

Parent Talent Survey

Welcome to Troop 319! Our parents are our most vital resource for helping our boys along the Boy Scout trail. With that in mind, we would like to learn a little more about you! Please answer the following questions as completely as possible:

My hobbies include: _____

I can play and/or teach these sports: _____

My current (or previous) profession might be of interest to Boy Scouts and is: _____

My educational background (degrees, certifications, training, etc) might be of interest to Boy Scouts and is:

My scouting experience: (indicate years/grades in school):
 Cub Scout: _____ Other: _____
 Boy Scout: _____ Highest rank attained: _____
 Girl Scout: _____

Would you be willing to assist Troop Leadership occasionally? Yes No
 Would you be interested in becoming a trained leader? Yes No
(Please contact the Committee Chair for a list of all required classes.)

To comply with BSA regulations, and for the safety of our scouts, we ask that **ALL** parents complete YPG (Youth Protection Guidelines) training, conveniently available online at: <http://olc.scouting.org>. Or log on to the **Troop Resources** page on 319's website for links to training

Please check which areas you would be willing to assist in:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Campouts	<input type="checkbox"/>	Troop Meetings	<input type="checkbox"/>	Outdoor Activities
<input type="checkbox"/>	Hikes	<input type="checkbox"/>	Parent Committee Chair	<input type="checkbox"/>	Summer Camp
<input type="checkbox"/>	Backpacking	<input type="checkbox"/>	Membership/Re-Charter	<input type="checkbox"/>	Service Projects
<input type="checkbox"/>	High Adventure Outings	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fundraising	<input type="checkbox"/>	Programs/Activities
<input type="checkbox"/>	Scoutmaster/Assistant	<input type="checkbox"/>	Treasurer	<input type="checkbox"/>	Water Outings/Aquatics
<input type="checkbox"/>	Parent Committee Member	<input type="checkbox"/>	New Scout Advisor	<input type="checkbox"/>	Camp Meal Planning
<input type="checkbox"/>	Advancement/Troop Records	<input type="checkbox"/>	New Parent Advisor	<input type="checkbox"/>	Merit Badge Counselor
<input type="checkbox"/>	Scout Skills (first aid, knife/fire safety)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Quartermaster	<input type="checkbox"/>	Astronomy
<input type="checkbox"/>	Transportation of scouts/equipment	<input type="checkbox"/>	Tour Permits	<input type="checkbox"/>	Photographer
<input type="checkbox"/>	I have contacts for special trips/activities	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hospitality	<input type="checkbox"/>	Geology
<input type="checkbox"/>	I have access to camping property	<input type="checkbox"/>	Court of Honor	<input type="checkbox"/>	Knots/Lashings
<input type="checkbox"/>	I have a workshop	<input type="checkbox"/>	Newsletter/ Website	<input type="checkbox"/>	Map/Compass

The Troop needs parents who are willing to be Merit Badge Counselors to help our scouts earn patches and advance in rank. To qualify as a merit badge counselor, you should have a good working knowledge of a subject based on vocation, avocation, or special training. A list of current merit badges can be found at www.meritbadge.com. If you would like to be a counselor for the troop, download an application at www.sdicbsa.org/Forms/content/advancement/MBCounselors.pdf, or visit 319's *Troop Resources* website page for links to merit badge worksheets and counselor forms. and to download a counselor application. Completed applications can be turned in at the council office, or fax it to: 619-682-3858. If you have questions the merit badge counselor program visit <http://www.sdicbsa.org/advancement/mbadges/mbadges.asp>, or contact Traci Wagner at the San Diego/Imperial Council office at (619) 298-6121.

Parent Talent Survey — Troop Wish List

Adults with specialized skills/knowledge, or who own or have access to specialized equipment, are especially valued by boy scout troops. Troop 319 is a dynamic organization that plans numerous outdoor activities, participates in projects that benefit the community and our charter organization, and supports scouts in their quest to attain Eagle rank.

Troop parents are our most important resource. Please let us know if you can help the troop in any of the following ways:

- **Do you have—or are you are willing to complete—CPR Training?**

If you are CPR certified, please provide the agency name & completion date_____

- Own a truck suitable for transporting scout equipment or that can be used for service projects_____

- Own or have access to a tour van or bus_____

- Have construction knowledge and would be willing to assist/advise on Eagle projects_____

- Own or have access to construction equipment useful for Eagle Projects_____

Equipment/construction materials sometimes needed for Eagle Projects can include:

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| - bobcat tractor | - compost/mulch | - blueprints or similar detailed plans |
| - skip loader | - concrete | - graphic design |
| - dump truck | - asphalt | - sign/banner production |
| - post-hole auger | - lumber | |
| - cement mixer | - fencing | |

- I would like to help with troop fundraising activities and/or have a fundraising program that I would like to suggest and organize_____

- I am part of a community service organization (for example: Rotary or Optimist Club) and would be willing to find out if the organization can support our scouts' sales activities._____

- I work for a company that matches employee donations made to charitable organizations and will find out if Troop 319 is a qualifying organization._____

- I can help the troop design/maintain its website, or I have another useful computer skill _____

- I am interested in leading a trip to the following destination(s)_____
