

## Merit Badge Midway

**Location: LDS Church, 19513 Drycliff St., SCV at the corner of Camp Plenty Rd.**

**Saturday, April 8, 2017 - 8:00am to 4:30pm**

**Merit Badge Courses start from 8:30am**

Scouts shall notify their Scoutmaster for approval of each Merit Badge they would like to start or complete at the Midway. All Scouts shall register at the following [doubleknot.com](http://doubleknot.com) website and then contact the Merit Badge Counselor prior to the Midway to complete any prerequisites for each Merit Badge attempted. <http://bsala.doubleknot.com/registration/calendardetail.aspx?ActivityKey=2079304&OrgKey=295>  
Scoutmaster signed *Blue Cards* are required for each Merit Badge course. Each Scout needs to bring a notebook or the *Merit Badge worksheet*, and something to write with. Scouts are **EXPECTED** to wear their Class 'A' uniform throughout the Midway. Breakfast will be served 8am to 9:30am. Troop 582 will be doing this as a Troop fundraiser. Beverages, and snacks will be available for purchase. Lunch will be served from 11:30am to 2:30pm. Troop 2379 will be doing this as a Troop fundraiser. If there are any questions, contact Darin Hebert at [hebert.darin@yahoo.com](mailto:hebert.darin@yahoo.com) or 661-803-9423.

Merit Badge Counselors please arrive by 8:00 am to set-up.

For those adults that would like to take the Merit Badge Counselor course, please go to the following [doubleknot.com](http://doubleknot.com) website.

<http://bsa-la.doubleknot.com/event/2085648>

Please note, the Midway will be run in the form of sessions. There are (11) eleven total sessions. Each Merit Badge has a session number that corresponds to the times listed below.

Session 1: 8:30am – 10:30am  
Session 4: 2:00pm – 4:00pm  
Session 6: 12:30pm – 4:00pm  
Session 9: 1:00pm – 3:00pm

Session 2: 10:30am – 12pm  
Session 5: 8:30am – 12pm  
Session 7: 8:30am – 4:00pm  
Session 10: Available all day

Session 3: 12:30pm – 2:00pm  
Session 5a: 8:30am – 12:30pm  
Session 8: 10:00am – 12pm

**Adult Courses:**

<b>Course:</b>	<b>Counselor:</b>	<b>Phone Number:</b>	<b>Email Address:</b>	<b>Session #:</b>
"Merit Badge Counselor"	Chuck Byers	661-645-1013	<a href="mailto:chuckb46@me.com">chuckb46@me.com</a>	Session 1

**Register for the following Merit Badge Classes at the [doubleknot.com](http://doubleknot.com) site in the above paragraph.**

<b>Course:</b>	<b>Counselor:</b>	<b>Phone Number:</b>	<b>Email Address:</b>	<b>Session #:</b>
American Business+	Jerry Johnson	661-467-0460	<a href="mailto:jerry@zmjohnson.com">jerry@zmjohnson.com</a>	Session 7
American Cultures	Nina Rettke	661-513-0241	<a href="mailto:ninchka@outlook.com">ninchka@outlook.com</a>	Session 6
American Heritage+	Steph Burkhardt	661-294-8581	<a href="mailto:botrinarocks@hotmail.com">botrinarocks@hotmail.com</a>	Session 5
American Labor+	Darin Hebert	661-803-9423	<a href="mailto:hebert.darin@yahoo.com">hebert.darin@yahoo.com</a>	Session 9
Art+	Tracey Lucas	661-263-9229	<a href="mailto:lucastudio@me.com">lucastudio@me.com</a>	Session 1
Art+ (no class, signoff only)	Tracey Lucas	661-263-9229	<a href="mailto:lucastudio@me.com">lucastudio@me.com</a>	Session 4
Chess+	Manny Valls	661-645-3153	<a href="mailto:mannyv@aemf.org">mannyv@aemf.org</a>	Session 4
ēCitizenship in the Com.+	Lee Shapiro	818-427-7802	<a href="mailto:lsbsa@aol.com">lsbsa@aol.com</a>	Session 8
ēCitizenship in the Com.+	James Hall	661-998-0208	<a href="mailto:jameshall54@gmail.com">jameshall54@gmail.com</a>	Session 9
ēCitizenship in the Nation+	Mark Murphy	661-298-9650	<a href="mailto:markmurphybsa@yahoo.com">markmurphybsa@yahoo.com</a>	Session 1
ēCitizenship in the Nation+	Alfredo Loza	661-977-1523	<a href="mailto:alfredo.loza.lozaus@gmail.com">alfredo.loza.lozaus@gmail.com</a>	Session 6
ēCitizenship in the World+	Alfredo Loza	661-977-1523	<a href="mailto:alfredo.loza.lozaus@gmail.com">alfredo.loza.lozaus@gmail.com</a>	Session 5
ēCooking	Laurel Lofland	661-312-1814	<a href="mailto:scvtenor@sbcglobal.net">scvtenor@sbcglobal.net</a>	Session 1
ēCooking	Laurel Lofland	661-312-1814	<a href="mailto:scvtenor@sbcglobal.net">scvtenor@sbcglobal.net</a>	Session 9
Digital Tech.+ (no class, signoff only)	Tracey Lucas	661-263-9229	<a href="mailto:lucastudio@me.com">lucastudio@me.com</a>	Session 4
Energy+	Chuck Byers	661-645-1013	<a href="mailto:chuckb46@me.com">chuckb46@me.com</a>	Session 2
Entrepreneurship+	Jerry Johnson	661-467-0460	<a href="mailto:jerry@zmjohnson.com">jerry@zmjohnson.com</a>	Session 7
ēEmergency Preparedness	Scott Seamands	661-296-6642	<a href="mailto:burtonguy79@aol.com">burtonguy79@aol.com</a>	Session 9
ēFamily Life+	Lee Shapiro	818-427-7802	<a href="mailto:lsbsa@aol.com">lsbsa@aol.com</a>	Session 9
Fingerprinting+	Peter Kurt	661-753-6779	<a href="mailto:kurtzoo@sbcglobal.net">kurtzoo@sbcglobal.net</a>	Session 10
Fire Safety+	Darin Hebert	661-803-9423	<a href="mailto:hebert.darin@yahoo.com">hebert.darin@yahoo.com</a>	Session 8
Genealogy+	Tracey Lucas	661-263-9229	<a href="mailto:lucastudio@me.com">lucastudio@me.com</a>	Session 3
Genealogy+ (no class, signoff only)	Tracey Lucas	661-263-9229	<a href="mailto:lucastudio@me.com">lucastudio@me.com</a>	Session 4
Geocaching+	Tracey Lucas	661-263-9229	<a href="mailto:lucastudio@me.com">lucastudio@me.com</a>	Session 2
Geocaching+ (no class, signoff only)	Tracey Lucas	661-263-9229	<a href="mailto:lucastudio@me.com">lucastudio@me.com</a>	Session 4
Graphic Arts+ (no class, signoff only)	Tracey Lucas	661-263-9229	<a href="mailto:lucastudio@me.com">lucastudio@me.com</a>	Session 4
Home Repairs+	Manny Valls	661-645-3153	<a href="mailto:mannyv@aemf.org">mannyv@aemf.org</a>	Session 5a
Indian Lore+	Malcolm Jones	661-877-7080	<a href="mailto:mjones13f@gmail.com">mjones13f@gmail.com</a>	Session 9
Inventing+	Chuck Byers	661-645-1013	<a href="mailto:chuckb46@me.com">chuckb46@me.com</a>	Session 9
Leather Working+	Malcolm Jones	661-877-7080	<a href="mailto:mjones13f@gmail.com">mjones13f@gmail.com</a>	Session 5
Medicine	Cynthia Funakoshi	661-210-7832	<a href="mailto:cfunakoshi@yahoo.com">cfunakoshi@yahoo.com</a>	Session 2
Medicine	Cynthia Funakoshi	661-210-7832	<a href="mailto:cfunakoshi@yahoo.com">cfunakoshi@yahoo.com</a>	Session 6
Music	Laurel Lofland	661-312-1814	<a href="mailto:scvtenor@sbcglobal.net">scvtenor@sbcglobal.net</a>	Session 2
ēPersonal Management+	Jerry Johnson	661-467-0460	<a href="mailto:jerry@zmjohnson.com">jerry@zmjohnson.com</a>	Session 7
Rifle Shooting	Steve Garland	661-297-9138	<a href="mailto:e4sg@sbcglobal.net">e4sg@sbcglobal.net</a>	Session 5
Robotics+ (no class, signoff only)	Tracey Lucas	661-263-9229	<a href="mailto:lucastudio@me.com">lucastudio@me.com</a>	Session 4
Scholarship+	Mark Murphy	661-298-9650	<a href="mailto:markmurphybsa@yahoo.com">markmurphybsa@yahoo.com</a>	Session 2
Scholarship+	Steph Burkhardt	661-294-8581	<a href="mailto:botrinarocks@hotmail.com">botrinarocks@hotmail.com</a>	Session 4
Scuba Diving+	Fred Brown	661-400-1596	<a href="mailto:fbscubainstr@hotmail.com">fbscubainstr@hotmail.com</a>	Session 1
Scuba Diving+	Fred Brown	661-400-1596	<a href="mailto:fbscubainstr@hotmail.com">fbscubainstr@hotmail.com</a>	Session 2
Scuba Diving+	Fred Brown	661-400-1596	<a href="mailto:fbscubainstr@hotmail.com">fbscubainstr@hotmail.com</a>	Session 3
Skating	Scott Seamands	661-296-6642	<a href="mailto:burtonguy79@aol.com">burtonguy79@aol.com</a>	Session 2
Snow Sports	Scott Seamands	661-296-6642	<a href="mailto:burtonguy79@aol.com">burtonguy79@aol.com</a>	Session 1
Traffic Safety+	Jennifer Kurt	661-313-9844	<a href="mailto:reddcaboose@hotmail.com">reddcaboose@hotmail.com</a>	Session 10

Scouts will need to contact the Merit Badge Counselor prior to the Midway. All Merit Badges will be **earned**. New classes may be added at anytime, however, a formal list of classes will be available on the day of the Midway. Please take a look at the following page regarding prerequisites. It is highly recommended that Scouts go to <http://www.meritbadge.org/> and get the worksheet for any of the Merit Badges they may be interested in, but it is not a requirement.  
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**Merit Badge Midway Prerequisites:**

**+American Business - Entrepreneurship - Personal Management**

\*These three Merit Badges will be taught together during Session 7. To receive full credit for the three merit badges, pre & post-requisites must be completed. Please contact the Merit Badge Counselor prior to the Midway. Please see page 3 and 4 of this document for a full explanation for this course.

**+Art**

To receive full credit for Art, you will need to contact the counselor prior to the Midway for direction.

**+American Heritage**

To receive full credit for American Heritage, please contact the Merit Badge Counselor to discuss the prerequisites prior to Midway.

**+American Labor**

To receive full credit for American Labor, please complete #2, 5, 7 and 9 prior to the Midway or follow-up with the counselor after the Midway

**+Citizenship in the Community**

To receive full credit for Citizenship in the Community; you will need to complete the following prior to Midway. 1. Write out what it means to be a citizen in your community. 2a. Make the map. 3. Attend one of the requested meetings. 4a. Complete this requirement. 4b. Complete this requirement. 5. Complete this requirement. Stop - Do not go any further.

**+Citizenship in the Nation**

To receive full credit for Citizenship in the Nation, please complete #2, 3, 6 and 8 prior to the Midway or follow-up with the counselor after the Midway. Reading the biography is not mandatory.

**+Citizenship in the World**

To receive full credit for Citizenship in the World, please complete #4 and 7 prior to the Midway or follow-up with the counselor after the Midway. Reading the biography is not mandatory.

**+Chess**

To receive full credit for Chess, please bring a chess board, chess pieces and a filled out 7 page questionnaire found online, also complete the 4 pages of requirements prior to Midway or follow-up with the counselor after the Midway.

**+Digital Technology**

To receive full credit for Digital Technology, you will need to contact the counselor prior to the Midway for direction. This will be a signoff opportunity only.

**+Energy**

To receive full credit for Energy MB, prior to the Midway study the requirements, the booklet, and other books and websites. Be prepared to discuss all the topics in requirements 2a & b, 3a, b, c, & d. Actually do the following requirements: 1a, 4a & b, 5a & b, 6a, b, c, d, & e, 7, and 8 and write up the results of each activity, being prepared to explain them to me. This is a lot of reading and writing, so don't put it off very long. We will do some of the experiments and demonstrations in class. When using the internet, do so with your parents supervision and using safe internet research methods. In your preparation you should learn enough to understand the various topics and discuss them intelligently.

**+Family Life**

To receive full credit for Family Life; you will need to complete the following prior to Midway. 1. Do all. 2. Do all, you will need to call me. 3. You will need to discuss this with your parents, than call me. Do not start your chores until we talk. After we talk, you may work on the chores. Not until we talk! 4. Answer how this will benefit your family. 5. We will discuss. Call me. 6a. Only; We will talk at the Midway about the rest of this Merit Badge.

**+Fingerprinting**

To receive full credit for Fingerprinting; please complete requirement; (1), (2) & (3). These must be done prior to the Midway, Requirements (4) & (5) will be done at the Midway. You also need to "Be Prepared" to discuss requirements (1), (2) & (3).

**+Fire Safety**

To receive full credit for Fire Safety, please complete the following pre-requisites: 6 all, 7 all, 9 all, 10 all, and 11 prior to the Midway or follow-up with the counselor after the Midway

**+Genealogy**

To receive full credit for Genealogy, you will need to contact the counselor prior to the Midway for direction.

**+Geocaching**

To receive full credit for Geocaching, you will need to contact the counselor prior to the Midway for direction.

**+Graphic Arts**

To receive full credit for Graphic Arts, you will need to contact the counselor prior to the Midway for direction. This will be a signoff opportunity only.

**+Home Repairs**

\*\*Bring eye protection\*\*

**+Indian Lore**

To receive full credit for Indian Lore, please print the Merit Badge requirements, and complete as many requirements as possible prior to the start of Midway. Many of the requirements require time and thought.

**+Inventing**

To receive full credit for Inventing MB, prior to the Midway study the requirements, the booklet, and other books and websites. Be prepared to discuss all the topics in requirements 1a, 2b, 3a, b, & d, 4, & 9. Actually do the following requirements: 1b, 3c, 5, 6, 7, and 8. Inventing is a fun but intensive merit badge and you will have to actually invent an original device and build and test it, so don't put this off very long. When using the internet, do so with your parents supervision and using safe internet research methods. In your preparation you should learn enough to understand the various topics and discuss them intelligently.

**+Leather Working**

To receive full credit for Leather Working, please print the Merit Badge requirements, and complete as many requirements as possible prior to the start of Midway. Many of the requirements require time and thought.

**+Robotics**

To receive full credit for Robotics, you will need to contact the counselor prior to the Midway for direction. This will be a signoff opportunity only.

**+Scholarship**

To receive full credit for Scholarship, please contact the Merit Badge Counselor to discuss the prerequisites prior to Midway.

**+Scuba Diving**

To receive full credit for Scuba Diving, please complete requirements #2 & #4 prior to Midway. If this is not possible, you will need to follow-up with the counselor after the Midway to complete requirement #4.

**+Traffic Safety**

To receive full credit for Traffic Safety, please read the entire Traffic Safety hand book.

# **Business Merit Badge Blitz**

## *American Business – Entrepreneurship – Personal Management*

Business meets Boy Scouts, in this accelerated merit badge session. There are overlapping topics in these three merit badges with relation to business concepts, money management, capital acquisition, and economic principals.

This class will cover the educational aspects of these merit badges. The topics can be intense and the attendees should already have reviewed the requirements and prepared in advance. In addition, the depth of the topic will require note taking and a willingness to learn and apply the provided information to various financial and organizational situations.

In order to earn all three-merit badges, certain prerequisites must be met. The merit badge worksheets and pamphlets should be referenced for the specifics of each requirement. The following lists of action items are the requirements that involve individual effort outside the scope of the class. The requirements have been listed in a table to show the comparisons and overlap of the action items within each merit badge.

Broad questions, concerns, or confusion should be addressed prior to class since the allotted time will be limited.

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### **Merit Badge Action Items**

#### **Personal Management**

- 1.a Major purchase research
- 1.b Major purchase written plan
- 1.b.2 Major purchase family discussion
- 1.b.3 Major purchase impact
- 1.c Major purchase shopping strategy
- 1.c.1 Major purchase quality review
- 1.c.2 Major purchase comparison shopping
- 2.a Personal budget tracking
- 2.b.1 Personal budget expense reduction
- 2.b.2 Personal budget income handling
- 5.a-c Track stocks
- 8.a To-do list
- 8.b Seven day calendar
- 8.c Seven day journal

- 9.a-e Product plan and budget

- 10.a-b Career plan

#### **American Business**

- 3.a-b Track stocks

- 5.a-b Run a business

- 2.a Bank org chart
- 4.a (opt) Labor org chart
- 6.a (opt) E-Commerce presentation
- 6.b (opt) Product packaging report
- 6.c (opt) Business leader report

#### **Entrepreneurship**

- 4 Business ideas report
- 5.a.1-5 Business plan overview
- 5.b.1-3 Business plan market analysis
- 5.c.1-3 Business plan financial review
- 5.d.1-2 Business plan personnel plan
- 5.e.1-2 Business plan marketing
- 5.e.3 Business plan advertising collateral
- 6 Business risk management review

- 3 Business person interview