



Scoutmaster, Brad Payne

Re-charter Time is Here Again!! We are re-chartering online. Go to the troop web-site where you will find the spots to click to fill out the re-charter forms. There are spots for both Scouts and Scouters. You can even pay with Pay Pal. This is very important to keep the paperwork to a minimum! We will have re-charter forms available at Scout Meeting so parents can fill up the re-charter forms and pay when they drop off or pick up their Scouts. Please respond in a timely manner.

Special Guest for Monday

We will have a special guest with us for Monday's meeting. **Jason Wilkes, a Cadet at West Point, will speak to us about life at West Point.** I encourage everyone (parents too) to hear Jason speak. (Jason's dad is a Scouter in the troop).

The **Cyber-Bullying** presentation will be made to the Troop at the **November 28th** Meeting. Parents, you are requested to attend this presentation. This is a issue we are seeing more and more.

Popcorn Harvest!

Popcorn Warriors, pick up your order Saturday, December 3rd, 9:30am until to 11am, at Oakwood UMC (where we have scouts). You will pick up your popcorn after you get done delivering the Door Hangers. Money is due in full, Monday night, December 12th.

Service Opportunities, Participation Points!!

Scouts, you know you need service hours and Participation Points. Here is your chance. **December 3, Door Hangers** for Scouting for Food. Then, **December 10, Scouting for Food, Food Pick up.** It's fun and is a tremendous way to give back to the community. Ok, the details: Full uniform is required,

We will meet at Mr. Gattis parking lot (close to the Bahama Buck's) at 9am (5001 50th street). We need scouts and drivers so we can knock this out in a hurry. With everyone helping, we should be done by 10:00am. Moms, you are encouraged to help us with this project. We can use lots of drivers to divide up the routes. **After the Door Hangers are Delivered, then go to Oakwood to pick up you POP-CORN ORDER.**

Court of Honor Notice

This years Eagle Court of Honor is January 7, 2012 at the Civic Center. With the holidays falling between now and COH, we wont have much time before this great event. Tickets will go on sale soon. This is the highlight of our Troop's activities where all Scouts will be honored and presented their achievements and awards. This COH is a Banquet Dinner for our Scouts, their families, friends and relatives. It will be held at the Civic Center. Plan now to attend. **Eagle Candidates need to be finished up with all the requirements by December 1.** Time is running out for those who still need Scoutmaster Conference and the Board of review. When you take out Thanksgiving and Christmas breaks, there is very little time left. **Don't wait and create a crisis situation.**

Scouts, don't forget your dues for Monday night meetings. Dues are \$0.25 per week. **Be responsible** and take ownership in **your troop.**

Scouts, we wear our **full uniform** to every Scout Meeting unless you are told not to. You can change in the restrooms if you are coming from some other event.

If you are in need of some uniform parts, check to see if we have your size in the troop office. If you have outgrown your uniform, why not donate it to the troop. Cub uni-

forms will be accepted as well.

"People grow through experience if they meet life honestly and courageously. This is how character is built"

-Eleanor Roosevelt

Dates to Remember

November 18-20, 2011 Patrol / Troop Campout weekend.

November 19, 2011 7:00pm OA Banquet. First Christian Church.

November 21, 2011 8:00-9:30pm. Reg. Mtg. Cadet, Jason Wilkes to Speak about West Point. Refreshments: Vance/ Wicker

November 28, 2011 8:00-9:30pm. Reg. Mtg. Cyber Bullying presentation. Refreshments: Robins / Sparks

December 3, 2011 9:00-10:00am Door Hanger delivery.

December 3, 2011 9:30-11am Popcorn Pick-up @ Oakwood UMC.

December 5, 2011 8:00-9:30pm. Reg. Mtg. Refreshments: Phy / Headrick

December 10, 2011 9:00-11am Scouting For Food. Food Pick-up

December 12, 2011 8:00-9:30pm. Food Bank service night.

January 7, 2012 5:30pm. Troop Eagle Scout Court of Honor. Civic Center Banquet Hall

April 7, 2012 OA Conclave

May 11-13, 2012 OA Spring Ordeal

July 15-21, 2012 6:57am. The troop leaves for **Summer Camp** in cool, comfortable Ardmore, OK.

July 21, 2011 Return to LBB. Meet at troop warehouse to unload. We will call when we are an hour out of Lubbock.

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