



Vietnamese Scouting National Conference, BSA
Thursday – Sunday February 27– March 1, 2020
Las Vegas Area Council BSA office
7220 Paradise Road
Las Vegas, Nevada 89119



The First Vietnamese Scouting National Conference, BSA was held in:

- 1999 at Philmont Training Center, Cimarron, New Mexico
- The 2nd in 2003 at Philmont Training Center, Cimarron, New Mexico and
- The 3rd Vietnamese Scouting National Conference was held in 2011 at Philmont Training Center.

By popular request during this past year, the National BSA council, National Vietnamese Scouting Committee, will come together for the 4th Vietnamese Scouting National Conference, BSA to be held at Las Vegas Area Council BSA office, 7220 Paradise Road, Las Vegas, Nevada 89119 from February 27– March 1, 2020.

You (*National Vietnamese Scouting Committee members, Liên Đoàn Trưởng/Phó, unit leaders, supporters and interested parents*) are cordially invited to join this conference for a weekend of fun, fellowship, learning, idea-sharing and planning in February of 2020 to assess accomplishments and to make recommendations and plans for the future of Vietnamese Scouting in the U.S.A. The conference will include the discussion on how to preserve the Scouting traditions and Vietnamese heritage.

The conference objectives:

Develop a comprehensive Vietnamese Scouting program in the U.S.A.

Identify Vietnamese American population in the U.S. to start new units/Liên Đoàn.

Utilization of BSA facilities and resources: The Summit, Philmont, Florida National High Adventure Sea Base; Northern Tier and scholarship.

Plan, develop leadership training and program/activities:

Trai Tung Nguyen (Wood Badge)

Leadership Challenge (The next step after Wood Badge)

Junior Leadership training

Leadership Position specific training

Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills (ILOS)

My.Scouting Tools training - Learning Management System (LMS)

Trai He Nghanh Thieu (Scouts, BSA summer camp)

Trai Khai Pha (Vietnamese National Venturing SuperCamp)

Trai Vung (Regional camps)

Trai Quoc Gia (National Vietnamese Jamboree)

Future Vietnamese Scouting National Conferences (Philmont, Summit, etc...)

GENERAL INFORMATION

Conference Registration

Click to REGISTER [2020 Vietnamese Scouting Conference Registration](#)

The cost is \$100.00 per person conference fee covers:

Meals - 3 breakfast, 2 lunches, 1 dinner, snacks: \$69

Patch and T-shirt - \$13

Insurance - \$5

Materials & Camping Fee - \$13

(travel and housing (hotel) are not included). Hotel and travel accommodations will be handled by each conference attendee if you choose to stay in a hotel (which is walking distance to the Las Vegas BSA office). You should plan to be at the Las Vegas Area Council BSA office no later than 11:00 p.m. on Thursday February 27th, and if flying, you should schedule your return flight for any time after the closing (12:00 noon) on Sunday March 1st.

Hotel – if you choose to stay in a hotel, we have a block of rooms at the Double Tree hotel (room block name: Vietnamese Scouting Leadership Conference) located minutes' walk from the LV Scout office. **Click here** <http://group.doubletree.com/BoyScouts-VietnameseScoutingLeadershipConference> for hotel reservation.

For your convenience, below is a list of a few non-casino hotels near the BSA office. Of course, the Strip is not far away, and there are many more choices there.

Double Tree by Hilton Hotel Las Vegas Airport

7250 Pollock Dr., Las Vegas, NV 89119 (702) 948-4000 (~ .3 miles)

Hampton Inn & Suites Las Vegas Airport

6575 S. Eastern Ave., Las Vegas, NV 89119 (702) 647-8000 (~2.3 miles)

Hilton Garden Inn Las Vegas Strip South

7830 Las Vegas Blvd S, Las Vegas, NV 89123 (702) 453-7830 (~1.9 miles)

What to Bring

Comfortable clothing (**uniforms are required**) a good attitude, and lots of great ideas! Dress code for the conference is BSA Field uniform and activities uniform.

Pack for a 4 days weekend camping trip. We will be camping in tent at the park at the Las Vegas Scout office.

Youth Protection Training and Medical form A/B only are required

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