Gorham Scout Ranch Ranger Position Opening

**Position:** Gorham Scout Ranch Ranger  
**Position location:** Gorham Scout Ranch, Chimayo, NM  
**Camp Website:** [www.gorhamscoutranch.org](http://www.gorhamscoutranch.org)

As a Council employee, the camp Ranger is responsible for the supervision, operation, and maintenance of physical facilities and security at Gorham Scout Ranch, the Great Southwest Council’s flagship camping property. The Ranger serves as an ambassador of goodwill as well as an enforcer of rules and policies. The camp Ranger lives at Gorham Scout Ranch.

The camp Ranger selected will:
- Provide protection and control of property and people – including supervision of all use of property and facilities, ensuring safe and healthy camp environment, and knowledge of emergency procedures.
- Operation of physical property and facilities – keep all property and equipment in safe operation condition; be alert to conditions that affect health, safety, sanitation, and good housekeeping practices; establish work schedules for routine maintenance; order supplies; and maintain control of access to property, facilities, and equipment via check-in/check-out procedures with users.
- Maintenance of physical facilities and property – implement a facilities management system, make inspections to determine repairs and correction action required, submit estimates of time and materials needed and perform general repairs as authorized, and maintain a record of all maintenance performed.
- Business responsibilities – comply with Council business procedures, including accounting of petty cash and other funds, submit regular reports and maintain essential business records.
- Program and Relationships – assist with Council and camp programs as requested; maintain harmonious relationships with local officials, government services, adjoining landowners, and neighboring communities; represent the Council in contacts with visitors, Scouters and Scouts; maintain a harmonious relationship with the camp director, seasonal staff, and Council employees.

**Desired Skills:**
- Basic electrical repair
- Basic plumbing repair
- Carpentry
- Vehicle maintenance, including tune-ups, oil & fluid changes
- Kitchen equipment maintenance and repair
- Inventory of camp and program equipment
- Winterize camp to insure minimum off-season damage
- Swimming pool system maintenance and upkeep
- Security of property, facilities and equipment
Requirements:

- Must be willing to accept and meet the Boy Scout of America’s leadership and membership standards and subscribe to the Scout Oath and Law.
- Attained 21 years of age or older unless prohibited by any applicable law.
- Physically fit.
- Ability to perform a variety of basic maintenance skills, including plumbing, electrical and carpentry, with specialized capability in at least one technical skill. Has experience in using hand and power tools.
- Ability to work varied hours when necessary, evening activities and weekend work is frequently required to achieve positive objectives.
- A Scouting background is helpful but not required for employment.
- Offers for employment are subject to criminal, reference, credit, and motor vehicle background checks.

Compensation:
The Great Southwest Council is an equal opportunity employer. In addition to offering a competitive salary, this position offers benefits to include: on-site housing, major medical, prescription coverage, dental, vision, life-insurance, short and long-term disability, accidental death, a defined benefit retirement plan, plus compensation for authorized and approved business-related expenses to include phone and mileage reimbursement. We also offer generous vacation policy and BSA holiday observances.

How to apply:
Qualified candidates must submit cover letter and resume to Randy Saunders at randy.saunders@scouting.org. Only the most qualified candidates will be contacted.