland National Forest. Some trailheads are accessed by dirt roads that may require sturdy or high clearance vehicles and may be impassable during or after heavy rains. Information can be obtained by writing or calling the Trabuco Ranger District, USFS, 1147 E. Sixth St., Corona, CA, 91720, (909) 736-1811 or consulting the reference listed in requirement 4.
6. Prior to the hike, the boys should discuss the OUTDOOR CODE at a regularly scheduled Den meeting. At the trailhead, the adult trek leader and "sweeper" are designated and trail safety and etiquette should be reviewed. Complete the hike as a Den. All Scouts and Scouters should be in uniform and carry their own lunches.
7. It is recommended that the trek leader have completed the Backpack Awareness course.
8. The trek leader must carry a parent release for each Webelos/Scout on the hike.
9. These SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS shall supersede the GENERAL REQUIREMENTS if there is an area of conflict.



FIGURE 8-2
SANTA ANA MOUNTAINS WEBELOS TREKKER
3" DIA.

WEBELOS MODEL ROCKETEER

Webelos Model Rocketeer



Requirements:

1. Comply with all applicable GENERAL REQUIREMENTS.
2. File a Local Tour Permit prior to the hike.
3. To comply with age recommendations of model rocket manufacturers, only registered Webelos, 10 years and older, and Scouters may earn this award.
4. This award is designed to be completed over a series of Den meetings, culminating in a Den model rocket launch with parent/leader supervision. Alternatively the Den may participate in a model rocketry class conducted by the Southern California Rocket Association.

5. Requirements for Webelos:

- a. With your Den, talk about the National Association of Model Rocketry Safety Code.
 - b. Point out the parts of a basic model rocket.
 - c. Describe six types of model rocket recovery (featherweight, streamer, tumble, parachute, helicopter, and glide).
 - d. Know how a model rocket motor works. Explain what the three-part classification code for model rocket motors means.
 - e. Show how to prepare a model rocket for launch.
 - f. Build a Skill Level 1 rocket from a kit that uses a mini "T", 1/2A, A, B, or C motor.
 - g. Successfully launch and recover the model rocket at a Den model rocket launch.
6. Two established model rocket launch sites are available to Webelos, Scouts, and Scouters in Southern California: Mile Square Regional Park and Lucerne Dry Lake. Contact the Southern California Rocket Association (SCRA) at P.O. Box 5165, Fullerton, CA 92635-0165, or telephone (714) 529-1598 for information on supervised launches and classes at Mile Square Park. Lucerne Dry Lake is open to the public located off Highway 247 5 miles north of Lucerne Valley. Den leader must call the Lucerne Valley Fire Department at (619) 248-7322 before going out to launch rockets. Launch sites must be at least 2500 feet from Highway 247. For further information about Lucerne Dry Lake contact Dennis Crockett at (714) 858-2880.

Model rocket launching is possible at other sites, but strict rules and regulations are in effect in most cities and counties. The California State Fire Marshall says there is a minimum of two requirements: (a) written permission from the property owner where the launch is to take place, and (b) a written permit issued by the local city or county fire department whichever has jurisdiction. Failure to comply with any of these requirements disqualifies the unit.

Those wishing to launch rockets in the cities of Buena Park, Cypress, Dana Point, Irvine, Laguna Hills, Laguna Niguel, Lake forest, La Palma, Los Alamitos, Mission Viejo, Placentia, San Clemente, San Juan Capistrano, Seal Beach, Stanton, Tustin, Villa Park, Yorba Linda, and all unincorporated areas of the county should call or write Dennis Hirschberg, Fire Safety Specialist/Code Enforcement, Orange County Fire Department, 180 South Water Street, Orange, CA 92666, (714)744-0400, and request a copy of the latest rules and regulations governing model rocketry in Orange County. Contact the local city fire departments of all other Orange County cities for their regulations. For other counties contact the Fire Prevention Bureau of the local city or county fire department.

7. The trek leader must carry a parent release for each Webelos/Scout on the hike.
8. These SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS shall supersede the GENERAL REQUIREMENTS if there is an area of conflict.

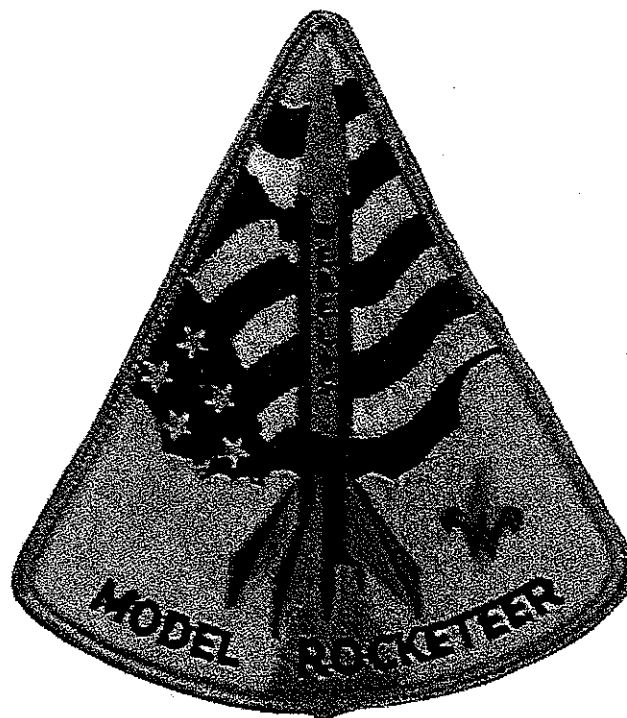


FIGURE 8-3
WEBELOS MODEL ROCKETEER
4" x 4 1/2"

ORANGE COUNTY HISTORIC TREK AWARD

The challenge of this award is to become familiar with the history of your community and Orange County. The initial cloth awards commemorate Orange County's Centennial. Later awards will indicate the current year.

LOCATION: ORANGE COUNTY

Requirements:

1. Meet with a Historic Society representative in your area (your community, a neighboring community, or Orange County) and discuss the history of your community or region of Orange County.
 2. Visit three historic sites (20 years or older) within your community and discover their importance (such as early industry or agriculture) in the growth and history of your area (or visit Bowers Museum and two additional sites in your community).
 - 3a. Visit one State or National historic site (such as Mission San Juan Capistrano) and learn anything you can about Portola, his job, and his men, as well as early visitors and settlers in and around Orange County.
 - 3b. On a map of California, locate the historic missions and note any near Orange County.
 4. Do some historic reading and find answers to the following:
 - a. Who was Portola and why did he come to what is now called Orange County?
 - b. Who was Corporal Yorba and where did he settle?
 - c. What was the Indian name for what we now call the Santa Ana River, and what does it mean?
 - d. What/Who were three of the early Ranchos or residents in our area?
- Cub & Webelos leaders may do the reading and present the material.
5. While on a day outing in Orange County, stop for at least an hour at a park within Orange County and:
 - a. On a map of Orange County, or the vicinity, locate the probable path taken by Portola and his men.
 - b. Using the path you selected, tell some of the differences Portola would see if he followed the path today.
 - c. Discuss the changes in camping and hiking between Portola's time and now.



FIGURE 8-4
ORANGE COUNTY HISTORIC TREK
3" X 4"

THIS AWARD WILL BE DISCONTINUED WHEN PATCH INVENTORY IS SOLD. CALL FOR AVAILABILITY BEFORE COMPLETING REQUIREMENTS.