

THAT'S WHAT'S UP!!!

Weekly Troop news for BSA Troop 112

October 16, 2018

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- 4. WORLD JAMBOREE 2019:** Deadline has been extended to December 31. AND!!!!... Scholarships of up to 40% are available. It sure would be nice if we could get 6 Scouts from our troop to go!!! Point of Contact is Mr. Jung (208) 286-5431
- 5 PROJECT SHOEBOX!** It's that time of year. Project Shoebox is a Christmas outreach tradition of Nampa First. Every child at area schools will receive a box filled with needed personal items, school items, and other goodies. Please pick up an adoption tag from the Ferdinand Hall foyer (top of Scout room stairs) and return the box to the Troop room or church office by Friday, November 30th.
- 6. SUMMER CAMP at CAMP MERIWETHER: August 3-10, (including travel)**
Sign-Up NOW!!!!
 - **First Come – First Considered!** There's only room for 15 Scouts and 5 Adults
 - Scouts must be at least over 12 y/o by August 3 **OR** Under 18 by August 10
 - COST (scout & adult): \$425, including travel, \$50 holds your spot.
 - Watch your email announcements from either: Mr. Robinson or Mrs. Knight
 - **NEW, FULL** BSA Health AND Physical (parts A, B & C) are required by June 11.
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