

# Climbing Instructor Level I/II Training



**Who:** Scouts, Venturers, and Leaders

**What:** As youth today seek greater adventures, bouldering, climbing, and rappelling offer a worthy challenge. The satisfaction of safely climbing a tower or rock face is hard to top! The CIEC COPE/Climbing Committee is dedicated to increasing and supporting our pool of qualified BSA Climbing Instructors and Climbing Merit Badge Counselors. Help us keep climbing and rappelling a thriving part of Scouting's activities by becoming a Certified Climbing Instructor.

This fun training course is for volunteers who have climbing and rappelling experience and would like to assist in Unit, District, and Council sponsored activities as BSA certified Level I or Level II Instructors (at least 18 years old) and Instructors –in-Training (minimum 16 years old). You will learn how to assess and set up a natural rock site and conduct safe bouldering, climbing, and rappelling events in accordance with BSA guidelines. In addition; you will learn how to supervise and administer the technical aspects of the preparation, activity planning, warm up, safety, bouldering, spotting, anchoring systems, belaying set ups, top roping systems, belaying practice, self-rescue, climber rescue techniques, and supervising climbing or rappelling activities.

Participants should have a solid foundation in the fundamentals of climbing, including basic climbing knots, belay and rappel techniques, a basic understanding of rigging, and care of equipment prior to the course. Additional training is available for participants with limited or no climbing experience. Participants over 60-years old need to provide a signed COVID-19 medical form, which is available on the CIEC web page.

Prerequisites include: Climb-On-Safely (on-line) and Youth Protection Training (on-line YPT). The cost of this training is \$25.00. Level I certification cards are valid for a period of 1 year and will be issued upon successful completion of this training session. Level II certification cards are valid for a period of 3 years and will be issued after successful completion of this training session and conducting a unit climbing event. Dates for future unit climbing events will be provided during the class.

## Where/When:

Saturday 3 Oct 2020, Jack Dembo Scout Center, 1230 Indiana Court, Redlands, CA 92374 08:00AM-4:30PM.

**To register:** Online [www.bsa-ciec.org](http://www.bsa-ciec.org) or mail your check with form below.

**For additional information contact:** [brichards111@gmail.com](mailto:brichards111@gmail.com) or [dwight.peterson34@gmail.com](mailto:dwight.peterson34@gmail.com)

Return the bottom portion of the form to the Jack Dembo Scout Center



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**Account: 1-6701-749-21**

Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Cost: \$25.00

Check desired certification: Level I  Level II

*Please mail form and payment to:*



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