

Troop 10 Times

June 2006

As we prepare to host the Scottish Scouts we are reminded of the world wide nature of Boys Scouts.

From its beginning on Brownsea Island, the Scouting idea spread around the world until it became what it is now—the largest voluntary youth movement in the world, with a membership totaling more than 25 million. Although there might be some differences in program administration, the entire movement adheres to these fundamental principles:

Worldwide Principles

- Duty to God and respect for individual beliefs
- Loyalty to one's country and respect for its laws
- Strength of world friendship and Scouting brotherhood
- Service to others—community development
- Universal regard for the Scout Promise and Law as a life guide
- Voluntary membership
- Service by volunteer leaders
- Independence from political influence and control
- Training youth in responsible citizenship, physical and mental development, and character guidance through use of the patrol system, group activity, recognition through awards, and learning by doing
- Outdoor program orientation

Universal Practices

These acts and symbols of Scouting are familiar all over the world:

- Scout Promise and Law—duty to God and country
- Design of badge—basic trefoil
- "Be Prepared" motto
- Universal three-finger Scout sign—sign of personal honor
- Scout left handclasp
- Use of the patrol system
- Basic ideal of the Good Turn

Become part of this International family by hosting a scout guest.

Troop 10 Calendar

June

1	District Roundtable
4	Court of Honor
7	Committee Meeting
14	Napowan shakedown
18-24	Napowan summer camp week 1
21	Napowan shakedown
25-1	Napowan summer camp week 2



July

13-15	Scottish Scout Visit
29 onwards	Sea Base High Adventure
29 onwards	Canoeing High Adventure



Check our website for further information –
<http://troop10.nwsc.org/>

SMC = Scout Master Conference
 BOR = Board of Review
 PLC = Patrol Leaders Conference
 BUMC= Barrington United Methodist Church

June Court of Honor – Sunday, June 4

The June Court of Honor will be held at **Hickory Grove Highlands #2 at 3PM.**

You can Mapquest it at 700 Hickory Nut Grove Lane, Cary Specific shelter location can be found at http://www.mccdistrict.org/Maps/Hickory_GroveW.pdf

Scottish Scouts

The Scottish Scout visit is rapidly approaching. 30 Scouts and 6 leaders will arrive in the Chicago area some time on the afternoon of Thursday 13 July. They will go to the Cubs game on Friday and then depart for Wisconsin on Saturday.

We are still in need of homes to house these Scouts. This will be a fun time for you and for them. And it will be a great way to break up the middle of July!

Your responsibility as a host family is:

- Pick them up at BUMC on Thursday afternoon and Friday after the Cubs game.
- Join us in a group dinner on Thursday evening.
Give them a place to sleep on Thursday and Friday nights.
- Feed them Friday night.
- Feed them breakfast and bring them back to BUMC on Friday and Saturday mornings.

Please let Mr. John B. or Mr. Tim G. know if you can help us!

We have 90 Eagles!!

Troop 10 now has the great honor of counting 90 Eagle Scouts since the first one in 1927. Four Scouts have earned the Eagle rank in 2006:

- Ryan J.,
- Jared E.,
- Daniel W.,
- Matt K.

And you know them as fine young men on the road to many great things. Make sure you congratulate them (and their parents) when you see them.

Plant Sale

Thanks to Mrs. Debbie P. (with help from Mrs. Anne H.) for their work in organizing the Plant Sale. Once again, this was a great fundraiser targeted for Scouts going on high adventure.

NAPOWAN SUMMER CAMP 2006

Don't miss your last chance to join the fun at Camp Napowan this year!!

Important dates coming up:

All Merit Badge Sign-Up forms are currently due

June 4- last date to register for camp; all registration and medical (in duplicate) forms due

June 14 at 6:30 pm at BUMC- MANDATORY shakedown for all scouts attending Week #1

June 18-24- Week #1 at Camp Napowan

June 21 at 6:30 at BUMC- MANDATORY shakedown for all scouts attending Week #2

June 25-July 1- Week #2 at Camp Napowan

At shakedowns, scouts should come with backpacks completely packed (minus items needed for arrival on Sunday packed in their daypack) and ready to load onto the trailer.

Napowan information, registration and medical forms are all available on our Troop 10 website.

Contact these persons for questions regarding:

- Adult leader training, merit badge sign-ups: Mr. Tim G.
- Adult and scout registration, medical forms, transportation & transition weekend: Mrs. Luann M. & Mrs. Sharon W.

Open Positions – please help us out

We are still in need of some help in the following positions.

- Scottish Scout visit coordinator – help coordinate the visit of the Scottish Scouts in mid-July
- Recording secretary – take the minutes of the monthly committee meetings

Please let Mr. Tim G. know if you can help in these positions or can recommend one of your fellow parents.