

Troop 219 Informational Handout

(www.troop219.org)

NO TROOP MEETING ON MONDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2010 DUE TO PRESIDENT'S DAY.

- **Scout Sunday Church Service and Pancake Breakfast.**

Thank You to the Scouts and adults for all of your help to make our Annual Scout Sunday Thank You Pancake Breakfast this past Sunday a success. The THIRD point of the Scout Law is "A Scout is HELPFUL". THANKS AGAIN.

- **Snow Snake for Snowtubing and Camp Rotary for Cabin and Electronic Campout**

Your Permission Slip and payment for this activity should have been turned already. This will take place on Friday, February 19-Sunday, February 21, 2010. We will meet at Fenton Collision at 5:30 P.M. and depart for Clare, Michigan, at 6:00 P.M. **YOU MUST HAVE DINNER BEFORE WE DEPART FOR CAMP ROTARY.** We will return to Fenton Collision at approximately 1:00 P.M. on Sunday afternoon.

Review of expenses: \$30.00 for the rental of the cabin and your meals.

\$10 FOR ONE HOUR OR \$17.00 FOR TWO HOURS-for tube rental-not included in cabin and food costs.

\$? ? for concession stand snacks-this is your option but should not be required

After breakfast on Saturday we will depart for the tubing part of our agenda. Tubing is open from 10 A.M. until noon or 5 P.M. until 10:00 P.M. We are scheduled for the two-hour morning session.

We will return to the cabin at noon for lunch and then some orienteering exercises and games. Camp Rotary has some good compass courses already set up for the use of campers. Dinner will be at 5:30 P.M. and the games portion of our agenda will take place from 6:30-11 P.M. The cabin does have an indoor bathroom and three showers.

- **New Horizons District Pinewood Derby Finals Concession Stand and Car Stands**

The New Horizons District Pinewood Derby Finals will be held at Lake Fenton High School on Saturday, February 27, 2010. We have sold 1-car, 2-car, 3-car and 4-car display stands as a fund raiser for our Troop. We also run a concession stand throughout the day. Help will be needed that Saturday with some set-up, car stand assembly and staffing the concession stand and car sales table.

- **Troop 179 Lock-In**

Troop 179 will host their annual lock-in on Friday night, March 12, 2010. I have attached an Informational Flier and the Mt. Morris Consolidated Schools *AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE* form that must be completed and returned with the Permission Slip & Health Form on Monday, March 1, 2010. Summer Camp Swim Checks will be conducted during the Lock-In also.

- **Summer Camp Deposits**

It is time to start thinking about summer camp for 2010. Our week at Camp Tapico is Sunday, July 11 through July 17, 2010. There is an early incentive fee which means we must make the full payment to the Council Service Center by May 14, 2010. You should make your payments to the Troop with the last payment being made no later than Monday, May 10, 2010. These may be made at any Scout meeting to our Troop Treasurer, Mr. Miller.

- **Pack 158 Webelos Crossover**

The Pack 158 Webelos Crossover will be held at the Lake Fenton High School on Sunday, February 21, 2010. I do not yet have all of the details but will need at least one additional leader and a couple of Scouts to conduct the Crossover Ceremony.

- **Pack 286 Webelos Crossover**

The Pack 286 Webelos Crossover will be held at the St. John Activity Center on Sunday, March 7, 2010. I will need 2-3 Scouts to help conduct the ceremony and receive any Webelos who have decided to join our Troop.

- **Pack 270 Webelos Crossovers**

I am still trying to confirm the Crossover dates for both of this Pack. We have had Webelos visit with us and several have expressed an interest in our Troop

- **Success for Teens Presentation**

The fourth session of the Success for Teens program will be Monday, February 25, 2010. Mr. Morgan will be the presenter for Session 4. Please remember to bring your Success for Teens pamphlet and read the section beforehand.

- **Bluespring Caverns Overnight Adventure**

The paperwork has already been distributed and while the sign-up deadline is not until March 1, 2010 we are limited to 20 participants so the ability to participate will be on a first come-first serve basis. If we get more than 20 applications we can check with the Caverns to see if there are any additional openings but there is an overall limit to the number of people who may stay overnight and additional openings may not be available.

• **45th Annual Fishing Derby-Troop 219 Fenton Participation**

THIS WILL NOT BE A FORMAL TROOP ACTIVITY BUT IF YOU ARE INTERESTED YOU MAY PARTICIPATE.

The 45th Annual Fishing Derby will be held on Saturday, February 13, 2010 at Seven Lakes State Park. It is free except for the State Park admission fee and any concessions items you might purchase. They will have a heater enclosure and a Food Concession.

The sponsor is the Izaak Walton League and the schedule is as follows: Time 9:00 A.M.–2:00 P.M.

9:00 A.M. –11:00 A.M. scheduled for Ice Safety Demonstrations and Ice fishing demonstrations

11:00 A.M.-2:00 P.M. Ice Fishing Derby

Prizes will be awarded at the conclusion of the Ice Fishing Derby.

Equipment: Provided by individual Scouts.

Mr. Morgan was originally the adult in charge of this activity but they moved it back one week and Mr. Morgan is no longer available. Check with me or Mr. Morgan to see who will be the adult in charge of this activity if you are interested.

Michael L. Hussar, Scoutmaster

Boy Scout Troop 219

Email: Scoutmaster@Troop219.org

810-629-1172 (home)

810-569-4091 (cell)

Detach and Return with your Summer Camp Deposit or Next Payment

+++++

Troop 219

Summer Camp Reservation (DEPOSIT or next PAYMENT)

Return this Completed Form and Deposit or Next Payment at any Monday night Scout Meeting

Registration: Scout's name(s) _____

Payment Method: Scout's Account _____

COST (\$50.00 Deposit-youth/\$25.00 Deposit-adult) OR

NEXT PAYMENT OF \$. YOU ARE MAKING TOWARDS SUMMER CAMP 2010

Check Amount and # _____

Cash _____

Payment Received By: _____

(Initials)

Summer Camp Deposit and Payments

_____ (name) will be attending summer camp at Camp Tapico from Sunday, July 11, 2010 through Saturday, July 17, 2010, with Boy Scout Troop 219.

The DISCOUNTED total cost for summer camp is \$270.00 per Scout and UNKNOWN per adult if payment in full is made to the Tall Pine Council by May 15, 2010.

All payments to the Council will be made by the Troop after you have made your payments to the Troop.

The total cost includes a \$40.00 per person contingent fee. The contingent fee is for costs incurred by the Troop for summer camp and an equipment rental fee of \$10.00 per person.

AFTER MAY 15 THE SUMMER CAMP FEE INCREASES BY \$20.00 TO \$290.00 PER SCOUT AND BY \$10.00 TO UNKNOWN PER ADULT.