

# THAT'S WHAT'S UP!!!

Weekly Troop news for BSA Troop 112

January 26, 2016

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**1. WINTER COURT OF HONOR, Sunday- Jan 31 @ 6:30p.m.** (Scouts arrive by 6:00 pm.)

Ferdinand Hall, above Scout room

**2. FEBRUARY CAMP OUT..... (Feb. 19-21).....Sign up NOW!**

Sign-up closes on Feb16.

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

**4. 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**

**5. 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.

**6. 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

**7. UPCOMING EVENTS:**

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

1. **JAN 31:** Winter Court of Honor
2. **FEB 26:** 3rd Annual Troop 112 Chili Cook-Off
3. **FEB 19-21:** February Camp-Out at Terrace Lakes
4. **MAR 11-13:** Switch-a-roo Camp-out at Trinity Pines
5. **MAR 16:** Arrow of Light (Cub Scout) Cross-Over Ceremony
6. **MAR 22:** No Scout Meeting -- **No Greater Love**

**8. BSA FACTOID: "Top Ten Wilderness Survival Tips"**

10. Avoid pitching your tent on the rim of an active volcano.
9. The average bee can only sting once. Warning: The average hive contains 3000 bees.
8. Ketchup and black pepper, applied generously, can mask the flavor of almost anything.
7. Never doze off with raw meat in your sleeping bag.
6. Never play leap-frog with elk.
5. Always carry a water filter or purification tablets... or lots of extra toilet paper.
4. Remember: a rattlesnake is just as scared of you as you are of it...  
But keep in mind that the snake's the one with poison fangs.
3. If attacked by a bear, play dead. It won't fool the bear, but it's good practice for you.
2. There's no need to be afraid of strange noises in the night.  
Anything that intends you harm will stalk you silently.
1. If buzzards are circling overhead, then buzzard droppings are the least of your problems!