

## TROOP 152 NEWS

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### RICKETS GLENN / BLOOMSBURG FAIR

Join the troop for a return trip to Ricketts Glen and the Bloomsburg Fair, Sept 22 – 24, 2000. We will camp in Ricketts State Park and explore the water fall trail, the split rock, and camping in the mountain top air. Later Saturday afternoon, we will venture to the Bloomsburg State Fair to spend an evening discovering the wonders of a real country state fair, from the snake lady to the 4-H competitions, rides, food, and more. The info flyer and permission slip are enclosed. Call Harry Weber for more information 610-584-6278.

### DeLong & DeShort of It

Summer has come and gone. Soon school will be starting. As I sit and write this it seems more like Fall weather than Summer. It was a great Summer of trips including Shenandoah, Ockanickan Summer Camp and most recently Wallenpaupack.. The lake was great and the weather cooperated with only a few rain drops on Friday. The water activities and the campfire Saturday night on the beach were worth the trip alone. I understand that some of the Scouts had an opportunity to see another side of some of the leaders. Is it possible that these straight and prim individuals could possible have been young and adventurous at some point in the far distant past. One can only suspect that it was so. Thanks to the following; Bill Thorpe, for organizing the trip and providing a boat for recreation, Rob Nagele for allowing the Troop to use his boat and cottage, Floyd Nellett for his dingy, Dave Kobe for coming along and bringing his windsurfer, Barry Hornberger, Phil Bickel, John Sasso, Bob Splane, Chris Nagele, & Harry Weber.

A big thanks to Phil Bickel for organizing the Mother – Scout golf outing. This event was well attended. It seems that everyone wanted a shot at beating the “Pro”. But, as tradition would have it, takes more than it might appear to best the seasoned golfer.

September is going to be busy. Our Family Night is an important event for you and your scout to attend. Please mark you calendars to come out and recognize our scouts' accomplishments over this summer. Also, an information letter from Dave Buckley is enclosed concerning our wreath sale. Finally, let's not forget our September trip to Bloomsburg Fair.

Paul DeLong

## SCHEDULE

9/ 5 TROOP MTG 7:00 PM

*Patrol Leaders Council* 6:30 PM

9/12 TROOP MTG 7:00 PM

9/17 Δ Committee Meeting 7:00 PM

9/19 ☺ Δ TROOP MTG 7:00 PM

9/22-24 Δ **Camping** - Bloomsburg/Ricketts (Weber)

9/26 **Family Night** (Nagele/Weber/DeLong)

Ω or Δ Attendance required for outing participation

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### BEING PREPARED IN 2000

10/13-15 **Camping** - Cub-O-Ree (DeLong)

10/22 **Lions Club Pancake Breakfast**

10/22 Committee Mtg 7:00 PM (Weber)

11/10-12 **Camping** - Horse Shoe Curve (Nellett)

11/19 Committee Mtg 7:00 PM (Weber)

12/17 Committee Mtg 7:00 PM (Weber)

Dec Wreath Sale - (Buckley)

INDICATES ADDITION OR CHANGE TO PREVIOUS LIST

General Nash Web Site - [www.djs.com/jamboree/nash.htm](http://www.djs.com/jamboree/nash.htm)

### FAMILY NIGHT

Please join the Troop 152 at its 3rd Family Night for 2000 on Tuesday, Spt 26, 2000 in the Twp Community Bldg. Come and recognize our Scouts' achievements since Summer Camp. Our scouts have accomplished much over the summer. Meet our Troop leaders and the families that make Troop 152 what it is.

### Member News

Congratulations are in order for John Bickel and Floyd Nellett upon achieving the rank of Star Scout. The troop wishes best of luck to the Schneider family, as they prepare to move to the Cincinnati area. We have enjoyed the contributions of Martin and Paul, and wish them well in a new adventure. Another BSA troop will gain from our loss. Best of luck! Keep in touch.

### TROOP COMMITTEE MEETING

The troop's committee will resume monthly meetings beginning Sunday, Sept 17, 2000, 7:00 PM in the community building. All troop leaders and committee members are requested to attend. Contact Harry Weber for agenda suggestions or for general information concerning the committee on 610-584-9055.

### TROOP 152 Wreath Sale - 2000

Enclosed is a letter from Mike Buckley, introducing the troop's wreath sale for 2000. This is an important fund raising event that is also a lot of fun. Contact Mike on 215-368-3815 if you have any questions.