TROOP 152 NEWS

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EAGLE COURT OF HONOR

Please join Matt Morvin and his family as he is awarded Scouting's highest honor, the rank of Eagle Scout. Matt's Eagle ceremony will be held on Saturday, 11/30/02 at 11:00 AM, Upper Gwynedd Twp Bldg. Attendance is a requirement for all Scouts of Troop 152. Scouts should arrive by 10:30 in class "A" uniforms.

DELMONT - DEEP FALL

Join Troop 152 on a deep fall camping trip to Camp Delmont. Crisp cool air, the warmth of a fire, deer, and turkeys will await us. Knollbrook lodge will come alive with the sounds of our scouts. See the enclosed flyer or contact Jim Faber on (215) 699-3328.

Gallagher's Gallery

It was wet and cold, but the cuboree went well as Troop 152 displayed their rope making skills for hundreds of wet cubs and webelos. We also hosted the "Rope Pulley game", for lack of a better term, which also fun for all who played. Many thanks to Al Hibbert for his help in anything that has the word "rope" in it. Rope making and the rope pulley game could become cuboree staples in the future. The troop fed 74 scouts/webelos/adults on Sat. night and Sun. morning. This was made easy with the help of Brian Sarris. Brian's culinary contribution is greatly appreciated at an event like the cuboree. Anyone who partook in the dessert on Sat., a 6 in. high strawberry short cake, should have their blood sugar checked ASAP. Well-done Brian. There certainly was enough to do at the cuboree to keep everyone busy and then some. Many thanks to Paul DeLong, Jim Faber, Al Hibbert and Bill Thorpe for all their help. We also received a visit from Steve McClellan. Phil Bickel also helped out when he arrived with his pack on Sat.

November includes the Scouting for Food drive, a trip to Camp Delmont and wreath sales. Another busy month for the troop. *Don Gallagher*

SWEAT SHIRTS

We will again be ordering Troop sweatshirts. Light weight about \$20, heavyweight about \$38. Orders will be taken till November 26. See Rob Nagele or call on 215-699-4779 for an order form.

RECHARTER

It is time again to step up and be counted as a member of Troop 152. All Scouts and Scouters are required to complete the enclosed recharter form, and return to Don Gallagher by 11/12.

SCOUTING FOR FOOD

Sign up with Mr Gallagher to help out on 11/9 and 11/16 with this worthwhile service project. We need drivers and scouts.

SCHEDULE for NOVEMBER 2002

11/ 5 Δ	TROOP MTG 7:00 PM	
	Patrol Leaders Council 6:30 PM	
11/9	Scouting for Food Bag Drop (TBA	١)
11/10	COMMITTEE MTG 7:00 PM (Webe	r)
$11/12 \Omega$	TROOP MTG 7:00 PM	
11/16	Scouting for Food Pick-Up (TBA	()
11/19	TROOP MTG 7:00 PM Wreath Count	S
11/22-24	Camping Delmont (Faber	r)
11/26	TROOP MTG 7:00 PM	
11/29	Wreath Pick-UP (Magee	(:)
11/30	Eagle Court of Honor – Matt Morvin	ς
	or Δ Attendance required for outing participation	

Webelos activity

BEING PREPARED IN 2002

12/8	COMMITTEE MTG 7	:00 PM (Webe	r)		
12/17	Holiday Party 7:00 P.	M (Weber	r)		
12/29	Eagle Court of Honor	r - John Bickle			
Dec	Wreath Sale -	(Narkiewicz / Magee	e)		
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1/ 4	Eagle Court of Honor – K Herman	n / R Lukens			
1/17-19	Camping Klondike @ Camp Hart	(Gallagher)			
2/21-23	Ski Trip Jack Frost / Big Boulder	(Narkiewicz)			
3/21-23	Camping Washington DC	(Weber)			
4/25-27	Camping Wolfe's Farm	(Magee)			
5/ 3- 5	Camping	(TBA)			
5/16-18	Camping Rafting ??	(TBA)			
5/23-26	Scope Olympia	(Hibbert)			
6/20-22	Camping Battleship NJ	(Gallagher/Vanek)			
7/20-26	Summer Camp Ockanickon	(BH)			
8/22-24	Camping Lincoln Speedway	(Hornberger)			
9/??	Camping Knobel's	(TBA)			
10/ 3- 5	Beach Jam	(TBA)			
10/??	Cub-O-Ree	(TBA)			
11/??	Camping ??	(TBA)			
Dec	Wreath Sale	(TBA)			

INDICATES ADDITION OR CHANGE TO PREVIOUS LIST

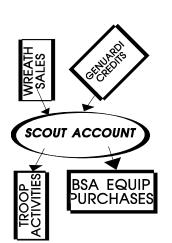
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COMMITTEE MEETING

The troop's committee will meet on Sunday Nov 10 2002, 7:00 PM in the Community Bldg. All committee members are requested to attend. Parents are always welcome For more information contact Harry Weber on 610-584-9055.

WREATH SALES

Don't forget to get your final wreath sale counts in to Mr Narkiewicz. The deadline to adjust the final order count is 11/12. Order forms are enclosed with the newsletter. If you have any questions concerning the wreaths, please call Dave Narkiewicz on (215) 997-9164. Don't forget to set aside the morning of Friday 11/29 to help unload and pickup your wreaths.



THE BASICS BOX SCOUT ACCOUNTS

With our wreath sale looming over the horizon, a review of the Scout Accounts is in order. All profits from our fund raisers are credited to the Troop's general fund.

A portion of each scout's contribution from the wreath sales and any Genuardi tapes submitted are tracked as account points. The troop's committee determines the number of points to be credited for each contribution.

Don't forget to use these points to pay for troop activities or scouting equipment needed for camping (sleeping bags, back-packs, uniform purchases, etc.).

Your scout's account point balance is available at any time from Bob Heilman.

When registering for any troop activity, request payment to be taken from the scout account.

Credit for trips and reimbursements for purchases will be made from the troop treasury, provided the scout account balance is sufficient to cover the expense. To use points for purchases, it is best to check with the scoutmaster prior to the purchase for approval. Purchase the item and bring your receipt to any regular meeting. Present it to the scoutmaster and then to Bob Heilman.

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