



Welcome to WOOD BADGE

As you settle in, we want you to know how happy we are that you have chosen to participate in this advanced training program known the world over as **WOOD BADGE**



**The First Wood badge Course at
Gilwell Park September 1819
DAY 1**

The Staff that has been selected to serve you is:

Terry Hope	Scoutmaster
Randy Olsson	Senior Patrol Leader
Mr. Tom Teerlink	Mentor
Dee Schartiger	Assistant Scoutmaster
Kent Schlussel	Assistant Scoutmaster
Ben Powell	Assistant Scoutmaster
Mark Howdyshell	Scribe
Bill McChesney	Assistant Scribe
Jim Craig	Quartermaster
Mike Sexton	Ast. Quartermaster
Jim Straker	Ast. Quartermaster

Please Drink Plenty of Water While you are here.



YOUR TROOP GUIDES

Cindy Zollman	Beaver Patrol
T.C. Dickerson	Bobwhite Patrol
Robert Showalter	Eagle Patrol
Judy Goodbar	Fox Patrol
Gordon Rutland	Owl Patrol
Margaret Pickering	Bear Patrol

WOODBADGE HISTORY PART 1

On the morning of September 8, 1919, a 61 year-old retired general of the British Army stepped out into the center of a clearing at Gilwell Park, in Epping Forest, outside London, England. He raised to his lips the horn of a Greater Kudu, one of the largest of African antelopes. He blew a long sharp blast. Nineteen men dressed in short pants and knee socks, their shirt-sleeves rolled up, assembled by patrols for the first Scoutmasters' training camp held at Gilwell. The camp was designed and guided by Sir Robert Baden-Powell, the founder of the World Scouting Movement.



WOODBADGE HISTORY PART 1

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When they had finished their training together, Baden-Powell gave each man a simple wooden bead from a necklace he had found in a Zulu chieftain's deserted hut when on campaign in South Africa in 1888. The Scoutmasters' training course was a great success and continued to be held year-after-year. At the end of each course the wooden beads were used to recognize the completion of training. When the original beads ran out, new ones were whittled to maintain the tradition established by Baden-Powell. Because of these beads, the course came to be known as the Wood Badge Course. It continues to this day in England and around the world as the advanced training course for leaders in Scouting.

WANT ADS

For Sale: Spare Time. See your Friendly Quartermasters for these 1 hour spare time coupons. We understand that there is no specific price set yet at this time; however, the chits are good for 1 hour of spare time, and can be used anytime between 11:00 pm and 6:00 am.

Wanted: More input from the Patrols for this newsletter. Drop off your articles with Mark or Bill. "@V@"

TODAYS SCHEDULE

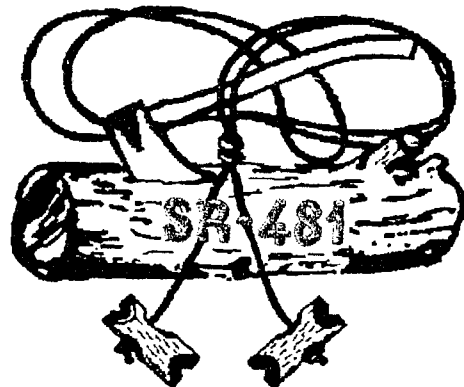
- 8:30 Orientation
- 9:30 Assembly @ Gilwell Field
- 10:10 Troop Meeting @ Pavilion
- 12:00 Opening Luncheon @ Dining Hall
- 1:00 Course overview
- 1:30 Patrol Leaders council
- 2:45 Listening To Learn @ Patrol Sites
- 4:00 Living the Values @ Dining Hall
- 5:00 Patrol Meeting @ Patrol Sites
- 6:00 Dinner @ Dining Hall
- 7:00 Who me game @ Patrol Sites
- 8:00 Campfire @ Fire Ring

- 9:30 Cracker Barrel @ Dining Hall

Tomorrow

7:00 Breakfast @ Dining Hall

A Note on your Patrol Exhibit projects from the Senior Patrol Leader....as of 7am this morning it was 95/78 !



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**Scout Vespers
(Tune: Tannenbaum)**

**Softly falls the light of day,
As our campfire fades away.
Silently each scout should ask,
Have I done my daily task.
Have I kept my honor bright?
Can I guiltless sleep tonite?
Have I done and have I dared
Everything to be prepared?**

Trail the Eagle (Tune On Wisconsin)

**Trail the Eagle,
Trail the eagle,
Climbing all the time.
First the Star and then the Life
Will on your bosom shine**

KEEEEEP CLIMBING

**Blaze the trail and we will follow
Hark the Eagle's Call;
On, brothers, on until we're Eagles all.**

Promise, Law, Oath, and Code



The Cub Scout Promise

I (Your Name)
 Promise to do my best
 To do my duty to God and my country
 To help other people, and
 To obey the Law of the Pack

The Law of the Pack

The Cub Scout follows Akela
 The Cub Scout helps the pack go
 The pack helps the Cub Scout Grow
 The Cub Scout gives goodwill



The Boy Scout Oath

On My honor, I will do my best
 To do my duty to God and my country
 And to Obey the Scout Law;
 To Help other people at all times;
 To keep myself physically strong,
 mentally awake and morally straight

The Boy Scout Law

- A Scout is
- Trustworthy
 - Loyal
 - Helpful
 - Friendly
 - Courteous
 - Kind
 - Obedient
 - Cheerful
 - Thrifty
 - Brave
 - Clean
 - Reverent



The Venturing Oath

As a Venturer
 I promise to do my duty to God
 And help strengthen America,
 To helps others, and
 To seek truth, fairness,
 and adventure
 in our world.

The Venturing Code

As a Venturer, I believe that Amer-
 ica's strength lies in our trust in God
 and in the courage, strength, and tra-
 ditions of our people.

I will, therefore, be faithful in my reli-
 gious duties and will maintain a per-
 sonal sense of honor in my own life.

I will treasure my American heritage
 and will do all I can to preserve and
 enrich it.

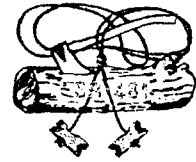
I will recognize the dignity and worth
 of all humanity and will use fair plan
 and goodwill in my daily life.

I will acquire the Venturing attitude
 that seeks the truth in all things and
 adventure on the frontiers of our
 changing world.

We Are Not Just
 Our Behavior

We Are The Per-
 son Managing
 Our Behavior





Cubs Cross-over to GILWELL TROOP 1



**Cub Master Kent Schlusel
Addresses Cub Pack**

Members of 6 Cub Scout Dens from Pack 1 moved up the Scouting Trail into Gilwell Troop 1 at a stirring ceremony yesterday morning. After an outstanding flag ceremony by the staff of Troop 1 Gilwell, Cubmaster Kent Schlusel and Assistant Cubmaster Dee Shartiger conducted a farewell ceremony congratulating the young Webelos on their Loyalty, achievements, and their Spirit and charged them to carry those qualities into the Scout Troop they were entering. Scoutmaster Terry Hope then called the young Webelo Scouts of Akela to cross the Bridge into Scouting and as they bade a fond farewell to their Pack their new Scoutmaster, Senior Patrol Leader Randy Olsson, and other members of the Troop 1 staff greeted them.

Please, Drink Plenty of Water While you are here!!!

WOODBADGE HISTORY PART 2

The History of Wood Badge in the United States

Although an experimental course was conducted in 1936, Wood Badge training was officially inaugurated in the United States in 1948. Since that time it has grown and developed and become a key motivating force in the training of volunteer leaders in the Boy Scouts of America. (Continued)



Baden Powell Addressed Troop 1

At last nights Camp Fire

For 10 years, Wood Badge courses were conducted by the Boy Scouts of America exclusively for the purpose of training representatives from councils in methods of training and how to help with the leadership training programs of their own councils. Participants were required to subscribe to an agreement of service to this effect.

Since 1958, qualified local councils have been authorized to conduct their own Wood Badge courses to provide advanced leadership training for Scoutmasters and those Scouters who support troop operations. With regional approval, two or more local councils may also cooperate in conducting this training experience in a cluster-council Wood Badge course.

In the late 1960's, the principles of leadership development were introduced experimentally into Wood Badge. By 1972, they had become an integral part of the program. The skills of leadership were emphasized in Wood Badge as a means of fostering the growth of up-to-date leadership knowledge, skills, and attitudes among Scouting's leaders. By the late 1970's, Wood Badge had evolved. Revisions completed in 1979 provided a continued emphasis on leadership skills, balanced by both Scoutcraft and program activities.

The course content was revised in 1994 and now incorporates key elements of Ethics in Action introduced into Boy Scout training and literature over the last several years. Boy Scout Leader Wood Badge reinforces and supplements the new materials included in the Scoutmaster Handbook (1991), Scoutmasters' Junior Leader Training Kit (1991),

Junior Leader Training Conference (1992), Continuing Education for Scout Leaders (1993), the Train the Trainer Conference (1993), and Scoutmastership Fundamentals (1994).

In 1998 it was determined that Woodbadge needed to Be Prepared for the 21st century. The course is revised in order for leaders to deal with relevant issues of the day.

The Woodbadge for the 21st Century course brings together leaders from all areas of Scouting – Cub Scouting, Boy Scouting, Varsity Scouting, Venturing and all levels of Boy Scouts of America Professional Staff. Reflecting the best of nearly a century of Scouting experience, the course also draws upon the most current leadership models used by corporate America, academic circles, and successful outdoor leadership organizations throughout the country.



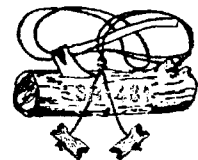
Wood Badge continues to provide advanced training in the most current methods of the Boy Scouts of America.

Notice: Input from the Patrols for this newsletter is subject to Editing "@V@"

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TODAYS SCHEDULE

- 7:00 Breakfast &
Patrol Self Assessment
- 8:00 Gilwell Field Assembly
- 8:30 Troop Meeting at Pavilion
- 10:30 High Performance Teams
@ Dining Hall
- 11:00 Team Development Model
@ Dining Hall
- 12:00 Lunch
- 1:00 Patrol Leaders Council
@ Dining Hall
Patrol Chaplains Aide Meeting
@ Pavilion
- 1:30 Communications @ Patrol Sites
- 2:30 Project Planning @ Dining Hall
- 3:30 Inter-patrol Rocket Competition
@ Pavilion
- 5:00 Patrol Meeting @ Patrol Sites
- 6:00 Dinner(Flag Retirement)
- 7:00 Woodbadge Game Show
@ Dining Hall
- 8:00 WIN ALL YOU CAN @ Dining Hall
- 9:00 Cracker Barrel @ Dining Hall

Weather report: Tonight — Dark.
Continued dark until early morning.

Warning: There has been a Sighting of the rare and endangered Gilwell Naugha. There May be a nest about so be careful not to wander Into non designated areas of Gilwell.

During the late 1950's and 60's Naugha were nearly hunted into extinction by greedy furniture and automobile manufacturers that used the Naugha's Hides to cover furniture and car seats. Thanks to the transatlantic Naugha associations efforts the United Kingdom and Pan American Naugha pact was formed but the poor creatures still remain on the endangered list.

Tomorrow

- 7:00 Breakfast @ Dining Hall
With Patrol Self-Assessment



Jim Straker, Ben Powell, and Kent Schlusel Present the 12 Points of the Scout Law.



Patrol guide Margaret Pickering and Bear Patrol Member Tim Slagle work on a Woggle.

Yankee Doodle

(Part 1)

Father and I went down to camp
Along with Captain Goodin.
And there we saw the men and boys
As thick as hasty puddin'.

Yankee Doodle keep it up,
Yankee Doodle dandy,
Mind the music and the step,
And with the girls be handy.



A FOX POEM

The Fox is on the loose
And now we have your nametag
Here Mr. Olsson
It's time for us to brag
Your identity is not in a box
It's in the possession of a rabid Fox



BEAVER BUSINESS

Beavers it seems are performing
their service. It seems the
shovel is getting tested. What
kind of testing is not readily
apparent?

Joyce Harris would like to thank
all who have expressed concern
about the death of her 101-
year-old aunt.

Patrol Guide Cindy Zollman was
shocked by Kevin Cordray's
Enthusiasm during listening to
learn.



OWL HOOTS

The Owl Patrol report.

*The editor of the Gazette being an Owl has
elected to translate this report into "Owl
Speak"*

Hoot Hoot A Hoot & Hoot Hoot hoot.

Hoot Hoot Hoot Hoot Hoot.

WHOoooooOOOOoo. HoOOOOOOOOOOOO.

Hoooooot Hoot,

Hoooooot!!!" @v@"

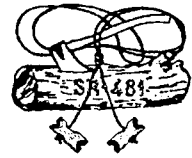




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Volume 1, Issue 3

Sunday, April 21, 2002 "@V@"

New Patrol Leaders for GILWELL TROOP 1



**Scoutmaster Terry Hope Installs
New Patrol Leaders**

Gilwell Troop 1 Began Day 2 by installing 6 new Patrol Leaders. The Patrol Leaders are Beaver Patrol James Hodgins, Bobwhite Patrol Bradley Stewart, Eagle Patrol Lynne Wootten, Fox Patrol Jeff Hood, Owl Patrol David Watson, Bear Patrol, Rhonda Harper.

This was a terrific start to an activity filled day.

**The Quartermaster says; If you need something please ask.
If the Quartermasters don't have it you don't need it**

Please, Drink Plenty of Water While you are here!!!

WOODBADGE HISTORY PART 3 The Story of Dinizulu's Necklace

In 1888, when a British expedition was sent to Zululand, South Africa, it had to contend with Dinizulu, King of the Zulus - a clever, heavily built man, 6 ft., 7 ins. in height. On state occasions, Dinizulu wore a necklace about 12 feet in length. It consisted of 1,000 or more wood beads, made from a South African yellow wood and strung on a rawhide lace.

The necklace was a distinction conferred on royalty and outstanding warriors. During the hostilities that swept Natal and Zululand in those faraway days, the man who was to become the Founder of the Scout Movement - then Captain Robert Baden-Powell - gained possession of Dinizulu's Necklace.

Many years later, in 1919, when Baden-Powell instituted Wood Badge training for Scoutmasters he remembered Dinizulu's Necklace and taking two of the wooden beads and knotting them on a leather thong, he created the Wood Badge - to be worn around the neck and to be the only proficiency badge worn by Scoutmasters. The Wood Badge, with its replicas of the original Dinizulu beads, is now worn by thousands of men and women around the world.

There are a number of sequels to the story of Dinizulu's Necklace. In 1963 a grandson of Dinizulu, Mangosuthu Gatsha Buthelezi, visited Canada to attend the Anglican

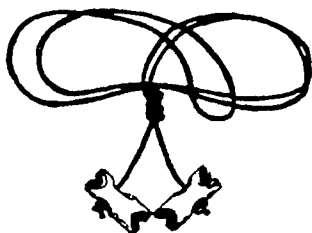
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World Congress in Toronto and on a side trip to Ottawa was hosted by a member of the Ottawa District staff, DSM. Oliver Belsey. The following Christmas he sent Mr. Belsey a Christmas card depicting his late father doing a Zulu dance, a picture of himself in the full regalia of a Zulu Chieftain and two wooden beads (Wood Badge) taken from the military award of one of Dinizulu's warriors who passed away in 1962.



The Fearsome Dinizulu

In 1965 at Kwakhethomthandayo, the Royal Kraal, near Nongoma in Zululand, Scouting history was made with the Investiture of Paramount Chief, Bhkuzulu Nyangayizwe, before 5,000 of his people. The Paramount Chief was invested as a Scout by a South African Headquarter's field commissioner.

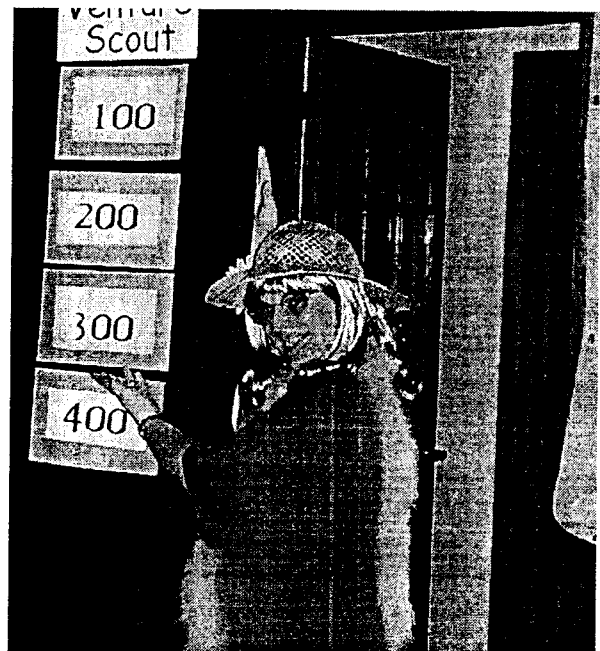


To mark the 12th World Jamboree and the 60th Anniversary of Scouting, the Boy Scouts of South Africa decided to make four authentic replicas of Dinizulu's Necklace. After much research and months of hard work by European Rover Scouts in Natal, and Zulu Scouts from Natal troops, the four reproductions of the original were completed.

Three of them were taken to the 12th World Jamboree in Idaho, U.S.A., in August, 1967. For museum purposes, one necklace was presented to the Chief Scout Executive of the host country, Boy Scouts of America; one to the Acting Director of the Boy Scouts World Bureau and one to the Camp Chief, International Training Centre, Gilwell Park, London. The fourth necklace remains in South Africa as an historic memento of the land of the origin of the Wood Badge.

Thank You to The Patrol Scribes that made Submissions.

Due To Technical Difficulties Precipitated by a power outage we will have to delay the presentations of these submissions until the next issue. "@V@"



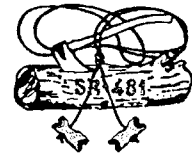
Vanna Pickering's Appearance on the Wood Badge Game Show



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THE WOODBADGE PRAYER

The Wood Badge Prayer was submitted by
Daniel Flynn from Wood Badge course
C-35-98.

Great Spirit,

Thank you for guiding me to Gilwell.

Thank you for my Animal Spirit Guide and
for those who share it with me.

Great Spirit I am Afraid.

As I have climbed your mountain, I have
learned the Wisdom.

But as I look at my Guides, I ask myself:
Can I ever have the Sincerity of my Troop
Guide

Can I ever have the Ageless Wisdom of the
Instructor

Can I ever have the Fatherly Love of the
Scoutmaster

How can I ever mean as much to others as
they mean to me.

As I look down the mountain at those who
seek my guidance,
I feel unworthy.

When I look up to the clouds and see the
Spirit in the Quartermaster,
I wonder if I can Care so much for so long.

Great Spirit, I will not let my fear cause me
to fail. But I know I will need help.

Grant my heart wings,
that I may soar with the Songmaster.
Grant me Charity,
that I may wear the caring smile of the
Assistant Scoutmaster
Grant me Strength,
that I may show the confident Leadership
of the Senior Patrol Leader

Grant me these, Great Spirit, and I will
carry this Learning to every
young man who looks up his mountain
and to me his Guide.

I will share your Wisdom all of my days,
until I join my Wood Badge Guides again
and we walk with Impessa through the Lea
of Gilwell

TODAYS SCHEDULE

- 7:00 Breakfast &
Patrol Self Assessment
- 8:00 Gilwell Field Assembly
- 8:30 Scout's own service @ Chapel
- 9:30 Troop Meeting @ Pavillion
- 11:00 Team Leadership Model
@ Dining Hall
- 12:00 Lunch
- 1:00 Patrol Leaders Council
@ Dining Hall
- 1:30 Conservation Project Planning
@ Dining Hall
- 2:30 October Sky @ Dining Hall
- 4:30 Patrol Meetings @ Patrol Sites
- 5:00 Camp wide Cleanup
- 5:30 Closing @ Gilwell Field

Friday May 3rd

- 7:00 Breakfast @ Dining Hall
Patrol Self-Assessment

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ROCKETRY AT GILWELL !

Yesterday saw a great display of design and teamwork in action as all 6 Patrols designed, built and launched rockets at Gilwell Field.



**The Beaver Patrol Presents their
Astro Beaver**



**Bradley Stewart imparts the effort
that went into the construction of the
Bobwhites Missile**



**Lynne Wootten
Presents the Eagle's Beautiful Rocket**



**Jeff Hood Describes the Fox Patrol's
ICBM AKA The Olsson Scud**



**Eric Jones vociferously relates the
Owl patrols high flying projectile
And its sophisticated engineering**



The Bear Patrols Sleek Design

All Patrols did a GREAT job and it looked like FUN (there's that word again) was had by all.

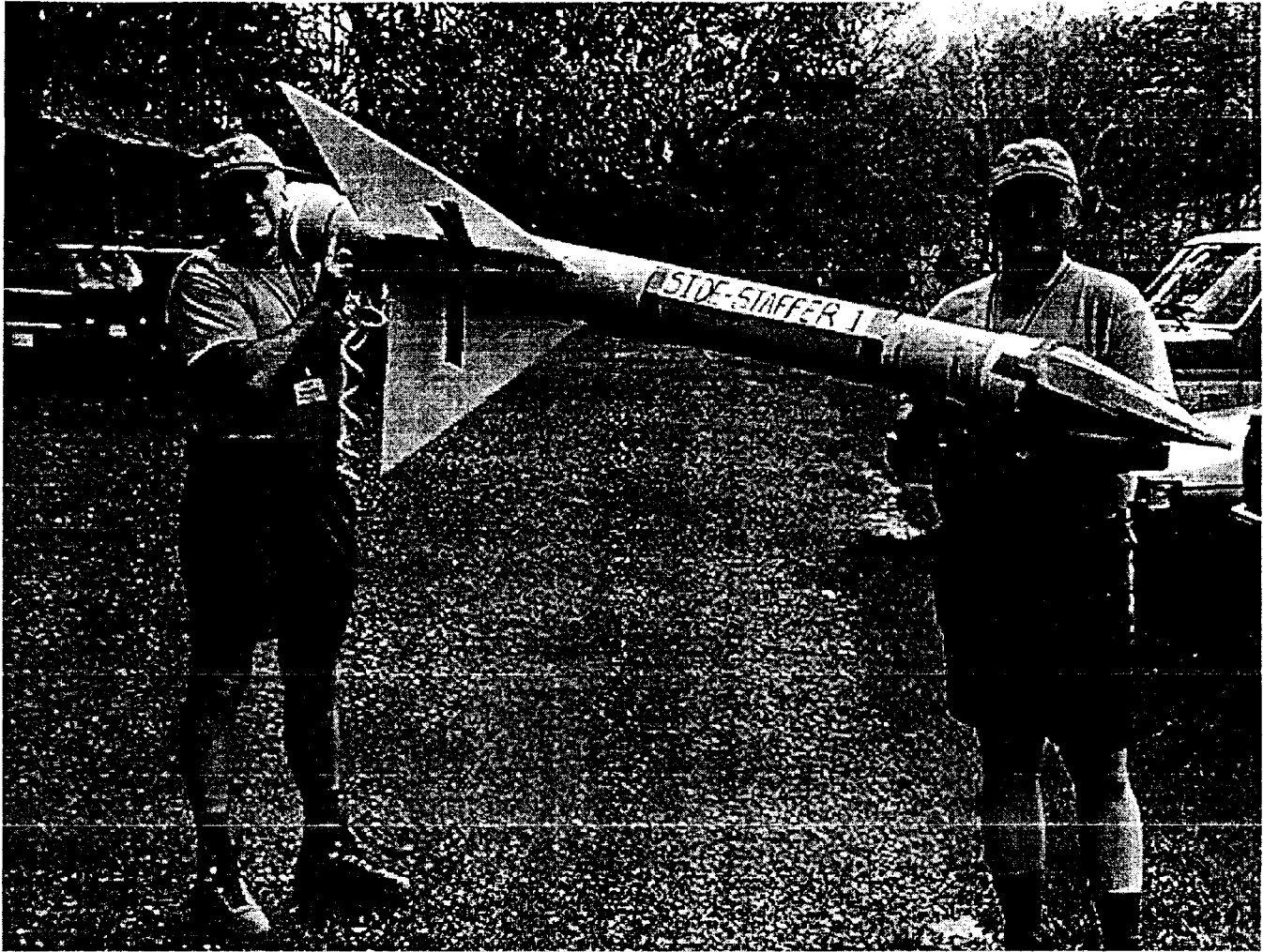
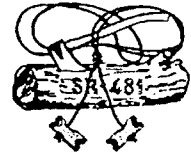
Editors Note: We here at the paper still do not consider that successful Pack, Troop, Team or Crew operation requires "rocket science" !



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Kent Schlusell and Ben Powell

Show off the Staffs

Side Staffer Missile

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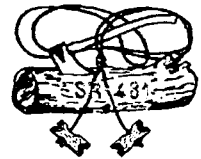
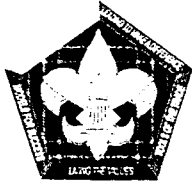
Scoutmaster Terry Hope

Observes the Patrols Launch Efforts
From the safety of Mission Control,

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Volume 1, Issue 4

Friday, May 03, 2002 "@V@"

A Scout is Reverent **SCOUTS OWN SERVICE**



Assistant Scoutmaster Ben Powell Presented and led Sunday's Service

Sunday Morning we were blessed with some much needed rain. After a moist assembly at Gilwell Field Troop 1 retreated to the warm dry Sanctuary of Gilwell Hall.

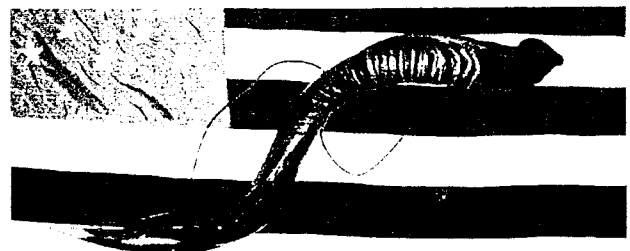
Ben Powell reviewed the qualities of a Scout's Own Service and then Conducted a

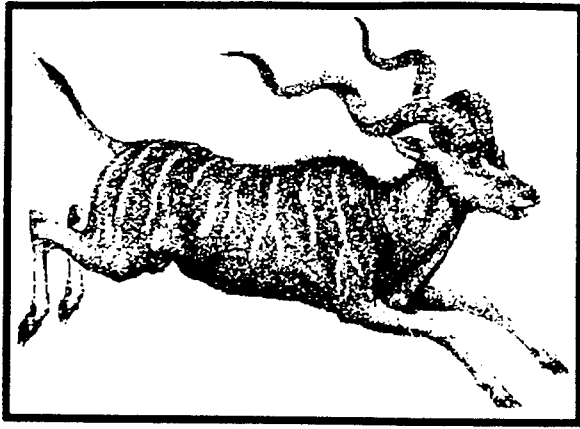
model service that the whole Troop participated in. Scoutmaster Terry Hope delivered the message and then there was a collection for the World Friendship Fund. Troop 1 contributed \$ 188.13 to this fund, which helps to further Scouting to less fortunate countries all over the world.

Please, Drink Plenty of Water While you are here!!!

WOODBADGE HISTORY PART 4 The Kudu Horn and Scouting

The Kudu horn has long been a symbol of Scouting and of Wood Badge. In fact, the Kudu Horn was used to summons the very first scouts at Brownsea Island in 1907 and in Wood Badge the Kudu Horn or a substitute is used in all U.S. Wood Badge Courses.





The true Kudu is a species of African antelope that is **reddish gray** to almost **blue** in color. It ranges from South Africa to Abyssinia. A Kudu bull stands almost five (5) feet high at the shoulder. Most beautiful are the magnificent spiral horns that cap the head.

The Kudu has a remarkable sense of hearing; it has keen eyesight, keen sense of smell, and great speed. Which makes it difficult to capture.



As a Colonel in Africa in 1896, the Kudu Horn was first identified by Lord Baden Powell, as he and his men were on a raid down the Shangani (SHAN-GAH-NEE) river, and were puzzled at how quickly alarm was spread among the Matabele warriors. They later found that the Matabele were using a War Horn of tremendous sound carrying power. A code existed, and as soon as the enemy was sighted the alarm would be sounded. This war horn, turned out to be the KUDU HORN.

It is strange that some eleven years later, in 1907, this Matabele war horn would be used to summons the very first Scouts at Brownsea Island. During the early years of the Scouting movement the Kudu Horn was silent.

The Kudu Horn resurfaced thirteen years later in 1920, when it was used in training courses. The original Kudu Horn is enshrined at Gilwell where it is sounded at the beginning of each course to summon the participants. The Horn that heralded the birth of scouting now summons Scouters from all parts of the world to do better than they have ever done before.

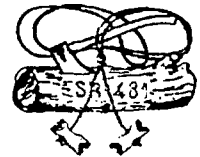


Postcard Courtesy of FRANK DOBSON

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TODAYS SCHEDULE

- 7:00 Breakfast & Patrol Self Assessment
- 8:00 Gilwell Field Assembly
- 8:30 Travel to overnight campsites
- 10:30 Troop Meeting Leading Change @ Handicraft Pavilion
- 11:30 Patrol Leaders Council @ Handicraft Pavilion
- 12:00 Lunch
- 1:00 Valuing People Leveraging Diversity @ Handicraft Pavilion
- 2:15 Problem Solving/Decision Making @ Handicraft Pavilion
- 2:45 Problem Solving Round Robin
- 4:00 Managing conflict @ Patrol Sites
- 5:00 Patrol Meeting @ Patrol Sites
- 6:00 Dinner
- 7:30 The Diversity Game @ Patrol Sites
- 8:30 Participants Troop Campfire @ Campfire Ring
- 9:30 Cracker Barrel



Our Scoutmaster Terry Hope

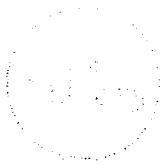


Saturday May 4th

- 7:00 Breakfast @ Dining Hall
- Patrol Self-Assessment



PATROL REPORTS



Beaver Patrol

The Beavers were so proud of their rocket project that they asked the editor to reprise their project report.

Beaver patrol Rocket Project
Utilizing the Project Planning
Presentation, the Beaver Patrol's project
plan was as follows.

Goal: Rocket to look good and to fly OK

Project Overview: Design a rocket that
looks good and flies OK.

1. At least 75% of Patrol members should have fun.
2. Zero fatality rate.
3. At least 50% by Bill of Materials count should be recoverable.
4. Launch rocket within 15 minutes of target launch time.

Methodology: OSHA Standards will be used for construction.

Work Breakdown: Assignments have been clearly defined and turned over to production.

Bill of Materials			
PN	Qty	Description	Cost
B001	1	Bottle	\$ 1.00
B002	2	Caps	\$ 2.00
B002-373	1	Tail	\$.50
B002-374	2	Feet	\$ 3.50
B002-378	2	Feet-F	\$ 3.75
B002-373	2	Eyes	\$ 2.50
*Total Costs			\$13.25

*(These costs do not include fines from the SPCA, and security costs to prevent interference by PETA.)



Bobwhite Patrol

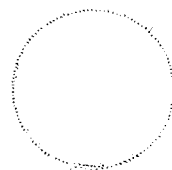
From the Bobwhites for the April 21st
Edition of the Gazette.

The Bobwhites have observed the
Eagles in their pursuit of prey and have
found them lacking in their skills.

We, the Bobwhites offer our
assistance in the Eagles efforts to obtain
their evening meal.

The following midweek meeting report was
turned in by the Bobwhite Scribe.

- Midweek patrol meeting successful
- Menu planning complete
- Presentation Board made
- Presentations Allocated; to be compiled by the scribe and faxed to the patrol members.
- Bobwhites will know the Gilwell Song.
- Bobwhites are Number ONE!!!!!!!!!!



Eagle Patrol

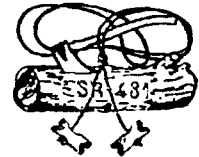
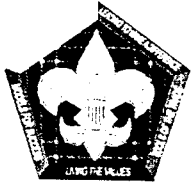
April 24, 2002 7:00PM Eagle Patrol
gathered to roost in Waynesboro Va. at
SJAC Scout Center..We had gourmet pizza
provided by Susan Steedman & The
Brick Oven ..."MMMMM" (It tasted better
than that scrawny Beaver) The
still Sore Eagles were grateful for the
padded chairs and pizza

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Eagle Patrol Report

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We soared into action! Thanks to the planning skills of Lynne Wootten, Kenny Cox and Susan Steedman. We kept on track and accomplished a lot .. We planned another meeting for the following week to " Wrap it up".

I think I speak for us all in saying we are looking foward to getting back to Gilwell !!!! See You Soon !!!!

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P.S. EAGLES SOAR !!!!!!!

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Fox Patrol

Another contribution from the Poetic Fox

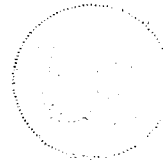
With the passing of the Bead,
The Fox leaped up to take the lead.
Upon the unsuspecting Bobwhite,
The Fox did take a Bite.

We Built our Rocket to take to the air,
So high, not even eagles dare.
On Gilwell field we love to roam
But Sadly today we head for home.

In addition to the items turned in Sunday morning by the prior Scribe, the Fox Patrol wished to report that:

The Program Patrol Totem was successfully passed on by the Fox Patrol to the Bear Patrol with a suitable bite taken out of a grovelling Bobwhite laying on its back.

The Star-Spangled Banner Flag was raised by the Fox Patrol during Sunday's Gilwell Field Assembly followed by a Mormon Tabernacle quality rendition of the Star-Spangled Banner.
The heavens wept openly at its beauty.



Owl Patrol

Hi from Woody and the Owls (Not the rock group??)

We met last night at SJAC office and had a very productive meeting. We composed the resources we all contributed and have the project 90% complete.

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Owl Patrol Report

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We'll have one more meeting next Wednesday to complete the project. We also have all food and camping items assigned, we will be ready.

I got home at 11:15. Just now getting back to you.

See you in camp.

Featherly yours,

THE OWLS

Our "Big" Owl Patrol Guide Gordon Rutland Says, "Owls give a hoot to the Troop."



Bear Patrol

The Bears Report for the Sunday April 21st
Gilwell Gazette

1. The Bear Patrol proclaims the word of the day: Inculcation The Act of teaching staff skills without their knowing it....
2. The Bear Patrol wish to note the Patrol is so flexible we can even change species.

The Quartermaster Says

"Enjoy life.
This is not a dress rehearsal."

**The Senior Deputy Assistant
Quartermasters say**

If you did not bring it you forgot it.
If you don't have it you don't need it.

God Bless America

**God bless America,
land that I love
Stand beside her
and guide her
Through the night
with the light
from above.**

**From the mountains
to the prairies,
To the oceans
white with foam,**

**God Bless America, my
home sweet home.**

**God Bless America, my
home sweet home.**



**Assistant Scoutmaster Dee Shartiger
And Troop Guide Cindy Zollman
Traveled to Hong Kong Mid week to
do research on cultural diversity.**

The Scribe says;

The Scribes office will be open 12:30-1:00
And during all breaks. Submittals to the
Gazette by Patrol Scribes need to be made
by the 2:00 break

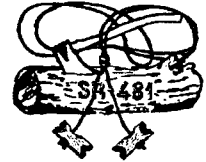
Thank you.

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STAFF FLAG UNVEILED



**Scoutmaster Terry Hope Hoots
With delight as ASM Dee Shartiger
Reveals the staff's new flag.**

Dawn broke early over Gilwell field this morning as the members SR481 resumed their appointed mission. As Senior Patrol Leader Randy Olsson led the Troop in we were indeed back to Gilwell. A more rousing rendition of "The Song" was heard on Gilwell field as the totally alert Troop 1 marched smartly and sang with greater gusto than in previous attempts.

A new addition to our assembly was the appearance of Venture Crew 124. These young folks have given up their weekend to help Troop 1 so please be sure to thank them for their efforts



From left to right; Debbie Cole, Amber Schindler, Jennie Schindler, Brady Harper, (hidden in back) Michelle Kratzer, Justina (Tiny) Saylor, Aaron Sweet, Bethal K, Randel Kisemore, Margret Kisemore.

**The Medic Says
It may be a lot cooler but,
Please, Drink Plenty of
Water While you are here!!!**

WOODBADGE HISTORY PART 5

The Left Handshake

The Boy Scout Movement during the War, 1939-1945

by Hilary St. George Saunders

FOREWORD

by The Chief Scout of the British Commonwealth and Empire

WHEN COLONEL BADEN-POWELL entered the capital city of the Ashanti people in 1890 he was met by one of the Chiefs who came to him holding out his left hand. B.P. held out his right in return but the Chief said: "No, in my country the bravest of the brave shake with the left hand." So began the "left handshake" of the worldwide brotherhood of Scouts. In this book are told some of the stories of courage and endurance shown by Scouts in many different countries during the war of 1939-45. There would not be room even in many books to tell them all. Many, indeed, can never be told; some for political reasons, some because the actors died unknown. They remembered their Promise, to do their best to do their duty to God, and their Country; to think of other people and not themselves. So, when the time came, they were prepared in body and in spirit to render their service. Their record is unsurpassed; they were "the bravest of the brave."



Lord Rowallan
Chief Scout

TODAYS SCHEDULE

- 7:00 Breakfast & Patrol Self-Assessment @ Patrol Sites
- 8:00 Gilwell Field Assembly
- 8:30 Coaching and Mentoring @ Handicraft pavilion
- 9:30 Conservation Project Troop activity
- 11:30 Self -Assessment @ Handicraft Pavilion
- 12:00 Lunch
- 12:00 Patrol Leaders Council
- 1:00 Project Presentation Setup
- 1:30 Project Presentations @ Dining Hall
- 2:45 Project Presentation Setup
- 3:15 Project Presentations @ Dining Hall
- 4:30 Ticket Review & Staff Departure
- 4:00 Managing conflict @ Patrol Sites
- 5:30 Patrol Dinner (Flag Retirement)
- 7:00 Patrol meeting and patrol project self-assessment
- 8:00 Patrol campfires and Cracker Barrel

Saturday May 4th

- 7:00 Breakfast @ Patrol Sites**
- Patrol Self-Assessment**

You Might be a Wood Badger

If you raise your hand to the Scout Sign at a heated business meeting...
You Might Be A Wood Badger!

If you were arrested by airport security because you wouldn't give up your pocketknife until he said "thank you" ...
You Might Be A Wood Badger!

If your plans for remodeling the bathroom include digging the hole deeper...
You Might Be A Wood Badger!

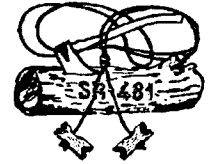
If you named one of your kids Baden...
You Might Be A Wood Badger!

The Quartermasters say
Large Buckets are available for
those that require them to carry
a tune.

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PATROL REPORTS

The Scribe Says

Please make
submissions to Scribe
headquarters by
2:00 PM today

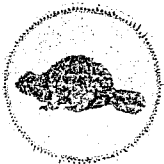


Bobwhite Patrol

The Bobwhite patrol would like to thank Jennie for being our leave no trace mentor today. Without her leadership skills we would be lost in the woods.

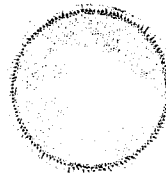
The bobwhites also welcome anyone to come share our coffee.

A special thank you for the best Patrol Guide ever, T.C. Dickerson.



Beaver Patrol

The Beavers enjoyed a four-course meal for lunch. The three staff members who were in attendance are resting comfortably near the latrine



Eagle Patrol

The eagles are still soaring high on Day 4 of Wood Badge. We humbly report that the round robin proved to be undaunting after we established our group rythm.

At lunch a diverse selections of gourmet delights was presented and enjoyed by all. The engaging conversation shared with our illustrious and distinguished Scoutmaster Terry Hope proved to be highly inspirational and this left us soaring ever higher as the Majestic Eagle does.

What a view!

**It's
Project
time!!!!**

XOXOXOXO
XOXOXOXO



Fox Patrol

Another contribution from the Poetic Fox

The hour was early
Almost seven.
The Sky was clear
A gift of heaven

The Shovel of service
A type of grail
Assumed by the Foxes
Following their trail.

The Fox Patrol would like to welcome
Michelle Kratzer our new venture member
and thank Venture Crew124 for their
"Leave no Trace" camping demonstration.



Owl Patrol

The Owls have past the service shovel
(with an array of Vole skulls attached)
We have settled into our nests at upper
Forbes. We invite the other patrols to visit
and then to check out the new Barnett
campsite named after a military veteran
killed in action. The O.A. put a lot of work
into this site and raised a great deal of
money as well.

**Have you
Hugged
your ticket
today????**



Bear Patrol



AMERICA
(Samuel F. Smith)

My country, 'Tis of Thee,
Sweet land of liberty,
Of Thee I sing;
Land where my fathers died,
Land of the pilgrims' pride:
From every mountainside,
Let freedom ring.

My native country, thee,
Land of the noble free,
Thy name I love;
I love thy rocks and rills,
Thy woods and templed hills,
My heart with rapture thrills
Like that above.

Our fathers' God, to Thee,
Author of liberty,
To Thee we sing;
Long may our land be bright
With freedom's holy light;
Protect us by Thy might,
Great God, our King!

