

# The Eagle

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## Scoutmaster's Minute

The Boy Scouts of America will celebrate its 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in 2010. It will be an exciting year for not only the organization, but Scouts and leaders as well. The celebration will begin on Saturday, October 24, 2009. The Golden Empire Council is hosting the California Capitol March. Scouts from all over California will gather to kick off the anniversary party. My wife, Chris, is the chairperson of this event that looks to draw over 10,000 Scouts, parents, and leaders to Raley Field and the State Capitol. Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger and Chief Scout Executive Robert Mazucca will be on hand to greet the crowd. Lunch, patches, neckerchiefs, a goody bag, entertainment, and much more will be given to each Scout participating in the March. We will be asking you for your assistance with the historic event.

During 2010, many activities will mark the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary will take place. On January 21-24, 2010, Adventure Base 100 will be coming to Sacramento. Our council was one of only three locations in California that will host this national exhibit. The 10,000 square foot exhibit will travel to 40 cities in the United States during the anniversary year. Adventure Base 100 will be on display at the International Sportsmen's Exposition at Cal Expo. Plan to visit AB100. Troop 380 members will actually have the opportunity to be part of the exhibit. Stay tuned for details.

The Golden Empire Council will be hosting Scout Expo at Beale Air Force Base in April. This popular event will duplicate and improve on the event held back in 2007. The new and improved version will be our council's way of celebrating 100 years of Scouting.

During the summer of 2010 the National Jamboree will be held at Fort AP Hill, Virginia. Over 40,000 Scouts and leaders are expected to gather be part of the largest

celebrations in the history of the BSA. As part of the Jamboree a special arena show will be webcast across the country as part of the Boy Scout's birthday bash. Many of our Troop 380 Scouts are part of the National Jamboree contingent that will travel to the Jamboree and tour the Washington DC area.

The United States Mint is even putting out a special Silver Dollar to celebrate the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America. This special edition coin will be available in February of 2010.

All Scouts, leaders, and alumni, can earn a special 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Award. I will be sharing this information with all of you very soon.

More activities are being planned to celebrate this great program. More information is available on the Boy Scouts of America website at [www.scouting.org](http://www.scouting.org). It will be a great year to be a Scout.

Yours in Scouting,

Dave Ishikawa



## Eagle Watch

By Don Dier

Since our last Court of Honor in June, we've had two Eagle Scout Courts of Honor. On August 1<sup>st</sup>, Zachary Kamine and Davis Tamano were presented their Eagle Scout awards. On August 24<sup>th</sup>, Taylor Simpson was presented his Eagle Scout award.

There are two more in the coming months. Ted Burchett will hold his Eagle Court of Honor here at the church on November 20<sup>th</sup>. Robert Born will be planning his Eagle Court of Honor for December 18<sup>th</sup> at Rosemont High School, where he completed his service project.

Congratulations to each of these young men on attaining Scouting's highest recognition.

Greg Bringedahl and Lawrence Goedrich presented proposed projects to the troop committee. Greg's project is to create a garden at the Gold River Discovery Center made entirely of native plants found around the American River Parkway. Lawrence's project is to build a decomposed granite walkway for the City of Rancho Cordova. Both projects were approved. Greg and Lawrence will be asking for help soon, so please take this opportunity to provide service to our community.

If you are a Life Scout, or a Star Scout nearing the Life rank, please start thinking about a plan to attain your Eagle rank. It's never too soon. Because an Eagle Scout Service Project must be approved by the Scoutmaster, troop committee and the Rio del Oro District before it can be carried out, there is quite a bit of lead time involved. You should allow at least three months from project concept to final approval before the project can be carried out. After the project is completed, another month should be planned for completion of the service project workbook and application.

If you are thinking about an Eagle Scout Service Project, please talk to Don Dier about your ideas. He's in charge of Eagle Advancement for the troop and will assist you with putting your proposal together for presentation to the troop committee. The project cannot be carried out without Scoutmaster, committee and district approval. If you don't have any ideas for a project, Don can help with that too. There are many good Eagle project ideas waiting to happen.



## Fall 2009 Merit Badge Program

By Bob Williamson

Graphic Arts, Architecture, Orienteering, and American History Merit badges sessions will soon be completed. Please remember to confirm with the Merit Badge Counselor that you finished all of the requirements.

The Troop will be offering a new cycle with the Fall-2009 session. The following merit badges are tentatively scheduled for October 5 and October 19, November 2 and November 16, and December 7 and December 21. Merit badge meetings take place at 6:30 PM on the Troop meeting nights noted.

1. Citizenship in the World – Jimmie G. Counselor
2. Personal Fitness – Jon T. Counselor
3. Computers– Erik C. Counselor
4. Pulp & Paper – Mark S. Counselor

The Troop always needs more parent merit badge Counselors. This is a relatively small commitment to facilitate a discussion of various subject areas for each merit badge. Jon Traum is a counselor for approximately 20 badges. I am sure that he could use some relief. As an adult supporting troop 380,

please consider signing up to help with 1 or 2 or more merit badges. With many counselors we can offer a varied and enriching program to all of the scouts. Please see Bob Williamson to discuss how you might help the scouts in this area.



## Order of the Arrow Report

By Casey Reynolds

The Patwin Chapter has several important activities coming up in the next few months. We are attending the Amangi Nacha Lodge Fall Fellowship on October 9 - 11 at Camp Augusta, near Nevada City. A fall fellowship is like a Camporee for OA members. All members of the Order of the Arrow have been asked to assist with the California Capitol March being held October 7. On November 7, our new Patwin Chapter officers are expected to attend the annual lodge training that helps us perform our jobs in the Chapter. That same evening the Lodge has its annual dinner and recognizes members who have served the Order of the Arrow in many ways.

We are trying to learn more about ceremonies and many of us are working on making chokers, vests, leggings, and other clothing items. At our October Chapter meeting we will be holding our leadership elections and learning how to use a ceremonial drum.



## Venturing Crew Report

By Mitchell Alfaro

Since our last court of honor, we've gone to camp Winton for Overdrive; also we have finished our Ranger shooting sports elective requirement towards the Venturing Shooting Sports Outstanding Achievement Award. Venturing crew has also added four new members Gerry and Nick Goodie, Dana Tamano, and Elizabeth Kamine. We haven't been able to do much, most of our crew was gone either at **Philmont** or **summer camp**, but now we have many things to look forward too.

We spent this past weekend, September 19-20, 2009, camping along the Sacramento River. We had fun boating, swimming, playing various games and getting to know our new members.



## Outings and Activities – Past Events



### Englebright Lake

By Daniel Richardson

On Saturday morning we drove up to Englebright Lake then we hiked 1.7 miles to Point Defiance to camp. We set up camp and went swimming and fishing. Afterwards we went back to camp and had dinner. Next morning we packed up and hiked back to the cars. On the way there we saw a bald eagle and we went gold panning and went through the longest covered bridge in California.



### Golf Night

By Chance Trimm

We had 38 Scouts and parents attend our golf night at Bradshaw Ranch golf Course on June 17, 2009. We enjoyed a BBQ before hitting the links. There were plenty of birdies, pars and bogies, but most importantly, everyone had a good time. The winning team was mark Woosley, Tyler Woosley, Corey Reynolds and Casey Reynolds with a combined score of 29. Closet to the pin on hole number one was Chance Trimm at 22'7". The most accurate drive contest was won by Gerry Goodie, Jr. The putting contest was won by Scott Ripke with only six putts. Many thanks to Gary Johnsrud, the course manager, who is also an Eagle Scout, for allowing us to play the course and providing us with a discount.

### Camp Winton Order of the Arrow Ordeal

By Alex Lee

The OA ordeal, June 12-14, was a weekend to remember. Scouts had to go to Camp Winton to become an Ordeal member. We ate very little and worked hard to get the camp ready. On the first night we slept outside, and on the final night some of us slept at the rifle range. Most of us got tired of the work we did and others were very hungry. It was a very exciting but hard event.



### Rio Del Oro's Twilight Camp

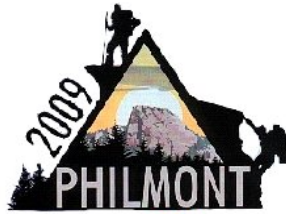
By Erik Carlson

This year's Twilight Camp "Cub Country USA" was held at Mather Elementary School on June 17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup>, 2009. We had over 200 Cub Scouts enjoying themselves with games, songs, crafts, BB shooting and Archery. A Special Thanks to all those in Troop 380 who helped out at camp. Den Chiefs: Zach Burgess, Brett Allred, Shaine Smith, Alex Trimm, William Ruygt, Christian Alvarado, Matt Brown, Kenny Brown, Dakota Fitzsimmons, Charlie Potter, George Potter, Daniel Richardson, Josh Kuykendall. Station Leaders: Michael Kuykendall, Jahna Alvarado, Bonnie Dier, Charles Potter, Cindy Frazier, Stella Rebello and helping out in the Kitchen Naomi Kamine and crew with making over 400 lunches on Saturday. The boys had a great time and see you next year so mark your calendars for June 10-12<sup>th</sup>, 2010.

### Camp Pollock Order of the Arrow Ordeal

By William Ruygt

I got there at 10:00 PM the ordeal members were already asleep the Elangomats stayed up later to get prepared for the next day. We got up early in the morning, and had breakfast, and then we got our job assignments, my clan had to repaint the shed for the water pump and carry wood to the wood chipper. The high of that day was 105 degrees we had to drink a lot of water, then we had lunch, and we worked for the rest of the afternoon. Then we had dinner, right after dinner the members went to their ordeal ceremony where they got their sashes, after that they had a special dinner and then we all went to bed. Next morning we got up and started to take down camp then we had breakfast, after camp was all taken down we played the waiting game until our parents/guardian arrived to take us home. Thanks to Kelson, Zack, William, and especially Jimmie for being there and helping out.



## PHILMONT

By Gerry Goodie

On July 25, we arrived at the train station at 5 am for our 6 o'clock train ride. We rode the train to LA and then switched trains to go to Raton, New Mexico. As we got off the train there were lots of scouts that had just finished their own Philmont trek.

We finally got to Philmont Scout Ranch after 3 days on a train and met our guide Justin. The next day we started on our trek. The first day we saw the world's only T-Rex track and learned the basics of Philmont. On day two we got the chance to throw an atlatl and dig for treasure at the Indian Writings. Day three we roped some cattle and drank root beer at Ponil. Day four we climbed a rock face at Dean Cow. Day five our hardest day of hiking, we raced burros at Harlan. On day six four of us got the chance to see a bear at Ute Springs. Day seven we shot and reloaded .30-06 rifles at Upper Sawmill. At Cypher's Mine on day eight we had a great time blacksmithing and venturing through the mine. Our last chance to get water was on day nine at upper Clark's Fork we had to conserve to make it over the Tooth of Time the next day. Almost done with our trek on day ten we hiked the Tooth at Sunset and were all ready to get into Base Camp. Our final day, day eleven, we saw the sunrise almost at base camp and had pizza in Cimarron later that day.

The next day we finally left Philmont for a three day train ride home. It was a trip of a lifetime.



## Camp Royaneh

By Corey Reynolds

On June 28 the troop met at Sequoia Elementary School early in the morning in preparation. Money was turned in as were medications and medical forms. By around 7 a.m. all of the gear was loaded and the Scouts were divided up into

cars. From this point, the troop traveled to Camp Royaneh. It was around ten o'clock when the troop made it to camp. After eating their sack lunch, the Scouts gathered their gear as they made their way up to their campsite, where they stowed away their packs and brought out troop gear. Not long after having organized the cabin/patrols as well as troop gear, the troop was taken on a camp tour where they found out where the different merit badges were as well as learning where the troop dining tables were and working on swim checks. At 5 p.m. all of the troops in camp were called to the parade field for evening flags and announcements. After dinner the troops were dismissed to their campsites as they prepared for the evening activities. The particular activity for that night was the opening campfire, where the staff put on skits and songs. After the campfire, the Scouts returned to their camps and were in bed by the time "Taps" was called.

The next morning the scouts woke up and got ready for morning flags. During flags, and every flag gathering afterwards that week, announcements on the day's activities were given as well as general information. Following flags, breakfast was served as a staff member would read off sections of the newspaper; such as the weather and temp, headline news, and sports statistics. After breakfast, the scouts prepared for their morning sessions, where they learned about their subjects and worked toward earning the merit badge. By around noon the scouts were dismissed for lunch put on by the kitchen staff. Following lunch, the SPL would go to a meeting to get information on the evening's activities to be taken back to their troops. For Troop 380, this was also the time that any mail gathered that day was passed out. Following this, the scouts would get ready for their afternoon sessions. By 5 p.m. the scouts were dismissed to their camps and got ready for evening flags and dinner. After dinner all troops went back to their camps for evening activities. For the most part, this became the routine of the week.

But the week was also filled with a bunch of other fun stuff. Polar bear on a couple mornings, a camp wide basketball tournament, and open shoot at all field sports were only a few of the numerous options available to all scouts. Aside from the different troubles that did spring up throughout the week, everyone had a great time at camp. Over 40 Scouts and adults attended, including members of Troop 601.



## 4<sup>th</sup> of July Party

On July 4, 2009, after returning home from Camp Royaneh, several families gathered at Dave and Chris's home for Troop 380's traditional 4<sup>th</sup> of July Party. This year's theme was "dessert party" and everyone brought a dessert and some fireworks to share.

## RDO Roundtable

By Evan Frenklak

Troop and Pack leaders from the Rio Del Oro (RDO) district came to the roundtable and watched a presentation. Scouts demonstrated several skills such as rope making. Other activities like Dutch oven cooking and box car racing were presented. Finally, posters on Scouting activities such as the California Capital March were shown.



## Camp Cherry Valley Report

By Angel Echevarria, SPL

20 scouts and 5 adults attended Camp Cherry Valley and Universal Studios July 17-25. We arrived at Amtrak early in the morning at about 5:30 on July 17. There we checked in, got all of our bag tags, and got on the train at about 6:40. We arrived at Best Western Long Beach at about 6:05 PM. Saturday, July 18, we got up and spent the day at Universal Studios. It was a lot of fun, and Denise Rollins, Shawn Rollins, and Ele Yang also attended and was at the park with us also. The next day, we all got in buses that took us down to the docks. The boat arrived at about 2:00-3:00, I forget which, but it was scheduled to arrive at 12:00, so it was late. We took the Catalina Classic to Catalina Island. When we arrived, we were introduced to our troop friends, T.O., Wyatt, and Cliff. They were all very nice and very helpful and we all became very good friends with them by the end of the week. From July 19-25, we all attended either merit badges or ACE (Advanced Camper Experience). We had an opening and closing campfire, Tribe of Torqua ceremony, and a game night, a few of which we have actually played at our meetings. The morning announcements were always a lot of fun, as they included role playing and funny calls for every staffed area. On July 25, we spent our last day at Camp Cherry Valley and with our troop friends. Every day, with the exception of the first day, we had inspections in the morning before breakfast, and on this morning, we scored a perfect 100%, which I am very proud of the troop for doing. We departed from Camp Cherry Valley on the Catalina Classic and arrived back at Long Beach harbor at about 1:00. We took a bus to the Amtrak station and left at about 1:45. We arrived home at about 11:00 PM, very tired from our fun trip. That concludes our exciting summer camp trip, as it was very different and special than our usual summer camps. I think that the troop had a very fun trip, and I hope that the troop could visit Camp Cherry Valley again in the years to come.



## SMUD Picnic

By Sheri Rush

This year saw a new venue for the annual SMUD picnic held this year on August 15, 2009. That morning Troop 380 met early at Rancho Seco Regional Park to set up for the annual SMUD picnic. Over 100 Scouts, Scouters and family members helped set up the food tents with serving tables, barbeques, ice chests, food, condiments and paper products. In addition, we set up tables and chairs for eating, and set up the registration and prize booths and displays. With the lake as our backdrop, SMUD employees played games, chose from the famous Troop 380 barbequed tri-tip, as well as hamburgers, hot dogs and fried chicken. The DJ and his crew kept the place hopping with a wide variety of music giving the party a festive atmosphere. Thank you to both Laura Born and Zenaida Kamine for their hard work organizing the event.



"Where is there a boy to whom the call of the wild and the open road does not appeal?"

- Lord Robert Baden-Powell

## Mini-Trek

By Nick Goodie

August 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> we left from Sequoia at 5 p.m. and got to the parking lot at around 6:30 p.m. We hiked on the PCT (Pacific Crest Trail) from Carson Pass to Echo Summit. We hiked around 14 miles and we had a great time. Everyone had fun and we had GREAT food!! We left the Carson Pass Parking lot around 1 p.m. and everyone got home safely.

All in all it was a great trek, and thank you Jon Traum for bringing food and arranging the campout.

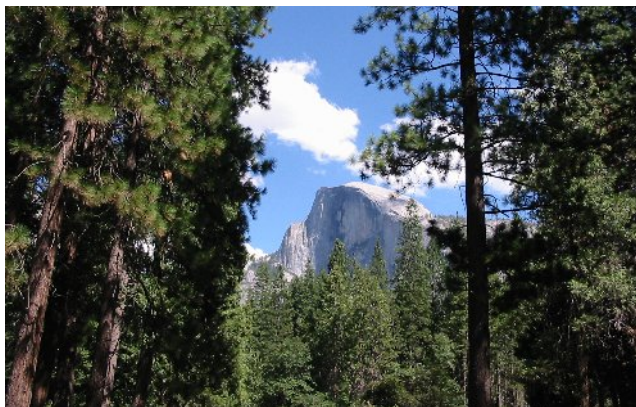


## Rancho Cordova Celebration of Faith – Prayers for our Troops

By First ASPL Aaron Rush

On Sunday, August 31, 2009, over 35 Scouts, Scouters and family members showed up for the Rancho Cordova Celebration of Faith Ceremony featuring a salute to our Armed Forces. With a member of the Marine Corps leading the way, 15 Scouts participated in the flag ceremony. The evening progressed with singing, a dance performance and prayers led by local church ministers and officials. As the evening fell, the Scouts lit luminaries while prayers were said for our soldiers and sailors in the military. Afterwards, everyone from the troop helped with the clean-up.

Before the ceremony we met at Mountain Mike's about 5 p.m. and had pizza for dinner. Then we were briefed on the upcoming ceremony and chose the Scouts that we wanted to represent us in the flag ceremony.



## Yosemite Service Project

By Alex Lee

We all had a great time at the Yosemite Service Project. 32 people went and it was a weekend to remember. We all met at Sequoia at about 5 p.m. on the 4<sup>th</sup> of September and then we got in the cars and went to Yosemite. It was a long 4 hour drive and when we got there, we set up camp and went to sleep. The next morning, we woke up and ate breakfast. At about 9 a.m. we were assigned to cut down some specific

plants [non-native species plant eradication]. After this we ate lunch and took a short break. Then we watered some plants to restore the Merced River. The service project was from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. We got to camp and we were able to take a break for the rest of the day. The next day, 11 of us woke up early to go on the Half Dome hike. We had a great time while the people who stayed at camp drove to Glacier Point. We got back late, had a good dinner, and went to bed. The next morning was the last day we stayed at camp. We woke up and ate breakfast, broke down camp, and went home.



## California Capital Air Show

By First ASPL Aaron Rush

At 7:30 in the morning, over sixty Scouts and Scouters showed up on to run the ice cream, churros and pretzel booths at the California Capital Air Show, September 12 and 13, 2009. We had eleven booths to run. The Venturing crew ran two booths selling t-shirts, hats and novelties. We learned how to run the booths in the early morning and how to clean them for the following day. While rain or the threat of it kept many people away on Saturday, the crowds came out to watch on Sunday. We were very productive and everyone had a good time selling ice cream and pretzels. A big bonus was having perfect positions to watch the air show performances.

Highlights of the show both days were the performances by the U.S. Air Force Thunderbirds and the Patriots as well as the F-22 Raptor demonstration. The F-22 also participated in the Heritage Flight with a F-86 Sabre and a P-51 Mustang. The show started with cadets from the Air Force Academy parachuting from a C-130, then a comedy act with the Jelly Belly Interstate Cadet, which later landed on top of a pickup truck as a rolling air craft carrier. There was even a race between the USAF Reserve Jet Car and the F-18! On Saturday we had not one, not two, but three fly-bys by the B-2 Spirit Stealth Bomber. On Sunday we saw the F-18 Hornet perform as well as a performance by a restored P-38 Lighting Bolt recovered from the Arctic Circle. Among the static displays were the U-2 Dragon Lady Spyplane, World War II Warbirds, a Coast Guard C130, a B-52 Stratofortress, a CDF S-2T Air tanker, a HH-60 Blackhawk, and many other helicopter, jet fighter, and support aircraft.

Afterwards, everyone was very tired but felt good knowing that they had made money for their Scout accounts. Many commented on the fact that they went home and took a nap or went to bed early each night. Thanks to Tonia Cameron for making this fundraiser happen.

## Upcoming Activities



### Angel Island Campout

By Jon Traum

We have a special camp out scheduled to Angel Island State Park in San Francisco Bay on October 3-4. We will be taking a Ferry boat over to Angel Island from Tiburon, and we will perform a service project in exchange for a free camp site. The island is rich in history, dating all the way back to the last ice age when sea levels were lower than today and the island was connected to the mainland. Since then the island has been used as a home for Native Americans, a settlement for Spanish explorers, a fort for the US Army, a quarantine station, an immigration station, and a Nike Missile Base during the cold war. Many historical sites remain on the island, and we will have a chance to explore them after our service project. We will also hike to the top of Mount Livermore (788 feet) for an outstanding view of San Francisco Bay. Scouts and Adults may bring their bicycles if they would like. We have a limited number of spots remaining, so please sign up soon if you want to go. Please talk to me if you would like more information. We are also still looking for parents who can help transport bikes to Tiburon.



### Pack 380 Haunted House

By Sheri Rush

Troop 380 and Pack 380 will hold a haunted house at Sequoia Elementary School on October 16, 2009, at 6:30 p.m. Scouts are needed to help with the haunted house, the bounce house, and to help put on several games for the pack. Please see Mark Woosley if you would like to help.



### Bodega Bay Campout

By Sheri Rush

On November 7 and 8, 2009, the Troop and the Venturing Crew will be heading to Bodega Bay for some fun and games. Everyone is invited to attend. We can take a hike

along the Upper Dunes and Lower Dunes trails, or Kortum Trail at Shell Beach. Bring your binoculars to spot wildlife and a camera for photographs. Scouts and Venturers will be playing Ultimate Frisbee, Frisbee Golf, Sow and the Bucket, and other games. For that time in camp we will even have cribbage and other card games available. Come out and have some fun. Details regarding food and costs will be available soon. Permission slips are available on the website.



### Mt. St. Helena Hike

By Sheri Rush

On Saturday, December 5, 2009, Troop 380 will hike up the trail on 4,343 foot Mt. St. Helena at Robert Louis Stevenson State Park in Sonoma County. Mt. St. Helena is one of the San Francisco Bay Area council's popular Rim of the Bay hikes. We will start out hiking through a woodland forest for the first half hour and then hike through chaparral to the top. Once there the views from the top are incredible. They include; the Napa Valley below, Lake Berryessa to the east, the Russian River and the Pacific Ocean to the west, Mt. Tamalpais in Marin County, and Mt. Diablo in Contra Costa County, and off in the northeast Mt. Lassen and Mt. Shasta. Bring your daypack, suitable clothes, lunch, water bottles and a snack. Oh, don't forget your copy of *Treasure Island*.



### Summer Camp 2010

Troop 380 will be attending summer camp 2010 at Camp Royaneh, during the week of July 4 - 10, 2010. Camp Royaneh is one of our Troop's favorite destinations. Camp Royaneh, which is owned and operated by the San Francisco Bay Area Council, features Project COPE, horse riding program, nature and conservation area, aquatics, field sports, and much more. Signups for camp will begin very soon, so put the dates on your calendar. Camp fees will be approximately \$350.00 per Scout. A deposit of \$50.00 will hold your spot for camp.



## Jamboree Troop 646

By Chris Ishikawa

Troop 380 has 19 scouts headed to Virginia in 2010 with Jamboree Troop 646. The National Jamboree is making plans for celebrating BSA's 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday, and we will be a part of it.

Our 19 scouts make up a large part of the 32 scouts and the 4 leaders from our Troop that will be attending. The journey will start with a 5-6 day tour of Washington, DC, Williamsburg, Busch Gardens and then the Jamboree. For eight days scouts will be exploring a multitude of merit badges, arena shows, and meeting scouts from all over. This should be a great adventure for us all.



## World Jamboree Sweden 2011

SWEDEN 2011 – World Scout Jamboree

Wouldn't you like to spend a day or two at the World Boy Scout Jamboree in Raykivik Sweden? And then spend 10 days taking in the sites all around the Scandinavian countryside? Reservations are now being taken to be a part of this great adventure. Just ask those who went to the London World Jamboree in 2007. There were 15 of our Scouts who were on that tour and I know they had a great time, I did!!!! Let me know if you would be interested in going with us.

Chris



## Fund-raising

### Magazine Fund-raiser

I'm sure you've started getting renewal notices for your magazines, so that means it must be Magazine Fund-raising time again. Most of the scouts received a brochure and order forms, because of the missing week (Labor Day) of scout meetings, we are extending the turn in until Sept. 28. Let me know if you have any questions.

Chris



### Powered by Popcorn – Trail's End Popcorn Fund-raiser

By Naomi Kamine-Mellerski and Erik Carlson

The Trail's End Show and Sell popcorn fund-raiser began August 7<sup>th</sup>. The scouts sold popcorn at Bel Air in Gold River, and at Hollywood Video, Food Source and Save Mart in the Rosemont community. The scouts sold over \$3000 in popcorn. The next phase of the fund-raiser is the Take-Home sales which start on September 21<sup>st</sup>. We are hoping that Take-Home sales will be just as successful.

Thank you to the scouts and their parents that helped with the site sales. A special thank you goes to Joe, Corey and Casey Reynolds, for helping Naomi to get the popcorn to her house.

If you have any questions, please contact Naomi Kamine-Mellerski at 366-5822 or NMellerski@yahoo.com or Erik Carlson at t380popcorn@yahoo.com

Dates to remember:

- September 21<sup>st</sup>: Take order sales begin
- October 12<sup>th</sup>: Take order forms are due
- November 14<sup>th</sup>: Popcorn distribution
- November 16<sup>th</sup>: All moneys are due at Troop Meeting



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### Venturing Crew Fund-raisers

By Mark Stretars

Crew 380 is beginning their fund-raising season. The first fund-raiser will be at Rubio's Mexican Restaurant in Rancho Cordova near Lowes. Our second fund-raiser will be at Wing-Stop also in Rancho Cordova.

The Rubio's fund-raiser will take place on October 1 from 3pm to 9pm. The crew will have flyers to pass out to Scouts, family, friends and co-workers prior to the fund-raiser. We will receive 20% of sales from those who bring the flyer in.

The date of the Wing-Stop's fund-raiser will be announced. Thank you for your support.



### Troop 380 Upcoming Events

Date	Location	Activity	Time
September 28	Troop Meeting	Church	7:00 PM
	Patrol Leaders' Council	Church	6:30 PM
September 29	Troop Parent Meeting	Church	7:30 PM
October 3-4	Angel Island Camp Out	Angel Island	Weekend
October 5	Troop Meeting	Church	7:00 PM
	New Merit Badges Begin	Church	6:30 PM
October 8	RDO Roundtable	Cordova LDS Church	7:30 PM
October 10	Tree Planting Project	Sequoia	9:00 AM
October 12	Troop Meeting	Church	7:00 PM
	Popcorn Order Due		
October 16	Pack 380 Haunted House	Sequoia School	6:30 PM
October 19	Troop Meeting	Church	7:00 PM

	Merit Badges	Church	6:30 PM
October 24	California Capitol March	Raley Field/Capitol	All Day
October 26	Troop Meeting	Church	7:00 PM
	PLC	Church	6:30 PM
October 27	Troop Parent Meeting	Church	7:30 PM
November 2	Troop Meeting	Church	7:00 PM
	Merit Badges	Church	6:30 PM
November 7-8	Bodega Bay Camp Out	Bodega Dunes State Park	Weekend
November 9	Troop Meeting	Church	7:00 PM
November 12	RDO Roundtable	Cordova LDS Church	7:30 PM
November 16	Troop Meeting	Church	7:00 PM
	Merit Badges	Church	6:30 PM
November 20	Ted Burchett's Eagle Court	Church	7:00 PM
November 23	Troop Meeting	Church	7:00 PM
	PLC	Church	6:30 PM
November 24	Troop Parent Meeting	Church	7:30 PM
November 30	Troop Meeting	Church	7:00 PM
December 5	Mt. St. Helena Hike	Napa Valley	All Day
December 7	Troop Meeting	Church	7:00 PM
	Merit Badges	Church	6:30 PM
December 10	RDO Roundtable	Cordova LDS Church	7:30 PM
December 14	Winter Court of Honor	TBA	6:30 PM
December 21	Troop Meeting	Church	7:00 PM
	Merit Badges	Church	6:30 PM
December 26	Christmas Tree Fliers	TBA	9:00 AM
December 28	Bowling Night	Strikes in Elk Grove	6:00 PM
April 30-May 2	2010 Scout Expo	Beale Air Force Base	Weekend
July 4-10, 2010 Long	Camp Royaneh	Cazadero, CA	Week

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# Advancement

By Floyd Brown and Gary Lentsch

Wow what a summer for advancement! Since the last court of honor the scouts in the troop earned 131 merit badges and 24 rank advancements as well as 6 special awards. Congratulations to everyone for all the hard work.

Scout Name	Award Type	Award Name	Date Earned
<b>ALLRED, BRETT</b>	Merit Badge :	Archery	07/04/09
		Camping*	08/11/09
		Canoeing	07/24/09
		First Aid*	07/04/09
		Indian Lore	07/04/09
		Oceanography	07/24/09
		Salesmanship	07/04/09
		Wilderness Survival	07/24/09
		Wood Carving	07/24/09
		<b>ALVARADO, CHRISTIAN</b>	Merit Badge :
Forestry	07/04/09		
Geology	07/04/09		
Weather	07/04/09		
Rank : Star	07/03/09		
<b>BOLES, ADAM</b>	Merit Badge :	Swimming*	07/04/09
		Rank : Tenderfoot	08/10/09
<b>BORN, ROBERT</b>	Rank :	Eagle	06/09/09 P
<b>BROWN, JAMIE</b>	Merit Badge :	Archaeology	07/24/09
		Communications*	07/04/09
		Orienteering	07/25/09
		Rifle Shooting	07/04/09
		Wilderness Survival	07/24/09
<b>BROWN, KENNY</b>	Merit Badge :	Swimming*	07/04/09
		Rank : Tenderfoot	07/03/09
<b>BROWN, MATT</b>	Merit Badge :	Horsemanship	07/04/09
<b>BROWN, MATTHEW</b>	Merit Badge :	Leatherwork	07/04/09
		Swimming*	07/04/09
		Water Sports	08/14/09
<b>BURCHETT, TED</b>	Rank :	Eagle	05/31/09 P
<b>CHANG,</b>	Merit	Fish and	07/04/09

Scout Name	Award Type	Award Name	Date Earned
<b>IAN</b>	Badge :	Wildlife	
		Reptile/Amphibian	07/04/09
		Rank : Tenderfoot	08/10/09
		2nd Class	09/14/09

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<b>FITZSIMMONS, DAKOTA</b>	Merit Badge :	Camping*	07/25/09	
		Canoeing	07/24/09	
		Environmental Science*	07/02/09	
		First Aid*	07/04/09	
		Lifesaving*	07/04/09	
		Oceanography	07/24/09	
		Rowing	07/25/09	
		Rank : Star	07/23/09	
		Special Awards	DEN CHIEF SERVICE	07/06/09
		<b>FLORES, ANDREW</b>	Rank :	Scout
<b>FORTSON, ALISTAIR</b>	Merit Badge :	Communications*	07/04/09	
		Leatherwork	07/04/09	
		Plant Science	07/04/09	
		<b>FRENKLAK, EVAN</b>	Merit Badge :	Camping*
Indian Lore	07/04/09			
Oceanography	07/04/09			
Swimming*	07/04/09			
<b>GOODIE, GERRY</b>	Special Awards	MILE SWIM	07/25/09	
		<b>GOODIE, NICHOLAS</b>	Merit Badge :	Rifle Shooting
		Small Boat Sailing		07/24/09
<b>HAMILTON, NICK</b>	Merit Badge	Camping*	07/25/09	

<b>ISHIKAWA</b>	:		
		Canoeing	07/24/09
		First Aid*	07/04/09
		Reptile/Amphibian	07/04/09
		Rowing	07/25/09
		Swimming*	07/04/09
		Wood Carving	07/24/09
	Rank :	1st Class	07/23/09
	Special Awards	MILE SWIM	07/25/09
<b>HEISER, DYLAN</b>	Merit Badge :	American Heritage	07/04/09
		Camping*	07/04/09
<b>KUYKENDALL, JOSHUA</b>	Merit Badge :	Orienteering	07/25/09

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<b>LACY, DYLAN</b>	Merit Badge :	Archery	07/24/09
		Rifle Shooting	07/24/09
		Swimming*	07/24/09
	Rank :	2nd Class	07/25/09
<b>LAMMI, DYLAN</b>	Merit Badge :	Archery	07/24/09
		Rifle Shooting	07/24/09
		Swimming*	07/24/09
	Rank :	2nd Class	07/23/09
<b>LEE, ALEX</b>	Merit Badge :	Lifesaving*	07/24/09
		Oceanography	07/24/09
		Rifle Shooting	07/24/09
	Rank :	Star	09/14/09
<b>LENTSCH, KELSON</b>	Merit Badge :	Horsemanship	07/04/09
		Swimming*	07/04/09
	Rank :	Star	08/03/09
<b>MARENGO, GARRETT</b>	Merit Badge :	Citizenship In the Community*	08/31/09
		Personal Fitness*	10/24/05 P
<b>McPIKE, LIAM</b>	Merit Badge :	Archery	07/04/09
<b>MELLERSKI, ALEXANDER</b>	Merit Badge :	Camping*	07/25/09
		Forestry	07/04/09
		Geology	07/24/09
		Mammal Study	07/04/09
		Nature	07/24/09
		Oceanography	07/04/09
		Orienteering	07/25/09

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<b>OSHIRO, CONNOR</b>	Merit Badge :	Camping*	09/14/09
		First Aid*	07/03/09
		Oceanography	07/04/09
		Plant Science	07/04/09
	Rank :	1st Class	07/01/09
<b>POTTER, CHARLIE</b>	Merit Badge :	Forestry	07/04/09
		Orienteering	07/04/09
		Shotgun Shooting	07/04/09
		Wilderness Survival	07/04/09
	Special Awards	MILE SWIM	07/01/09
<b>POTTER, GEORGE</b>	Merit Badge :	Swimming*	07/04/09
	Rank :	Tenderfoot	08/10/09

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<b>PUNIA, SAMEER</b>	Merit Badge :	Emergency Preparedness*	07/04/09
		Mammal Study	07/04/09
		Personal Management*	02/02/09 P
		Rifle Shooting	07/04/09
	Rank :	Life	09/14/09
<b>RANNOV, LOGAN</b>	Merit Badge :	Indian Lore	07/04/09
	Rank :	Tenderfoot	07/02/09
		2nd Class	08/31/09
<b>RAYE, JACK</b>	Merit Badge :	Shotgun Shooting	07/04/09
		Wilderness Survival	07/04/09
<b>REYNOLDS, CASEY</b>	Merit Badge :	Oceanography	07/24/09
		Small Boat Sailing	07/24/09
<b>REYNOLDS, COREY</b>	Merit Badge :	Family Life*	07/27/09
		Music	08/31/09
		Nature	07/03/09
		Oceanography	07/24/09
		Orienteering	07/25/09
		Weather	07/04/09
	Special Awards	MILE SWIM	07/25/09
<b>RICHARDSON, DANIEL</b>	Merit Badge :	Camping*	07/25/09
		Forestry	07/04/09
		Leatherwork	07/04/09
		Orienteering	07/25/09
		Small Boat Sailing	07/24/09
		Theater	07/04/09

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	Rank :	1st Class	07/01/09
<b>RIPKE, SCOTT</b>	Merit Badge :	Archery	07/24/09
		Rifle Shooting	07/24/09
		Wood Carving	07/24/09
<b>RUSH, AARON</b>	Merit Badge :	Wilderness Survival	07/24/09
<b>RUYGT, WILLIAM</b>	Merit Badge :	Horsemanship	07/04/09
		Shotgun Shooting	07/04/09
<b>SCHIELE, ANDREW</b>	Merit Badge :	Entrepreneur	07/04/09
		Indian Lore	07/04/09
		Nature	07/03/09

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<b>SCHIELE, JOSEPH</b>	Merit Badge :	Entrepreneur	07/04/09		
		Environmental Science*	07/04/09		
		Nature	07/03/09		
<b>SCRUGGS, SAM</b>	Merit Badge :	Emergency Prep*	07/04/09		
		Fish and Wildlife	07/04/09		
		Geology	07/04/09		
		Rank :	Life	07/03/09	
		<b>SIMPSON, TAYLOR</b>	Rank :	Eagle	04/26/09 P
				<b>SMITH, RYAN</b>	Merit Badge :
		Reptile/Amphibian	07/04/09		
		Swimming*	07/04/09		
		Wilderness Survival	07/04/09		
	Rank :	2nd Class	07/02/09		
		1st Class	08/31/09		

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<b>SMITH, SHAINÉ</b>	Merit Badge :	Oceanography	07/24/09
		Small Boat Sailing	07/24/09
		<b>TRIMM, ALEXANDER</b>	Merit Badge :
		Mammal Study	07/04/09
		Personal Management*	02/02/09 P
		Rifle Shooting	07/04/09
<b>WOOSLEY, TYLER</b>	Merit Badge :	Environmental Science*	07/24/09
		Oceanography	07/24/09
		Rifle Shooting	07/24/09
	Special Awards:	World Conservation	07/24/09

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### 131 Merit Badges and 24 Rank Badges

Merit Badges				Rank Badges	
Merit Badge	Number Earned	Merit Badge	Number Earned	Rank Badge	Number Earned
American Heritage	1	Music	1	Scout	1
Archaeology	1	Nature	4	Tenderfoot	5
Archery	5	Oceanography	10	2nd Class	5
Camping*	8	Orienteering	6	1st Class	4
Canoeing	3	Personal Fitness*	0 (+1 'P')	Star	4
Cit In Community*	1	Personal Management*	0 (+2 'P')	Life	2
Communications*	2	Plant Science	2	Eagle	0 (+3 'P')
Emergency Prep*	2	Reptile/Amphibian	3		
Entrepreneur	2	Rifle Shooting	9		
Environmental Science*	3	Rowing	2		
Family Life*	1	Salesmanship	1		
First Aid*	5	Shotgun Shooting	3		
Fish and Wildlife	3	Small Boat Sailing	4		
Forestry	4	Swimming*	10		
Geology	3	Theater	1		

Horsemanship	3	Water Sports	1
Indian Lore	4	Weather	2
Leatherwork	4	Wilderness Survival	6
Lifesaving*	2	Wood Carving	3
Mammal Study	3		

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