

# THUNDERBIRD DISTRICT

## CALENDAR

### JULY

- 6 Committee Meeting
- 13 Roundtable

### AUGUST

- 3 Committee Meeting
- 10 Roundtable - YPT training
- 19 New Leader Essentials  
CS Specific Training  
BS Specific Training

### SEPTEMBER

- 7 Committee Meeting
- 14 Roundtable

## DISTRICT EXECUTIVE MESSAGE

By the time you read this message, Camp Arroli will have been completed. Scouts will have advanced, students will have graduated and some Scouts will already be playing soccer.

As parents with active youth, please don't forget to let your child's friends know that Scouting is a worthwhile activity. Scouting is a year round activity and not just for a season.

The longevity of Scouting is up to all of us. We need to share the excitement of Scouting with others.

We need to "Give every kid a chance to join Scouting". Our Fall recruitment will be "RACE TO SCOUTING".

Help promote Scouting.

*Richard Duran*

## Check It Out!

[www.thunderbirdbsa.com](http://www.thunderbirdbsa.com)

I could use some "Fresh" information or pictures to post on the website.

## YOUTH PROTECTION TRAINING

A special Thank You to Nita Wilson who will be our District Chair for Youth Protection Training. Contact Nita Wilson to schedule training for your Pack, Troop Team or Crew.

You can reach Nita Wilson  
at (559) 706-1766

## RACE TO SCOUTING

We will soon be kicking off our Race to Scouting Membership drive. Please call Julie Barnes if you would like to help with this membership promotion activity. This will be a short term project that you can work on at the district level in order to help all scouts in the Madera County Area.

For more information, contact Julie Barnes at (559) 642-2355

## FRIENDS OF SCOUTING

***WE NEED YOUR HELP!!!***

We are still short of our overall goal this year by \$12,000. If you can financially help support the scouting program with \$20-125 we would gladly accept it. Remember that your donation to scouting stays local and is 100% tax deductible.

Call Richard Duran if you should have any questions:  
(559) 320-2100 ext 119 or (559) 696-7676

## 2006 District Award of Merit Recipients

Congratulation to Robert Laburada and Danial Peck for all the hardwork and dedication to the Scouting program and other organizations they are involved in.

Please congratulate these fine individuals when you next see them.

***Congratulations!***