

## Message From the Scout Executive

Dear Scouting Friends,

Upon arriving from Mississippi this past September, I was informed that recent winters had been quite mild. I believed I was fully prepared, at least until this notable winter season and the snowfall proved otherwise.

Yet, I have come to appreciate the immense warmth of this Council as rapidly as I have the weather. Over the past few months, I observed devoted volunteers endure freezing temperatures during a Klondike, leaders gathering for training after full workdays, and families stepping up to guarantee that every Scout is able to participate.



While the winter season is still upon us, dedicated staff and volunteers are already laying the groundwork for a spectacular summer at Camp Tamarack. The excitement is palpable, and I look forward to seeing many of you there.

For those members I have not yet met, I hope we connect soon. It is a distinct privilege to serve alongside you.

Yours in Scouting,  
James Hulgan



### CAMP TAMARACK 2026 ADVENTURE • LEADERSHIP • FRIENDSHIP



The most amazing part of Scouting...

### Camp Tamarack Resident Camp!

- ~~Week 1: June 21-27~~ -- **FULL!**
- Week 2: June 28 - July 4
- Week 3: July 5-11
- Week 4: July 12-18

Register today to learn more about our incredible Range and Aquatics programs at the Wood Lake Scout Reservation in Jones, Michigan.

From the Tamarack trees to the memories you make, this huge camp experience is not to be missed.

[Camp Tamarack Information](#)

# Outstanding Volunteer Nominations are OPEN



Nominations are OPEN for Silver Beaver and District Award of Merit Nominations.

Across the LaSalle Council, we have many deserving volunteers so **WE CHALLENGE YOU!** to make the job as difficult for our Selection Committee as possible. Anyone can nominate a registered volunteer and there is no limit to the number of people you nominate.

Follow these links for more information.

**Silver Beaver:** <https://lasallecouncil.org/silver-beaver-award/>

**District Award of Merit:**  
<https://lasallecouncil.org/district-award-of-merit/>



**YES!** There are still slots open for the 2026 National Jamboree!

If you are looking for a lifetime of memories and adventures, mark your calendars and **sign up TODAY!**

## Scout Participant Qualifications

- MUST have a current BSA membership with a Scouts BSA troop.
- MUST be at least a First Class Scout by the first day of the Jamboree (July 22, 2026).
- MUST be at least 12 years of age by the first day of the Jamboree (July 22, 2026) and has not reached their 20th birthday by the last day of the Jamboree (July 31, 2026).

National JAMBOREE Information

# Spring Product Sales

## March 1 thru April 12

We are excited to offer this DELICIOUS, quality product to our units to help our Scouts earn money for their annual program.

- Each Unit earns \$6.00 commission per product sold
- Take-Order forms still available
- Great Value for the price!



[Additional Spring Sale Information and Sign-Up](#)

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## Cub Scout Summer Camp



Day Camp offers hands-on adventures and advancement opportunities that build confidence and pride, and Scouts who advance are more likely to stay engaged. LaSalle Council hosts camps in multiple locations and even a Twilight Camp option for families who prefer an evening schedule. Click below to find the camp that fits your family and give your Scout a summer experiences of growth, achievement, and fun.

[Learn More - Cub Scout Day Camp Opportunities](#)

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## Tee Up and Support Adventures

# SCOUT SCRAMBLE

**Monday, June 1**

**Knollwood Country Club**



**Supporting over 4,000 local youth & volunteers  
in Northwest Indiana and Southwest Michigan**

Tee Up for Adventure! Support Scouting in a fun way.  
Featuring: Drone rop, Golf Gun, Hole-In-One, Putting Contest, and more.

**Big Swings! Big Fun! Bigger Impact!**

Contact [Angela.Cavalieri@Scouting.org](mailto:Angela.Cavalieri@Scouting.org) or 574.289.7830.

Scout Scramble Sponsorship & Team Information



## **Report to the State on President's Day**

President's Day took on special meaning this year as LaSalle Council Scouts traveled to the Indiana State House for our annual "Report to the State." Several LaSalle Council Scouts BSA and Cub Scouts toured the historic building, met state leaders, and even captured a few selfies with the Governor.

In addition to these unique experiences, Cub Scouts completed Adventures and Scouts BSA completed key Citizenship Merit Badge requirements, making the day both inspiring and productive. It was a day of hands-on civics that made the trip well worthwhile.



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