



The Adventurer...

"Troop of the Southwest  BSA Troop 157"

Scoutmaster, Brad Payne

The Boys Got Skills

Yeah, we do have skills and we will hone them in preparation for Camporee! Thanks to the venture patrol and all of the Leader Eagles that teach those awesome scout skills! We will continue next Monday night, so be there!

Next!

Attention all Scouts & Scouters. Feb 21, 2009 we work at the Pancake Festival.

Each Scout and Scouter is asked to help sell tickets and if you have not gotten your tickets to sell, be sure and be there this Monday night to pick them up. The Lubbock Lions Club counts on us to sell tickets for this fantastic community event that helps many worthwhile causes, you know, like Troop 157!!@## The Lions Club is our chartering organization and selling tickets and working our shift at the Pancake Festival this is the best way we can give back to the Lions. Use the South-East entrance of the Civic Center (the side facing the Library). Be there at 3:30pm in full uniform, (no neckerchief or badge sash). We will have a sign-in sheet to check off for your service hours. Come ready to work and serve. You may be picked up after 8:00pm at the same set of doors. **WE NEED ALL OUR ADULTS TO HELP WORK AND LEAD THE SCOUTS !!!!!**

Speaking of the Pancake Festival, this is something everyone who is associated with Troop 157, Scouts, Scouters, Dads, Moms, sisters, brothers, Aunts, Uncles, Grandparents, you get the idea. They need to be invited and sold a ticket! As for those who show up at 3:30pm and are in full uniform, you will get in free and will work the last shift until 8pm. You will eat for free, too!

It is fun! You will see lots of people, even people you know! Like class-mates, friends, neighbors, etc. Come, be a part of a great event and earn service hours. The Lions Club is attempting to set the Guinness record for pancakes served. Let's help the Lions set the World Record!

\$\$\$\$\$ You need to turn in your Pancake money and/or unsold tickets this Monday at Scout Meeting. You are responsible for either the tickets or the \$\$\$\$\$.

Yes, it is only 24 days until we set sail for Corpus Christi and the USS Lexington! We are 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. Sign ups continue this Monday night!

Congratulation to: Eagle Scout

Michael Payne and his doubles partner, they won the boys doubles competition at the Levelland tournament last Saturday!

Honorable Mention to: Eagle Scouts:

Jesse Slay and B J Holmes, who competed with their band in the Lubbock High School talent contest last Friday Night! You guys were awesome, we hope you will do it again next year when you are seniors!

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

Dates to Remember

February 21, 2009, Pancake Festival. This is mandatory for Scouts & scouters. We all will work the late afternoon-evening shift. 3:30pm until 8pm. Service Hours!!!

February 23rd, 8pm until 9:30pm, Regular meeting, in class B t-shirts because you helped at the Pancake Festival and you got your uniform very dirty!, Skill wheel. Refreshments: Mr. C. Smith/ Mr. S Slay.

March 2nd, 8pm until 9:30pm Regular meeting, in full uniform, Skill wheel.

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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