



# The Adventurer...

"Troop of the Southwest BSA Troop 157"

Scoutmaster, Brad Payne

## Fast and Furious!

### We Reorganized Patrols!

It was a great meeting and we had a terrific turnout of scouts! Congratulations to Jesse Slay, our new Senior Patrol Leader! Thanks to Mr. Gosdin on an excellent Scoutmaster Minute!

## Guadalupe Peak Campout

It was awesome! The weather was great and effort was fantastic! Congratulations to all those scouts who made it to the top and we enjoyed hearing about the flag story and the memories that will never leave you! Also, congratulations are in order for those who hiked McKittrick Canyon, we are glad you got to have this neat experience!

**A Reminder about next weeks meeting, we will meet early (6:30pm) at Bayless** and then caravan (we leave Bayless at 6:40pm) over to Lubbock State School to help with their Cinco De Mayo Celebration! We need dads to be there to give rides to all of the scouts! Parents, remember to pick up your scout at the Dairy Queen no later than 9:30pm The troop is going to treat all of the scouts to an ice cream! (70th and University) *This is a great opportunity to earn service hours and give back to the community and is a long standing tradition of the scouts of Troop 157 to reach out to those who are less fortunate!*

### Speaking of Eagle Scouts!

If you are working on your Eagle project report, get it to Mr. Tidwell for review as soon as you can!

**Scouters! It is not too early to be collecting Scholarships for Summer Camp! Everyone that wants to will be going to camp!**

**Dr. Rodriguez says:**

**!!Sell your Scout Show Tickets!!!**  
Bring the money and get more!

If you sell cards, you will receive a very cool badge!

### NOTICE

We need an Archery Instructor for Summer Camp.

If you would like the newsletter via email, let Mr. Steve Slay know: [snslay@swbell.net](mailto:snslay@swbell.net)

**Jerod Slay** has 50th Anniversary Reunion DVD for sale, \$12, call 543-1201!

### Dates to Remember

**April 30th, 2008 11:30 to 1pm**, Lunch with Brad at Rudys. Scouters are welcome for fellowship and lunch!

**May 3rd, 2008** OA Work Weekend@ Camp Post. Let's have a great turn-out of Troop 157 OA members.

**May 4th, 2008**, 2pm Philmont scouts will meet at Coldwell Banker to discuss t-shirt design, etc.

**May 5th, 2008 6:30pm** irregular meeting, Cinco De Mayo, Lubbock State School! We will meet at Bayless at 6:30pm then caravan over to Lubbock State School (north of Loop 289 on University Ave) Parents pick up your scouts at the Dairy Queen (70th & University Ave) no later than 9:30pm **Service Hours!**

**May 10th, 2008** Scout Show @ Fair Park Coliseum. **Scouts, plan to attend.**

**May 12th, 2008, 8pm** Regular meeting at Bayless, in full uniform. Troop camporee event competitions! Refreshments: Mr. Payne/ Mr. Tidwell

**May 16th- 18th, 2008**, OA Spring Ordeal & Brotherhood induction at Camp Post. Last chance for ordeal candidates!

**May 19th, 2008, 8pm**, regular meeting at Bayless, in full uniform, Troop camporee event competitions! Refreshments: Mr Voland/Mr. Pauwels

**May 26th, 2008 8pm** irregular meeting, class B t-shirts, we go bowling and have Awards ceremony!

**May 31st, 2008** NRA Rifle & Shotgun training course (classroom). Interested, call Scoutmaster Brad! For scouters!

**June 2nd, 2008** Softball @ Bayless, summer fun, wear your camp t-shirt.

**June 6-8, 2008** NRA Rifle & Shotgun training course at Camp Post!

**June 9th, 2008** Camp physicals and swim party at the Liners.

**June 16th, 2008**, Field Trip to Rim Rock Canyon for Brice Chapman's Trick Roping demonstration! Families are welcome, East 50th on the right just past E Loop 289!

**June 23rd, 2008** Biking & other sporting events & games.

**June 25th thru July 9th, 2008**, Philmont Trek, scouting paradise!

**July 4th, 2008, 7:57am** Fourth on Broadway Lions Club Flag Sales, meet in the parking lot at Broadway and Ave V at the back. In full uniform! **Service hours.**

**July 7th, 2008 7pm until 9pm**, Swim Party & Ice Cream social @ Southwest SportsPlex

**July 10th, 2008** Buy food for Summer Camp. Load out Trailers! We need everybody to help!!

**July 13th, to July 19th, 2008** Summer Camp at lovely Lake Murray! The best week of the year!

We meet every Monday night at 8pm until 9:30pm at Bayless Elementary, 2115 58th in the cafeteria.

**Brad Payne** is our Scoutmaster, if you need to reach him, hm 797-3000 or his Cell phone is: 789-9155.

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