

THAT'S WHAT'S UP!!!

Weekly Troop news for BSA Troop 112

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!!!! SPECIAL SWIMMING PLANS FOR DECEMBER 15 !!!!

Our Regular Troop meeting will be held at the Nampa Recreation Center (12th Ave) on Dec. 15. We will be providing support to any Scout who is working on personal swimming skills and/or requirements for advancement, and the Swimming MB. There is no meeting at the Troop room. For those Scouts who are working on basic swimming skills or rank advancement, just show up. If you are working on the **Swimming MB** please be sure to sign up so Mr. Jung can plan for you.

The Life Saving MB is offered on Dec. 22 at the Nampa Rec. Center. Meet there instead of the Troop room. Be sure to sign up so Mr. Pipkin can plan for you. Classroom/worksheet requirements for the Swimming and Life Saving MB will be done during the regular Troop meeting on Dec. 8.

1. 2015 SCOUT REGISTRATION IS NOW DUE!!!!

Registration renewal is due in November. ALL Scouts and Adults should have renewed their registration with Julie Knight. Even new Scouts and Adults need to re-register.... *If you are new this year*, please recall that your initial registration was pro-rated, and your new year's registration is due. **Scouts = \$85.00 Adults = \$24.00**

2. PROJECT SHOEBOX: *Thank you.* Scouts for your participation in this great project. If you still have a shoebox, please bring it to the church front office by Thursday, 8am-5pm.

3. TROOP 112'S 3rd ANNUAL CHILI COOK-OFF! (Feb 26th)

Reserve the date!!! Be a part of the festivities!!! 7 volunteers are needed planning and support.

We also need **donations** for the auction. Anyone interested in sponsoring, helping, or cooking....See Peyton Birk ASAP.

4. TRINITY PINES COMPETITION: The Trinity Pines patch competition has to be turned in to Mr. Wineman by Dec. 22. You still have time to submit your creative talent. Get your form from the Troop front desk.

5. CURRENT MERIT BADGES:

Family Life: Mr. Maschek; Personal Fitness: Mr. Heaton; Communications: Mr. Heaton
Personal Management: Mr. Robinson; Swimming and/or Life Saving (Dec. 15): Mr. Jung

6. UPCOMING EVENTS:

*** A calendar is available on the Troop 112 website and in the troop room.**

1. **Dec 11-13:** December Camp-out (Celebration Park)
2. **Dec 15:** Troop Meeting at Nampa Rec. Center for swimming and advancement skills support and Swimming MB.
3. Dec. 22: Life Saving MB at the Nampa Rec. Center (instead of Troop Meeting)
4. **Dec 29:** No Scout Meeting
5. **Jan 9:** Scout District sponsored Merit Badge Clinic
6. **Jan 15-18:** Winter Survival
7. **Jan 31:** Winter Court of Honor
8. **Feb 26:** 3rd Annual Troop 112 Chili Cook-Off

7. BSA FACTOID: Some of our Scouts have achieved the rank of Eagle. Did you know.... The National Eagle Scout Association researched the total volunteer hours of the Eagle service projects ever done and it came a total of more than 101 million hours of service. Each year, new Eagle Scouts add more than three million more hours. Eagle scouts completed about 8.5 million hours in 2014.