



Future of BSA Training Planning at the National Volunteer Training Conference April 7th – 9th, 2022 — Las Vegas, Nevada

The 8th annual Scouting U Volunteer Training conference will be held at the Las Vegas Area Council Office on the 7th to 9th of April. The conference is intended to provide both information on the status of training in the Boy Scouts, as well as an opportunity to gather information from the field on training effectiveness and product needs. I personally believe they get more productive and fun each year! Last year we incorporated virtual sessions and added up to 150 online Scouters in addition to the 35 that were able to attend in person!

We would like to invite you to join us in April of 2022 for some similar activities, but also to help us to plan the future of training in the BSA.

The conference is open to Council Training Chairs, Territory Training Coordinators, Scouting U committee and sub-committee members, Council level Program sponsors, and any other parties interested in Training!

A number of critical training topics will be discussed:

Update on Scouting U	Updates to training products
Upgrades to the LMS	Wood Badge & NYLT updates
My.Scouting Tools	Webinars/livestreams/VILT
Training for District/Council Trainers	Discussions on Outdoor Skills Instruction

You are invited to join us on this National Training Conference. ***We are very excited to host this year's conference at the Las Vegas Area Council BSA office, 7220 Paradise Road, Las Vegas, Nevada 89119.*** Click the link below to register.

REGISTER: 2022 National Volunteer Training Conference Registration

For your convenience, below is a list of a few non-casino hotels near the BSA office. Of course, the Strip is not far away, and there are many more choices there.

Double Tree by Hilton Hotel Las Vegas Airport
7250 Pollock Dr., Las Vegas, NV 89119 (~ .3 miles)
702.948.4000

We have a block of rooms available at \$89.00/night if people are interested:

[Link to Block of Double Tree Rooms](#)

Hampton Inn & Suites Las Vegas Airport
6575 S. Eastern Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89119 (~2.3 miles)
702.647.8000

Hilton Garden Inn Las Vegas Strip South
7830 Las Vegas Blvd S, Las Vegas, NV 89123 (~1.9 miles)
702.453.7830

The cost for the conference is \$75.00 per person (conference fee only: covers meals [Friday breakfast, lunch and dinner; Saturday breakfast and lunch] and materials; **travel and housing are not included**). Hotel and travel accommodations will be handled by each conference attendee. You should plan to be at the Las Vegas Area Council BSA office no later than 1:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 7th, and if flying, you should schedule your return flight for any time after the closing at 12:00 PM on Saturday April 9th

What to Bring

Comfortable clothing (*uniforms are not required*), a good attitude, and lots of great ideas!

Tentative Agenda

Thursday, April 7, 2022

1:00 p.m. Registration
2:00 p.m. Welcome & introductions
2:30 p.m. Scouting U Update
3:30 p.m. Update on New Training Products under Development
4:30 p.m. Break
4:45 p.m. Wood Badge/NYLT Status, including CDCs
6:00 p.m. Dinner (on your own)
Rest and enjoy Las Vegas

Friday, April 8, 2022

7:30 a.m. Breakfast @ BSA LV office
8:00 a.m. Update on Territory Training Coordinator Activities
9:00 a.m. Instructional Design Task Force update
9:30 a.m. Break
10:00 a.m. Focus Group on Outdoor Skills
Noon Lunch
1:00 p.m. Focus Group on Training Continuum for District/Council Trainers
2:00 p.m. My.Scouting and LMS Update
3:00 p.m. Break (afternoon refreshments)

4:00 p.m. Cub Scout Training “Hands on” and DEI Training Expansion
5:00 p.m. Use of Virtual Instructor Led Training
6:00 p.m. Dinner (at the BSA LV office)

Saturday, April 9, 2022

7:30 a.m. Breakfast @ BSA LV office
8:00 a.m. Overall Training Path Review
9:30 a.m. Action Planning
11:00 a.m. Closing Luncheon
12:00 p.m. Depart



2021 National Volunteer Training Conference attendees in front of the Las Vegas Council Office.