



The Adventurer...

"Troop of the Southwest BSA Troop 157"

Scoutmaster, Brad Payne

Let the Games Begin!"
Intra-troop camporee competition started Monday. The six patrols competed in 4 of the events. We will finish up this next Monday Night. Patrol Leaders, call your patrol and encourage them to be there. You have a better chance of scoring well when you have more patrol members helping. Thanks to all the Venture Scouts who are helping run the events. The competition is really tight and the winning patrol won't be known until all is finished. Get your game face on be ready to compete.

SCOUT SHOW UPDATE

Thanks to all the SCOUTS & SCOUTERS who helped at the Scout Show. Troop 157 really showed well and once again let the town know why WE ARE THE BEST.

Remember, you need to turn in your scout show tickets or the money to Dr. Rodriguez ASAP.

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!

Service Project Opportunities!

BJ Holmes & Mike Holubik are working toward their Eagle and need your help working on their Eagle Projects. Both of these Scouts currently need your help to do the work. This is a great way to get needed service hours and to help fellow scouts. Remember, someday, you too will need volunteers to help with your Eagle Project. Call BJ and/or Mike and get the details from them on where you need to be and the times to be there.

Summer Camp Notes

Scouters! It is not too early to be collecting Scholarships for Summer Camp! Ask your em-

ployer and business contacts to support scouting and help send a kid to camp. It is our desire that every Scout has the opportunity to attend our Summer Camp. Scholarships are only \$195.

You should have received your blue sheets as well as a staff sign-up sheet. Youth staff and adult staff need to fill out the application and get it turned in ASAP. Review with your Scout their class and merit badge selections. We will be reviewing them as well and if you have any questions, feel free to ask.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

We need an Archery Instructor for Summer Camp. Men, if you have an interest in this area, please call Mr. Payne.

Calling All OA Members.

Join us for the Sweat Hawg Ordeal weekend, May 16-18. Call the Scout Office and sign up. We want a good showing from Troop 157. Ordeal Scouts, you need to finish up and get Brotherhood.

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

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

Dates to Remember

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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