

Troop 219 Informational Mailing

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- **Welcome Back**

Welcome back to a new scout year with Boy Scout Troop 219. The Troop 219 annual calendar was distributed at this meeting, one per family. If you need an extra copy please see the Scoutmaster for one.

- **Troop Committee Meetings**

The next Troop Committee Meeting for the 2001-2002 Scout year will be held on Wednesday, September 19, 2001 at the First Presbyterian Church-Fenton. This will begin PROMPTLY at 7:00 P.M. Reminders of future meetings will come in the weekly handouts **and** are listed in the Troop calendar.

- **Skill-O-Rama**

Information about the Skill-O-Rama and a Permission Slip and Health Form are included in this handout. The completed Permission Slip and your \$15.00 payment must be returned at our Scout meeting on Monday, September 24, 2001, but may be turned in before that date. If you will only be coming out for the day on Saturday, please see Mr. Hussar for a different Permission Slip and Health Form. The fee for Saturday only, including a patch and lunch, will be \$5.00 / person. The Saturday only form and payment are also due on or before September 24, 2001.

- **Court of Honor**

The first formal Court of Honor for the 2001-2002 Scout year will be held on Monday, September 24, 2001. This will begin at 7:00 P.M. sharp and will be held in the Sanctuary of the First Presbyterian Church of Fenton. Parents and other family members are invited, and encouraged to attend. Over 130 merit badges plus rank advancements will be presented and other Special Recognitions will be made.

- **Order of the Arrow Fall Conclave**

Information about the upcoming Fall Conclave was included in the recently distributed PineTree. If you did not receive yours then please talk to your fellow Arrowmen. The conclave will be held at Camp Holaka the weekend of Friday, September 21 through Sunday, September 23, 2001. Pre-Registration through the Council Office is appreciated but you may register at check-in on Friday night. We have not included any other information in this handout but if you have questions on what to bring or how to get to Camp, again see a fellow Arrowman. You will need to bring a tent with your other personal gear and work clothes.

- **RoundTable and Order of the Arrow Chapter Meetings**

There is a new location for the New Horizons District RoundTable Meetings. They will now be held at the Grand Blanc Middle School. Use the main entrance and follow the signs to the new location. The Order of the Arrow Bidaban Chapter meetings are held the same night at the same location. All Arrowmen are encouraged to attend the monthly chapter meetings. **IF** you need a ride please contact the Scoutmaster.

Mr. Larry Zimble
Scoutmaster-Boy Scout Troop 219

Troop 219 Skill-O-Rama and Campout
Friday, October 5th through Sunday, October 7th, 2001
(Silver Lake Park, Fenton, Michigan)

EQUIPMENT LIST

Bring outer wear and clothing appropriate for the weather. This will be a tent campout -the Troop will provide the tents.

- Warm Jacket or Sweatshirt
- Official Scout Uniform
- Personal First Aid Kit
- Poncho / Rain gear • Comfortable hiking shoes or boots
- 1 Complete Change of Clothing
- Boy Scout Handbook
- Pajamas or something to change into for bed
- Sleeping Bag and possibly a blanket • Pillow
- Ground Cloth • Ground Pad
- Flashlight-extra batteries
- Insect repellent-pump or lotion-not aerosol
- Toilet Articles-soap, towel, washcloth, comb, toothbrush and toothpaste and whatever else you might need.
- Canteen or water bottle with holder
- Scout Knife-if you have your Totin'Chip Card,
- Compass
- **Personal eating utensils (knife, fork, spoon, insulated cup or mug, plate and bowl ARE Required.)**

•• NO ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT OR GAMES

Troop 219 Skill-O-Rama Campout
October 5-October 7, 2001
PERMISSION SLIP & HEALTH FORM
 (RETURN-WITH \$15.00 PAYMENT by MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24TH)

REGISTRATION: Adult or Scout's Name _____

Method of Payment: Individual's Account _____

Check Amount and Number _____

Cash _____

_____ (name) has my permission to attend the Troop 219 Skill-O-Rama Campout with Boy Scout Troop 219 from 6:00 P.M. Friday, October 5th through 11:00 A.M., Sunday, October 7th, 2001 at Fenton's Silver Lake Park on Jennings Rd., Fenton, Michigan. Transportation will be arranged for by each Scout's family.

Have dinner prior to arriving Friday evening.

In the event of an emergency, and I cannot be reached by telephone or other reasonable means, I hereby (DO/DO NOT) give my permission to the physician selected by the adult leader in charge to hospitalize, secure proper anesthesia, order injections, surgery and do whatever appears medically necessary for my child.

Medical Insurance Company: _____

Medical Insurance Numbers: _____

Allergies or other medical information: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian: _____ Date- _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _ Zip Code: _____

Home Tel. No: () _____ Alternate Tel. No: () _____

Person to contact in an emergency if parent/guardian cannot be reached:

Name: _____ Relationship to Scout: _____

Telephone Number: () _____