

SPL NOTES July 7, 2005

July Theme: Service Project/Aquatics

7th SPL Meeting 7:00 p.m.

14th Service Project Night 7:00 p.m.

Opening: Arrows

Closing: Eagles

Scouts need to meet at the church at 7:00 p.m. dressed in their **Class B** uniforms.

Service project: clean the playground at the church.

Patrol leaders need to call their patrols and have the scouts bring rakes, shovels, work gloves, sponges, and buckets.

Anyone that has not turned in their medical forms for summer camp needs to turn them at this meeting. If anyone is unable because of late doctor's appointments, tell Mr. Field.

Permission forms for summer camp will be on the Troop web site. Scouts attending camp will need to print out the forms and bring them to the troop meeting on the 14th!

21st Opening: Panthers

Closing: Arrows

Presentation by the Arrow Patrol on how to pack for summer camp. They will be going over what and what not to take to camp.

24th-30th SUMMER CAMP---leave at 7:00 a.m.

August Theme: Contraptions (How to Build a Better Mouse Trap)

Andrew Dexter and Jonathan Kidwell are in charge of this theme. They need to have the rules for the activities by the next SPL meeting, August 4th.

4th SPL meeting 7:00 p.m.

11th Opening: Eagles

Closing: Indians

Design and Explanation: Andrew Dexter and Jonathan Kidwell will go over the rules of building a contraption.

18th Opening: Arrows

Closing: Panthers

Each Patrol will present their working contraption model to the troop.

25th Opening: Indians
Closing: Arrows

Patrols will build other patrols contraptions.

Date for the August Family Picnic: To Be Determined

Additional Information:

1. **Need creative openings and closings for the meetings. The patrol that opens needs to come early and pick up trash**
2. Use your resources (adult leaders and committee members, parents, internet, library, etc.) for getting help with your presentations. Plan ahead---don't do the presentation on Wednesday night for Thursday's meeting!
3. **At the Troop Committee meeting a decision was made that the leadership will run from January to January instead of April to April. The leaders elected for this year will end the leadership December 31st. Scout Elections will be held in December for the 2006 leaders.**
4. Elderly couple from church needs someone to cut their grass---live within a 10 miles radius from the church. Any interested scout(s) contact Bryan Field.
5. Remaining monthly themes for 2005:
 - a. September-----Engineering
 - b. October-----Aviation
 - c. November-----Physical Fitness
 - d. December-----Service Project

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