

TROOP 152 NEWS

FEBRUARY 2001

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FAMILY NIGHT

Please join the Troop 152 at its 1st Family Night for 2001 on Tue, 2/27 in the Twp Community Bldg. Come and recognize our Scouts' achievements. Meet our Troop leaders and the families that make Troop 152 what it is. Friends of Scouting contributions will also be accepted at this meeting.

FEBRUARY WINTER CAMPOUT

Troop 152 will kick off its 2001 road trip season with a fun filled weekend of winter activities Feb 16-18. Camping will be in tents at Tohickon Family Campground. Saturday activities will include a day ski trip and other winter activities. See the attached flyer or contact Steve McClellan on 215-368-3052 for more information.

SUMMER CAMP

Planning for summer camp 2001 at Goose Pond is in full swing. Summer camp fee will be \$165 for advanced registration. Send in your deposit to reserve your scout's spot at camp. See the attached flyer & payment plan form. Contact Barry Hornberger for more info, 215-368-2253

CODE OF CONDUCT

The troop committee has reviewed and updated the Code of Conduct, and will be sending a copy home with each scout. Please read the document with your scout, sign and return to Rob Nagele, or Paul DeLong.

DeLong & DeShort of It

Congratulations to the Scouts of the Central Powers Patrol for their 1st Place finish in the Klondike Derby contest and 1st Place finish in the sled race. The Ice Caps Patrol also deserve congratulations for their 3rd Place in the contest. Be sure to see a copy of the North Penn Reporter from Jan. 22nd for the picture of the winning Patrol Leaders. A special thanks to the Troop 152 Klondike Derby Committee; Jim Faber, Barry Hornberger, Steve McClellan, Joe Magee, Chris Nagele, Rob Nagele, Bill Thorpe, and Harry Weber; for all the time and effort that went into planning the Derby for the General Nash District. I felt, the weather not with standing, that it was a well organized and executed plan that made the day a great experience for all the Scouts that attended. Also a big thanks to the other Troop leaders that attended; Joseph Archutowski, Jeff Bell, Bob Britton, Ed Buonocore, Steve Dorsey, Steve Hanebury, Al Hibbert, and Bob MacMinn; who ran events and generally kept the rest in line. It is with great pleasure that I congratulate Rob Nagele on his award of the Silver Beaver from the Cradle of Liberty Council. Ask to see his ribbon the next time you see him.

Paul DeLong

SCHEDULE FEBRUARY 2001

2/ 6 Ω TROOP MTG 7:00 PM *OA Elections*

Patrol Leaders Council 6:30 PM

2/13 Ω ☺ TROOP MTG 7:00 PM

2/16-18 Ω **Camping** – Winter Weekend (McClellan)

2/18 **Lions Pancake Breakfast** (xx)

2/25 Committee Mtg 7:00 PM (Weber)

2/27 **FAMILY NIGHT**

Ω or Δ Attendance required for outing participation

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☺ Uniform Exchange Open

BEING PREPARED IN 2001

3/18 Committee Mtg 7:00 PM (Weber)

3/23-25 **Camping** – Resica Falls (Nellett)

4/20-22 **Camping** – Wolfe's Farm (Magee)

4/27-29 **Spring Camporee** ()

4/29 Committee Mtg 7:00 PM (Weber)

5/18-20 **Camping** – Beach Jam ?? (Weber)

5/23 Committee Mtg 7:00 PM (Weber)

6/21-24 **Camping** – Harper's Ferry, VA (Hornberger)

6/24 Committee Mtg 7:00 PM (Weber)

6/26 **FAMILY NIGHT**

7/XX **Camping** - Lincoln Speedway ?? (XX)

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

7/23-8/ 1 **National Jamboree** (Nagele)

8/ 5 - 11 **Summer Camp - Goose Pond** (DeLong)

8/26 Committee Mtg 7:00 PM (Weber)

9/23 Committee Mtg 7:00 PM (Weber)

9/25 **FAMILY NIGHT**

10/12-14 **Camping** – Cub-O-Ree ()

10/XX **Camping** - New York City (Weber)

10/21 Committee Mtg 7:00 PM (Weber)

11/10 **Scouting for Food Bag Drop** (DeLong)

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

11/17 **Scouting for Food Pick-Up** (DeLong)

11/ 9-11 **Camping** – Hawk Mtn (Faber)

12/16 Committee Mtg 7:00 PM (Weber)

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INDICATES ADDITION OR CHANGE TO PREVIOUS LIST

General Nash Web Site - www.djs.com/jamboree/nash.htm

LION'S CLUB PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Troop 152 will help its sponsoring organization by donating Scout Power at the bi-annual Lion's Club Pancake Breakfast 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM on Feb 18 at the West Point Fire Hall. Scouts interested in earning service hour credits should sign up at the next meeting. Bring your family to a great sit-down, all you can eat on china, breakfast. It's the best in town!

SWEATSHIRTS ARE HERE

If you ordered one, stop by the troop store to pick it up. Thanks for your patience.

<p>Our scouts will soon be asked to nominate and elect several of their peers to the ORDER OF THE ARROW. This elite group exists to develop and maintain Scouting's spirit and camping traditions. It crystallizes the scout habit of helpfulness and leadership in cheerful service to others.</p>	<h1>THE BASIC BOX</h1> <h2>OA ELECTIONS</h2>	<p>The ordeal teaches the meaning of the OA to its new members. Many of our scouts and leaders are members of the organization.</p>
<p>Each troop's scouts are asked to select candidates who best exemplify the Scout Oath and Law in their daily lives. The number of scouts eligible for election depend on the number of registered scouts and the number of scouts attending the meeting when the election is made.</p>	<p>μ §</p>	<p>They have participated in many service projects at Delmont and Resica to prepare the camps for a season's use. Some have advanced through higher levels of rank within the Order through study and higher levels of service.</p>
<p>Attendance for all scouts at this meeting is important! Once nominated, the local OA Lodge inducts the new members through an ordeal and ceremony. To really know the OA, you must become a member.</p>	<p>This year's election date is</p> <p>Tue February 6, 2001</p>	<p>Election to this elite group is truly an honor that carries great responsibility. The OA is much more than a "social club". It is service to Scouting and to the ideals that Scouting holds.</p>

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