

Troop 219 Informational Handout

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• College of Commissioner Science

I received a phone call from Mr. Weber requesting some help between 7 and 9 A.M. on Saturday morning, January 24, 2009. They need a number of fully uniformed Scouts to point out directions to attendees of this event. This will be at Baker College on the corner of Fenton and Bristol Rds. You would only be needed for the 2 hour time period. I told him that I would put out the request and see if any of the Scouts not attending the Klondike Derby that weekend would be interested and available. Call me by Thursday, January 15, 2009 if you would be interested.

• New Horizons District Swim Program

The six Scouts who attended the Lifesaving Merit Badge portion of this program all completed the merit badge. They were Ryan Gorelick, Thad Kunkel, Max McDonald, Derek Trecha, Alec Wilhoite and Michael Wisniewski. I know of at least two Scouts, Nick Gorelick and Cody Jagielski, who worked on the Swimming Merit Badge and I will get their Merit Badge Applications back at RoundTable this Thursday. I believe that they have completed the Swimming Merit Badge but will not know for sure until after we get their Merit Badge Applications back.

• Rock and Roll Hall of Fame, Cleveland, Ohio=day trip.

The Patrol Leader's Council put this on the planning calendar last June and decided to leave it on the calendar at their next meeting in August. The Rock and Roll Hall of Fame is open from 10:00 A.M. until 5:30 P.M. The last time this trip was made we had lunch before we entered the museum and then had dinner on the way home. The actual time in the museum is suggested as between 2.5 and 3.5 hours. This trip is on the unit calendar for March 7, 2009 with permission slips and payments turned in on or before Monday, February 9, 2009. Family members may attend.

While there are a number of packages available the basic group rate is:

Adults (age 19-64)-\$16.75

Seniors (65+)-\$14.35

Students/Youth (9-18)-\$11.35

Students/Youth (8 and under)-Free.

Chaperones are required and provided complimentary admission at a 1:10 ratio. This information is from the listing on their web site for 2008-subject to change. Since this trip will be made using personal cars there will be adjustments to the fees to cover gas, parking and Turnpike Tolls and you will need additional monies for lunch and dinner and souvenirs. The Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and Museum web site is <http://www.rockhall.com>.

• New Horizons District RoundTable and OA Chapter Meeting

The January RoundTable and OA Chapter meeting is this Thursday, January 15, 2009 and they begin at 7:00 P.M. at the Fenton Road Baptist Church. Any members of the committee or any OA members are invited to attend the monthly RoundTable Meeting or Chapter Meeting. If a Scout needs a ride please contact Mr. Hussar, cell phone 810-569-4091.

• Troop Committee Meetings-with date correction

Our next Troop Committee Meeting will be held on Wednesday, January 21, 2009.

• New Horizons District Klondike Derby for 2009

If you are camping we will depart from the Fenton Collision parking lot at 6:00 P.M. on Friday, January 24, 2009. You may be picked up there on Sunday at approximately 11:00 A.M. If you are coming out for the Klondike Derby on Saturday you need to arrive by 8:15 A.M.

I know we will need drivers on Saturday and would appreciate it if you could let me know who could drive and get me the information so that we may complete the Local Tour Permit for the Saturday only people. This needs to be completed on Monday, January 19, 2009.

Scouts who are attending will need to bring the equipment that they will be providing for the patrol on Monday, January 19, 2009. Everything but personal equipment for the campout and your tin foil dinners needs to be brought in next Monday.

• Mackinac Island Scout Service Troop 2009.

Mr. Zimble has a link to this information on our web site. Applications and a deposit are required by January 21, 2009. Mr. Zimble has packages if you are interested in attending and meet the requirements.

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