

SUPPLEMENT/ERRATA TO

BOYS SCOUTS OF AMERICA

NATIONAL SHOOTING SPORTS MANUAL 2015

Due to a number of additions/changes to BSA Shootings Sports programs and activities, these pages will serve as official corrections to the 2015 Shooting Sports Manual until a new edition of the manual is released.

Please refer to the web address

<http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/OutdoorProgram/ShootingSports.aspx>
for additional materials and links to information listed in the corrections below.

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In Chapter 10, remove reference to Cub Scout Archery Belt Loop and Sports Pin

In Chapter 11, remove reference to Cub Scout BB Belt Loop and Sports Pin

In Chapter 12, change *Flash Ball* to read *Chalk Ball*

Page 9

Under Shooting Sports Director, second bullet point should read *In charge of all shooting sports programs, including rifle, shotgun, muzzleloaders, pistol and archery during the summer camp program.*

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Under Rifles, change caliber reference from .220 to .22

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Under Five Levels for Pistol Shooting add *For information regarding running a pistol program refer to the BSA Safety & Marksmanship Pistol Program Booklet at*
<http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/OutdoorProgram/ShootingSports.aspx>

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NOTE: The described Cub Scout Shooting Sports Award, Belt Loop and Sports Pin programs have been replaced with a new Cub Scout Shooting Sports Award. See

revised Cub Scout Shooting Sports Award pamphlet at
<http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/OutdoorProgram/ShootingSports.aspx>

In the highlighted section for Boy Scouts and Varsity Scout Programs – add *For information regarding running a pistol program refer to the BSA Safety and Marksmanship Pistol Program Booklet at*
<http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/OutdoorProgram/ShootingSports.aspx>

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Under Boy Scout and Varsity Pistol – Remove current information and replace with *For information regarding running a pistol program refer to the BSA Safety and Marksmanship Pistol Program Booklet at*
<http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/OutdoorProgram/ShootingSports.aspx>

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Under BSA Training/BSA National Camping School, change paragraph three to read –*National Camping School shooting sports curriculum includes the practical training, “how to” learning for Cowboy Action, Chalkball, Rangemaster training, Merit Badge Instruction, Multi-Gun Airsoft and more. Documentation of NRA certified rifle instructor and NRA certified shotgun instructor credentials are required prior to attending National Camping School. NRA/NMLRA Muzzleloading Rifle Instructor, NRA Range Safety Officer and USA Archery (NADA) Basic Archery Instructor (level 1) will be taught during Camping School as will NRA Pistol Instructor at some locations. Successful completion of Instruction and testing of the candidate will earn NRA and USA Archery instructor credentials.*

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Under NRA Certified Pistol Instructor change first paragraph to read – *An NRA certified pistol instructor is required to provide supervision for BSA pistol shooting activities involving Boy Scouts, Varsity Scouts, Venturers and Sea Scouts. Additional Boy Scout Safety and Marksmanship training is required to supervise Boy Scout and Varsity Scout pistol shooting activities.*

Page 73

Remove 2nd paragraph regarding Cub belt loops and sports pins

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Remove Cub Scout Shooting Sports Award, belt loop and sports pin info

Page 92/93

Remove Cub Scout Shooting Sports Award, belt loop and sports pin info. Add *See revised Cub Scout Shooting Sports Award pamphlet at*

<http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/OutdoorProgram/ShootingSports.aspx>

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In Chapter 12, Other Shooting Sports, correct the information regarding Airsoft in bullet point one. Add links where information regarding Airsoft, Chalk Ball, Sporting Arrows, Cowboy Action Shooting and the new Cub Scout Shooting Sports Award can be found using direct links or by going to

<http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/OutdoorProgram/ShootingSports.aspx> .

NOTE: information regarding Chalk Ball shooting using the La Porte system is still in development.

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Change paragraph about slingshot ammunition to read *Small biodegradable objects are recommended (e.g. dried beans or dry dog food). Rocks and steel balls are not permitted.*

Remove the word peashooter from section on catapults

Page 101

Change all references of Flash Ball to read Chalk Ball

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Add LaPorte America, PO Box 492 Governor G.C. Peery Hwy, Pounding Mill VA 24637 Tel: 800 335-TRAP

Page 106

Remove all reference to Cub belt loop and sports pin

Appendix 9, Page 1

Under Materials/Literature add: USA Archery www.usarchery.org.

Under Advancement delete Cub Scout BB Shooting and Archery belt loops and pins and add Cub Scouts Shooting Sports Award