



Troop 805

Tues 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM Sycamore Valley Elem, Danville, CA
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Troop 805, founded in 1985 and chartered by the Kiwanis Club of San Ramon Valley, consists of over 85 active Scouts, 25 uniformed leaders, and numerous other adults who help support the Troop.

THE BOYS

We pride ourselves on being a "boy run" troop, which means that most of the activities are planned and carried out by the boys. This may not always be the fastest or easiest way to get things done, but it teaches the boys responsibility and gives them the satisfaction of a job well done.

Each Scout advances at his own pace as part of the learning experience. Older scouts mentor the younger ones, teaching leadership and reinforcing what has been learned. Over 110 scouts have achieved eagle rank since the troops inception.

THE LEADERS

Our team of adult leaders are always ready to encourage the boys, help them examine what they did or didn't do right so that they can improve. We are there to insure the safety of the boys and to provide guidance as they develop in the three aims of Scouting: to build character, to foster citizenship, and to develop fitness.



THE PARENTS

All parents are expected to provide assistance to the troop. They can be part of the troop committee or become a uniformed assistant Scoutmaster. Parents are also encouraged to become registered Merit Badge Counselors to share with the boys what they have learned through their profession or hobbies.

OUTINGS AND ACTIVITIES

The focus of activities for the Troop is on the outdoor program with one major outdoor activity a month.

Summer Camp

Cherry Valley 2003,2008,2015,2017
Kern 2006,2007,2010,2011,2014
Marin Sierra 2004, 2005
Wente 2009, 2012, 2013, 2015, 2016
Wolfeboro 2018, Oljato 2019



Hiking, Biking & Backpacking

Short and long term events in support of hiking program

Hikes and bike rides suitable for new scouts and more strenuous ones for older scouts.

Rim of the Bay Progressive Trek: Series of hikes around the San Francisco Bay; may include a campout

Urban Backpacking: Sacramento State Capital, Exploratorium, Monterey Bay Aquarium

Short-Term Camping

Typically every year: Fishing, State Park Camping (Big Trees, Henry Coe, Angel Island, China Camp, etc.), Skiing, Meridian District Camporee, Rock Climbing Overnighter, Fall and Spring Scout Skills, Snow Camping

Typically every other year: Archery, 10/15/25/50 Mile Cycling, Shotgun/Rifle

Specialty Outings

Point Reyes Backpacking 2011, 2013, 2014, 2020*
Spelunking/Camping 2008, 2012, 2014,2018
Whitewater Rafting /South Fork American River 2009, 2012, 2014, 2020*, Kayaking & Canoeing 2019
Yosemite National Park/ Camping and Service Project 2009, 2011, 2014, 2020*
Zipline 2019, Escape Room 2019, 2020
Lavabeds N.P.2020*

*-planned before Pandemic hit ☹️

High Adventure

Philmont 2004,2008,2012,2014,2017,2022
Florida Sea Base 2002,2007,2018,2021
Northern Tier 2016, 2019
World/National Jamboree/Bechtel 2013,2017,2019

Half Fifties

Sunol to Del Valle 2010, 2012, 2014

