

TROOP 700 NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER, 2007

UPCOMING MEETING PROGRAMS

- OCT. 8th first aid rescue-Cassidy
- OCT. 15th firearm safety -***Josh and Jacob P. ***
10420 Homebound Rd. Ashland
- OCT. 22nd leaf ID.-Josh
- OCT. 29th cold weather camping- Caleb and Josh
- NOV. 5th Knot Ninja-Mark
- NOV. 12th superspectacular mondo interpatrol race extravaganza -Mark, Eric, Jamison, and Joseph

NOTE Oct. 15th meeting is at Josh Smith's house.
10420 Homebound Rd. Ashland



Remember that the troop leaders are expecting all scouts to be in **full uniform** for all meetings. If you are not, this will affect your rank advancement.

Also, **attendance** will be taken at all meetings.

Please remember to **sign in** at the **beginning** of the meeting. If you are late, you will miss signing in.

HELP!!!!!!!

PARENTS PLEASE SIGN UP TO BE A MERIT BADGE COUNSELOR!!

Do you have a favorite hobby, interest, or skill? If so, Troop 700 could use your help!

There are over 120 merit badges, could you be a counselor for just one or two?

All applications are available online at:
<http://www.scouting.org/forms>

OUTINGS AND EVENTS

- OCT. 12-14 Council Encampment
- NOV. 3rd Scouting for food "Bags Out"
- NOV. 3-4 canoeing at Martin's Farm. Saturday departure after bags out.
- NOV. 10th Scouting for food "Bags In"
- DEC. 1-2 Old Rag Mountain Saturday departure 7:00 A.M.
- JAN. 4-6 Jr. leadership training
- JAN. 25-27 Timberline skiing
- FEB. 15-17 Timberline skiing
- FEB. 29, MAR. 1-2 Merit badge weekend

Scouting For Food

Everyone must participate in either Bags out or Bags in!!!
(These count for Service hours)

TRIP CHAMPIONS

- Martin's Farm.....Cassidy
- Old Rag Mountain.....Tom W
- Timberline ski trips.....Joe K.
- Merit badge weekend.....???

Note Money for trips goes to our Youth Treasurer:
Tom Whitaker 449-1762

Our Chaplain's Aide is
Sam Cochran 804-739-1202

A special thank you to Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Harris for helping 8 scouts earn their Horsemanship merit badge.

Also a **BIG** thank you to **Mrs. Smith** for making a DVD slide-show of our Beach Blast 1600 trip. It looks awesome!

PATROL LEADERSHIP

SPL.....Caleb Pellman
752-2898
ASPL-PROGRAMS.....Eric Cauthorne
798-6862
ASPL-OUTINGS.....Mark Phillips
883-5094
QM.....Jamison Grinnell
883-7474
SCRIBE.....Ryan Phaup
227-3458
PL FOXSQUIRRELS.....Josh Smith
798-8792
PL DRAGONS.....Tyler Phaup
227-3458
PL SCORPIO.....Isaac Sikkar
365-7292

MERIT BADGE OPPORTUNITIES

All require Preregistration

Citizenship in the Community
starting 11/7/07

Personal Management
starting 1/16/08

Family Life
starting 1/16/08

Citizenship in the World
starting 3/6/08

cost: \$4.00 per badge

where: Richmond Elks Lodge
10022 Elks Pass Ln.
Glen Allen VA.

contact: Michael Muldowny at
Michael.Muldowney@Morganstanley.com

Weather Oct. 20th
9:30 AM to 12:30 PM
cost: \$15.00

Aviation Nov. 17th
9:30 AM to 4:30 PM
(12:30-1:30 lunch break)
cost: \$35.00

where: VA. Aviation Museum
5701 Huntsman Rd.
Richmond International Airport
contact: 804-236-3622 or
email: vameducation@smv.org