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Section 1 -- Scouting Related Bulletin Boards (BBSs)

Gajuka Lodge BBS

There is a computer bulletin board system which is operated by members of Gajuka Lodge. The Gajuka BBS can be reached via modem at 607-687-6611. Settings for your modem should be 8-N-1. Modem speeds up to 14.4K are supported. Normal hours of operation for the Gajuka BBS are 10pm-10am. The lodge planned to expand these hours in late 1994. Please check with them for updated information on operating hours.



NCAC - Southern Maryland District BBS

The Southern Maryland District of the National Capital Area Council recently established a new scout BBS. The cost is \$5 per month to cover communications line charges which could be reduced depending on the number of subscribers. The BBS is open to all Professional and Volunteer Adult Scouters, Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts. The BBS can be accessed at the following numbers: 301-645-6817, 301-645-6682, 301-645-6495, and 301-645-6211.



Phoneix BBS - Phoneix, Arizona

Lance Halle, an Internet Scouter, runs a Phoneix BBS that carries several Scouting Forums. He has a National BSA Forum netted over WWIVnet and other WWIV BBS compatible networks, and is gating in SCOUTER and SCOUTING echos, although the last two aren't updating at the moment due to a problem with the Gateway system. For information call MOON VALLEY TRIANGLE 602-942-9228 (300 - 28.8 bps v.32bis/VFC/V34) and then logon and answer the questions. You will be validated by the next day. Mention you heard about him on Internet.



Bulletin Board Sites Which Carry Scouting Related Conferences

On the following pages is a list (which was Compiled by Steve Souza who is a member of the SCOUTS-L discussion group) of BBS systems around the country (and beyond) which carry Scouting-related information. The list is



sorted by telephone number and was last updated in March, 1993. (No doubt by now there are many additional BBSs that carry Scouting-Related Conferences and some of these may no longer be operational. You should also be aware that the BBSs carry many other topics and conferences other than Scouting. OZ denotes Australia) The boards listed as having node numbers are part of the SCOUTER echo conference, as well as being locally callable boards. Those whose node number begins with an '8' are part of RBBS-Net, or Network net, while those whose node number starts with a 1, 2 or 3 are a part of the Fidonet network.

BBS name	Data Number & City	Stat net/node #
Mindarri BBS	(046) 553-024 Camden, NSW, Aus.	3: 713/ 620
Baron Carlos's Castle	(202) 863-1493	1: 109/ 160
Windsor Amateur Radio	(203) 298-9989	1: 142/ 100
The Dragon's Lair	(203) 621-3461 Plantsville, CT	1: 142/ 333
The Earth Network	(203) 763-3485 Enfield, CT	1: 142/ 500
Phone Henge	(203) 826-1153 New Britain, CT	1: 142/ 212
Ken's BBS	(205) 244-0296 Montgomery, AL	1: 375/ 22
The Access System BBS	(205) 895-6152 Huntsville, Ala.	1: 373/ 9
Northwest PC Link	(206) 854-5646	- PCRelay -
Idaho Root Cellar	(208) 362-6068 Boise, ID	1: 347/ 3
The STARBASE BBS	(209) 339-0220 Lodi,CA	1: 208/ 302
Greater Lodi AT&T BBS	(209) 367-0787 Lodi, CA	1: 208/ 300
Biker's Alley BBS	(209) 474-0567 Stockton, CA	1: 208/ 209
Flight Line	(209) 551-2227 Modesto, CA	1: 208/ 101
BerthaBoard	(209) 823-0093 Manteca, CA	1: 208/ 204
Tri-STAR Enterprises	(209) 952-7334 Stockton, CA	1: 208/ 205
BusiLink (tm) USA	(215) 269-1660 Downingtown, PA	8: 952/ 2
Philly Exchange	(215) 563-8109	- PCRelay -
The Pilots Lounge BBS	(215) 945-9054 Levittown, PA	1: 273/ 905
Pegasus BBS	(216) 869-8660 Akron, OH	1: 157/ 612
Network East	(301) 738-0000 Rockville, MD	- PCRelay -
Jobs BBS	(303) 281-6808 Portland, OR	1: 105/ 54
Jaguar's Netwking Labs	(303) 377-2371 Denver, CO	1: 104/ 477
Final Frontier BBS	(304) 748-1377 Weirton, WV	1: 129/ 108
Scouts Own	(306) 777-2998 Regina, SK, Can.	1: 140/ 27
Rocky Mtn. Rendezvous	(307) 638-8506	1: 310/ 5
Heartland Free-net	(309) 674-1100 Peoria, IL	- local -
Blind Ambition BBS	(313) 651-4009 Rochester, MI	1: 120/ 256
Flight of the Phoenix	(313) 751-4057 Warren, MI	1: 120/ 80
Norkids BBS	(315) 353-4565 Norwood, NY	1: 260/ 375
The Engine House	(315) 451-7148 Syracuse, NY	1: 260/ 315
Gary's BBS	(315) 598-8106 Fulton,NY	1: 260/ 327
The Q Continuum	(316) 721-8466	1: 291/ 13
SouthSide BBS	(317) 535-9097 New Whiteland, IN	1: 231/ 30
PC Forum	(322) 350-372 Erith, Kent, UK	2: 440/ 3
DBMS Power Tools	(410) 285-4032 Baltimore, MD	1: 261/1002
Writer's Block	(410) 945-1540 Baltimore, MD	1: 261/1056
All-Twelve-Dangit	(403) 248-1920	1: 134/ 28
TechTalk BBS	(403) 280-4938	1: 34/ 40
The Micro Express	(403) 346-7530 Red Deer, Alb.	1: 134/2001

The Bottom Line	(403) 885-2035 Blackfalds, Alb.	1: 134/2002
The Really Board	(403) 920-7239 Yellowknife, NWT	8: 990/ 150
The USS REPUBLIC	(404) 487-1376 PeachTree City, GA	8:7301/ 701
Galaxy Information Sys	(404) 671-1024 Atlanta, GA	1: 133/ 411
Tradewinds BBS	(405) 728-2061 Oklahoma City, OK	1: 147/ 60
Fort Knox Fido	(405) 843-3545 Oklahoma City, OK	1: 147/ 49
The Other Side	(407) 479-1696 Boca Raton, FL	- local -
Network USA BBS	(407) 632-2940 Cocoa, FL	1: 374/ 15
West-World BBS	(408) 227-4865 San Jose, CA	8: 915/ 5
The Network Echogate	(412) 344-3847 Pittsburgh, PA	1: 129/ 34
Ecclesia Place BBS	(412) 741-5519 Sewickley, PA	1: 129/ 75
Pioneer Valley PCUG	(413) 256-1037 Amherst, MA	1: 321/ 109
Valiant BBS	(415) 337-4657 San Francisco, CA	1: 125/ 34
The Chemist Comport	(415) 359-6036 Pacifica, CA	1: 125/ 190
Burlington Dist. BBS	(416) 333-5216	1: 259/ 110
Valhalla BBS	(416) 356-8007 Niagara Falls, Ont.	1: 247/ 202
The Connection	(416) 434-5833 Oshawa, Ont.	1: 229/ 401
Hogan's Alley IV	(416) 682-1123 St. Catherines, Ont	1: 247/ 111
Knight's Chamber's	(416) 732-0770	1: 247/ 302
Rose Media	(416) 733-2285	- PCRelay -
The Den	(416) 770-3337 Toronto, Ont.	- local -
Roots (UK!)	(444)8357-9631 Guildford, UK	2: 440/ 50
Disabled Data Link	(445)0251-8274 Lowestoft, UK	2: 254/ 44
Xstream BBS	(445)1227-3666 Liverpool, UK	2: 250/ 209
The Scouting Board	(445)1638-0639 Wallasey, UK	2: 440/ 72
Mektronic Computer	(446)1773-7739 Manchester, UK	2: 250/ 119
Out of the Blue	(447)1724-0783	2: 254/ 37
RiverBend	(501) 563-6829 Osceola, AR	1: 19/ 99
The Pegasus BBS	(502) 684-9896	- PCRelay -
Barristers' BBS	(503) 228-5866 Portland, OR	1: 105/ 31
JOBS_BBS	(503) 281-6808 Portland, OR	1: 105/ 54
The ASL Faction	(503) 655-9586 Oregon City, OR	1: 105/ 222
Com-Dat BBS	(503) 681-0543 Hillsboro, OR	1: 105/ 314
900 Support Helpnet	(503) 684-0931	1: 105/ 325
The Left Thang	(504) 348-8752	- PCRelay -
L.A. BBS Natl. Scout	(504) 851-4473 Houma, LA	1: 384/ 3
Data Bank of S.Louis.	(504) 868-1440 Houma, LA	1: 384/ 1
Party Mania BBS	(508) 474-4225	1: 324/ 135
The Wizard's World	(508) 975-1924	- PCRelay -
Dear Theophilus BBS	(510) 275-9759 San Ramon, CA	1: 161/ 703
Internat'l Lounge	(516) 321-8125 Babylon, NY	1: 107/ 236
Amature Radio BBS	(519) 578-9314 Waterloo, Ont.	1: 221/ 177
The Redstone BBS	(519) 742-7549 Kitchener, Ont.	1: 221/ 185
Board Walk BBS	(519) 747-1008 Waterloo, Ont.	1: 221/ 209
Cyclops BBS	(603) 485-8703	1: 132/ 797
CityBytes	(604) 595-6234 Victoria, BC	- PCRelay -
Dial-A-File BBS	(604) 736-3453	1: 153/ 776
Dakota Infonet	(605) 336-3578 Sioux Falls, SD	1: 288/ 0
Fire House	(607) 785-4477	
The Time Machine	(607) 785-5688	
Cold Zone	(608) 328-8202 Monroe, WI	8: 972/ 6
Romany-Rbbs	(608) 655-4012 Madison, WI	8: 972/ 1
Frost Point 1	(608) 966-1556 Monroe, WI	8: 972/ 417
Panda BBS	(612) 378-7783 Minneapolis, MN	1: 282/1016

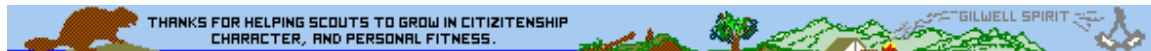
The Senate Chamber	(612) 535-5554 Crystal, MN	1: 282/ 56
OzWorld	(612) 891-1886 Parramatta, NSW OZ	3: 713/ 601
CHANNEL - 23	(613) 830-5391 Orleans, Ont.	1: 163/ 223
South Parking Lot	(614) 351-2274	1: 226/ 330
The Singing Wire BBS	(614) 754-4113 Springwood, NSW OZ	3: 713/ 810
New horizon	(614) 755-2609 Columbus, OH	- PCRelay -
CAD/Eng. Services BBS	(615) 451-2872 Hendersonville, TN	1: 116/ 32
TransMountain BBS	(615) 579-0214 TN	
Far Northern News	(617) 033-1393 Cairns, QLD OZ	3: 640/ ??
Far Northern News	(617) 033-1553 Cairns, QLD OZ	3: 640/ 531
The Blue Max	(617) 038-2658 Cairns, QLD OZ	3: 640/ ??
AMPAK NorthGate BBS	(617) 263-7070 Brisbane, Aus.	3: 640/ 205
ZYGOnet! BBS	(617) 297-0254 Brisbane, OZ	
Channel 1	(617) 354-8873	- PCRelay -
SUNMAP BBS	(617) 393-0311 Brisbane, OZ	3: 640/ 206
Happy Rocks BBS	(617) 978-3477 Gladstone, OZ	
Jet Blast BBS	(702) 643-4803 Las Vegas, NV	1: 209/ 745
DGS Systems Alpha	(703) 323-6423 Burke, VA	- PCRelay -
The Virginia Connx	(703) 648-1841 Reston, VA	- PCRelay -
New Cherokee Phoenix	(704) 251-5507 Ashville, NC	1: 151/ 35
Police Journal Online	(705) 424-1747 Bordon, ON Can.	1: 229/ 201
Sonoma Online	(707) 545-0746 Sonoma, CA	1: 125/ 7
FamilyNet Int Echogate	(708) 887-7685	1: 11/ 50
Blue Devil BBS	(713) 759-0578	- PCRelay -
The Punkin Duster BBS	(714) 522-3980	- PCRelay -
Boardwalk	(714) 688-2658	- PCRelay -
Wuerzburg Raiders	(715) 257-7952 Athens, WI	1: 238/ 102
Investor\$ Edge	(715) 359-9457 Wausau, WI	1: 238/ 101
Black Cat Info Service	(716) 262-3680	1:2313/ 475
Mountains of Shadow	(716) 381-4749 Pittsford, NY	1: 260/ 205
The Cat's Meow BBS	(716) 473-2017 Rochester, NY	1:2613/ 140
Emergency Services	(717) 566-3500 Harrisburg, PA	8: 952/ 15
Mdtn_BBS	(717) 944-0655 Middletown, PA	1: 270/ 211
Island Pub BBS	(718) 356-6481 Staten Island, NY	- local -
MoonDog BBS	(718) 692-2498 Brooklyn, NY	- PCRelay -
The Agency BBS	(803) 821-2745	1: 372/ 51
Squad Room BBS	(804) 499-2077 Va. Beach, VA	1: 275/ 430
The Dew Drop Inn	(805) 322-5587 Bakersfield, CA	1: 950/ 0
Sparetime BBS	(805) 581-4515 Simi Valley, CA	1: 102/1010
Eagle BBS	(805) 834-2663 Bakersfield, CA	- local -
MWB-BBS	(806) 352-6523 TX	- PCRelay -
Island Sun I BBS	(809) 783-9542 San Juan, PR	8: 999/ 14
Island Sun II BBS	(809) 793-3923 San Juan, PR	
The Island Rover BBS	(809) 793-6121 San Juan, PR	1: 367/ 16
The Eagle's Nest	(812) 425-6950 Evansville, IN	- PCRelay -
The Godfather BBS	(813) 289-3314 Tampa, FL	- PCRelay -
ENTREvous II	(813) 542-5482 Cape Coral, FL	1: 371/1302
The Inner Sanctum BBS	(813) 848-2552 New Port Richey, FL	1:3619/ 21
BenNETt BBS Host	(816) 228-3204 Kansas City, MO	1: 280/ 307
BoneBox BBS	(817) 244-7136 Fort Worth, TX	1: 130/ 33
Genesys I BBS	(817) 284-1520	1: 130/ 48
The ShadowFax	(904) 224-8047 Tallahassee, FL	1:3605/ 100
The Warrior's Retreat	(904) 422-3606	1:3605/ 422
ATDT_BBS	(904) 574-9497	1:3605/264

The Other World	(904) 668-1092 Tallahassee, FL	1:3605/ 56
Scouting BBS	(904) 796-2828	1: 18/4
New PHOENIX BBS	(906) 863-8407 Menominee, MI	1: 139/ 601
Visions Infoline	(908) 769-1779 NJ	- PCRelay -
BBS Home of T-115	(912) 430-4543 GA	1:3617/ 3
Mothers Kitchen	(912) 953-2708 Centerville, GA	1:3611/ 19
Bear Heaven BBS	(914) 677-6948 Millbrook, NY	1: 272/ 53
Sirus System BBS	(916) 725-8578 Citrus Heights, CA	1: 203/ 46
Starfleet Academy	(916) 985-4041 Sacramento, CA	1: 203/ 57
Scout Keys BBS	(919) 477-4240 Durham, NC	- PCRelay -
Micro Message Service	(919) 779-6674 Raleigh, NC	1: 151/ 102
Pure Energy	(919) 786-5549	1: 151/ 907
Pure Energy	(919) 786-6424 Mt. Airy, NC	1: 151/ 60
InfoSys	(919) 851-8460 Raleigh, NC	1: 151/ 99
Triangle Info Center	(919) 859-3353 Raleigh, NC	1: 151/1000



SCOUTNET

David Tracewell, District Commissioner, Tokay District, Forty-Niner Council, has started a new Scouting network called ScoutNet, which operates in 12 countries. He is the North American hub site operating from Starbase International BBS for Scouting at telephone 209-339-0220. His new network was featured in the December 1994 edition of *Boys Life*. Dave also started the Scouter and Scouting Echoes on FidoNet.



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