



The Training “Buzz”

Volume 1, January 2017

Upcoming Events:

January 21st

Winter Training

CPCC Levine Campus

[Registration & Info](#)

Flyer Attached

January 21st

College of Commissioner Science

CPCC Levine Campus

[Registration & Info](#)

January 28th

Range Safety Officer Training

Scout Hut at Forest Hill UMC,
61 Buffalo Ave, Concord NC

[Registration & Info](#)

Flyer Attached

2/17-2/19, 3/25-3/27

Wood Badge

Belk Scout Camp

Registration Closed

[Information](#)

March 11th-12th

Outdoor Leader Skills

Belk Scout Camp

[Registration & Info](#)

March 10th-12th

S.E.A.L.S

Belk Scout Camp

[Registration & Info](#)

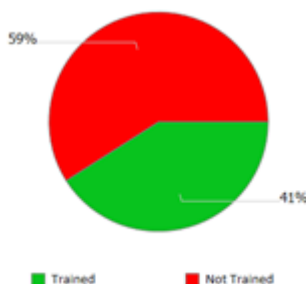
May 12th-14th

COPE & Climbing Instructure Training

Belk Scout Camp

[Registration & Info](#)

Our Training Numbers



From the Training Chair

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Hello all, and Happy New Year!

This publication is something that I’ve been wanting get off the ground for some time now, and am happy that that time is finally here! I hope that it has a positive impact on our goal to drive the future by providing our youth with the best trained and qualified leaders imaginable.

I want to share some of the visions that I have for the Buzz, and why I think it is a very important element of the Hornets Nest District training program. Please contact me with your feedback!

I want this to be the cornerstone of a two-way dialogue between myself and the units. In this capacity, I want to raise your visibility: to upcoming opportunities for training and to how we’re doing. I hope the panels to the right and above provide that. As we get further into the journey, I might try to launch some “friendly competitions” to try to drive the training numbers. Needless to say, I’d like to see us a lot better than 41%.

I want to make sure I’m reaching the right people. I have a vision of having a unit trainer in every unit. For some units, that’s probably not realistic, but it’s something to aspire to. For this first send, I’ve gone out to unit trainers, unit leaders and committee chairs. Please let me know if, for your unit, I have the right audience. Let me know if I should send this to the trainer only, to all three, or to some combination.

Lastly, as part of that two-way dialogue, I want to gather your suggestions for training content. Please let me know if there is a specific training that you’d like to see at our Scouter Success Seminars, or in any other venue. The sky is the limit, and I want to hear your ideas!

Let’s have a great 2017, and provide every scout with well-trained leadership! Thank you for all you do for Scouting!

SBR Tickle National Training and Leadership Center

With this newsletter, I’ve attached flyers with information for the 2017 program for the SBR Tickle National Training at the Summit. Please review with your leadership, as there are some great opportunities to get some awesome training from our national resources.

If you have any questions, please contact Danny Bell at 304-465-2830 or danny.bell@scouting.org