

## TROOP 152 NEWS

OCTOBER 2019

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### CUB-O-REE

Howdy Partner! The Cub-O-Ree is coming up again 10/11 to 10/13. Friday evening, we'll build the gateway. And Saturday, we'll entertain the cubs all day with a lasso toss game and capture the flag: cowboys vs. robbers. This is a great opportunity to introduce our troop to prospective Webelos cross over candidates. Sign ups and permission slips are due **Oct 1**. Contact Nick Iaquinto on **215-509-5520** for more information.

### SCOUTMASTER'S CORNER

As summer turns to Fall, we are entering a time of new beginnings for the Troop. Justin Gartner will be serving as Senior Patrol Leader with the support of the rest of youth leadership team. I am also stepping in as Scoutmaster. So first, I would like to thank Dave Gartner for his tremendous dedication guiding the Troop for the last two years. I hope that I can live up to his example.

September was a time for recognizing our achievements at Family Night. Coming off of a busy summer camp, you all earned a slew of merit badges and awards. So, give yourselves a pat on the back and start planning the next leg in your Scouting journey.

We have a lot to look forward to in October. Cub-O-Ree is a few weeks away, and we have a great gateway and activity planned. That's good, because we have the Bradbury Cup to defend! The theme is "Western", and we encourage everyone to dress the part. So, bring your spurs and ten gallon hat, partner.

Later in the month, we'll be going to Knoebels and camping at Hickory Run State Park. This is a perfect opportunity for a fun, relaxing trip in the cool October weather. Fall is my favorite time for camping, and it doesn't get much better than eating a deep fried oreo in line for a wild ride on a wooden coaster.

So sign up early and often,

~ Nick Iaquinto [troop152westpointpa@gmail.com](mailto:troop152westpointpa@gmail.com)

### OCTOBER TRIP – KNOEBELS

Join Troop 152 on a great fall camping trip to Knoebels. We'll be camping at Hickory Run State Park and visiting Knoebels on Saturday. Hold on to your hat, because the wooden coasters are a wild ride and the fair food is a delicious. Sign up fees and permission slip are due by **October 8**. Contact Nick Iaquinto, on **215-509-5520**, for more information.

### 2020 RECHARTER

Troop Re-charter for 2020 will be starting soon. EVERY Scout and Scouter must re-register with Troop 152 for 2020. Registration forms and fees are being developed. Adult leaders MUST have Youth Protection and current PA State and FBI Clearance. The re-charter registration form will be available on the troop website. Contact Bill Kelso for more information on 215-541-1112.

### SCHEDULE for OCTOBER 2019

10/ 1	TROOP MTG 7:00 PM <b>Cub-O-Ree Slip Due</b> PLC Meeting 6:30 PM	
10/ 6	Committee Meeting 6:30 PM	(DeLong)
10/ 8	Ω TROOP MTG 7:00 PM <b>Knoebels Slip Due</b>	
10/11-13	Ω Cub-O-Ree	(Iaquinto)
10/15	Δ TROOP MTG 7:00 PM	
10/18 – 20	Δ <b>Camping – Knoebels</b>	(Iaquinto)
10/22	TROOP MTG 7:00 PM	
10/29	TROOP MTG 7:00 PM	

Ω or Δ Attendance required for outing participation

### INDICATES ADDITION OR CHANGE TO PREVIOUS LIST

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### LATER IN 2019

11/ 3	Committee Meeting 6:30 PM	(DeLong)
11/ 8 - 10	<b>Camping – Delmont</b>	(TBD)
11/ 9	Scouting for Food Drop Off	(TBD)
11/16	Scouting for Food Pick Up	(TBD)
12/ 1	Committee Meeting 6:30 PM	(DeLong)
12/17	Holiday Party	(TBD)

### PEEKING INTO 2020

2/ 7 – 9	General Nash Klondike	(Iaquinto)
7/19 - 25	<b>Summer Camp – Goose Pond</b>	(DeLong/Neild)

### NOVEMBER TRIP – DELMONT

Join Troop 152 for a deep fall camping experience at Delmont 11/8 – 11/10. We are searching for a camp site that will permit tent partner cooking on open fires. Saturday morning the campers will travel to Upper Gwynedd to assist with the Scouting for Food Drop off, and then return to Delmont to explore and enjoy camp. Permission slip will be available soon. Contact Chris Nagele for more information on (215) 820-2271

### NEW LEADERSHIP

October will be a month of change. Dave Gartner will be stepping down as scoutmaster and Alex Bond will step down as Senior Patrol Leader. Please thank Dave and Alex for guiding the troop during their term in leadership positions. Justin Gartner will be taking over SPL responsibilities, and Nick Iaquinto will be stepping up as scoutmaster. Nick is a Troop 152 Eagle Scout, back in the area after college and working locally. Please welcome Justin and Nick in their new leadership positions.

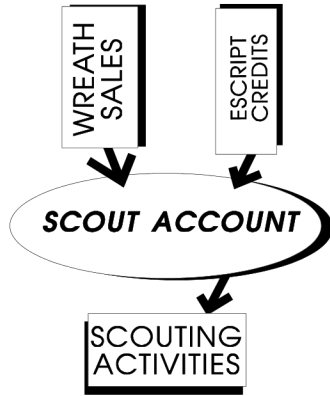
### 2019 WREATH SALE !!!

Can you believe it, the Wreath Sale is now under way!. Now is the time to get those wreath customers lined up before they buy from someone else. We need your sales money and final count by November 5. Don't let down your valued customers. Contact Rob Nagele, for more info on the wreath sale 215-699-4779.

### NEW TROOP WEBSITE

Please note that we have a new web site – [www.troop152pa.org](http://www.troop152pa.org). Please set your browsers to the new address.

## THE BASICS BOX SCOUT ACCOUNTS



With our wreath sale looming in full swing, 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 Escript credits, 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 purchasing Scouting related clothing or camping equipment.

Your scout's account point balance is available at any regular Scout Meeting. When registering for any troop activity, request payment to be taken from the scout account.

Credit for trips will be made from the troop treasury, provided the scout account balance is sufficient to cover the expense.

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