

July 8, 2008



# The Adventurer...

"Troop of the Southwest BSA Troop 157"

Scoutmaster, Brad Payne

## 4th of July Flag Sales.

Just a note of thanks to those who showed up in a big way on the 4th to sell over 5,000 flags! Fantastic!

## Summer Camp is 4 Days Away! @#

### HELP IS NEEDED!!!

We need your help to load the trailers for Summer Camp. Here are the details. **Tuesday night**, adults and quartermasters, at 7:30pm @ the troop warehouse to load the freezer and food. **Wednesday morning**, quartermasters, scouts and adults who can help, at 10:00am at Sam's to load all the groceries. **Wednesday night**, quartermasters, scouts and adults (the troop) at 7:30pm @ the troop warehouse to load all the gear we need to have for camp. The troop warehouse is located at 47th and MLK. Quartermasters are: Jonathan Beck, John Frullo, Cody Holmes, Samuel Tackett, Keith Scioli, Chris Johnston, Ryan Wacker.

Also, thanks to those who made it to the planning meeting, we are getting closer! Much thanks to **Mr. Payne** for being our scoutmaster and to **Mr. Kevin Pauwels** for keeping track of the sign-ups and **Mr. Steve Slay** for the schedule! We would not have a summer camp without your willingness to work so hard for the boys! Yes, this is for the boys and it is an important time in their lives!

### Summer Camp Nuts & Bolts:

**Remember to Bring your full uniform— that is your ticket to the BBQ meal on Friday and the Most Excellent OA Tap out Ceremony that follows! Scouts, remember to bring money (\$10) for lunch in Vernon on the way to camp as well as have some**

**spending money for the Trading Post during the week! You will also need lunch money for the return trip home.**

**The equipment list is on the website and you also received a mailing with the list and what is expected of you at camp! We will follow the Scout Oath and the 12 Points of the Scout Law the entire time at camp! For the old guys, bring a chair and ear plugs!**

All forms for summer camp are available on our web site! The timing is critical to making the schedule. We are only 4 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 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, help send a kid to camp.**

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

## Dates to Remember

**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 8th, 2008 7:30pm** Be at the Scout warehouse (47th & MLK) to load the freezer and food.

**July 9th, 2008, 10am** Buy & load food at Sams, we need a few plus all of the Quartermasters (this is your position of responsibility)

**July 9th, 2008, 7:30pm** Load the trailers. Troop leadership, Quartermasters, this is for everyone! 47th, and MLK. Like everyone, man! We need you!!

**July 12th, 2008, 6:27am** at Atkins, the Saturday crew leaves at 6:57am! Make sure you have a ride! Bring your uniform!!

**July 13th, to July 19th, 2008** 6:27am., at Atkins parking lot, we leave for Summer Camp at 6:57am.! The best week of the year! Bring your uniform!

**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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