

**THAT'S WHAT'S UP!!!**  
**A Weekly Troop Newsletter for BSA Troop 112**  
**www.Troop112nampa.org**  
**May 06, 2014**

1. **CAMP EASTON (July 19-27):** All the Summer Camp spots are taken. A “standby” sign-up is offered in case a spot becomes available. To be put on the list, talk with Mr. Wineman or Mrs. Knight. The total cost of \$400 is currently due.
2. **LARRY WINEMAN’S EAGLE PROJECT: FRIDAY May 9 - 102 School Ave** (first block south of South Middle School on 12<sup>th</sup> @ 4:30 p.m., Bring shovels, trenching tools, work gloves, water bottle, a great attitude.
3. **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.
4. **INFORMATION SHEET: ALL Scouts** are requested to update their phone, email, and Google Group 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. **WILLOW CREEK T-SHIRTS:** If you are interested in buying a 25 year anniversary Willow Creek commemorative T-shirt, the last day to sign up is May 13, at Tuesday’s meeting. Sign-up at the Troop’s front desk. Cost is \$10 (\$13 for XXL).
6. **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?????**
7. **MERIT BADGES: \*\*** Citizenship in the Community begins May 13 (Troop Room at 6:45).
8. **Current Merit Badges:** ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE, CITIZENSHIP IN THE NATION, FIRST AID, PERSONAL MANAGEMENT, SNOW SPORTS, FAMILY LIFE, PAINTING, and PERSONAL FITNESS.
9. **UPCOMING EVENTS:**
  - a. May 7: Patrol Leader & Scoutmaster planning meeting for Trinity Pines Competition.
  - b. May 24: Flag Planting at Kohlerlawn Cemetery
  - c. May 26: Memorial Day Ceremony at Kohlerlawn Cemetery
  - d. May 30-Jun 1: Trinity Pines Competition Camp-Out
  - e. Jun 2-7: Wood Badge Training Course
  - f. Jun 12-14: Centennial District Camporee
  - g. Jun 21: Scout Day at Roaring Springs
  - h. Jul 19-27: Camp Easton
  - i. Jul 28-Aug 2: NYLT
  - j. Aug 8: Scout Day at Roaring Springs