Troop 700 Newsletter

April, 2008

UPCOMING MEETING PROGRAMS

- April 7th three stations (lighting backpacking stoves, knots and lashings, and the end of fitness test)-Green Bar
- April 14th Plants, nature, and poisonous plants....Mrs. Deaton
- April 21st DODGEBALL!!!!!-Jake Harris
- April 28th Soil and Water Conservation-Jamison and Eric
- May 5th Orienteering Training-Tyler Phaup
- May 12th Scavenger Hunt-Matt and Mr. Best



Adult helpers are needed for the following:

- Patrol mentors. You get to hang out with a patrol and help them plan menus and get ready for camp outs.
- Parent volunteers are needed for the following Batteau Festival planning committees:

Registration Food Gear Programs/Training

- Chicken BBQ planning and preparation *Ask Bruce Phaup how you can help.*
- Summer camp. Parent Volunteers are needed. Please ask Mr. Sikkar or Mr. Best

OUTINGS AND EVENTS

• APRIL 18th- 20th **Hatcher Island** Shot gun shooting



- APRIL 26th **Arbor Day** Our Troop will celebrate with a tree planting and a clean up project.
- MAY 10th Chicken BBQ Fund Raiser

Duncan Memorial Church Mark your calendars now! Lots of helpers are needed for our one and only annual Troop 700 fund raiser.

- MAY 31st June 1st Merchants
 Mill Pond Canoe on the pond, camp on an island, do some fishing, and explore the island.
- June 14th 21st Batteau Festival
 Canoe down the James River
 Chance to earn your 50 miler
 badge. Parents can come and play too! Come for all or part of the adventure!
 http://www.batteau.net/
- July 6th July 12th Summer Camp

At Camp Brady Saunders you can start paying the \$220 fee March 10th if not paid before March 24th you have to pay an additional \$10. Sign up now for your merit badge choices. Some fill up fast! And it's first come, first served.

TRIP CHAMPIONS

- Hatcher Island.....Josh
- Merchant's Mill Pond......Sam R
- Batteau Festival.....Josh & Mark

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Some web sites to check out for: Learning Knot Tying: http://www.animatedknots.com

Earth Day:

http://www.nwf.org/frogwatchusa/

http://www.dnr.state.wi.us/org/caer/ce/eek/index.htm

Dutch Oven Cooking:

http://papadutch.home.comcast.net/ ~papadutch/dutch-oven-recipes.htm

http://usscouts.org/cooking/cook_0
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