



Scoutmaster, Brad Payne

## Tis the Season to Serve and Have Fun, Too!

**Scouting for Food** continues *this* Saturday, December 6th, at 9am, we will be collecting the food! **Dr. Marx** says show up this Saturday, at 9am at the parking lot of the "old" Hastings 5005 50th, next to Gatti's. In full uniform, I know it could be cold, but this is a scout function, service hours are earned and we are a part of a fantastic organization that serves our community and we want to look sharp! Then the following **Monday night** we will go to the **Food Bank** to help sort the food! **Be at Bayless at 6:45pm in full uniform** (bring a coat and gloves, as we could be in the cooler again). More service hours and then we go to **Cici's** to eat all the pizza we can. Parents pick up your scout at 2821 50th, (50th and Elgin) at 9:30pm. *We need drivers to take scouts over to the South Plains Food Bank to serve; 4612 Locust Ave.*

**But wait, there is more, more fun that is! Monday, December 15th, our last meeting before the Christmas break, we are meeting at the Science Spectrum Omnimax to see Grand Canyon Adventure with music by the Dave Mathews Band! Be there at 7:15 sharp, wear a summer camp t-shirt or class B Troop 157 t-shirt and bring \$4.00.** The troop will cover the rest and provide a snack and a drink after the movie! This is a new movie and it features action footage on the Colorado River and whitewater action! Parents pick up your scout at 9pm at 2579 S. Loop 289 on the south side of the Loop between Indiana Ave. and University Ave.

**The Chief** says if you need to get Brotherhood still, you can wear your sash and help Sat. am. Scouting for Food, contact a Lodge officer for the details!

## Popcorn Update!

If you still need to turn in your money, contact the Kernel, Chuck Smith, 928 6446! *Prizes will be handed out after money is collected.*

**Full Uniform is required for meetings! If you need a uniform,** check with Chuck Smith, we may have one to fit you! Call 928 6446.

**Recharter now!** We need you to recharter now! Parents, please fill out the info and at least get that back to us. Deadline for Recharter is Monday night, Dec. 15, 2008

**It is time** to plan for the **Ski Trip** Mr. Cherry is taking deposits! February 6, 7th and 8th, to Santa Fe, N.M The cost is \$125 for one day of skiing, \$180 for 2 days, if you are not skiing, the cost is \$75. If you have your own equipment, you can deduct \$15 a day. Snowboarding add \$10 per day.

**It is also time** to start planning for the Spring Break Trip, March 14-18, 2008, to the Lexington and Corpus Christi Bay! **USSLexington.com** This is going to be a great trip and certainly one to remember! Plan on being a part of a great memory with your son! The cost is \$160.00 with a \$50 deposit.

**Summer Camp 2009,** at cool Lake Murray, mark your calendar: July 12th to the 18th, 2009!

**2010 National Jamboree in Virginia** at Fort A. P. Hill, 100 year Anniversary! If you are interested in going contact Mr. Liner ASAP to reserve a spot!

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

## Dates to Remember

**December 6th, 2008, 9am** Scouting For Food! We will be picking up food

for the U Can Share Food Drive! Meet at 5005 50th, the old Hastings parking lot. Mom's, come help drive!!! Food drop off will be at the 82nd & Frankfort United, hot chocolate will be served.

**December 8th, 2008,** 6:45pm at Bayless, in full uniform, we will leave for the Food Bank to work. 4612 Locust. We need Scouters to drive! Parents, pick up your boys at CiCis, 50th and Boston, 9:30pm Service hours!!! Bring a coat and gloves!

**December 15, 2008,** 7:15 at the Science Spectrum OmniMax! South Loop between Indiana and University Ave. Bring \$4.00 and be in class B t-shirt, troop will provide a snack and a drink after the movie, Parents pick up your scout at 9pm!

**January 12, 2009,** 1st night for Scouts. Come participate in Turkey Bowling.

**January 24, 2009,** Campout to Post for a shootin' good weekend. Shotgun, Rifle, & Black Powder + hiking, etc.

**February 6-8, 2009,** Ski Trip to Santa Fe

**February 21, 2009,** Pancake Festival. This is mandatory for Scouts & scouters.

**March 14-18, 2009,** Trip to Corpus & the overnight on the Lexington.

**April 3-5, 2009,** Camporee at Post. Let's win the whole thing again!!!!

**May 9, 2009,** Scout Show.

**May 15-17, 2009** Spring OA Ordeal.

**June 2009** High Adventure Backpacking trip to the high mountains.

**July 12th to July 18th, 2009,** Summer Camp at wonderful, cool Ardmore, Ok!

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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