

THAT'S WHAT'S UP!!!

Weekly Troop news for BSA Troop 112

January 12, 2016

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1. WINTER SURVIVAL CAMPOUT...this Weekend.

Wheels up at 4:30pm. Arrive back about 4-5pm on Sunday.

The Winter Survival campout at Camp Morrison, in McCall is quickly approaching. **The final backpack pre-inspection is next week (Jan 12).**

As you plan ahead, remember **C.O.L.D:**

C - Keep clothing **CLEAN**.

O - Avoid **OVERHEATING**.

L - Wear clothes **LOOSE** and in **LAYERS**.

D - Keep clothing **DRY**.

*****Special Hydration ALERT*** SAVE YOURSELVES -- DON'T DEHYDRATE!!!**

Winter conditions are notorious for Scouts becoming dehydrated...

What Happens? Dizziness, nausea, throwing up, headaches!!!

Begin hydrating with a lot of water at least a week prior...

No sodas or caffeine drinks after Wednesday

No sodas are allowed during the camp-out!!!

Make sure you have good boots (some are available in the troop room), thermal long-johns (top and bottom), soft plastic bottles, etc. A winter survival packing list is available at the front desk of the Troop room.

2. EAGLE PROJECT for Jacob Birk: January 23, 24, and 30. If you are able to help on any of these days, contact Jacob at 208.546-1708.

3. 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**

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

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.

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. **Jan 15-18:** Winter Survival Camp-Out (McCall, Idaho)
2. **Jan 19:** Board of Review
3. **Jan 26:** Board of Review
4. **Jan 31:** Winter Court of Honor
5. **Feb 26:** 3rd Annual Troop 112 Chili Cook-Off
6. **Feb 19-21:** February Camp-Out at Terrace Lakes
7. **Mar 16:** Arrow of Light (Cub Scout) Cross-Over Ceremony

7. BSA FACTOID: It was 113 years ago that Wilbur and Orville Wright made their first engine-powered flight at Kitty Hawk, North Carolina. Later, when Wilbur wrote his article, "How I Learned to Fly," he would only give it to Boy's Life Magazine for printing. His article was printed in October 1953.