



NEWS OF THE DAY

ONLINE ZOOM MEETINGS

On a go-forward basis, we need to focus our attention on continued use of Zoom for advancement and planning again. Starting in October:

1. Continue having regular Zoom Meetings on Tuesday evening 8-9pm, each with the following purposes:
 - a. First Tuesday of the month is a quarterdeck meeting. Focus is on planning the upcoming month of Sunday or weekend activities. Boatswain should run this meeting. Everyone is invited.
 - b. Second Tuesday of the month is Apprentice rank advancement. The training topic should be selected during the Quarterdeck meeting.
 - c. Third Tuesday of the month is Ordinary rank advancement. The training topic should be selected during the Quarterdeck meeting.
 - d. Fourth Tuesday of the month is Able rank advancement. The training topic should be selected during the Quarterdeck meeting.
2. Quartermaster candidates may begin instructing as soon as they earn Ordinary. For Quartermaster rank, a scout must do lots of training to younger scouts. Scouts should announce they want to train the group during the Quarterdeck meeting.
3. Youth Protection rules require that two adults be present for the Zoom meeting. Ideally, parents would attend on a rotating basis. I will reach out to adults to get their commitment. I'll let everyone know on Sundays if we don't have 2 adults for Tuesday. You can count on me to be present every time.

ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS

ELECTIONS HIKE

1-5PM September 6

Noland Trail at Mariner's Museum. Five mile hike. After hike, we'll hold our Quarterdeck elections and hold a regular meeting right at the trail side. Friends and family are welcome.

TRI-SERVICE CUP CRUISE

September 11-13

Weekend marina campout at Old Point Comfort. Participate in the annual Tri-Service Cup and help the yacht club win back the Cup!

Friends are welcome to join us for the race on Saturday 8am-2pm.

T29G DAY SAIL

10AM-2PM September 19

Taking a patrol of Scouts BSA members from Troop 29-G on an introductory day sail. Need two Sea Scouts, one foredeck, one cockpit, to help teach and operate Aventura.