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SPECIAL FIRST ISSUE

By: The Southern Hospitality Team

You hold in your hands a very special document, the first Southern Region Venturing Newsletter. This has been a project in the works for many months and we are now able to provide a communication link between us in the Southern Region and your Councils and Crews. This publication is thanks to the hard work of youth, volunteers, professionals and they deserve a huge thank you.

We are currently looking for people to add to our publication team. If you are interested in helping us with this newsletter please email the newsletter editor at:

SR-Editor@srventuring-bsa.org. We are also hoping to feature exciting activities that are happening around the region. If you want us to include information about your events, or promote an event to the Region, please email the editor.

If we work together, we can make this grow and keep the Southern Region the best in the nation. Again, thank you to the people who made this publication possible. We would also like to thank those in the Venturing program for their support; it is you who make this program great!



Message from the Regional President

Greetings and welcome to our newsletter. My name is Mike Bebeau and I am this year's Southern Region Venturing President. I am very enthused about this newsletter and I think that this will help make a link from us to you.

We in the region want to support your councils and crews. We can provide you with support to help your program and make it grow. If there is ever anything that the Southern Region can do for you, please let me know and I am more than happy to help.

I am also available to visit councils or crews to meet people, represent the region, and provide additional support and almost anything else that I can do. Please send me an email if you have any interest in this for details.

Yours in Venturing,

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Regional Website Updates

This past May, the Southern Region Key 3 set the goal of redesigning the Southern Region Venturing website, www.srventuring-bsa.org, to make it more user friendly and to replace some outdated information.

This simple goal became much more with the addition of a dedicated youth webmaster, Thomas Lambert. His vision was to redesign the entire site. Working with people from all over the country, Thomas redid our site with his considerable

web design talents. This site launched and has received much praise.

We would like to extend a huge thank you to Thomas. Also, thank you to Tom Roberts, our Web team advisor. Tom has put in countless hours in the initial design of the site and has been a valuable resource.

Please take a look at the new site www.srventuring-bsa.org and send any feed back to the development team at their email address: webmaster@srventuring-bsa.org

Letters of Congratulations

The Southern Region is more than happy to provide letters of congratulations to people who have received the Venturing Silver, Ranger, Quartermaster, Eagle Scout, GSUSA Gold Award, Venturing Leadership Award, or any other recognition.

If you would like to make a request for a letter please email the Regional Venturing President at: SouthernRegionPresident@gmail.com

