

Trainer's EDGE Conference

“For all Persons Involved In Training or Who Would Like to Do Training”

The Trainer's Edge curriculum is for anyone who will be delivering training at the pack, district or council level. **Trainer's Edge is required for any Scouter on the district and council training teams, Pack Trainers, as well as though serving on Wood Badge Staff.** It is recommended for Commissioners and any Scout Leader who wants to learn to communicate ideas better.



MARCH 20, 2010

AT

THE DEVOS FAMILY CENTER FOR SCOUTING

3213 WALKER AVE., NW GRAND RAPIDS, MI 49544

9:00 AM TO 5:00 PM

REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 8:30 AM



The purpose of the Trainer's EDGE Conference is to provide and help develop the platform skills of a trainer with a focus on the participant, while raising the level of skill a trainer brings. This course is intended to “train the trainer” on behaviors and resources while offering hands-on experience in methods and media.

Trainer's EDGE covers the following four modules:

- **Module 1—Communicating.** Review the basics of verbal and nonverbal communication for a trainer, introduce the EDGE model, and give the participants an opportunity to use the model.
- **Module 2—Logistics, Media, and Methods.** Review media and methods a trainer uses to deliver a syllabus.
- **Module 3—Directing Traffic and Thoughts—**Review how to developing a course culture, facilitation, participant focus, and managing the group.
- **Module 4—Participant Session—**Provide practice in delivering participants' prepared presentations and feedback.

COST: \$10.00

(this includes lunch and materials)

TO REGISTER: Complete and return the attached registration form by March 11, 2010 to: Gerald R. Ford Council, BSA; 3213 Walker Ave.; Grand Rapids, MI 49544 or Fax: 616-785-0835.

FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: Council Training Chair, Lee Hildebrand @ 616-850-0704 or leehildebrand@comcast.net or Aaron Gach at the DeVos Family Center for Scouting at 616-785-2662; 888-BSA-GRFC or aaron.gach@scouting.org;

- **Prerequisite: A participant taking this course must come prepared to present a short 5-10 minute presentation on a scouting topic of their choice.**



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REGISTRATION FORM

Unit # _____ Position _____
Name: _____
Address _____ City _____ Zip _____
Telephone Number: (Home) _____ (Business) _____ (Cell) _____
Email Address: _____

Total Adult Participants _____ x \$10.00 each = \$ _____

Take out of unit account # _____ per _____ Total Enclosed \$ _____
Print Name Event Code: 634

What program(s) do you train: (please check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Cub Scout | <input type="checkbox"/> Boy Scout | <input type="checkbox"/> Council Training Courses |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Unit (Pack/Troop) | <input type="checkbox"/> District | <input type="checkbox"/> Camp Staff |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Commissioner | <input type="checkbox"/> Order of the Arrow | <input type="checkbox"/> Wood Badge |
| <input type="checkbox"/> National Youth Leadership Training | <input type="checkbox"/> Powder Horn | <input type="checkbox"/> Outdoor Leader Training |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OKPIK | <input type="checkbox"/> Advancement | <input type="checkbox"/> Troop Leadership Training |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Venturing | |

Signature: _____

Please make check payable to: Gerald R. Ford Council, Boy Scouts of America.

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Please duplicate as needed

For Office Use: Amt. Paid _____ Receipt No. _____ Date _____ Council Approved _____
