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QUIVIRA COUNCIL

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What is Wood Badge?

This five day course is an advanced, national leadership course open to Scouting volunteers and professionals. It is provided by Quivira Council's leading trainers. Scouters from Cub Scouting, Scouts BSA, Venturing, Sea Scouts, and Explorers, as well as district and council Scouters, all are welcome and belong at Wood Badge.

We introduce and review tools to enable your success as a Unit Leader, including: Listening, Communicating, Managing Conflict, Leading Change, Understanding Team Development, Coaching and Mentoring, Leadership for Different Stages, Pack and Troop Operations, Project Planning, and, most importantly, learning to Train, Trust, and let our Youth Lead.

Wood Badge is delivered over two weekends (5 days), through a combination of hands on activities, classroom learning, and outdoor program. Our format models our own Unit programs, through experiencing the Patrol method and learning how you, as a Unit Leader, can train them, trust them and let them lead!

Weekend one begins at 7:00am Friday April 12th, 2024 through 5:00pm Sunday April 14th, 2024. Weekend two starts early morning of Saturday April 27th, 2024 and ends the evening of Sunday April 28th, 2024. **Both weekends are required!**

The practical training received over these two weekends is just the beginning of your 18 month adventure in applying what you have learned to your Unit and Scouting in Quivira Council!

Next Steps:

- Save the dates for the 2024 course!
- Complete online training for your scouting position
- Complete outdoor skills training (BALOO or IOLS)
- Take "Why Take Wood Badge" at University of Scouting March 4th!



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