

Patrol Leaders Council Meeting on February 28, 2008

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March 3rd – Troop Meeting

- Theme: Teaching Troop Skills
- Opening Flag: Panthers
- The new scouts will work on 'Tenderfoot in 12 Weeks'. The seventeen scouts who are working on their Communications Merit Badge will teach patrol skills at various stations.
 1. Josh and William - First Aid
 2. Mathew - Basic Camping Skills
 3. Gregory and Jeremy - Requirement 6 of the 'Tenderfoot in 12 Weeks', "Demonstrate how to display, raise, lower, and fold the American Flag".
 4. Jacob Z. will discuss "Troop Organization"
- Game: We will be playing the name game after assigning the new boys to mentors.
- Closing Flag: Panthers

March 7th – 10th - Eagle Cave Campout

- The duty roster will be filled out by patrol leaders: Christian F., Jeremy P., and Austin M.
- We do not have to cook our own food. However, we do need to bring snack foods and drinks.
- The new scouts attending Eagle Cave will work on 'Tenderfoot in 12 Weeks' requirements 1 and 3.

Requirement 1 "Present yourself to your leader, properly dressed, before going on an overnight camping trip. Show the camping gear you will use. Show the right way to pack and carry it."

March 10th – Troop Meeting

- Theme: Basic Troop Skills
- Opening Flag: Squirrels
- The new Scouts will work on 'Tenderfoot in 12 weeks'.
- Mentors will be assigned to any new Scouts who do not have mentors yet.
- The new Scouts will be assigned to a Patrol and they will elect their Patrol Leaders.
- The seventeen Scouts who are working on their communications merit badge will teach the Basic Troop skills to the newer Scouts. Older scouts who are mentors will help the new Scouts. Stations will be set up and the new scouts will rotate from station to station.

The Troop skill stations will include:

1. Pitch A Tent
 2. Propane Stuff
 3. How to Setup the Garage
 4. Troop Trailer
 5. Troop Room
 6. Patrol Box
- Game: The Troop will play the name game, followed by a game of Mafia if there is time.
 - Closing Flag: Squirrels

March 17th – Troop Meeting

- Theme: Fire Safety
- Opening Flag: Foxes
- The new Scouts will work on 'Tenderfoot in 12 Weeks'
- Any Pack 388 Scouts who have not been assigned a mentor will be assigned a mentor.
- We will be working on the Fire Safety Merit badge during the Troop meeting.
_____ will be contacting the firemen at the fire station in Wayzata to make arrangements for our visit. We plan to walk to and from the fire station. The walk should only take 10 minutes.
- Before the Troop meeting, each Scout should go to the website and print off the Fire Safety Merit badge requirements.
- If there is time we will play a game of silent ball.
- Closing Flag. Foxes

