

Scoutmaster Minute



Check It Out...

This is going to be a new addition to get information out that otherwise is sometimes missed. I hope to give information about outings, what's new with the troop and hopefully answer questions that many parents and scout have about 794.

New Scouts

We have been very fortunate in the new scouts that have joined us this year. Last year we had a new scout patrol of 12 and this year we have 10. TJ Dubler is the NS Patrol Leader and they have chosen as their patrol name the 'White Shadows'. Make sure you seek them out and make both the scouts and parents feel welcome.

OUTINGS/BOARDS OF REVIEW

It is unfortunate but we have had to cancel a couple of activities due to the lack of adult volunteers and cancellations. Please remember that we cannot make things happen for your scouts if we don't get adult volunteers to step up. We are very excited to get new parents involved and the best way to get started is by sitting on a Board of Review and being an (AAIC) assistant adult in charge of an outing. These are great places to begin to see how the troop runs and get trained. Please see Diana Oleson about Boards and Carl Dubler about being an AAIC and learning the tricks of leading an outing.

ADVANCEMENT...

In case you are a numbers cruncher the following is a breakdown of where boys are in the troop regarding rank...7 – No Rank, 2 – Scout, 8 – Tenderfoot, 8 – 2nd Class, 5 – 1st Class, 7 – Star, 15 – Life, 6 – Eagle.

SUMMER CAMP...

If you are going to summer camp don't forget all monies are due by May 24. Also, all paperwork needs to be turned in by May 31. If you do not know what paperwork I'm talking about, please email me and I will send/resend you the list.

UPCOMING EVENTS...

May Court of Honor – May 17

Summer Camp – June 24-30 AIC David Gates AAIC Matt Farr

Lost Creek Wilderness Backpacking – July 13-15 We need an AIC for this outing. It needs to be someone that has at a minimum been an AAIC. This is also a great opportunity for someone who has never been an AIC to get some experience as an AAIC. Please let Mr. Dubler know that you are interested. This outing is open to everyone, however if your scout has never backpacked with the troop before an adult is required to go.

July 25 Philmont –

14er Outing - August 10-12 AIC Chris Wright – Please remember on this outing if your son has never summited a 14er with the troop you (parent) will need to accompany them.