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Círculo de Coleccionistas Scouts de México's News

CIRCLE CREATED

Two years ago, at the end of one of the RECOs (Reunion of Scout Collectors) in Mexico City in the Roma neighborhood, a group of Scout collectors had the idea of creating a Collectors' Circle of the Scouts of Mexico. This past November 20, around 21:00, and within the framework of the national 25th Encounter of Scout Expression and Art in the city of Acámbaro, Guanajuato, seventeen collectors signed the document officially setting up the Collectors' Circle of the Scouts of Mexico. Its main precepts are to: continue leading our lives according to the Scout Law and Promise; observe a Code of Conduct in all our swaps and exchanges; promote Scout collecting as a duty and obligation; support the Association of Scouts of Mexico (Asociación de Scouts de México, A.C.: ASMAC), as well as the Scouting and Guide Movements.

The task at hand is a long one. There is a lot to do and we are confident that, bringing together the efforts of all, we will make the Collectors' Circle of the Scouts of Mexico one of the best in the world. This issue begins 360°, the bulletin of the Collectors' Circle of the Scouts of Mexico. This is one of the first steps.

What are the next steps going to be? Each of us is the answer. We head down this path to the degree we share our suggestions, dreams and ideas. This will take concrete actions to the benefit of Scout collecting.

Are you interested in joining the Collectors' Circle of the Scouts of Mexico?

It's really easy. You just send an e-mail to salpadilla@hotmail.com (temporary address) giving us your name, full address, Scouting unit (province, district, troop, etc.), birthdate, e-mail and information about what you like to collect. THAT'S IT! And you'll be a member of the Circle.



The wise collector, Cicero once said:

A good swap...is to live our Scout Promise and Law
A good swap...is one for one
A good swap...is mutual agreement
A good swap...is a left-handed handshake
A good swap...is having a new friend



Sale of the patch of the Collectors' Circle of the Scouts of Mexico. Cost: \$15.00 pesos (\$2 U.S.) plus postage, by regular mail or messenger service Interested parties can contact Salvador Padilla: salpadilla@hotmail.com Sale of the patches will go to bolster the Circle's budget Only 10 1st edition patches left

Christmas is the time to think of our achievements and shortcomings. It's a time of dreams and hopes, a time to be with our families, parents, children, siblings, relatives and friends. It's a time to remember we are all brothers and sisters and all together. We begin the New Year with a heart renewed by love and we receive its blessing. Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!



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DICTIONARY

This is a short dictionary of terms in English and Spanish to aid in worldwide swaps:

Ribbon
 Backed and bound
 Swiss Cut Edge
 Swiss Rolled Edge
 Embroidered
 Epaulettes
 Scarf
 Woggle
 Stickers
 Seal
 Badges
 Medal
 Camp Book
 Banner
 Pennant
 Buckle
 Cap

Etiqueta
 Etiqueta ribeteada
 Bordado sin ribetear
 Bordado ribeteado
 Bordado
 Charreteras
 Pañoleta
 Nudo
 Etiqueta con pegamento
 Viñeta en papel engomado
 Insignias
 Insignia metálica que cuelga
 Carnet de evento
 Banderín en tira vertical
 Banderín triangular
 Hebilla
 Gorra



* Thailand's collectors merit badge.

CIRCULATING

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Swaps, buy-sell articles from world Jamborees, Mexican Scout insignias, EEAS.

Jose Luis Nuñez Lopez

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Seeks patches from EEAS 1, 2, 3 and 1993 National Merit Award

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Seeks patches from EEAS 1-12 and from Tlalnepantla province.

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Seeks patches, registration ribbons and provincial anniversary patches.

SCOUTERS:

Are you looking for a counselor for the Collectors' specialty (proficiency, merit) badge for a boy or girl in your Pack or Troop?

Our experts are at your service.

Exhibitions and workshops.

Talks for Packs and Troops on collecting and philately.

INTERNATIONAL CURIOSITIES



Badges from the World Scout Regions of the World Organization of the Scout Movement (WOSM): Asia-Pacific, Arab, Interamerican, Africa (clockwise from upper left).

RECO 2004

This past May 1-2, in the former railway station of the city of Querétaro de Santiago, Querétaro, Mexico, the Reunion of Scout Collectors (in Spanish: Reunión de Coleccionistas Scouts: RECO), organized by Gerardo Avila and Ignacio González, was held with the attendance of members of the Circle and the CFBPM. Our gracious hosts had the support of the Society of Railway Friends and of local officials.

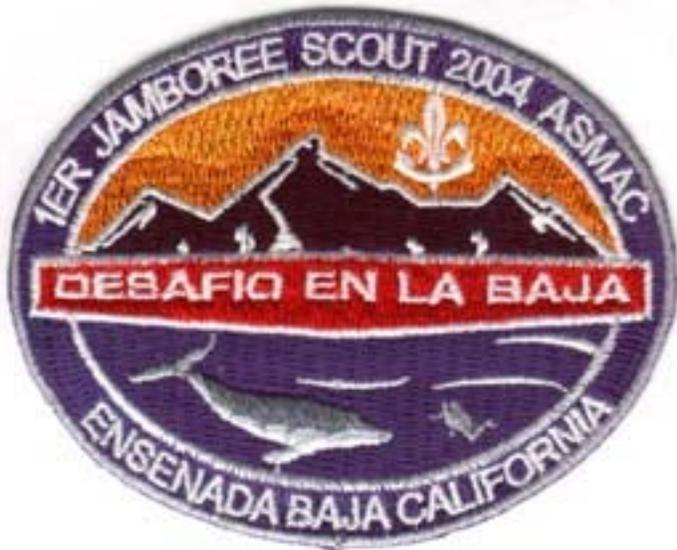
Swap tables, great exhibitions and talks on collecting stood out within the beautiful framework of the train station and managed to create an atmosphere of camaraderie among those attending. Let's not forget the friends and swaps we made!



Main ASMAC insignias in 2004

- Clockwise from upper right:
- Registration ribbon
 - Largest fleur-de-lis in the world
 - LXXI National Assembly





- Clockwise from upper left:
- National Jamboree
 - JOTI (Jamboree on the Internet)
 - Gilwell Reunion (Wood Badge holders)
 - National Indaba (Leaders' pow-wow)
 - JOTA (Jamboree on the Air)





- Clockwise from upper left:
- Encounter of Scout Expression and Art (EEAS)
 - Reunion of Highest Rank Holders (EEAS)
 - Participant in Song Festival (EEAS)
 - Commemorative Medal (EEAS)

RECO 2005

Soon we'll have more information on the **RE**union of **CO**llectors to be held in Mexico City.

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