

## TROOP 152 NEWS

OCTOBER 2000

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### CUB-O-REE 2000

Join the troop as we participate in the General Nash District Cub-O- Ree 2000 at the Upper Gwynedd Park Place, October 13 – 15. All the traditional fare will be there, the rain gutter sundae, gateways, scout skills, camping and cooking. The info flyer and permission slip are enclosed. Call Paul DeLong for more information 215-699-7125.

### DeLong & DeShort of It

As has been the case with past trips to Rickett's Glen and the Bloomsburg Fair the Scouts really enjoyed this outing. Hiking down the glen at Rickett's and seeing all the falls and other wonders of nature was worth the travel in itself. But added to that is the Bloomsburg Fair with all the food, displays, carnival, and oh yes the shirt signing and this trip has proved to be a favorite for all age groups. Be sure to attend Family Night to see who in the Troop collected the most girl's signatures. I'm not sure which scout skill is involved with this activity but it goes back a long way and is certainly a tradition in Troop 152. The comments from the Scouts concerning this trip were that they would like to come back to Rickett's to see it in the Summer time, and they would like to spend more time at the Fair.

I also want to congratulate the Badger Patrol for all their hard work during this trip. They completed a lot of requirements for advancement in the off hours. The biscuits the Raccoons baked were month watering.

Thanks to Harry Weber for organizing the trip, Jim Faber for towing the trailer and making it up the hill to the Glen. The Troop would also like to thank the other Leaders that went on the trip and made it possible; Barry Hornberger, Joe Magee, Steve McClellan, Frank O'Hara, Dave Narkiewicz, Floyd Nellett, Bill Thorpe, Raju Vegesna, and Dereck West.

With all the advancement that has taken place at Summer Camp and during the summer Family Night, 3 October, will be a very busy one. Come and celebrate your Scouts accomplishments. Hope to see all of you there!! Our meeting on Halloween, Oct 31, will be an informal costume party. Come for the night, or just stop by to say hello and let us try to guess your identity!

Paul DeLong

### LION'S CLUB PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Troop 152 will help its sponsoring organization by donating Scout Power at the Lion's Club Pancake Breakfast 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM on Sun 10/22/00 at the West Point Fire Hall. This is a great opportunity for scouts to earn service hour credits Sign ups will be at regular troop meetings. Bring your family to a great sit-down, all you can eat breakfast. It's the best in town!

### SCHEDULE OCTOBER 2000

- 10/ 3 **Family Night** (Nagele/Weber/DeLong)  
10/10 Δ TROOP MTG 7:00 PM  
**Patrol Leaders Council** 6:30 PM  
10/13-15 Δ **Camping** - Cub-O- Ree (DeLong)  
10/17 ☺ TROOP MTG 7:00 PM  
10/22 **Lions Club Pancake Breakfast**  
10/22 Committee Mtg 7:00 PM (Weber)  
10/24 Ω TROOP MTG 7:00 PM  
10/31 **Halloween Party** 7:00 PM  
Ω or Δ Attendance required for outing participation  
μ Webelos activity ☺ Uniform Exchange Open

### BEING PREPARED IN 2000

- 11/10-12 Ω **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)

### BEING PREPARED IN 2001

- 7/23-8/ 1 **National Jamboree** (Nagele)  
8/ 5 - 11 **Summer Camp - Goose Pond** (DeLong)  
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, Oct 3, 2000 in the Twp Community Bldg. Come and recognize our Scouts' achievements since Summer Camp.

### Member News

Please congratulate these scouts in achieving the rank of Star Scout: Matt Brasch, Sean Gallagher, and; Shaun MacMinn.

### TROOP COMMITTEE MEETING

The troop's committee will meet on Sun 10/22/00, 7:00 PM in the community building. All troop leaders and committee members are requested to attend. Parents are always welcome. Contact Harry Weber, 610-584-9055 for more info.

### TROOP 152 Wreath Sale - 2000

Get those wreath counts into Mike Buckley ASAP. The order is about to be placed.. Contact Mike on 215-368-3815.

### GET READY FOR HORSESHOE CURVE

Won't "choo" join us in November for a visit to the Altoona/Johnstown areas including Horseshoe Curve, the Johnstown Flood Museum, and more. Don't just sit on your "caboose" all weekend - come have some fun exploring rail history of our nation! See the enclosed flyers for more information. Permission slips with payment must be turned in by October 24th. For more information contact Barry Hornberger (215.368.2253) or Floyd Nellett (610.584.8289).