## THAT'S WHAT'S UP!!!

Weekly News for BSA Troop 112 5 Dec, 2023 http://Troop112Nampa.org

- 1. <u>December Campout</u>: THIS WEEKEND!! 8-10 Dec at Trinity Pines, preparing for January's winter survival event. Meet 4pm Friday at circle drive at church, departing at 4:30, return around 1:30 Sunday. Bring cold gear for snow!! <u>Uniform</u>: Class "A"
- 2. Troop Recharter: BSA annually recharters each unit, and we'll need to reregister each of your scouts at the same time. Scout registrations will be \$82/year, and adults will be \$62/year. \$15/year additional for BoysLife. Please bring a check by 15 Dec, and deposit it in the mailbox in the admin room.
- **3.** <u>Uniform Inspection</u>: Scouts, be ready for uniform inspection at our troop meeting, Tuesday, 12 Dec. <u>Uniform</u>: Class "A" (with sash if available)
- **4.** <u>Gift Exchange</u>: Also on 12 Dec. we will have a gift exchange and a small Christmas Party! If you would like to participate, bring a \$1-5 candy bar, wrapped. (Please, no peanuts, and let the SPL know of any other allergies or dietary restrictions. So far, the SPL hasn't been contacted so let him know)
- **5.** <u>Wreaths Across America</u>: Wreath presentation and flag ceremony at Kohlerlawn cemetery veterans' loop, Sat., 16 Dec. Arrive at 9:15, ceremony starts at 10am sharp. Hot drinks and snacks will be provided, but please still wear several layers under your uniform. It will be cold! <u>Uniform</u>: Full Class "A", with "Honor Guard" embellishments (provided).
- 6. Winter Survival: Sat., 13 Mon., 15 Jan (MLK Weekend) we will be hosting and competing in our 20<sup>th</sup> annual "Winter Survival" campout at our Camp Lowry on Trinity Pines in Cascade. Multiple troops will be in a high energy competition cooking meals, building snow shelters ("Quinzy"), avalanche rescue, and more! It's a challenge, but you'll be glad you did! Arrive: 6:15am Saturday at church, Depart: 7am. Return: ~2pm Monday. Uniform: Class "A"
- 7. <u>Summer Camp '24</u>: Are you *interested* in going to summer camp next year? Regardless of finances, if you're *interested*, please sign-up on the *interested* sheet on the admin desk so we can gauge *interest*. See a pattern?
- **8.** <u>Medical Forms</u>: <u>All scouts' medical forms are EXPIRED</u>!!! Please update and turn in your forms ASAP! <a href="https://www.scouting.org/health-and-safety/ahmr/">https://www.scouting.org/health-and-safety/ahmr/</a>

## Calendar:

Tues. 5 Dec: Troop meeting at Nampa Rec. Center - swimming 8-10 Dec: Campout: Winter Survival Prep - Trinity Pines

Tues. 12 Dec: Christmas Troop gift exchange
Sat. 16 Dec: Christmas "Wreaths Across America"

19 & 26 Dec: \*NO\* Troop meetings – Christmas

13-15 Jan 2024: Winter Survival Campout

9-11 Feb: Winter Reward Camp-in (cabin?)

20 Feb: Winter Court of Honor

**Sat. 27Apr 2024:** Troop 112 – 100th Anniversary Gala!!!