



# The Adventurer...

"Troop of the Southwest BSA Troop 157"

Scoutmaster, Brad Payne

## Summer Camp is Near!

Yes, only 12 days until the start of Summer Camp in lovely, cool Ardmore, Ok. Lake Murray!!

If you want to go, you need to let us know. We know you want to go, but you still need to let us know, we know you scouters and volunteers want to go and are planning to go, but please let us know! You know?

**Also, make plans** to attend the **4th on Broadway Parade** to help the Lions Club sell flags! This year, we will be selling flags starting at 7:57am at the parking lot of First Baptist Church, 13th, and Ave V. Be in **full uniform** and earn service hours while helping the Lions Club and Troop 157. This is a tradition of our troop to Serve!!! You new guys need to definitely be there to experience not only a community service but a chance to help the troop as well! Dads, put your uniform on and join your son selling flags, too!

**Big Meeting this Sunday at 7:30pm at Coldwell Banker**, July 6th, Adult, Scouter, Parent Volunteer, Driver and Summer Camp Planners, we need to meet to make final plans for a perfect camp! This is a very important meeting and we need you there to help us plan it, we cannot do it without you! We are almost out of time!

**Swim Party this Monday**, July 7th, 7pm to 9pm at Southwest Sports Plex, And Ice Cream Social for friends and family! Scouts are \$5.00 and family is free! 7116 82nd. St. This is a fun time to visit and finalize summer camp paperwork! Bring sweets; ice cream, cookies, fudge, etc.!!!

**There are a few Scouts who have not turned in Blue**

**Sheets** to sign up for Camp. We need you to complete your registration, this includes your blue sheets, staff applications, physicals, and money as soon as you can. **All fees are due by July 7th.** All forms for summer camp are available on our web site! The timing is critical to making the schedule. We are only 12 days away from the start of camp and we still have a long way to go. At least let us know what your plans are!

Scouters, please fill out a staff application and get it to us! We still need adults to teach classes we don't have instructors for. We also need to know how many scouts you can transport to Ardmore. Also let us know if you can pull a trailer. **Parents**, if you would be willing to help drive scouts to Camp, please let Mr. Payne know.

**SCOUTERS**— Please go online to the council website and take the **Youth Protection Course**. Finish the course and print off the certificate. It is easy and does not take long to do. A link to the course can be found on our troop's web site.

**Contact List for summer camp**  
**Mr. Payne**—scholarships, signups, etc 806 789 9155

**Mr. Pauwels**— blue sheets, recordkeeping, and individual history reports— 806 773 3444

**Mr. Slay**— Staff Applications, and blue sheet/rank advancement/ merit badge information. 806 745 5428

**Mr. Liner**— Summer Camp payment, scholarships, etc. 806 790 1791

**We need your help in collecting Scholarships for Summer Camp!** Scholarships are only \$195. Ask your friends, employer and business contacts to support scouting and help send

a kid to camp.

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

## Dates to Remember

**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 6th, 2008, 7:30pm** Adult, Scouter, Parent Volunteer, Driver and anyone who helps to plan for summer camp!

We will meet for a very, very, important planning meeting at Coldwell Banker. We need you to be there because summer camp does not happen without your help and coordination!

**July 7th, 2008 7pm until 9pm**, Swim Party & Ice Cream social @ Southwest SportsPlex. \$5.00 per scout, family and friends are free!! 7116 82nd Street.

Last chance for physicals. Bring sweets: ice cream, cookies, **fudge**, etc!!!!

**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!

**July 18th, 2008, 6:00pm Summer Camp** BBQ at Lake Murray! Parents and family are welcome, just let us know you are coming, so we will have enough food and fixins! Contact Mr. Payne to make your reservation, be our guest, no charge for this fantastic meal, as only Troop 157 can do!

**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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