

Troop 225 Newsletter / December 2025



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Meeting Dates

December 4, 11, 18

January 8, 15, 22, 29

Future Camping Dates

6-Dec

NYC Day Trip / 9/11 Memorial

1/23 - 1/25

Henson Scout Reservation

2/20 - 2/22

Resica Falls / Unami Lodge

3/20 - 3/22

Antietam / Harpers Ferry

Good Turn Events

December TBD

Caroling at Maris Grove

12/ 5 Time : TBD

SJF Christmas Decorations

Happy Thanksgiving Week & Troop Update

It is hard to believe that we have arrived at Thanksgiving week already! Remember there will not be a meeting this week due to the holiday. Fresh off the caving trip, we are moving full steam ahead with our New York City day trip in a short two weeks.

Important NYC Trip Date Change

Please note that the date for the New York City trip has changed. This adjustment was made to ensure we have sufficient adult coverage for our visit to the city and the 9/11 Memorial.

- **New Trip Date: Saturday, December 6th** (as opposed to December 13th)
- Please monitor your email for the permission slip.
- **Deadline:** The permission slip and payment are **due on Thursday, December 4th.**

Weekend Recap: Wind Cave & Susquehannock

Looking back on this weekend's trip, we were very proud of how the boys handled the challenging conditions. We experienced a mix of all types of weather, including drenching downpours on Friday night and freezing 32-degree temperatures over Saturday night.

- Every one of the boys braved the caves like a champ and managed to squeeze through tight openings to witness some cool areas inside.
- It was great to see the effort and teamwork come through as the boys communicated to each other to maneuver through the cave system.

First Week of December:

Please note that we anticipate a busy first week of December, with our troop meeting on 12/4, then assisting with decorations for the church 12/5, and New York City trip 12/6. Please note moving the decorations is only expected to be about an hour and not all scouts will be required for this operation.

Happy Thanksgiving:

On behalf of the troop committee, adult leadership, and myself, I would like to extend a Happy Thanksgiving wish to all Troop 225 Scouts and Scouting families!



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