

September 2013



Scoutmaster Notes

Scoutmaster: Mr. Paul Honeycutt

Senior Patrol Leader: Max Audick

MEETINGS AND EVENTS:

- Meeting will be at St. Gregory School beginning September 4th. Scouts need to be in full Class A uniform which includes neckerchief, slide, belt, and scout socks.
- Lake Skinner Campout, September 20-22
- There is a need for Merit Badge Counselors for the following badges: Architecture, Athletics, Canoeing, First Aid, Emergency Preparedness, Lifesaving, Pioneering, Sports, & Wilderness Survival. See the information under "News and Announcements" to find out how to become a counselor. Please let Mr. Honeycutt know which badges you are considering so that we may update our troop counselor list.
- Elections are September 18th. If you are running for an elected position, please come prepared to present why you are qualified based on prior leadership positions, experience in the Troop, school, or community, how the Troop will benefit from having your service, what you expect to learn, and if you know the required duties for the position.

UPCOMING OUTINGS: Sign up at Outdoor table:

September 20-22 - Lake Skinner Campout

September 22 - Ladle Soup

September 29 - Chargers vs. Cowboys

October 5 - Trailbuilding MSR

October 12-13 - Unit Backpack Training

October 26 - Trailbuilding MSR

December 8 - Chargers vs. NY Giants

SUMMER CAMP NEWS:

Philmont (July 3-16, 2014): There is still space available! Interested scouts need to sign-up ASAP. A \$100 nonrefundable payment is due at sign-up. Participants must be 14 years old by the date of the camp.

OR have completed the 8th grade and be 13 years old. **Next payment of \$470.00 is due September 15th.**

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Database Reports: Please send any future requests for database reports to the Advancement team at T616Advance@gmail.com. Call Ms. Sanchez (858-761-3196) to schedule Boards of Review. Please note the Process for Advancement:

1. Request database reports at T616Advance@gmail.com
2. Schedule Scoutmaster Conference. (For conference scouts need to wear Class A uniform, bring database reports and Boy Scout Handbook)
3. Phone Mrs. Sanchez to schedule a Board of Review. (For BOR scouts need to wear Class A uniform, merit badge sash, and bring database reports and Boy Scout Handbook)

Scout Parents - do you have a special interest, hobby, talent, or job? Consider becoming a Merit Badge Counselor. Counselors for Eagle required badges are especially needed. Please find information how to become a counselor at :

<http://www.sdicbsa.org/Advancement/MeritBadgeCounselor.php>

Online Application:

<http://www.sdicbsa.org/Resources/Docs/MBCounselor.php>

Eagle Candidates - Please be sure to contact Mr. Honeycutt before you plan to present your Eagle Project Proposal to the Committee. After talking to Mr. Honeycutt, please call Karen DeWitt (858) 578-4838 in order to be placed on the next Committee Meeting agenda.

Geology Day - Scouts may earn the Geology Merit Badge at this event at the Vulcan Carroll Canyon location. Time is 8:30-2:00 and lunch is included with the \$10 fee. Register ASAP at: www.SDICBSA.org Space is limited for Boy Scouts.

September Fishing	October Athletics	November Science
4 Troop Meeting S. Cows 11 Troop Meeting A. Meatballs 18 Troop Meeting - Elections 20-22 Lake Skinner Campout 22 Ladle Soup 29 Chargers vs. Cowboys SCOUTER ACTIVITIES 12 District Roundtable 25 PLC/ASM 23 Committee Meeting	2 Troop Meeting WC Norrisses 5 Trail Building - MSR 9 COH 12-13 Unit Backpack Training 16 Troop Meeting SuperNovas 18-20 Agua Caliente 26 Geology Day 26 Trail Building - MSR` SCOUTER ACTIVITIES 10 District Roundtable 23 PLC/ASM 28 Committee	6 Troop Meeting Icee Penguins 9-10 Unit Backpack Training 9-11 Camelback Trail Camp 13 Troop Meeting Flying Pigs 16 Trail Building- MSR 20 Troop Meeting Bacon Ninjas 24 Ladle Soup SCOUTER ACTIVITIES 14 District Roundtable 20 PLC ASM - after troop mtg 18 Committee

† Program and Set-up/Opening/Closing/Cleanup duties for the meeting are the responsibility of the assigned Patrol.