## **COVID #9 UPDATE**

The Bay Area Council has transitioned back to council-held in-person gatherings and activities.

We have developed and are using a Risk Mitigation Plan (Safety Plan) for each activity to ensure we are including appropriate safety measures centered around wearing masks, social distancing and hand sanitizing as needed, when handwashing is not readily available. (This is required to attend any programming on council property.)

Our Scout Service Center and Scout Shop is open for curb-side pick-up and walk-ins by with an appointment. Please plan accordingly by calling us at (409) 744-5206 or email us by visiting <a href="https://www.bacbsa.org/contact">www.bacbsa.org/contact</a>.

We have also opened Camp Karankawa to families, units and weekend camping while encouraging a safe Scouting environment. For camping reservations, contact DK Hopwood at <a href="mailto:donald.hopwood@scouting.org">donald.hopwood@scouting.org</a>.

Please review and **utilize** the documents below to develop your **safety plan**. Keep it simple and use it. A solid plan will help your Scouts stay safe.

Safety Pause
Restart Scouting Checklist
Pre-Event Medical Screening Checklist
BSA COVID-19 FAQ (updated 1/14/2021)
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
World Health Organization