

TROOP 834'S NEWSLETTER

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SUMMER CAMP

Summer Camp is coming soon! On July 12 through July 18, we will be going to Camp T. Brady Saunders in Virginia. We will be leaving from OLG parking lot at 12 noon and the Scouts will be in full uniform. We will be traveling as a Troop by bus. There will be an extra cost for this transportation but it has not yet been calculated. We will be returning on July 18th at 4:00pm.

Adults attending should pay \$100. Adults please check with Mr. Miller to be sure your

clearances and trainings are up to date.

There are permission slips for special programs, Chip will provide these. These forms should be turned in with your physical forms.

All questions regarding summer camp should be referred to Chip.



WHAT TO PACK FOR CAMP:

NOTE: Wear Full Uniform to Camp

Sleeping bag
Pillow
Swimsuit & Beach Towel
Clothes for the weather including:
 Jeans, shorts, T-shirts, Hoodies
Rain gear (Chip will be there)
Hiking Boots
Tennis Shoes
Water Shoes
Socks & Extra Socks
Underwear
Drinking Cup
First-Aid Kit
Pocket Knife (if you have your Totem Chit)
Handbook
Pencil/Pen/Small Notebook
Merit Badge Pre-requisite Work
Sun Screen
Bug Repellent
Toothbrush/toothpaste
Comb or hairbrush
Deodorant
Soap/Wash Cloth/Bath Towel
Disposable Camera
Spending Money

Don't bring electronics! See you at camp!



OLG FESTIVAL

T834 will once again assist Our Lady of Grace by working the pop both at its annual Church Festival during the week of August 10-15. Each Scout is asked to work and sign up for a time slot. A schedule will be available at Troop meetings soon, so don't forget to sign up!

Mrs. Fisher will be coordinating volunteers for the church festival as we get closer to the dates.

Adult Leadership Training:

Frontier District will be conducting a training course on October 9 thru 11. Please see Chip for information.

Training is becoming a requirement for adults to

participate in Scouting activities. It is encouraged and recommended that all adults get trained. If you are already trained, contact Chip to volunteer to work staff in October.



RELIGIOUS EMBLEMS

Every Scout should plan to work on their religious emblem. These awards are given by the religious institutions to which you belong. Check out this website to find out which emblem you should be working on: www.praypub.org.

Parents ,if you are working with your Scout on a religious emblem, please consider offering your time to other Scouts of the same faith so groups of Scouts may work together.

Mr. and Mrs. Licciardello will be offering the Catholic Ad Altare Dei Religious Emblem program this year. Scouts working on this emblem, must have completed the 6th Grade and is aimed for Scouts ages 13-14. This group will be meeting at OLG – REEC library (upstairs of our storage) on Sunday

afternoons 2-4pm beginning September 13 thru the end of January. Scouts interested in joining this group should e-mail Mrs. Beth Licciardello at SBethTony@verizon.net. Scouts will be required to have purchased their workbook (available at the Boy Scout Shop or online thru www.praypub.org) and have it signed by the Scout, parent(s), and Pastor by the first meeting.

Mr. Trusiak and Mrs. Licciardello will be offering the Catholic Pope Pius XII Religious Emblem next school year. This emblem is for high school students (grades 9 thru 12), and is aimed for Scouts ages 15-18.

