



Welcome Scouts 2021-2022 “Rejuvenation”





Agenda

- Opening
- Summer Review of Activities
- What's New?
- Administration
- Outings Overview
- Programs Overview
- Special Programs Overview
- Patrol Realignment/Reveal
- Development Overview





Opening Ceremony



“Troop attention” – join in saying Pledge





Summer Look Back





Summer Camp – Camp Strake





Summer Camp – Camp Strake



- **Number of Scouts & Adults:** 22 Scouts & 8 Adults
- **Merit Badges – Achieved & Partial:** 101 Completed & 22 Partial
- **Rank Advancement and Adult Training:** 3 ranks advancements & 1 Order of the Arrow
- **Rose:** Zip Line tickets, Riflery qualifications
- **Thorn:** Long walk to/from shooting sports
- **Favorite Food:** Watermelon
- **Least Favorite Food:** Sour Milk





High Adventure – Seabase





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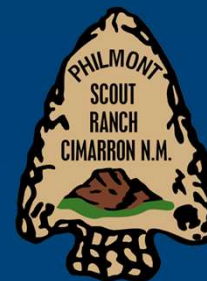


- Number of Scouts & Adults: 5 Scouts & 2 Adults
- Furthest Offshore: 20 miles in 1200 ft of water
- Most fish caught in one day: Too many to count; kept 21 that day
- Fish Caught: Mahi Mahi, Rose Fish, Tile Fish, Triple Tail, Hog Fish, Blue Runner, Mangrove Snapper, Yellow Tail Snapper, Black Tip Shark, Tonny Tuna, Spanish Mackerel, Rainbow Runner and Trigger Fish.
- 2020 Seabase Records: 16” Triple Tail Luca Paullo, 14” Rose Fish caught by the group of boys
- Rose: Mahi and Shark fishing
- Thorn: Uncomfortable bunks
- Favorite Food: Cuban sandwiches; fresh snapper and mahi; rose fish covered in Tony C’s





High Adventure – Philmont

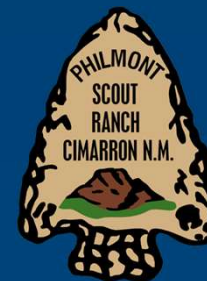


On Top of Baldy at 12,444 ft





High Adventure – Philmont



- **Number of Scouts & Adults:** 9 Scouts & 2 Adults
- **Total Miles Hiked:** 87 miles point to point; overall 140+ miles.
- **Total Vertical Feet Hiked:** 20,561ft
- **Rose:** Summit of Baldy Mountain – 12,444ft & No Rain!
- **Thorn:** It is mostly flat and about 1 mile
- **Favorite Food:** Freeze dried beef stroganoff, Turkey Bites
- **Least Favorite Food:** Non Philmont pepperoni beef stick
- **Favorite Activity:** COPE course and Laser shooting





What's New!



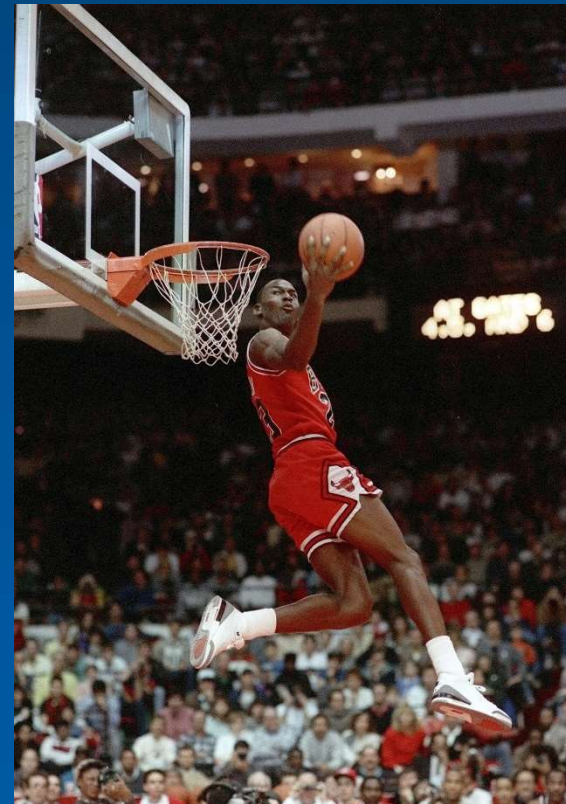


2021/2022 Scout Year

Theme for this year: “Rejuvenation”

“Obstacles **don’t** have to **stop** you. If you run into a wall, **don’t** turn around and **give up**. **Figure out how** to climb it, **go through** it, or **work around** it.”

Michael Jordan





2021/2022 Scout Year

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- Focus on: Getting Back to Normal Cadence and Recruiting!

How are we going
to do this?





2021/2022 Scout Year

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- Focus on: Getting Back to Normal Cadence and Recruiting
 - Fall Scout Year
 - ✓ Back to Meeting at Scout Hut weekly
 - ✓ Recruiting and King Ranch in November
 - ❖ Need to focus on Den Chiefs
 - ✓ Advancement, Advancement, Advancement!
 - ❖ Merit Badges – Published on Website
 - ❖ POR’s – All positions available





Scout Year: 2020 – 2021

Things We Did Well!

- Troop/Scout Level:
 - Able to meet throughout the entire year both virtually and Nottingham Forest Club
 - Excellent programs with engaging speakers and hands-on meetings
 - We continued our outings in a modified manner
 - King Ranch in March
 - Cooking
- Advancement:
 - Board of Review (increased)
 - Most BORs, ARQs, and SMCs held at outings in recent history
- Greenery:
 - Very successful (All Scouts contributed)
 - Flat 10% commission worked





What we heard from Scouts: *Needs more Attention in 2021 - 2022*

- Troop:
 - Recruiting – Major focus this year; lots of events centered around Cub Scouts and recruiting
 - Food Drive – We will be using this as a recruiting event with Cub Scout Packs (more to come)
 - Better communications Patrol & Troop (eBlast and REMIND)
 - More Patrol Cohesiveness; more spirit between Patrols
 - Scouts need to rely on Staff so less Adult involvement with Patrols [Remember: Boy Lead Troop]
- Outings:
 - Post Outing PLC – Need feedback from Scouts to PL's and ASPL's post campout on issues and improvements
 - 3-Pot Method for Cleaning – VERY IMPORTANT
 - Electronics Policy
 - Patrol Menu's on Outings





Administration





Administration:

Senior Staff 2021-2022

- SPL - Michael Bennett
- ASPL Outings - Scott Lillibridge
- ASPL Programs - Thomas Babineck
- ASPL Troop Guides - Quinn Unger
- ASPL Equipment - Thomas Ochs
- ASPL Membership & Special Programs - Ben Duong
- ASPL Patrol Leaders - Patrick Miller





Administration: *Troop Guides*

- ASPL Troop Guides – Quinn Unger
- FCE Patrol – Honey Badgers
 - POR Available (Star or higher)
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Administration:

Key Dates

- Courts of Honor (3):
 - Fall: October 5, 2021
 - Winter: January 25, 2022
 - Year End: May 20, 2022
- Troop Registration: Sept 14, 2021 (due)
- Food Drive: Sept 28 & Oct 2, 2021
- Order of Arrow: Oct 19, 2021 (Election)
- Scout Sunday: February 13, 2022
- New Scout Induction: May 3, 2022
- Year End Banquet: May 20, 2022 (Friday)





Administration: *Greenery*

- Troop 599 will again sell Greenery as our primary fundraiser for the Troop
- Same expectations from last year:
 - Sell and distribute \$350.00 worth of Greenery
 - Flat 10% Commission Rate for **all sales above** \$400
- More information at [Greenery Kickoff Sept 7th](#) with Mr. Paulo
 - Final Day for Sales: Oct 26, 2021 (Tuesday)
 - Distribution: Nov 30, 2021





Administration:

Issues for 2021/2022

- Language:
 - Use of inappropriate language has become a **BIG ISSUE** especially on Outings
 - This is **unacceptable** and **repeat offenders** will have **email sent to parents** (*we don't want to do this*)
- Class A:
 - Full Class A uniform to be worn to meetings (hat, shirt, pants/shorts)
 - Wear it correctly (tucked in shirts and no athletic shorts)





Administration:

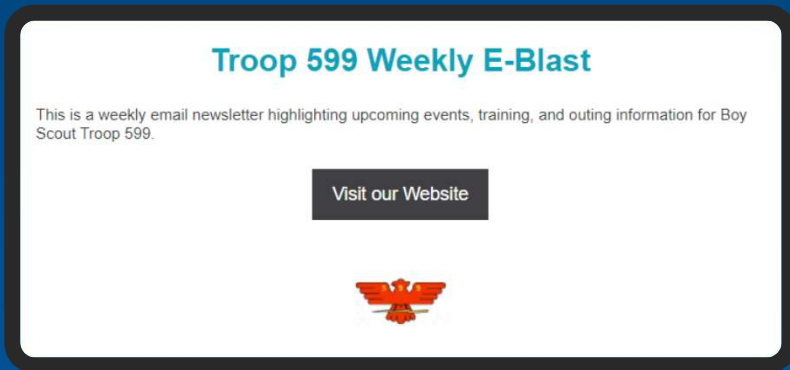
Continued Policy – 2021/2022

- Electronics:
 - No electronics on campout for Scouts (Adults drivers need to take on arrival)
 - No phones out during meetings – PL to enforce
- Contraband Food :
 - All campout meals approved during Patrol Corners with PA so should not be an issue
 - Patrol Advisors to enforce and not Staff





Administration: *Communications - eBlast*

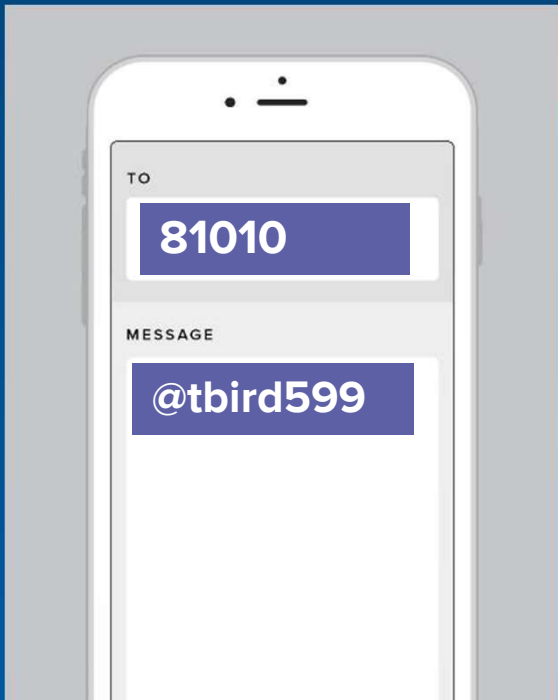


- This is our **primary communications** for the troop!
- eBlast will have all upcoming activities and Merit Badge class announcements
- This is going to be very important for **ALL FALL COMMUNICATIONS** as we have to be flexible
- To subscribe:
 - Go to ScoutTroop599.org
 - At the bottom, click “Sign up to receive troop emails”
- **Everyone should be subscribed including SCOUTS!**





Administration: *Communications - Remind*



- Everyone should subscribe to REMIND
- We will use this for **last minute communications** and to REMIND everyone about **upcoming events**
- Please text “@tbird599” to “81010” to receive important texts from the Troop!
- Trouble using 81010? Try texting @tbird599 to (516) 874-3612 instead.
- After you register, you will be entered into our database to receive immediate notices and updates

standard text message rates apply





Outings





Outings

- Focus 2021/2022 Scout Year (Fall)
 - Back to normal cadence
 - September, October, and December are single night events
 - Continue to use on-line sign-ups for all Outings
 - Camping continues but “Family” may tent together if requested
- More to come on how we will carpool this year





Outings: *September*



- Date: September 18 -19th, 2021 (one night)
- Event: Water Sports (Canoe/Swim/Fish)
- Location: Huntsville State Park, Huntsville, TX
 - *Fun on the lake and maybe below it*
 - *Come fish and canoe with lots of trails to explore*
 - *Everyone will need to pass our annual swim test to attend this outing -> MORE TO COME*





Outings: *October*



- Date: Oct. 16-17th, 2021 (one night)
- Event: Saltwater Fishing & Beach
- Location: Galveston, TX & Galveston State Park
- Cavalier is a Catamaran 70 feet long, 30 feet wide with 2 diesel engines. Equipped with advanced fish locating and navigation equipment, complete grill and galley, modern restrooms, and sundeck.
- Leaving dock at 7:30/8:00 am so early departure from Scout Hut!!
- Staying Saturday at Galveston State Park with fun at the beach
- Fishing Merit Badge – Work on all portions during this outing.





Outings: *November*



- Date: November 5-7th, 2021
- Event: King Ranch Work Weekend
- Location: Lazy K Ranch, Lockhart, TX
- This outing is not for the FCE's but older scouts (13+) due to the nature of the work
- We need quite a few older scouts to help with cleaning and setup of the various ranges for the weekend
- Adults will provide the meals on Saturday night





Outings: *November*



- Date: November 12-14th, 2021
- Event: 53rd King Ranch Mountain Man Rendezvous
- Location: Lazy K Ranch, Lockhart, TX
- This is our main recruiting event for Webelos so we need EVERYONE to attend
- We moved this up a weekend not to conflict with Spring Branch Thanksgiving week break
- Who is going to be Mountain Man this year??





Outings: *December*



- Date: December 4-5th, 2021
- Event: “Hunger Games”/Wilderness Survival
- Location: Flatonia, TX
- Can you survive???
- Gain your Wilderness Survival Merit Badge
- Hunger Games – join us to figure out!





Outings: *January*



- Date: January 21-23rd, 2022
- Event: Rappelling & Climbing
- Location: Enchanted Rock State Natural Area, Fredericksburg, TX
- Climbing, rappelling, and hiking.
- **Climb-on Safely** class to be held on [January 12](#) for this event
- We will get the same campsite locations as last year which seemed to work well





Outings: *February*

SCaVenGER
HUNt!

- Date: February 25-27th, 2022
- Event: Scavenger Hunt/History
- Location: Goliad State Park, Goliad, Texas
- Tour of History in Goliad learning about General Ignacio Zaragoza and the roots of “Cinco de Mayo”
- We will focus on a scavenger hunt as part of the history tour!





Outings: *March*



- Date: March 5-6th, 2022 (one night)
- Event: FCE Campout
- Location: Bear Creek Park, Houston, TX
- This is for FCE only to work on specific requirements and sign-offs for rank advancements.
- HINT: this is a campout not to miss for sign-off's
- Further details as plans are finalized for the outing





Outings: *March*



- Date: March 25-27th, 2022
- Event: Merit Badge Fun
- Location: Camp Strake, Coldspring, TX
- Focus on getting those difficult Eagle Merit Badges
- We will have fun and setup ways to get parts of the merit badges
- More to come!!





Outings: *April*



- Date: April 22 - 24th, 2022
- Event: Iron Chief/Astronomy
- Location: Brazos Bend State Park
- It is back with the mystery ingredient for both dinner and breakfast
- Lots of fun with orienteering, hiking trails, and having night sessions for the Astronomy Merit Badge





Outings: *May*



- Date: May 13-15th, 2022
- Event: Sailing* (to be confirmed)
- Location: Sea Star Base, Galveston, TX

- Come to sail with us at the Sea Star Base in Galveston
- Sail in a protected area and enjoy fun in the sun
- Further details as plans are finalized for the outing





Outings: *Summer Camp*

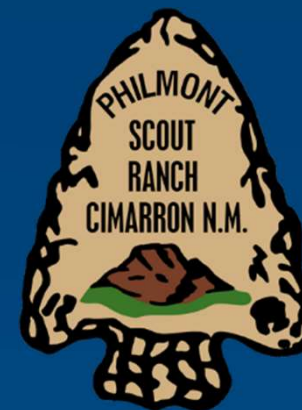
- To be Determined
 - Date: June 26 – July 2nd, 2022* (not confirmed)
 - Location: TBD
 - Looking at a number of camps outside of council based on feedback from Scouts.
 - We NEED Scouts to commit to camp if we decide to go out of state due to the high-cost of transportation
 - We also REQUIRE ADULTS to commit to go the entire week
 - More to Come!!





Outings:

High Adventures 2022



- **Philmont**

- Date: July 15–29th, 2022
- Adult Leader: Rick Snell
- Event: Philmont Backpacking Adventure
 - 1 Crew for 12-day Trek.
 - Max 12 people per crew.
 - Scouts must be 14 or completed 8th grade and 13 yrs. old.
- Location: Philmont Scout Ranch, Cimarron, NM





Outings:

High Adventures 2022



- SeaBase
 - Date: July 27–Aug 2nd 2022
 - Adult Leader: TBD
 - Event: SeaBase Fishing Adventure
 - 1 Crew of 8 people max.
 - Scouts must be 13 yrs. old.
 - Location: SeaBase – Brinton Center, Summerland Key, FL





Programs





Programs: *2021/2022 Format*

Back to the traditional schedule

- Weekly (MDUMC Scout Hut)
 - 6:30 – 7:15pm: FCE and Merit Badge Classes
 - 7:30 – 8:30pm: Troop Meetings
- After each Outing (Tuesday):
 - 6:30 – 7:15pm: PLC Meeting
 - Discuss Outing and areas for improvement





Special Programs





Food Drive - 2021

What Success Looks Like

- Recruiting Event for the Troop
- Get a bunch of Food for MDUMC Food Pantry
- Show Scouts the value of Community Service and the importance of communities
- Provide struggling Packs with a high visibility family event, free publicity for their recruitment and badges for their kids
- Start to build better bridges with local families and Scouts and to make T599 “their Troop”





Food Drive - 2021

Logistics and Updates

- 2021 – Pre-determined Areas and Maps
- 4-5 Mega Areas – 800 Houses per Area (Avg.) or ~3,500 houses (total)
- Roughly 135> Houses per boy, using 1 Patrols per area
- Donation directly to MDUMC Food Pantry
- Tuesday and Saturday (9/28 and 10/2)
- Ben Duong, ASPL of Membership and Special Programs
- T599 Adult Leadership jobs are considered “once a year, working with adults”
- *Incorporating “Feeder Packs” to Team – Grace Presbyterian, Meadow Bend, Wilchester, Rummel Creek, MDUMC, Frostwood, Bunker Hill, St. Francis Episcopal*





Food Drive – 2021

Volunteer Needs

- Pack Coordinators (7) - Coordinates with Packs, Dens, 599 Patrol Advisers and work with Scout Leaders on Saturday (including orphan Packs); provide doughnuts (reimbursable by Troop) for participants
- Food Drop-Off Leaders (2) – Positioned at Food Pantry to work with Scout Leaders to facilitate unloading of food from cars and control traffic

Adult Leadership jobs are considered “once a year, working with adults”





Patrol Realignment





Patrol Realignment

- Why are we realigning the Patrols again?
 - Needed to move the older FCE's to regular patrols
 - Too many Patrols which caused too few Scouts per Patrol on outings
 - Large number of Life Scouts to re-engage
- How did we perform the realignment?
 - Used FCE patrol request forms
 - Worked to place Scouts with friends to maintain cohesiveness
 - Incorporate older scouts/Staff into Patrols





Patrol Realignment

Honey Badgers (FCE)



- Finn Clark
- Will Fast
- Will Ferguson
- Helton Hirtz
- Jacob Zazueta

Patrol Advisors

Alan Burnett

ShaLinda Ward





Patrol Realignment

Bulls



Patrol Advisor
Don Paullo

- John Ducoing
- Aiden Barrentos
- Ethan McKnight
- Anthony Garcia
- Austin Shell
- Ben McCord
- Matthew Varjas
- Kyle Eagleson
- Max Concho-Pinto
- Eric Ward
- Jonathan Williams
- Trey Snell
- Matthew Lackey
- Graeme Forster





Patrol Realignment

Cobras



Patrol Advisor
Mark Lackey

- Brennan McKnight
- Jake St. John
- James Painter
- Scott MacCrimmon
- Jeff McPherson
- William Mallin
- Luke Bush
- Diego Vasquez-Gonzales
- Kian Jaleel-Khan
- Kavi Persaud
- Walker Wood
- Harrison Brooks
- Matt Zapotek
- Jonathan Lackey
- Dustin Oglesby





Patrol Realignment

Falcons



Patrol Advisor

Izzy MacCrimmon

- Luca Paullo
- Preston Perego
- Joseph Williams
- Matthew Le
- Nicholas Hendricks
- Zane Black
- Nicolas Nedwed
- William Tones
- Jonathan Sanchez
- David Morris
- Amry Jaleel-Khan
- Ezzi Mustafa
- Spencer Morris
- Santiago Diaz





Patrol Realignment

Liberty Bells



Patrol Advisor
Hodge Eagleson

- Ahmed Cheena-Sait
- Cosmo Bennett
- Alden Binnion
- Samuel Hail
- John Carney
- James Hampton
- Jimmy Peterson
- James MacCrimmon
- Murphy Schrenengost
- Matthew DeJager
- Adam Teske
- Dominic Adamo
- Wesley Brown
- Evan Williams
- Nathaniel Newman





Patrol Realignment

Thunderbirds (Staff)



- Thomas Babineck
- Michael Bennett
- Ben Duong
- Scott Lillibridge
- Patrick Miller
- Thomas Ochs
- Quinn Unger

Patrol Advisor

Rick Snell





Development





Development:

2021/22 Format - FCE's

The FCE Program will continue to focus on Scout Skills and advancement towards First Class

- Meetings
 - Meeting Time: 6:30pm – 7:15pm
 - Location:
 - Family Life Center at MDUMC
 - 2nd Floor in the Church
- More to come from Mr. Burnett and Ms. Ward





Development: *Board of Reviews (BoR)*

- BOR sign up sheet returning to the Scout Hut.
- Sign-ups close at the end of the Troop Meeting the Tuesday prior so we can recruit the right number of adult volunteers.
- Reminder: BOR occurs the first Thursday of each month.

Troop 599
Board of Review Sign Up Sheet

Date of Board of Review: Thursday, September 2, 2021

BOR Reminders

Read Before Signing

- * Scouts are eligible for a Board of Review ONLY after all requirements are met and recorded in your Handbook.
- * Scouts must bring the signed off Handbook and be dressed in complete Class A Uniform at the Board of Review.
- * Scouts sitting for Star and Life Boards of Review must bring your Individual History Report (IHR) to the Board of Review.
- * Scouts must complete Scoutmaster conference prior to Board of Review.
- * Boards start at 7:00 PM.

BOR Coordinator: Steve Bennett Cell: 210-827-4866 / Email: PorgPotPie@gmail.com
Please remove the Sign-up Sheet from the wall to complete and write legibly.

Scout Name	Rank for Review	Scout Email	Scout Phone No.	Have you read the BOR Reminders written above?





Development: Merit Badges

Merit Badge	Counselors	2020-2021	Class Times	Year Merit Badge Requirements were Last Revised
First Aid	Mr. Mallin, Mr. McCord	Aug 24, Aug 31, Sep 7, 14 - Rm D207 or ZOOM	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2019
Cooking	Mrs. MacCrimmon, Mrs. Christiansen	Oct 5, 12 and the October Outing - Rm D207 or ZOOM	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2020
Salesmanship	Mr. White	Oct 19, 26 - Rm D207 or ZOOM	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2017
Personal Management	Mr. Gibson	Nov 2, 9 - Rm D207 or ZOOM	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2019
Family Life	Mr. Goodwin	Nov 16 - Rm D207 or ZOOM	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2019
Environmental Science	Mr. Escamilla	Nov 30, Dec 7 - Rm D207 or ZOOM	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2020
Cit in the World	Mr. Stuckwisch	Dec 14, Jan 4 - Rm D207 or ZOOM	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2016
Personal Fitness	Mr. Bozeman, Mr. Wagner	Jan 11, 18 - Rm D207 or ZOOM	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2020
Communication	Mr. Tittle	Jan 25, Feb 8, 15 - Rm D207 or ZOOM	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2019
Cit in the Community	Mr. Harris	Feb 22, Mar 1, 8 - Rm D207 or ZOOM	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2016
Radio	Mr. Snell	Mar 22, 29, Apr 5 - Rm D207 or ZOOM	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2018
Cit in the Nation	Mr. Welborn	Mar 22, 29, Apr 5 - Rm D207 or ZOOM	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2005
Emergency Prep	Mr. Balke, Mr. Bozeman, Mr. Babineck	Apr 12, 19 - Rm D207 or ZOOM	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2018
Camping	Mr. White - One Parent	Apr 26 - Room D207 or ZOOM, finished at Summer Camp	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2018
Entrepreneurship	Mr. Welborn	May 3, 10, 16 - Rm D207 or ZOOM	6:30PM - 7:30PM	2014





Development: *Positions of Responsibility*

- If you need a POR for rank advancement, please discuss with your Patrol Advisor ASAP
- Focus on Troop Guides, Den Chief, Chaplain Aide, Patrol Leaders
- Goal: To fill 100% by September 15th
- All POR's require Scouts to complete page 66 from Troop Handbook
 - Upon turn-in (email to Mr. Bennett & Mr. Snell): POR will officially begin





Questions?





Closing Flags





Closing Ceremony

Scout Oath

On my honor I will do my best
To do my duty to God and my country
and to obey the Scout Law;
To help other people at all times;
To keep myself physically strong,
mentally awake, and morally straight.

Scout Law

A Scout is trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind,
obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean, and reverent.





Let's Have a
Great Year!!

