

Troop 219 Informational Handout

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- **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 1-car, 2-car, 3-car and 4-car display stands for sale as a fund raiser for our Troop. We also run a concession stand throughout the day. We need 3 Scouts and one-adult to help with set-up, car stand assembly and sales and 3 Scouts and one adult to staff the concession stand. The hours are 9:00 A.M. until 1:340 P.M. This is an opportunity to put some additional money into your Scout account.

- **Summer Camp Deposits-IMPORTANT ! ! ! !**

Our week at Camp Tapico is Sunday, July 11 through July 17, 2010. We are supposed to turn in our preliminary roster and a \$50.00/Scout and \$25.00/Adult Deposit by March 5, 2010. We will turn in the completed paperwork and payments after our meeting on Monday, March 8, 2010-a few days late. There is an early incentive fee which means we must make the full payment to the Council Service Center by May 14, 2010. The full cost per Scout is \$280.00 if the full payment is made by May 14. 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.

- **Troop 179 Lock-In**

Troop 179 will host their annual lock-in on Friday night, March 12, 2010. There Informational Flier and the Mt. Morris Consolidated Schools *AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE* form were included as pages 5 and 6 of Handout No. 12. The Mt. Morris Schools *Agreement to Participate Form* must be completed and returned with the Permission Slip & Health Form and your payment on Monday, March 1, 2010. Summer Camp Swim Checks will be conducted during the Lock-In also. Swimming Merit Badge will be offered at the lock-in. The information to sign-up for it was in the Flyer. If you are interested by do not pre-register you will not be allowed to work on it.

- **Pack 270 Webelos Crossovers**

The Pack 270 Crossover took place this past **Sunday, February 28**. John Galvin, Max McDonald and Jordan Dagenais were present to help with the Crossover Ceremony. Mr. Adams, Mr. Galvin and Mr. McDonald were also there with me. We received 8 Webelos who will become members of our Troop. A friend of one of the Webelos would like to start his Scouting trail with us also. Their first meeting with us will be on Monday, March 8, 2010.

- **Pack 158 Webelos Crossover**

The Pack 158 Webelos Crossover will be held at Torrey Hill Middle School in the gymnasium **on Sunday, March 7, 2010**. It will begin at 1:00 P.M. but will need at least one leader and a 2-3 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 the Webelos who have decided to join our Troop.

- **Success for Teens Presentation**

The fourth session of the Success for Teens program was conducted on Monday, February 22, 2010. Mr. Morgan was the presenter for Session 4.

- **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.

- **Dorchester International Brotherhood Camporee**

Mr. Miller has distributed an Informational Handout for DIBC 2010 which includes the Permission Slip and Health Form with payment information. The dates are May 7 through May 9, 2010. Please review it as there are some requirements which will take time for you to work on well in advance, primarily that a valid Passport or Passcard are required for all participants.

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