

2022 Schedule, Course Offerings, & Descriptions

1 - Friday 12/02/22 7:15-9:00 PM		Keynote Address All Attend	Barry Simays	NST11 Commissioner
	Course #	Title	Description	
2 Saturday 12/03/22 9:00-9:50 AM	BCS 150	Roundtables in Unit Service	Review and reinforce how roundtables fit into the unit service structure by providing roundtable services to units and unit leaders.	
	MCS 305	Resolving Critical Unit Issues	You can hone your skills in assessing units, determining their strengths and weaknesses, and developing plans to improve the functioning of the unit are the key points of this session.	
	DCS 501	Selecting Your Thesis / Project Topic	Assistings doctoral candidates in selecting their project or thesis concept is the main focus of this session.	
	CED 716	Navigating Difficult Conversations	Scouting is full of conversations. Most are pleasant and productive-but at times, differences can arise. It occurs whenever people disagree over their values, motivations, perceptions, ideas, or desires. Sometimes these differences appear trivial, but they can trigger strong emotions. As commissioners, we need to be able to navigate these difficult conversations in a way that leaves everyone feeling heard, understood and valued.	
3 Saturday 12/03/22 10:00-10:50 AM	BCS 104*	Contacting Units	At the heart of unit service are the contacts commissioners make with their units. This courses examines the role of contacts between commissioners and their units.	
	MCS 358	Addressing Unit Challenges Through Roundtable	Monthly roundtables play a key role in unit service and in helping unit leaders address their challenges and roadblocks. A great roundtable team will deliver a quality event that encourages leaders to return each month.	
	DCS 502	Limiting the Scope of Your Topic	Doctoral candidates explore various procedures to reduce their topic to a workable size. A suggested approval process will also be shared.	
	CED 751	The Role of the Administrative Commissioner in the Roundtable Program	We'll discuss how developing a team with a unit service mindset starts with establishing relationships and talk about how administrative commissioners such as the assistant council commissioner for roundtable and the assistant district commissioner for roundtable can be reliable resources for units at the district and council level. We'll also learn how building an effective roundtable commissioner team is vital to the success of all roundtables and how Commissioner Tools, recognition and using available resources help strengthen the roundtable program.	
4 Saturday 12/03/22 11:00-11:50 AM	BCS 107*	Journey to Excellence	Learn about the elements of the Unit Journey to Excellence and what it takes to ensure success in every unit.	
	MCS 314	The Commissioner and the Professional	Learn more about the relationship between the commissioner and the professional and how they can work closely together to reach the common goal of providing quality service to units.	
	DCS 503	Developing Your Thesis or Project	Explore the project or thesis outline and a variety of suggestions for writing and revising your report.	
	CED 752	Advanced Roundtable Promotion	When it comes right down to it, the roundtable program is not a situation of "if you build it, they	

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5 Sunday 12/04/22 1:00-1:50 PM	BCS 103*	Linking District Resources	Explore the commissioner's role of linking units to the district committee.
	MCS 350	Unit and Roundtable Commissioners Working Together	Review how unit commissioners and roundtable commissioners work together to ensure unit leaders have the support they need to succeed. Remember: "Roundtable is unit service."
	DCS 504	Project/Thesis Open Workshop Forum	This Q and A open forum provides doctoral candidates an opportunity to review completed projects and these instilling confidence that this task is attainable.
	CED 712	Roster Mining for Recruiting	Recruiting is hard work. The process described in this course will aid in finding good Commissioners.
6 Sunday 12/04/22 2:00-2:50 PM	BCS 116*	Collaborative Assessments	Examine and discuss the need for collaboration in assessing unit's strengths and needs to build a Unit Service Plan with the unit leaders and record progress in Commissioner Tools.
	MCS 311	All About the Assistant District Commissioner's Role	Educate the audience on the purpose of the assistant district commissioner role and how it benefits commissioner services at the district level.
	DCS 514	Building Meaningful Relationships	Commissioner service is all about relationships. In this course we will discuss how commissioners may go about building and maintaining positive relationships with those they serve. We'll also explore possible pitfalls that can undermine relationships.
	CED 720	Commissioner Introduction to Valuing Diversity	The purpose of this course is to increase knowledge and general understanding of diversity issues without making value judgments or calling into question peoples' religious, culture, or political beliefs and affiliations.
7 Sunday 12/04/22 3:00-3:50 PM	BCS 154	Roundtable Fundamentals	Extend the learning material from Roundtable Commissioner Basic Training.
	MCS 312	Recruiting the 21st Century Volunteer	All commissioners are responsible for recruiting other commissioners. This course familiarizes commissioners on the considerations and techniques that support recruiting volunteers who represent the generations of the 21st century.
	DCS 516	The Unit Service Plan and the District	During this session examine the district commissioner's role in completing unit service plans and how the district committee plays a key role in service plan completion.
	CED 701	Combatting Com. Stress/Burnout	We've all had our moments when we ask ourselves, "Why are we involved in Scouting?" This session is designed to examine indicators of stress, how stress affects those around us, and how we might overcome these negative manifestations.