



GREATER ST. LOUIS AREA COUNCIL ·
BOONE TRAILS DISTRICT

Roundtable

— CUB SCOUT BREAKOUT

AUGUST 2026



BOONE TRAILS · CUB SCOUT ROUNDTABLE

Who Am I



SCAN TO CONNECT



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Who Are You?



Why We're Here

Roundtables serve unit leaders by:

Networking



Providing networking opportunities

Training



Offering current program training

Collaboration



Providing and capturing information
through unit leader / commissioner
collaboration

Join the Conversation

Our district Facebook group is where Roundtable keeps going all month long.



JOIN

Request to join tonight. Every Cub leader in Boone Trails belongs in the group.



INTERACT

Ask the hard questions, post your pack's wins, answer someone else's post.



SHARE

Send the link to the leaders in your pack who couldn't be here tonight.

FIND US ON FACEBOOK

Boone Trails Cub Scout Leaders



facebook.com/groups/27515669458060525

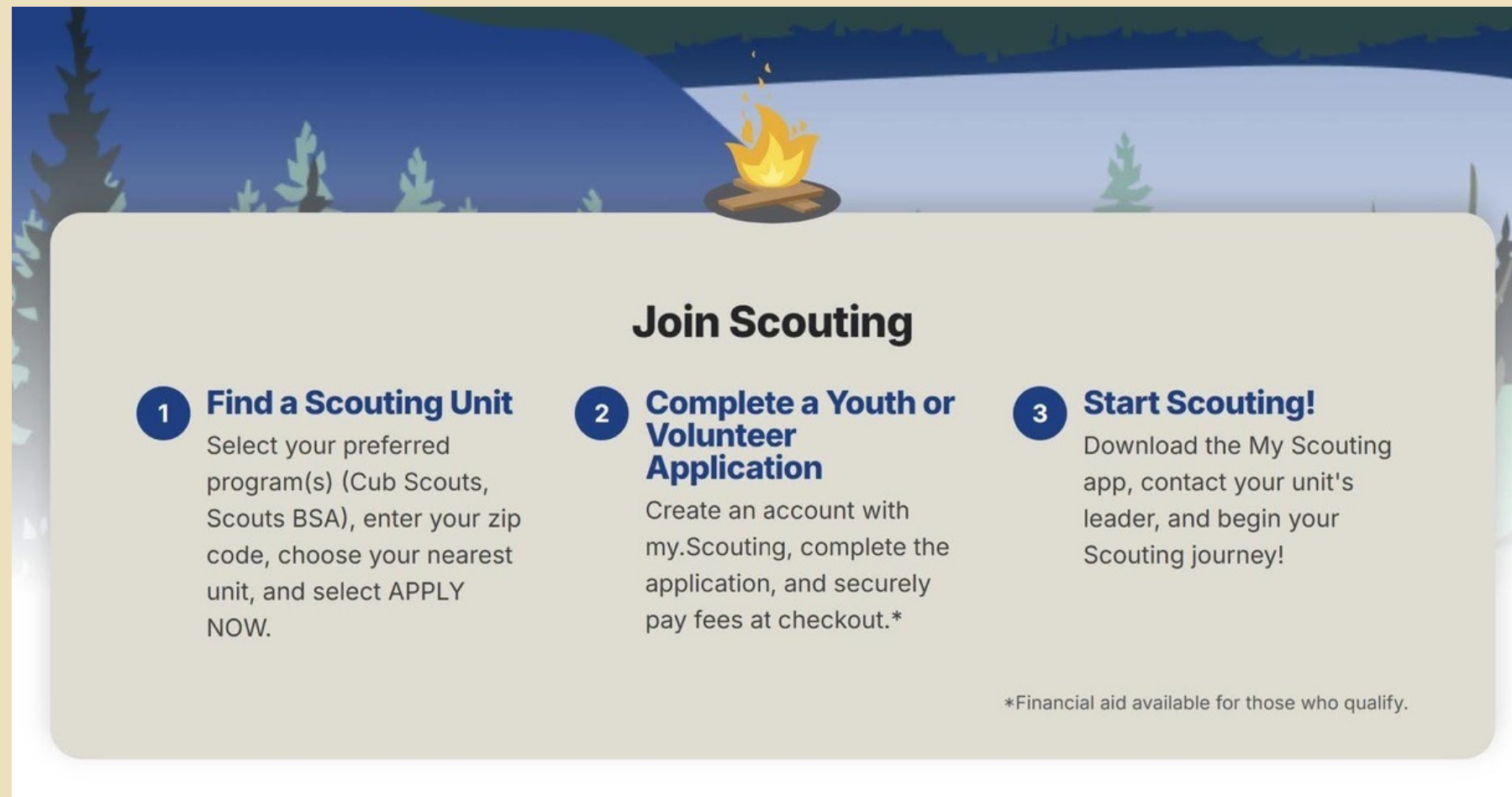
Requests approved daily – you'll be in before you get home.

Phones out right now – request to join, then text the link to one leader who isn't here.

BeAScout Has a New Look

Live NOW— built to answer what families ask before they ever contact you.

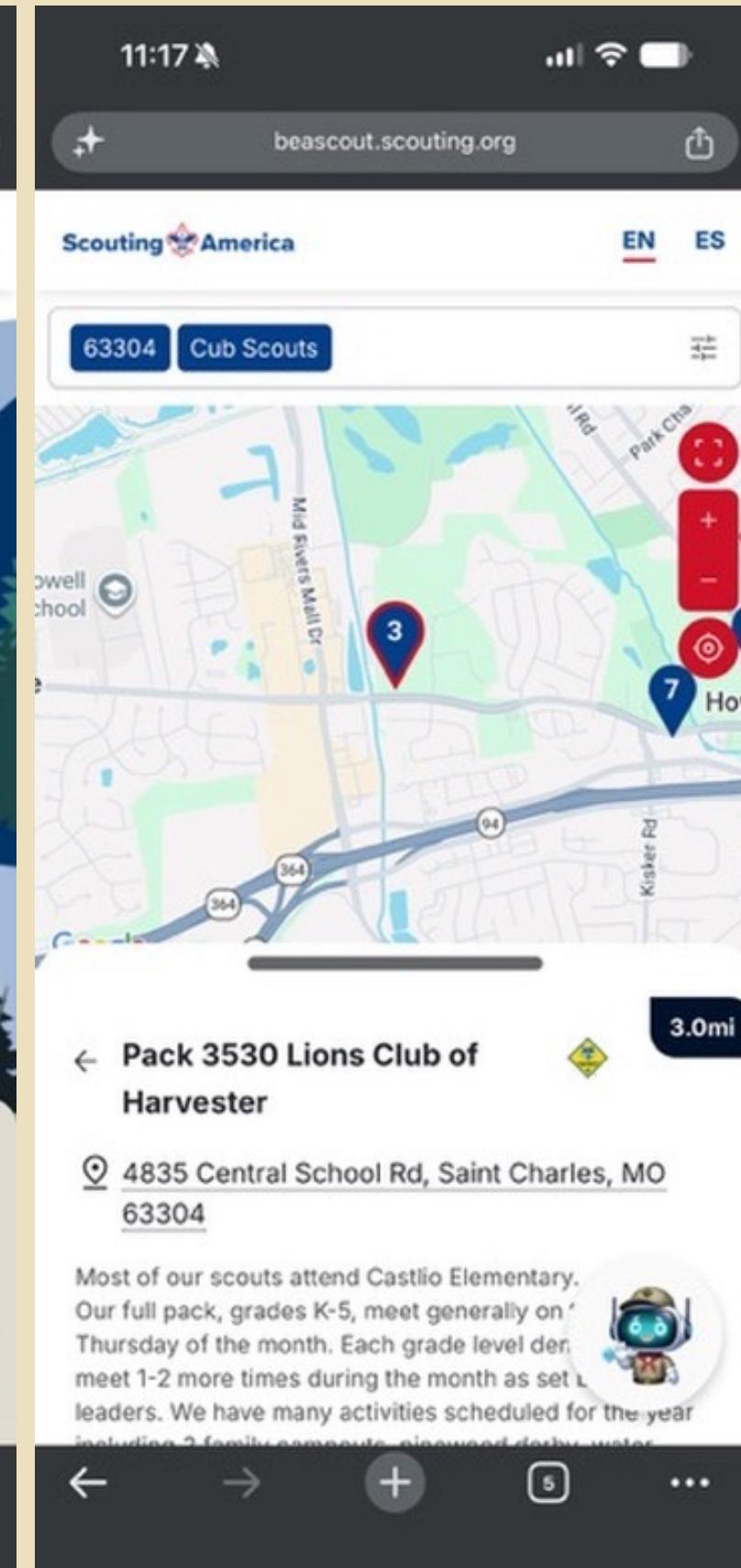
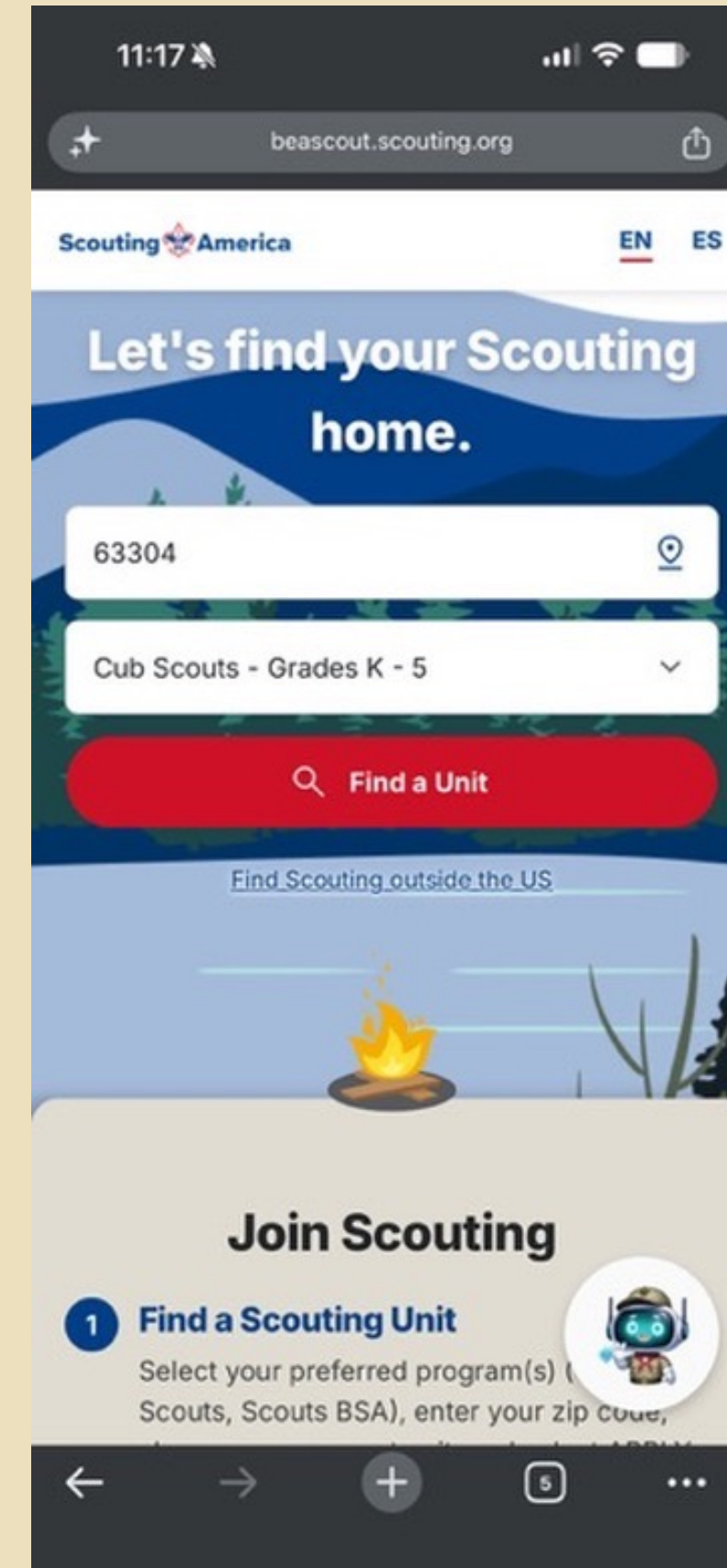
- When you meet — day, time and how often
- What it costs — unit fees and whether fundraising helps
- Whether they can visit a meeting before joining



Join Scouting

- 1 Find a Scouting Unit**
Select your preferred program(s) (Cub Scouts, Scouts BSA), enter your zip code, choose your nearest unit, and select APPLY NOW.
- 2 Complete a Youth or Volunteer Application**
Create an account with my.Scouting, complete the application, and securely pay fees at checkout.*
- 3 Start Scouting!**
Download the My Scouting app, contact your unit's leader, and begin your Scouting journey!

*Financial aid available for those who qualify.



Update Your Unit Pin

my.Scouting.org › Menu › your unit › Organization Manager › Unit Pin

Your unit Key 3 can edit it: Cubmaster, committee chair, chartered org rep.

NEW FIELDS TO FILL IN

- Meeting schedule — frequency, day, start and end time
- Unit fee — any dues beyond the national membership fee
- Fundraising helps cover costs
- Trial visit encouraged — families may attend before joining

Also confirm Appear on BeAScout and Allow People to Apply Online are switched on. Changes can take up to 24 hours to show.

Menu

my.Scouting | Organization Manager

Welcome, Michael Krejci

Pack 3530 Lions Club of Harvester



Pack 3530

Organization Manager

Settings

Unit Renewal

Unit Pin

Unit Dashboard

Unit Data Metric Entry

Roster

Transfer in

Position Manager

Reports

Unit Information

Pin Mode

☐ Only Allow the Council to Update Pin Information

☒ Allow Units to Update Pin Information

Appear on BeAScout:

☒

Allow People to Apply Online:

☒

Fundraising Helps Cover Costs:

☒

Trial Visit Encouraged:

☐

Contact Information

Contact Person: Elizabeth Pate

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Edit

Special Interest Type

FAMILY DEN PILOT 2022

Unit Fee

0

Unit Website

https://www.facebook.com/groups/scoutpack530

Additional Unit Information

Most of our scouts attend Castlio Elementary. Our full pack, grades K-5, meet generally on the 3rd Thursday of the month. Each grade level den will then meet 1-2 more times during the month as set by the leaders. We have many activities scheduled for the

Unit Pin Preview



Pack 3530

Meets on the 3rd Thursday of the month from 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM

Unit Dues: \$0

Fundraising Helps Cover Costs

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Dens for Boys or Girls

Online Registration available for this unit.

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Request More Information

Apply Now

Fields to Display on Unit Pin:

Unit Meeting Address:

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Contact Person's Name:

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Phone Number:

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Contact Email:

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Unit Website:

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Additional Unit Information:

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SAVE

Unit Meeting Information

Address

4835 Central School Rd
Saint Charles, MO 63304

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Meeting Schedule

Frequency

Monthly

Week

Day

3rd

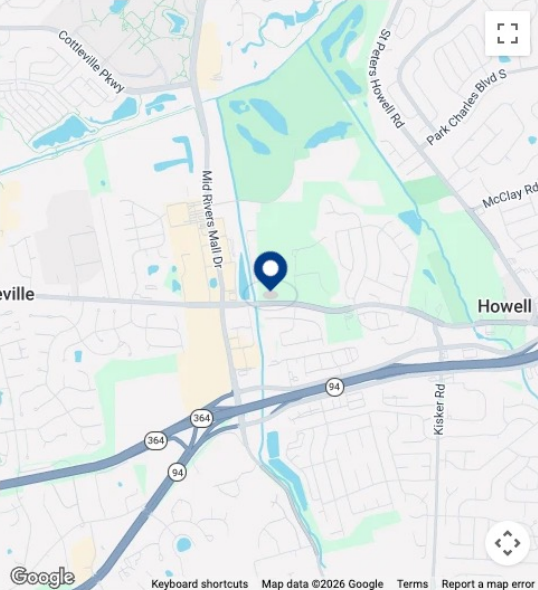
Thursday

Start Time

End Time

7:00 PM

8:00 PM



Keeping First-Year Families

Three simple things every pack can do to retain more first-year Cub Scouts.



SCAN FOR HANDOUT

01

MAKE IT PERSONAL

- Reach every new family within 48 hours
- Give them one named point of contact
- Hand out pack swag the day they join

02

MAKE IT FUN

- Get outdoors early — a campout in September or October
- Less talk, more doing at den meetings
- Make sure every new family knows they're invited

03

MAKE IT EASY

- An experienced leader runs the first few meetings
- Publish the full-year calendar early
- Give parents small, specific jobs

Families stay when they feel connected early, have fun immediately, and hit fewer barriers.

Recruiting Resources

One Scouting America folder holds every recruitment asset — ready to brand with your pack.

WHAT'S IN THE FOLDER

- Fliers, posters and postcards
- Yard signs and billboards
- Bookmarks and peer-to-peer cards
- Print ads and banners
- Logos and DIY templates
- Social media graphics
- Email images and web banners
- Virtual backgrounds
- Videos and radio spots
- Spanish DIY elements

Plus the 2026 Fall Recruitment Playbook and the Scouting America Social Media Playbook.



SCAN FOR THE FULL FOLDER

Flier templates, headers and footers, posters and postcards, social media templates, tutorials and the selfie photo frame.



Social Media

Your pack's feed is the second thing a family checks after BeAScout.

WHAT THE PLAYBOOK COVERS

- What to post — and how often to post it
- Photo and youth-privacy guidelines
- Using the Scouting America brand correctly
- Ready-made graphics and captions to reuse

Two rules that never change: get photo permission from every family, and never pair a Scout's full name with a time and place.



Scan for the Playbook

Templates, graphics and captions you can use tonight.

Cub Scouts Toolbox

The council's one-stop page for running the Cub program.

WHAT YOU'LL FIND THERE

- Every rank, Lion through Arrow of Light
- Required and elective adventures, linked
- Handbooks and requirement PDFs
- Recommended pack meeting schedule
- Ranks side-by-side comparison
- What changed: Bobcat, Webelos, Arrow of Light
- Council and district event calendar

Bookmark it on your phone tonight — it is the fastest way to answer a parent's question about requirements, handbooks, or what changed this year.



SCAN FOR THE TOOLBOX

stlbsa.org/resources/resources-toolbox/cub-scouts-toolbox/

Around the Table

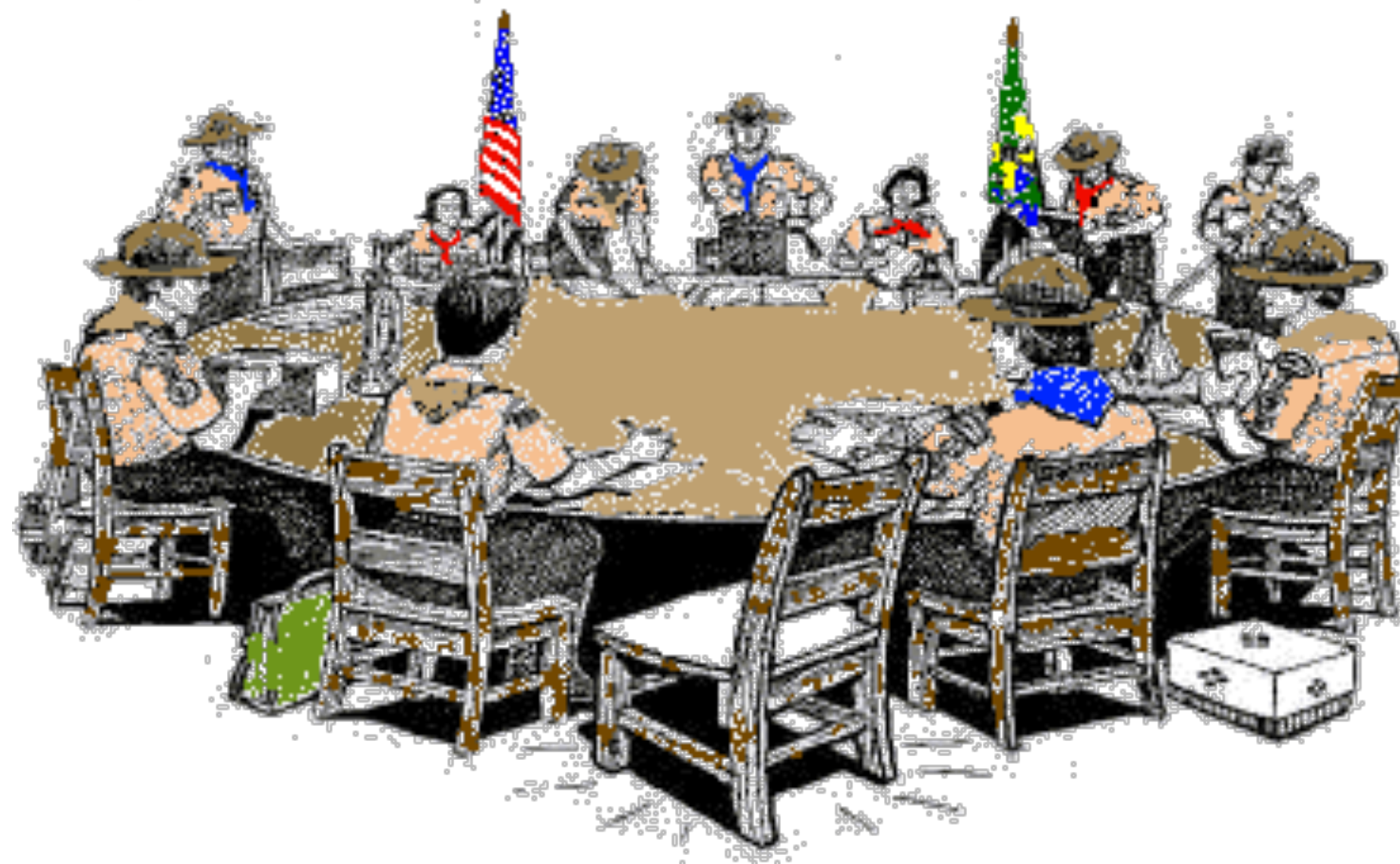


Table Talk

Three questions for your table — pick one and start there.

Recruitment

- What worked really well at your recruitment nights?
- What didn't work?

Welcoming Families

- What have you done to make families feel welcome?
- What do you plan to do this year?

Communication

- How can you improve your social media or pack communication?

SHAMELESS PLUG

Akela+

Built by a Cubmaster who got tired of spreadsheets.

Pack management in one place — come find me after the breakout, I would love your feedback.

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