



Troop 81 E-mail News

July 22, 2010

Troop Meeting July 22, 2010

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**IT'S A
FIRE BUILDING
CONTEST AT THIS
WEEKS MEETING!
BRING
FIREWOOD!**

TROOP 81
River Glen Church
Naperville, IL

www.troop81.org

Election results....

Troop elections were held at the last meeting, July 8th. But first, let's take this opportunity to congratulate and thank our outgoing leadership. Chris D. and all the Scouts who held these positions did a terrific job over the last six months and learned a lot! Now a new group will have the opportunity and responsibility of leading Troop 81. Let's give a round of applause and our support to:

SPL: Ben M.
ASPLs: Jeremy S., Alex T., Bradford W. and Aaron M.
QM's: Kevin H., Thomas C. and Sriram K.
Chaplain's Aid: Nick N.
Guides: Jordan S. and Zac C.
Instructors: Austin H., Alex H., Garrett G., Mike B., Brad F. and Alex P.
Historian: Santan K.
Librarian: Johnny O.
Scribe: Michael A.
OA Rep: Joey M.
Webmaster: Kevin A.

BE SURE AND RESERVE THIS DATE! **Court of Honor, August 29th**

This is the biggest Court of Honor for the year. Lots of merit badges were earned this summer and Mrs. Dubbins is preparing for many rank advancements. There'll be awards, pictures and maybe even a potluck dinner! So be sure and get this on your family calendar!

From Mrs. Dubbins:

Scouts need to make sure their blue pages are updated. It also means it is time to schedule any needed Boards of Review. Boards will be available at the meeting tonight, July 22, if we have the needed adults. Please be sure to have your scoutmaster conference completed. Sign-up sheets for Boards will be available at tonight's meeting. Any adult or committee member available on any or all of these dates are asked to attend. We need three adults per Board of Review. This is our busiest time of year for advancement and we need everyone's help.

MTG. CALENDAR

NEW INFO IS ALWAYS IN RED

**After Summer Camp meetings will be every other week through the end of August.
Activity Uniforms can be worn through summer.**

August 5: Troop Mtg.
MUSKY

August 19: Troop Mtg.
SCORPION

August 29:
COURT OF HONOR

September 2:
Troop Mtg.
VIKING

September 9:
Troop Mtg.
WOLVERINE

Remember to wear Your Field (Class A) uniform starting in September. Meetings begin promptly at 7:00 p.m. Please arrive with enough time to find a seat.

The next Committee Meeting will be held at the Church on Sun., August 8th. All troop parents are invited to attend! Meetings begin at 7:00 p.m.

Simply...."THANK YOU!"

Mrs. Dunning wrote this "Note of Thanks" a few years ago and it's perfect to reprint this year, as it expresses the gratitude of all Troop 81 parents EVERY summer when their Scouts return home, tired and happy.

To all the adult leadership who attended camp this summer:

"Owasippe provides a beautiful outdoor facility with a great opportunity for our Scouts to acquire skills and, hopefully, bring home a few merit badges. But it's all of you, our Adult Leaders, who make it possible AND memorable for them. The months of phone calls, planning, and preparation add up to countless hours. What a huge commitment! Under your watchful eyes, all of our boys' needs are met. THANK YOU EACH AND EVERY ONE OF YOU for administering meds, loaning bug spray, cracking jokes, taking pictures, and offering encouragement. It wouldn't be a GO if the trailers weren't hauled, the 'Banker' didn't keep the cash, blue cards weren't signed, etc. The list is endless. So—from cooking the Sunday morning 'Train Wreck' breakfast to that 5 hour drive back to Hill parking lot on Saturday, a heartfelt THANK YOU!"

Service Opportunity:

A big **THANK YOU** to the Scouts who helped on Friday before camp to set up for the picnic at the Harvest Bible Chapel. Your help was greatly appreciated!

Troop 81's next Eagle Scout!

Join Troop 81 on Saturday, July 31st, at 2 p.m. at the church, for the EAGLE COURT OF HONOR, where **Tommy D.** will be presented with the rank of Eagle Scout. A dessert reception will follow. Please check the roster to RSVP by July 24th.

Location:
River Glen Presbyterian Church
1140 Raymond Drive
Naperville, IL

