

TROOP 122 NEWS



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October 2009 Newsletter

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IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES. . .

OCTOBER LEADERSHIP CAMP-OUT – October 2 – 3, *Shawnee Mission Park – Leadership Training (Details in Camping)*

OCTOBER CAMP-OUT – October 9 – 11, *Red Tail Hawk Camporee! (Details in Camping)*

SATURDAY, October 17, 2009 – Hiking Merit Badge Opportunity (*family invited*) – 8 AM, *Quivira Park, 119th & Quivira - See Merit Badge Section of Newsletter for details.*

OCTOBER 2009 BEGINNER BACKPACK TRIP – *Camp Bartle* – October 23 – October 25, 2009 (*Details in Camping*)

Scouts - Earn your Service Hours by assisting a Scout within your own Troop!

EAGLE PROJECT VOLUNTEER RECRUIT – October 3^d – Ben Horton's Eagle Project - Volunteers Needed . . .

- ▶ **When:** October 3rd
- ▶ **Where:** Meet at home of Ben Horton
- ▶ **Project:** Collect children's books to help impoverished kids in India learn to read
- ▶ **Sign-up:** Sign-up and details available at Monday Troop Meetings
- ▶ **Contact:** Ben Horton at 913-661-1639

EAGLE PROJECT VOLUNTEER RECRUIT – Tentative Dates October 17th and 24th – Xander Fortunato's Eagle Project - Volunteers Needed . . .

- ▶ **When:** Tentative Dates – October 17th and 24th
- ▶ **Where:** Meet at home of Xander Fortunato and transport to worksite
- ▶ **Project:** Reset historic headstones at Elmwood Cemetery, Kansas City, MO
- ▶ **Sign-up:** Sign-up and details available at Monday Troop Meetings.
- ▶ **Contact:** Xander Fortunato

EAGLE PROJECT VOLUNTEER RECRUIT – Dates TBD – David

Schall's Eagle Project - Volunteers Needed . . .

- ▶ **When:** Dates TBD
 - ▶ **Where:** First Family Church, 7700 West 143rd Street, Overland Park. Meeting place TBD.
 - ▶ **Project:** Beach Volleyball Court
 - ▶ **Sign-up:** Sign-up and details available at Monday Troop Meetings.
 - ▶ **Contact:** David Schall
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CAMP-OUT 'STUFF' . . .

Camping Activities Coordinator: Dave Rausch @ 913-491-4714 - www.troop122opks.org

|Contact Us

Transportation Coordinator: Sarah & Mike Karstens @ 913-661-2940 – www.troop122opks.org

|Contact Us

CAMPING GUIDELINES – Look for helpful information on the website . . .

▶ Useful information as it relates to camp-out preparation can be found on the Troop's website at www.Troop122opks.org. Refer to "Important Camp-out Information" section.

CAMP-OUT SIGN-UP & FEE POLICY – the deadline for signing up for a camp-out is the Monday immediately before the camp-out . . .

▶ Please be reminded that the deadline for Scouts to sign-up and pay the camp and cook fees is the Monday night immediately before the camp-out.

▶ Scouts will not be allowed to sign-up after this deadline. No exceptions will be made.

▶ Our Troop is required to process a BSA Travel Permit and the Adult Leaders and Boy Scout Cooks prepare and plan based on the Monday night attendance figure. Please respect all the logistical planning required in coordinating a troop camp-out and recognize that we cannot accommodate last minute attendees.

TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION REQUIRED.....Calling All New Parents. . .

▶ All adults that plan to drive to **any** troop campout or event **must** have their car / license information on file with the troop. The Transportation form can be found on the Troop website. Go to the **Camping** section and find the **Important Campout Information** tab and find the **Transportation** section. The document can be printed from that section. The form can be turned into Mike Karstens at any Monday meeting or can be mailed to 11419 Acuff Lane, Lenexa, KS 66215.

OCTOBER LEADERSHIP CAMP-OUT – October 2 – 3, Shawnee

Mission Park – Leadership Training

- ▶ **When:** Friday, October 2 – Saturday, October 3, 2009
 - ▶ **Where:** Shawnee Mission Park
 - ▶ **Activities:** Leadership training & activities
 - ▶ **Cost:** To be advised.
 - ▶ **Volunteers:** Adult volunteers required - see Dave Rausch
 - ▶ **Sign-up:** Sign-up at the Monday Night Troop Meetings
 - ▶ **Contact:** Dave Rausch, Camping Activities @ 913-491-4714 or www.troop122opks.org
- |Contact Us

OCTOBER CAMP-OUT – October 9 – 11, Red Tail Hawk Camporee!, Olathe, KS

- ▶ **When:** Friday, October 9 – Sunday, October 11, 2009
- ▶ **Where:** The old golf course at Lake Olathe, Olathe, KS
- ▶ **Activities:** Back to the Basics - Camping Skills. Visit www.eagle-scout.org/RTH/camporee.html for more details.
- ▶ **Cost:** \$13 Camping Fee, \$10 Food (Scouts), \$15 Food (Adults)
- ▶ **Volunteers:** Adult volunteers required.
- ▶ **Sign-up:** Sign-up at the Monday Night Troop Meetings
- ▶ **Contact:** Dave Rausch, Camping Activities @ 913-491-4714 or www.troop122opks.org

OCTOBER 2009 BEGINNER BACKPACK TRIP – Camp Bartle – October 23 – October 25, 2009

This adventure is designed to introduce the beginner backpacker to the skills and training required to prepare for a Scouting High Adventure. Your Scouts doesn't have a pack? Don't worry – the Troop has plenty of packs available for loan.

- ▶ **Who:** Any scout who is 13 and above, or any scout who will turn 13 by March 1, 2010. We will take the first 10 youth that sign up and would like to have at least 2 adults, moms or dads, to accompany Mr. Evans and Mr. Robertson.
- ▶ **When:** Friday, October 23 – Sunday, October 25, 2009
- ▶ **Where:** Camp Bartle - Osage Wilderness Trail
- ▶ **Activities:** Beginner Backpacking trip. We will be covering 12.5-13 miles, with 8.5 miles on Saturday, and the remainder on Sunday morning. We will visit ALL 3 Bartle camps, Piercing Arrow, Sawmill, and Lonestar. We will spend Friday camped in a meadow, near Modlin's cabin, and Saturday night, camped at Sawmill general council ring. We will visit the point, eagles nest, and several other interesting areas of the reservation.
- ▶ **Cost:** To be advised.
- ▶ **Sign-up:** Sign-up at the Monday Night Troop Meetings.
- ▶ **Contact:** Allen Robertson @ 913-338-1652

NOVEMBER CAMP-OUT – November 20 – 22, Survivor Camp-out!, Wallace State Park

- ▶ **When:** Friday, November 20 – Sunday, November 22, 2009
- ▶ **Where:** Wallace State Park
- ▶ **Activities:** Survivor Camp-out – Activities TBD
- ▶ **Cost:** To be advised.
- ▶ **Volunteers:** Adult volunteers required
- ▶ **Sign-up:** Sign-up at the Monday Night Troop Meetings

RANK ADVANCEMENT REPORT . . .

Rank Advancement: Linda Tamosiunas @ 913-345-9475 — www.troop122opks.org |Contact Us

ADVANCEMENT INFORMATION . . .

- ▶ Scouts – If you need to see Mrs. Tamosiunas, she is normally available 30 minutes before Scout meetings. She is also open to scouts coming to her house to update their data or sign off on their books, provided they call in advance.
 - ▶ Additionally, if you have not received any emails from the Advancement chair, this means that Mrs. Tamosiunas does not have your email address. Please provide your email address to Mrs. Tamosiunas
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MERIT BADGE INFO . . .

Merit Badge Coordinators: Kelli and Rodrigo Rolden

– www.troop122opks.org |Contact Us
or roldanra@msn.com

HIKING MERIT BADGE OPPORTUNITY – A Message from Mr. Roberston

How about an opportunity to 'get out and exercise', as a family, see the outdoors, spend some quality time, and help your scout earn a merit badge that dates to 1921 and was one of Lord Baden Powell's favorite badges. As a troop, Mrs. Robertson and I would like to offer opportunities to earn and work on the Hiking merit badge over the next twelve months. The participation in the badge will be 'open' to scouts, as well as parents, siblings, and even the family dog!

Badge Requirements:

1. Show that you know first aid for injuries or illnesses that could occur while hiking, including hypothermia, heatstroke, heat exhaustion, frostbite, dehydration, sunburn, sprained ankle, insect stings, tick bites, snakebite, blisters, hyperventilation, and altitude sickness.
2. Explain and, where possible, show the points of good hiking practices. including the principles of Leave No Trace, hiking safety in the daytime and at night, courtesy to others, choice of footwear, and proper care of feet and footwear.
3. Explain how hiking is an aerobic activity. Develop a plan for conditioning yourself for 10-mile hikes, and describe how you will increase your fitness for longer hikes.
4. Make a written plan for a 10-mile hike, including map routes, a clothing and equipment list, and a list of items for a trail lunch.
5. Take five hikes, each on a different day, and each of at least ten continuous miles. Prepare a hike plan for each hike.*
6. Take a hike of 20 continuous miles in one day following a hike plan you have prepared.*
7. After each of the hikes (or during each hike if on one continuous "trek") in requirements 5 and 6, write a short report of your experience. Give dates and descriptions of routes covered, the weather, and interesting things you saw. Share this report with your merit badge counselor.

Don't let the requirements of the badge shy you away from participating in some or all of our scheduled hikes. Use these as an opportunity to stay in shape for other activities or to just 'come out and bond', with friends and family. Bring your pet, bring your spouse, bring your children, bring your accountant! Spend the day walking some beautiful trails and participate in something so easy, it doesn't require a remote control or a lazy-boy. Only scouts can 'earn' the actual merit badge, but trust me, if someone who is not a scout, fulfills the requirement, you will receive the accolades due for your efforts!

Dates and Locations:

Saturday Oct 17, 8:00am Quivira Park 119th & Quivira
Saturday Nov 7, 9:00am Location TBD
Saturday Mar 6, 9:00am Location TBD
Saturday April, date and location TBD
Saturday May 15, 8:00am Location TBD

All of the above hikes, except for May 15th, will cover 10 miles for requirement #4. The May 15th hike, will be our GRAND finale of 20 miles and require some logistical support and possibly some spare dogs to accompany us on such a distance.

All of our hiking will occur on the 100's of miles of bike paths available to us in Johnson County, to avoid lengthy car travel, tour permits, and to facilitate greater participation, due to close proximity to home!

Cost:

Currently, there should be no cost associated with the 10 mile hikes. There 'may' be the need for fees to support the 20 mile adventure, but hey, planning that is 'part of the merit badge requirement'

Sign-up

Sign-up at troop meetings for our first event, September, 12th. I will work on requirements 1, 2, and 3, at various times throughout the year, during troop meeting time, using the sanctuary, to present and go over material for this merit badge. All scouts participating in this badge will NEED a pre-signed BLUE CARD, prior to participation.

Questions? Need More Information?

Purchase the Hiking Merit badge pamphlet at the Scout Shop

Refer to this wiki: <http://meritbadge.org/wiki/index.php/Hiking>

Use this planning sheet template: <http://meritbadge.org/wiki/images/c/c7/Hiking.pdf>

or you can e-mail at:

allenrobertson@everestkc.net

robertsonfamily@everestkc.net

TROOP 122 IN-HOUSE MERIT BADGE FORUM – Saturday, December 12, 2009

- ▶ Troop 122 In-House Merit Badge Forum will be offered on Saturday, December 12, 2009 at GCPC.
- ▶ Details with respect to the badges being offered will be announced later.
- ▶ Watch the Newsletter and/or your email for information.

Attention all Merit Badge Counselors - The Troop will be hosting our own in-house Merit Badge forum on Saturday, December 12th. We would like to focus on offering as many Eagle badges as possible, as well as all other badges. PLEASE email Rodrigo and Kelli Roldan @ roldanra@msn.com if you are available to lead a class. We will be offering both a morning and an afternoon session. Please let the Roldan's know which badge(s) you would be willing to lead, as well if this is a full day or a half day class. Once the schedule is set, it will be sent out to the troop for sign up. The day will run from 8:00 to 4:00, with a pizza lunch.

If you are not a counselor, ***please think about becoming one.*** This is a GREAT way to 'serve' OUR Troop! Please let us know what you are able to lead by **Friday, October 9th.**

Additionally, if you have received recent Merit Badge training, please notify Mrs. Tamosiunas at 913-345-9475 or www.troop122opks.org so that she can update the Troop listing of Counselors.

TROOP COMMITTEE VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES ...

HERE IS YOUR CHANCE TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE CONTINUED SUCCESS OF TROOP 122

Parent Volunteers are needed to maintain Troop 122's success. The Troop Committee meets monthly after the PLC meetings, which take place on the Monday's following the regularly scheduled monthly campouts. The success of a Boy Scout is a direct result of the time spent making their Scouting adventures possible.

We need Parent Volunteers to take on the following positions:

**Assistant Quartermaster
Troop Secretary**

Please contact Gordon Harton if interested.

We are also looking for 2 parents to be Assistant Scoutmasters. Contact Scoutmaster Turner if interested.

ADULT – ONLINE TRAINING COURSES. . .

► The link to the training website that adults are to use for their online training courses if they are in need of any is <http://www.scouting.org/myscouting>. You will need to log in with your Email address and password, or set one up if you haven't done so yet.

SUMMER CAMP “TIDBITS” . . .

BARTLE SUMMER CAMP 2010 – Enrollment Reminder!

Bartle Summer Camp: Doug Carrithers 913-221-2814 bartlesummerncamp@troop122opks.org

- **Dates:** To be determined by Draw held October 15th.
- **Campsite:** To be determined by Draw held October 15th.
- **Cost:** Total cost – Scouts \$325, Eagles \$125, Adults \$100
- **Reg:** Registration due by **Monday, October 5, 2009**. Nonrefundable deposit of \$75.00 due with registration. Late fees of \$37.50 apply after October 5, 2009.
- **Reg. Form:** The enrollment form for Bartle can be found on the troop website under Summer Camp and at the end of this email.
- **Leaders:** Troop Leadership (4 days or more). Deposit of \$75.00 due along with registration. If you are planning to come to Bartle as a part time leader, we don't need any money or a commitment right now...we'll do that in the spring.
- **Balance:** Campers will be notified for payment of balance due by email. To receive camp information please register on the troop website ([www.http://.troop122opks.org](http://.troop122opks.org)) and subscribe to the Bartle e-mail list.
- **Contact:** Doug Carrithers @ 913-221-2814 email: bartlesummerncamp@troop122opks.org or mail registration to: 1008 S Lindenwood, Olathe, KS 66062

NAISH SUMMER CAMP 2009 – Enrollment Reminder!

Naish Summer Camp Coordinator: Irwin Don

Naish Camp Master: Jeff Cochran 913-219-4669 naishcampmaster@troop122opks.org

- **Dates:** To be determined by Draw held October 21st.
- **Campsite:** To be determined by Draw held October 21st.
- **Cost:** Total cost TBA
- **Reg:** Registration due by **Monday, October 5, 2009**. Nonrefundable deposit of \$75.00 due with registration. Late fees of \$37.50 apply after October 5, 2009.
- **Reg. Form:** The enrollment form for Naish can be found at the troop website under Summer Camp. and at the end of this email.
- **Leaders:** Troop Leadership (4 days or more). Registration fee of \$75.00 payable with registration
- **Balance:** Campers will be notified for payment of the balance of fees by email. To receive camp information please register on the troop website ([www.http://.troop122opks.org](http://.troop122opks.org)) and subscribe to the Naish e-mail list.
- **Contact:** Irwin Don, NAISH Camp Coordinator @ 913-892-3790

HIGH ADVENTURE 'STUFF' . . .

Troop 122 High Adventure Coordinator: Mike Walden @ 913-219-8647 mikewalden@yahoo.com

PHILMONT 2010 - Troop 122 was not awarded a crew at Philmont for 2010.

ELY 2010 – www.ntier.org – **Canoeing in boundary waters in Minnesota** – We are already planning for another trip to the Boundary Waters in 2010 and Jeff Allison has volunteered to lead this trek. We have reserved three crews for July 16, 2010 through July 23, 2010 and currently have ONE opening available. If you would like to be part of a crew, please send an email to mikewalden@yahoo.com. Costs for this trip will be \$550 - \$600. Scouts must be 13 by July 16, 2010.

SEABASE 2010 – www.bsaseabase.org – Scuba diving or sailing in the Florida Keys. Troop 122 is now trying to determine interest level for a Seabase adventure in 2010. If interested, please contact Mike Walden (info above).

PACKARD 2010 - <http://www.rockymountaincouncil.org/packard.htm> - **Hiking, camping, rafting in the Rocky Mountains.** Troop 122 is looking for scouts and adults interested in a trip to Packard in summer of 2010. Scouts must be 13 by January 1, 2010 or have completed the 7th grade before summer of 2010 to participate. If interested in attending or **leading** any high adventure, please contact Mike Walden (info above).

IMPORTANT "MISC" STUFF . . .

THE 2009 POPCORN FUNDRAISER IS HERE!

- ▶ The 2009 Popcorn Sale kicks off on September 12th. Mike and Rene Shanahan have volunteered to lead this year. Sales Flyers and Order Forms will be sent out to each Scout by the Council.
- ▶ Scouts can now send email after Sept 12th to out-of-town friends and family asking them to order through OrderPopcorn.com. Ordering on line will incur a shipping charge.
- ▶ Order Forms and Money are due back at the **October 19th** Troop Meeting. Checks should be made payable to Troop 122. Your orders will be available for pickup at the Shanahan's on Nov. 9th (tentative).
- ▶ If you have any questions, email the Shanahan's at rshanahan02@everestkc.net
- ▶ Remember, the Troop's proceeds (32% of your sales) go directly to the scout in the form of **CAMPING BUCKS**, to be used towards camp or high adventure fees!

HEALTH FORM UPDATE - a message from Colleen Long-Redelsheimer

Please visit our troop website for the latest changes and information regarding health forms. Use this link and it will take you directly to the site. You won't want to miss the updates! <http://troop122opks.org/Scouts/HealthForms>

Email Registration . . .

- ▶ Parents of all new Scouts, as well as those that may have changed email addresses....in order to ensure receipt of all summer camp updates, newsletters, etc...we need you to register your email addresses on the troop website (<http://troop122opks.org/>) and subscribe to the e-mail distribution lists that are applicable to you via the "Mailing Lists" option on the home page.
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ORDER OF THE ARROW INFORMATION — a message from Jim Bush

Just a couple of things for the Arrowmen of Troop 122:

1. Chapter Service Project - Every year, our chapter provides assistance to the Alzheimer's Association Memory Walk. This year's walk is Saturday morning, October 3rd, from 7:45 to 12 Noon, in Corporate Woods. We will be manning a water station along the walk route. If you'd like to help, let me know ASAP.

2. Order of the Arrow Troop Representative (OATR). Our current OATR has just been elected as a Patrol Leader, so there is an opportunity for another Arrowman to step into the job.

The OATR position is our troop's point of contact between the chapter and Tamegonit Lodge. Responsibilities include attending monthly chapter meetings (these are held on the first Thursday of every month, and transportation can be arranged if needed) and bringing back information to the troop, assisting with our troop's OA election, and generally being the "go-to" guy for the OA in Troop 122. The OATR counts as a Position of Responsibility for the Star, Life, and Eagle ranks. Please let Mr. Turner or Mr. Bush know if you are interested.



Calendar of Events, Payments & Deadlines

OCTOBER 2009

Fri. Oct 2 - Sat. Oct 3	TROOP 122 LEADERSHIP TRAINING CAMPOUT – Shawnee Mission Park
Sat. Oct 3	BEN HORTON EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT
Mon. Oct 5	SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Mon. Oct 5	BARTLE / NAISH DEPOSIT DUE – see Newsletter and emails for details
Fri. Oct 9 - Sun. Oct 11	CAMPOUT WEEKEND - CAMPOREE
Mon. Oct 12	PLC / COMMITTEE MEETING – 6:30 pm / 7:30 pm / GCPC
Thu. Oct 15	BARTLE CAMP DRAW
Sat. Oct 17	HIKING MERIT BADGE (family invited) - 8:00 am
Sat. Oct 17	XANDER FORTUNATO EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT - Tentative Date
Mon. Oct 19	SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Wed. Oct 21	NAISH CAMP DRAW
Fri. Oct 23 - Sun. Oct 25	BEGINNERS BACKPACKING TRIP
Sat. Oct 24	XANDER FORTUNATO EAGLE SCOUT PROJECT - Tentative Date
Mon. Oct 26	SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC

NOVEMBER 2009

Mon. Nov 2	SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Sat. Nov 7	HIKING MERIT BADGE (family invited) - 8:00 am
Sat. Nov 7	EAGLE COURT OF HONOR – 2:00 pm / GCPC
Mon. Nov 9	SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Mon. Nov 16	SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Fri. Nov 20 - Sun. Nov 22	TROOP CAMPOUT – WALLACE STATE PARK
Mon. Nov 23	PLC / COMMITTEE MEETING – 6:30 pm / 7:30 pm / GCPC
Mon. Nov 30	SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC

DECEMBER 2009

Mon. Dec 7	SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Sat. Dec 12	TROOP MERIT BADGE FORUM – Time 8:30 am – 2 pm / GCPC
Mon. Dec 14	PLC / COMMITTEE MEETING – 6:30 pm / 7:30 pm / GCPC
Mon. Dec 21	NO MEETING – CHRISTMAS BREAK
Mon. Dec 28	NO MEETING – NEW YEARS BREAK

JANUARY 2010

Mon. Jan 4 SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Sat. Jan 9 RED TAIL HAWK MERIT BADGE FORUM – 1 – 4 pm
Mon. Jan 11 SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Fri Jan 15 - TROOP CAMPOUT – Fort Riley
Sun Jan 17
Mon. Jan 18 PLC / COMMITTEE MEETING – 6:30 pm / 7:30 pm / GCPC
Sat. Jan 23 RED TAIL HAWK MERIT BADGE FORUM – 1 – 4 pm
Mon. Jan 25 SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC

FEBRUARY 2010

Mon. Feb 1 TROOP COURT OF HONOR – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Sat. Feb 6 RED TAIL HAWK MERIT BADGE FORUM – 1 – 4 pm
Mon. Feb 8 SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Sat. Feb 13 EAGLE COURT OF HONOR – 2:00 pm / GCPC
Sat Feb 13 - IBEX CLIMBING WALL CAMPOUT
Sun Feb 14
Mon. Feb 15 SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Fri Feb 20 - TROOP CAMPOUT – Indoor Gym
Sat Feb 21
Mon. Feb 22 PLC / COMMITTEE MEETING – 6:30 pm / 7:30 pm / GCPC

MARCH 2010

Mon. Mar 1 SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Sat. Mar 6 HIKING MERIT BADGE (family invited) - 8:00 am
Mon. Mar 8 SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Mon. Mar 15 NO MEETING – SPRING BREAK
Mon. Mar 22 SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Fri. Mar 26 - TROOP CAMPOUT – Location TBD
Sun. Mar 28
Mon. Mar 29 PLC / COMMITTEE MEETING – 6:30 pm / 7:30 pm / GCPC

APRIL 2010

Mon. Apr 5 SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Mon. Apr 12 SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Fri Apr 16 - TROOP CAMPOUT – Location TBD
Sun. Apr 18
Mon. Apr 19 PLC / COMMITTEE MEETING – 6:30 pm / 7:30 PM / GCPC
Sat. Apr 24 EAGLE COURT OF HONOR – 2 pm / GCPC
Mon. Apr 26 SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Fri. Apr 30 ADVANCED BACKPACKING TRIP @ Buffalo River
Sun. May 2
Fri Apr 30 TROOP CAMPOUT – (or 5/7 – 5/9)
Sun. May 2

MAY 2010

Mon. May 3 SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Fri May 7 - TROOP CAMPOUT – The Farm (or 4/29 – 5/2)
Sun. May 9
Mon. May 10 SCOUT TROOP MEETING – 7:00 pm / GCPC
Sat. May 15 HIKING MERIT BADGE (family invited) - 8:00 am
Mon. May 17 SCOUT TROOP COURT OF HONOR (Last meeting prior to summer break) –
7:00 pm / Location Shawnee Mission Park Shelter House #8

END NEWSLETTER

Troop 122 Bartle Summer Camp 2010 Enrollment Form

Although it seems as though you just finished the summer, it's time to sign up for 2010 Summer Camp at Bartle Scout Reservation! The cost of the 2010 Bartle camp has not yet been determined, but it should not increase from last year. The cost for Scouts will be \$325, Eagle Scouts \$125, and full-time adult Scouters \$100.

We will not know which date/campsite location HOAC has allocated to us until the draw in mid-October; however, we must have the money prior to this date so that we can receive the correct campsite!

To ease collection issues, our troop has adopted the following enrollment policy: All interested Scouts/Scouters must sign up for Bartle by October 5, 2009 and pay an initial deposit of \$75 per Scout or Full-Time Scouter or incur late charges of ½ the deposit amount (\$37.50). This is a non-refundable deposit. Also, signing up after this deadline does not guarantee you a spot at camp; we may or may not have to start a waiting list.

When deciding to attend camp, please check your scout's summer schedule including High Adventure camp dates and note that Order of the Arrow activities/induction is offered at Naish only.

If you are an adult Scouter and interested in attending 4 or more days to provide troop leadership, please note that on your enrollment form also and submit the same \$75 deposit fee.

Do not pay the troop treasurer directly for any summer camp fees. To enroll your scout, please complete this form and mail it with the coupon below directly to Doug, or give it to him at a troop meeting. It must be in Doug's hands by 9 pm, Monday, Oct. 5, or the late fee applies.

Please watch the troop newsletter and emails for more news about next summer's plans and don't hesitate to contact me with questions. Thanks for your diligence in this matter!

Doug Carrithers, Bartle Summer Camp Coordinator
Phone: 913-221-2814 Email: doug.carrithers@gmail.com

----- Bartle 2010 Summer Camp Enrollment Form-----

Due by October 5, 2009. Mail form & fee to Doug Carrithers, 1008 S Lindenwood, Olathe, KS 66062
(make checks out to Troop 122 and note camp attending)

Scout's Name: _____ Adult/Eagle Scout's Name: _____
Email Address _____ Date Deposit paid: _____ (check #) _____ Adult
Signature: _____

I understand this is a nonrefundable deposit

**Troop 122
Naish Summer Camp
2010 Enrollment Form**

It's that time of year once again to start thinking of camp. We will not know which date/campsite location HOAC has allocated to us until the draw in mid-October; however, we must have the money prior to this date so that we can receive the correct campsite. To ease collection issues, our troop has adopted the following enrollment policy: All interested Scouts/Scouters must sign up for Naish by October 5, 2009 and pay an initial deposit of **\$75 per Scout or Full-Time Scouter** or incur late charges of ½ the deposit amount (\$37.50). This is a non-refundable deposit.

Do not pay the troop treasurer directly for any summer camp fees. To enroll your Scout, fill out the attached form and forward it along with a check to Irwin Don - Naish Camp Coordinator.

Please watch the troop newsletter and emails for more news about next summer's plans. Thanks for your attention in this matter! If you have not done so already, please go to the website and sign up for the Naish mailing list. Go to www.troop122opks.org, click on "About Us," then click on "Mailing Lists" and follow the instructions.

Naish 2010 Summer Camp Enrollment Form

Due By October 5, 2009

Bring check or cash to a Troop meeting and give money to the Irwin Don, Naish Coordinator.

Scouts Name: _____

Email Address _____

Phone #: _____

Date Deposit paid: _____ (check #) _____

Adult Signature: _____

I understand this is a nonrefundable deposit_