

# TROOP 152 NEWS

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## EAGLE COURT OF HONOR

Please join Floyd Nellet, III and his family as he is awarded Scouting's highest honor, the rank of Eagle Scout. Floyd's Eagle ceremony will be held on Sunday, 6/ 4/2006 at 2:00 PM in the Central Schwenkfelder Church, Valley Forge Rd. Attendance is a requirement for all Scouts of Troop 152. Scouts should arrive by 1:45 PM in Class "A" Uniforms!

## SHENANDOAH NATIONAL PARK

Reservations for Shenandoah are in! The canoe trip is planned! Bill Truscott is taking names for a 2 day back packing trip on the AT.. A trip flyer is available with all the details, mailed with the newsletter or on the troop's web site. A few camping spaces are still available. Questions, call Barry Hornberger, 215368-2253

## FAMILY NIGHT

Please join the Troop 152 at its 2<sup>nd</sup> Family Night for 2006 on Tuesday, 6/06/06 in the Twp Community Bldg. Come and recognize our Scouts' achievements. Meet our Troop leaders and the families of Troop 152.

## Faber's Foot Notes

Before we loose sight of May I would like to thank Mrs. Bauer for organizing and running the recent Bike Hike on the Perkiomen Trail. Thanks to all parents that helped with transportation. This is a trip to repeat!

That same weekend saw numerous Order of the Arrow "Arrowmen" from our Troop participating in weekend of service on Treasure Island to prepare for summer campers. Congratulations to Chris Bauer, Mason Pakhtigian, David DeLong and Mr. Walsh who carried out their Ordeals and to Mr. Bauer who sealed his Brotherhood. Also, Vigil Member John Bickel was reelected for an unprecedented second term as Unami Lodge 1, Lodge Chief. Congratulations John!

The Junior Leader Corps has been busy. They recently met to select camping trips for us for 2007. They came up with a great lineup and with so many good ideas there are still a few decisions to be made which will be discussed in coming scout meetings. Thank you to all scouts and leaders that participated in the panning session.

Congratulations to Steve Heilman who received his Eagle on May 23<sup>rd</sup>. Way to go Steve! Also thank Jim Alago for attending.

Summer is coming! School is almost complete for the year. Don't forget that Troop 152 will have continue meetings and events through the summer. Watch the calendar for future Eagle ceremonies, Summer Camp INFO night, and a great June camping trip to the Blue Ridge Mountains of Shenandoah National Park. I can't wait!

Hope to see you all at Family Night on June 6<sup>th</sup>. Celebrate our rank advancements get the latest info on coming trips and summer camp. See you all on the 6<sup>th</sup>

**Jim Faber**

## SCHEDULE for JUNE 2006

6/ 4	<b>Eagle Court – Floyd Nellet, III</b>	2:00 PM
6/ 4	Committee Meeting	(DeLong)
6/ 6	<b>FAMILY NIGHT</b> 7:00 PM	(Pakhtigian)
6/ 8	Summer Camp Info 7:00 PM	(DeLong)
6/10	Young Eagles Flying	(Weber)
6/13	Ω <b>TROOP MTG</b> 7:00 PM	
	<i>Patrol Leaders Council</i> 6:30 PM.	
6/20	Ω <b>TROOP MTG</b> 7:00 PM	
6/22 – 25	Ω <b>Camping - Shenandoah NP</b>	(Hornberger)
6/27	Ω <b>TROOP MTG</b> 7:00 PM	
	Ω or Δ Attendance required for outing participation	

## BEING PREPARED IN 2006

7/ 9	Eagle Court – Bryan Kobe	2:00 PM
7/ 9	Committee Meeting	(DeLong)
7/16 - 22	<b>Summer Camp – Rodney</b>	(DeLong/Hornberger)
8/ 6	Committee Meeting	(DeLong)
8/17 - 20	<b>Camping –Cape May?</b>	(DeLong)
9/10	Committee Meeting	(DeLong)
9/22 - 24	<b>Camping – Bloomsburg</b>	(McClellan)
10/ 1	Committee Meeting	(DeLong)
10/13 - 15	<b>Cub-O-Ree</b>	(Hibbert)
10/27 - 29	<b>Camping – Ockanickon Rocks</b>	(KenBauer)
10/29	Lion's Club Breakfast 8- 12 AM	(KimBauer)
11/ 5	Committee Meeting	(DeLong)
11/10 - 12	<b>Camping – Goose Pond/Steamtown</b>	(Truscott)
12/ 3	Committee Meeting	(DeLong)
12/19	Holiday Party	(DeLong)
12/	<b>Wreath Sale</b>	(S.Kobe)

## BEING PREPARED IN 2007

1/ 26 - 28	<b>Camping – Klondike Camp Hart</b>	(Open)
5/ 4 - 6	COL Council Jamboree	.

## INDICATES ADDITION OR CHANGE TO PREVIOUS LIST

Genuardi Credits [www.escrip.com/](http://www.escrip.com/) ID# 2106440  
Gen Nash Web Site [www.worldlynx.net/drzollers/nash](http://www.worldlynx.net/drzollers/nash)

## YOUNG EAGLES FLY IN

Reservations have been taken for the Young Eagles Fly In at Wings Field on Saturday, June 10, 2006 at 9:00 AM. Learn about aircraft, take a ride and fly the plane. Those who have signed up should be at Wings Field by 9:00 AM. Call Harry Weber for more info on 610-584-9055.

<http://www.youngeagles.org/programs/youngeagles/info.asp>

## SUMMER CAMP

All summer camp fees have been paid in full. The Summer Camp Info meeting will be a **SPECIAL MEETING** on a Thur, **6/08/2006 @ 7:00 PM**. Please plan to attend this meeting to get information about Rodney's Summer Camp Program. Get info on what to bring, sign-up for merit badges, and details for the swim test. Don't forget your medical forms. If you have any questions, please call Barry Hornberger on 215-368-2253

## COMMITTEE MEETING

The troop's committee will meet on Sunday 6/ 4//06, 7:00 PM in the Community Bldg. All committee members are requested to attend. Parents are always welcome. For more information call Paul DeLong 215-699-7125.

The scouting program has a strong emphasis on outdoor activity. Camping, hiking and canoeing are just a few of the activities in which we participate.

Besides having fun, these activities help your scout become more independent, more responsible for his own safety and the safety

of others, and become more aware of the consequences of his own actions.

The BSA Outdoor Code is explained in The Boyscout Handbook. It reminds us to have as little impact on the environment as possible while pursuing Scouting's activities.

## BASICS BOX The Outdoor Code

*As an American,  
I will do my best to –*

*Be clean in my outdoor manners  
Be careful with fire,  
Be considerate in the outdoors,  
and  
Be conservation minded.*

Leave nothing behind!

Carry out what you carried in. Respect all living things, from the grandest eagle to pesky poison ivy. Respect fire! Use it wisely for warmth and cooking. Be observant and leave an area as you found it!

Troop 152 will be discussing the Outdoor Code during the coming months. Review the Code with your scout, so our discussion will have greater meaning for him, his children, and his children's children.

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### COMMITTEE

Chairman	Paul DeLong *
Treasurer	Nancy Bickel
Scout Accts	Bob Heilman
Registration / Dues	Bill Kelso *
Secretary	Gavin Murdoch
Webelos Liaison	Rob Nagele *
Advancement	Suren Pakhtigian *
Quarter Master	Chris Nagele*
Newsletter	Barry Hornberger
Trip Coordinator	Floyd Nellett, II *
Training Coordinator	Chris Nagele *
Web Master	Dave Walsh, Sr
Chaplain	Bill Truscott *

### MEMBERS AT LARGE

Ken Bauer	Joe Magee
Kim Bauer	Sal Nestor
Phil Bickel	Barry Simpson
Larry Brasch	Bill Thorpe
Lorraine Burghart	Mark Vanek
Chris Hermann	Scott Weaver
Greg Katucki	Harry Weber
Dave Kobe	Shelly Yost

\* Assistant Scoutmasters

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### SCOUTMASTER STAFF

SCOUTMASTER **Jim Faber**

### ASSISTANT SCOUTMASTERS

John Bickel	Bryan Kobe
Chris DeLong	Steve McClellan
Don Gallagher	Mike Nagele
Matt Geiger	Floyd Nellett, III
Steve Hanebury	Jordan Sarris
Al Hibbert	

### EMERITUS COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Tom Buonocore	Scott McClellan
Jason DeWitt	Brian Sarris
Russ Faber	Adam Smith
Jon Gorman	Chris Stark
Steve Heilman	Greg Stark
Kevin Hermann	Wayne Stark, Sr
John Hutchinson	Paul Tripp
Chris Johnson	Dave Walsh, Jr
Shaun MacMinn	

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