Participant Qualifications

- ✓ Be a registered adult OR youth (14 years or older) member of the Boy Scouts of America.
- ✓ Adults and youth must be trained in their position.
- ✓ Be able to meet physical requirements of BSA Annual Health and Medical Record (parts A, B, and C) in a backcountry environment.

Course Size

The course is limited to 48 participants. Once the course is filled, participants will be given the option of being placed on a waiting list in case of cancellations. Do you provide a quality high adventure program in your unit? Are you looking for outdoor program ideas? Want another cool dangly for your uniform? Then you are looking for Powder Horn.

Powder Horn is a hands-on outdoor program for Boy Scout and Venturing Leaders and Youth 14 and older.

Come have some fun!

Chester County Council **POWDER HORN**



High Adventure Skills Resources Management Course

Hosted by: Chester County Council, BSA August 3-5, 2012

Course Director

Bill Kassel 190 Pennsylvania Ave. Phoenixville, PA 19460 484-744-2103 Email: wkassel1@comcast.net



Location

Camp John H. Ware III 239 Jubilee Road Peach Bottom, PA 17563

Dates:

August 3-5, 2012

Participant Fee

Total cost is a \$150.00. With a \$75 deposit is required with the Powder Horn application.

Why Powder Horn?

Many Scouting leaders face the dilemma of having a strong desire to provide challenging and fun outdoor programs that meet the needs of their members, but lack the knowledge and/or resources to do so. Powder Horn responds with an exciting training opportunity that introduces Venturing and Boy Scout leaders to a wide range of outdoor/high adventure activities. More importantly, Powder Horn provides its participants with valuable resources and contacts to assist them in delivering the promise of Scouting's high adventure to youth.

Powder Horn is...

A training opportunity designed to introduce participants to activities and resources necessary to operate a successful Venturing Ranger Award or Troop High Adventure program in several ways:

- Help participants to safely conduct outdoor activities of a fun and challenging nature.
- Provide an introduction to the resources necessary to successfully lead Venturers and older Boy Scouts through a program of high adventure.
- Familiarizes the participants with the Ranger program so that he or she can help Venturers meet the requirements of the Ranger Award.
- This course is based on the Venturing Ranger requirements giving participants an introduction to outdoor/high adventure activities.
- Powder Horn is not a personal development or team-building experience. Its purpose is to educate adult Scouting leaders about specific high adventure skills, to connect them to resources to deliver those skills, and to get them excited about delivering those skills in an exciting, challenging way to youth.

Topics we plan to cover

Backpacking, Land Navigation, Cave Exploring, Cooking, Life Saver, Outdoor Living History, Shotgun, Rappelling, Cope, Physical Fitness, Plants & Wildlife, Leave No Trace, Emergency Preparedness, Scuba, Pistol, Equestrian, Kayak, Expedition Planning, Fishing, First Aid, Fly Fishing, Working with Teens.

Under NO CIRCUMSTANCES is any Powder Horn participant required to participate in an activity with which they are uncomfortable. They may choose just to observe and learn.

Application for Powder Horn Course

For more information, visit http://cccbsa.org/Powder-horn

Register online (preferred method) at http://bit.ly/powderhorn2012

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Register by mail - fill out this form and mail with payment (address below)
Name:
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BSA Primary Registration:
Unit: District:
Council:
I understand that attendance at all sessions

I understand that attendance at all sessions is required for completion. I have (or will have) completed the basic and outdoor skills training required for my Scouting position. I am a registered adult BSA Leader.

Signature:	
Date:	

Make your payment online at registration, or make checks payable to **Chester County Council, BSA** and send them to:

> Chester County Council, BSA Attn: Powder Horn 504 S. Concord Rd. West Chester, PA 19382-5261