

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

A Weekly Troop Newsletter for BSA Troop 112

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May 20, 2014

1. MEMORIAL DAY CEREMONY: Arrive at Kohlerlawn Cemetery at 7:00 a.m. for planting flags and ceremony practice.
  - a. Wear full class "A" uniform, BROWN OR BLACK SHOES OR BOOTS. NO shorts.
2. MAY CAMP-OUT: May 30-June 1....TRINITY PINES COMPETITION!
  - a. Our May Camp-out will be the Trinity Pines Competition, in Cascade, Idaho. Every Scout and Dad is encouraged to be a part of this Troop 112 sponsored event. For months, our Troop leadership has been planning the event. Sign-ups will be posted next week. The due date to sign up is May 20.
3. REMEMBER: ALL Scouts and Adults going to Camp Easton this summer are REQUIRED to have a full medical physical. Be sure to get them to Mr. Wineman ASAP!!!
4. INFORMATION SHEET: ALL Scouts are requested to update their phone, email, and GoogleGroup information ASAP. The Troop wants to make sure that information is passed easily during the summer. Information sheets are available at the Troop's front desk.
5. SEVEN REASONS why we have a "LAST DAY TO SIGN UP" for camp-outs:
  - a. For better food preparation and planning
  - b. We need to make sure that we have ample seat belts for the trip
  - c. To ensure that our BSA Medical forms need to be verified prior to the trip
  - d. Insurance requires an accounting of the number participating
  - e. BSA Tour Permit must be submitted prior to the event
  - f. We need to ensure that particular adult qualifications are present for the trip, which are determined by participation numbers.
  - g. WHAT'S OUR MOTTO?????
6. MERIT BADGES:
  - a. \*\* Citizenship In The Community begins May 13 (Troop Room at 6:45).
7. Current Merit Badges: CITIZENSHIP IN THE NATION
  - a. PERSONAL FITNESS
  - b. FIRST AID
  - c. PERSONAL MANAGEMENT
  - d. FAMILY LIFE
8. UPCOMING EVENTS:
  - a. May 26: Memorial Day Ceremony at Kohlerlawn Cemetery... Meet at 7:00 a.m.

- b. May 30-Jun 1: Trinity Pines Competition Camp-Out
  - c. Jun 2-7: Wood Badge Training Course
  - d. Jun 10: Summer Court of Honor and Troop Picnic
  - e. Jun 13-15: June Backpacking Camp-Out
  - f. Jun 21: Scout Day at Roaring Springs
  - g. Jul 19-27: Camp Easton
  - h. Jul 28-Aug 2: NYLT
  - i. Aug 8: Scout Day at Roaring Springs
9. BSA FACTOID: PLAY BALL!!! This is baseball season. Did you know the Mighty Babe Ruth of the New York Yankees was a Tenderfoot? Did you also know that it was his commitment – even to his death, that he wanted to do a good turn daily?