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Activities & District Meetings	Dates	Time	Location	Description
<b>January</b>				
District Committee Meeting	2-Jan-24	7:30 PM	Virtual	1st Tuesday
<b>Guru Gobind Singh Sahib Birthday: Sikh</b>	5-Jan-24			
<b>OA Lodge Banquet</b>	<b>7-Jan-24</b>	<b>2:00 PM</b>	<b>Columbus Gardens</b>	<b>Food and Fellowship</b>
<b>Christmas, Eastern Orthodox</b>	8-Jan-24			
District Roundtable	8-Jan-24	7:30 PM	Columbia Academy	Training and ideas for Scout leaders
OA Chapter Meeting	21-Jan-24	4:00 PM	Bethany UMC	Chapter gathering - 3rd Sunday
District Commissioner Meeting	22-Jan-24	7:00 PM	Virtual	4th Monday
Klondike Derby	27-Jan-24	8:00 AM	Mckeldin Area, Patapsco St	Activity Trails for Cubs and Scouts BSA
<b>February</b>				
District Committee Meeting	6-Feb-24	7:30 PM	Virtual	1st Tuesday
District Roundtable	12-Feb-24	7:30 PM	Columbia Academy	Training and ideas for Scout leaders
OA Chapter Meeting	18-Feb-24	4:00 PM	Bethany UMC	Chapter gathering - 3rd Sunday
<b>Council Recognition Banquet</b>	<b>22-Feb-24</b>	<b>6:00 PM</b>	<b>Boumi Shriners Temple</b>	<b>Celebrate a successful year of Scouting</b>
<b>Laylat al Bara'a: Islam</b>	24-Feb-24			
District Commissioner Meeting	26-Feb-24	7:00 PM	Virtual	4th Monday
<b>March</b>				
<u>Scouting for Food Tag Distribution</u>	2-Mar-24	8:00 AM	Howard County	Tag Distribution
District Committee Meeting	5-Mar-24	7:30 PM	Virtual	1st Tuesday
<u>Scouting for Food Collection</u>	9-Mar-24	8:00 AM	Howard County	Food Collection
OA Chapter Service Day	9-Mar-24	7:30 AM	Collection Center	Scouting for Food
<b>OA Lodge Service Day</b>	<b>9-Mar-24</b>		<b>BAC Welcome Center</b>	
District Roundtable	11-Mar-24	7:30 PM	Columbia Academy	Training and ideas for Scout leaders
<b>Nanakshahi: Sikh New Year</b>	14-Mar-24			
<b>Ramadan, First Day</b>	15-Mar-24			
Adventuree (tentative date)	15-Mar-24	Weekend	Camp Saffran	
<b>Gathas: Zoroastrian</b>	16-20-Mar-24			
OA Chapter Meeting	17-Mar-24	4:00 PM	Bethany UMC	Chapter gathering - 3rd Sunday
District Commissioner Meeting	18-Mar-24	7:00 PM	Virtual	New Date to accommodate religious observances
<b>Navroze: Zoroastrian New Year</b>	21-Mar-24			
<b>Ramadan</b>	22-Mar-24			
<b>Purim: Jewish</b>	23-Mar-24			
<b>Holy Week/Easter: Christian</b>	24-31-Mar-24			
<b>HCPSS Spring Break</b>	25-31-Mar-24			
<b>Ramadan</b>	29-Mar-24			
<b>April</b>				
<b>HCPSS Spring Break (cont.)</b>	1-Apr-24			
District Committee Meeting	2-Apr-24	7:30 PM	Virtual	1st Tuesday
<b>Ramadan</b>	5-Apr-24			
District Roundtable	8-Apr-24	7:30 PM	Columbia Academy	Training and ideas for Scout leaders
<b>OA Spring Fellowship</b>	<b>12-Apr-24</b>	<b>Weekend</b>	<b>Camp Saffran</b>	<b>Food and Fellowship</b>
District Commissioner Meeting	15-Apr-24	7:00 PM	Virtual	New Date to accommodate religious observances
<b>First Day of Ridvan: Baha'i</b>	20-Apr-24			
<b>Volunteer Training Summit &amp; College of Commissioner Service</b>	<b>20-Apr-24</b>	<b>8:00 AM</b>	<b>Community College of Baltimore County</b>	<b>Formerly University of Scouting; Training opportunity for all leaders and parents</b>
OA Chapter Meeting	21-Apr-24	4:00 PM	Bethany UMC	Chapter gathering - 3rd Sunday
<b>Passover: Jewish</b>	22-23-Apr-24			
<b>Holy Week (start): Eastern Orthodox</b>	28-30-Apr-24			
Life to Eagle Seminar	TBD	7:00 PM	Virtual	For Life Scouts and their leaders, parents

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<b>May</b>				
<b>Holy Week/Easter: Eastern Orthodox</b>	1-5-May-24			
District Committee Meeting	7-May-24	7:30 PM	Virtual	Annual Business Meeting
Program Launch	13-May-24	7:00 PM	TBD	Ideas for your program year
<b>District Commissioner Meeting</b>	<b>20-May-24</b>	<b>7:00 PM</b>	<b>Virtual</b>	<b>New Date to accommodate religious observances</b>
We Remember	24-May-24	6:00 PM	Baltimore National Cemetery	Remembering Fallen Veterans
BALOO	TBD	Fri-Sat	Poplar Springs	Interactive overnight training for Cub Leaders
IOLS	TBD	Fri-Sat	Poplar Springs	Interactive training to master outdoor skills
<b>June</b>				
<b>Ghallughara Day: Sikh</b>	4-Jun-24			
District Dinner	4-Jun-24	6:00 PM	Bethany UMC	Recognizing District Award of Merit Recipients
OA Chapter Meeting	9-Jun-24	4:00 PM	Bethany UMC	Chapter gathering - 3rd Sunday
District Roundtable	10-Jun-24	7:30 PM	Columbia Academy	Training and ideas for Scout leaders
<b>Shavuot: Jewish</b>	11-12-Jun-24			
<b>Guru Arjan Sahib Martyrdom Day: Sikh</b>	16-Jun-24			
District Commissioner Meeting	24-Jun-24	7:00 PM	Virtual	4th Monday
<u>Cub Scout Day Camp</u>	24-28-Jun-24	8:00 AM	Howard County Fairgrounds	
<b>July</b>				
<b>OA Lodge Picnic</b>	<b>6-Jul-24</b>	<b>12:00 PM</b>	<b>Camp Saffran</b>	<b>Food and fellowship</b>
Fishing Tournament (tentative)	13-Jul-24	8:30 AM	Centennial Lane	Fun day of fishing for the whole family
District Committee Meeting			NO MEETING	NA
District Roundtable			NO MEETING	NA
District Commissioner Meeting			NO MEETING	NA
<b>August</b>				
District Committee Meeting	6-Aug-24	7:30 PM	Virtual	1st Tuesday
OA Chapter Meeting	11-Aug-24	4:00 PM	Bethany UMC	Chapter gathering - 3rd Sunday
<b>Tisha B'Av: Jewish</b>	12-13-Aug-24			
District Roundtable	12-Aug-24	7:30 PM	Columbia Academy	Training and ideas for Scout leaders
<b>OA Ordeal</b>	<b>16-Aug-24</b>	<b>Weekend</b>	<b>Camp Saffran</b>	<b>Induction - Nat Pike/Arrowhead Chapter Ordeal</b>
District Commissioner Meeting	26-Aug-24	7:00 PM	Virtual	4th Monday
District Recruiting Event	TBD	TBD	TBD	All Unit Recruiting Event
<b>September</b>				
District Committee Meeting	3-Sep-24	7:30 PM	Virtual	1st Tuesday
District Roundtable	9-Sep-24	7:30 PM	Columbia Academy	Training and ideas for Scout leaders
OA Chapter Meeting	15-Sep-24	4:00 PM	Bethany UMC	Chapter gathering - 3rd Sunday
District Commissioner Meeting	23-Sep-24	7:00 PM	Virtual	4th Monday
BALOO	TBD	Fri-Sat	Poplar Springs	Interactive training to master outdoor skills
IOLS	TBD	Fri-Sat	Poplar Springs	Interactive training to master outdoor skills
Recharter Training	TBD			Training for all CC or Recharter Chairs

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<b>October</b>				
District Committee Meeting	1-Oct-24	7:30 PM	Virtual	1st Tuesday
<b>Rosh Hashonah, Jewish</b>	2-4-Oct-24			
<b>OA Fall Fellowship</b>	<b>4-Oct-24</b>		<b>Weekend Camp Saffran</b>	<b>Food and fellowship</b>
<b>Yom Kippur: Jewish</b>	11-12-Oct-24			
District Roundtable	14-Oct-24	7:30 PM	Columbia Academy	
<b>Sukkot: Jewish</b>	16-17-Oct-24			
OA Chapter Meeting	20-Oct-24	4:00 PM	Bethany UMC	Chapter gathering - 3rd Sunday
District Commissioner Meeting	28-Oct-24	7:00 PM	Virtual	4th Monday
Life to Eagle Seminar	TBD	7:00 PM	Virtual	For Life Scouts and their leaders, parents
<b>November</b>				
Webelos-O-Ree	1-Nov-24		Weekend Camp Spencer	Camping for Webelos and AOL Scouts
District Committee Meeting	5-Nov-24	7:30 PM	Virtual	1st Tuesday
District Roundtable	11-Nov-24	7:30 PM	Columbia Academy	Training and ideas for Scout leaders
OA Chapter Meeting	17-Nov-24	4:00 PM	Bethany UMC	Chapter gathering - 3rd Sunday
<b>Martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahadur: Sikh</b>	24-Nov-24			
District Commissioner Meeting	25-Nov-24	7:00 PM	Columbia Academy	4th Monday
<b>Thanksgiving</b>	28-Nov-24			
Nat. Pike Good Scout Breakfast	TBD	7:30 AM	Turf Valley	
<b>December</b>				
District Committee Meeting	3-Dec-24	7:30 PM	Virtual	1st Tuesday
District Roundtable	9-Dec-24	7:30 PM	Columbia Academy	Training and ideas for Scout leaders
OA Chapter Meeting	15-Dec-24	4:00 PM	Bethany UMC	Banquet
District Commissioner Meeting			NO MEETING	NA (Dec 23 traditional date)
<b>Christmas: Christian</b>	25-Dec-24			
<b>Baba Zorawar Singh Martyrdom: Sikh</b>	26-Dec-24			
<b>Zarhosht no Diso: Zoroastrian</b>	26-Dec-24			