



Troop 291 Newsletter

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May Birthdays

Scouts

Joshua Fischer	6
Jeremy Overling	24

Adult Scouters

Jim Morrow	13
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Committee Chairman Notes:

May Events

Troop CPR training

This will be held on May 5 and 12 at the Scout Hut from 7:00 – 8:30 pm. Estimated cost is \$5. See Linda Lyles for more info.

Campout May 16-18 Eufaula (Porum Landing)

This will be a fish fry/service project campout. Parents are invited to attend. Please be sure to fill out the appropriate permission form.

Pre-Summer Camp meeting Scout Hut May 19 @ 7:00 – 8:30

This is a required meeting for at least one parent of ALL boys going to summer camp this year. The parents and boys will be educated as to what items they can take with them and what to expect on the trip. See Rich Cannon (Scoutmaster) for more info.

June Events

Troop 1st Aid Training

This will be held on June 2 at the Scout Hut from 7:00 – 8:30. See Linda Lyles for more info.

Court of Honor

This will be held in the Fellowship Hall of the church on June 9 from 7:00 – 8:30pm. Parents are encouraged to attend. Please remember to bring a snack and/or refreshments to this event.

Physicals

All parents need to come to the Scout Hut to sign a new Class 1/2 for their son and update any medical conditions/medications. This will be required unless he has received a new physical either in Norman or at his usual doctor. In that case, we need a copy of his new physical form for our records. The class 1/2 form is good for 3 years. These need to be done by May 31, 2003. See Brenda Moody for more info.

Summer Camp 2003

All money has to be turned in by May 5th so we can get the cheaper rate (\$185). If money is turned in after this date, the cost goes up to \$215/boy. See Dan Melton to turn in your money.

Board of Review/Merit Badge Counselor Training

Board of Review training is set for April 28 @ 7:15 pm in the Covenant room at the church. Merit Badge Counselor training is set for May 5th @ 7:15 pm in the Covenant room at the church. See Mike Richardson for details.

Troop Website <http://welcome.to/troop291>

The website has grown and become packed with information! Committee meeting agendas, pre agenda briefings, and minutes are posted there, as well as permission slips for upcoming campouts. Please feel free to exploit this source of information frequently!

Upcoming Events:

Summer Camp money Due:	May 5
CPR Training:	May 5 (6:30 p.m. Scout Hut, cost \$5.00)
Merit Badge Training:	May 5 (7:15 p.m. Scout Hut)
S.C.A.T.:	May 10 (6:30 a.m. Scout Hut)
Merit Badge Fair	May 10 (8:30 a.m. St Andrews Catholic Church, SW 5 th St, Moore)
CPR Training:	May 12(6:30 p.m. Scout Hut, cost \$5.00)
Street Clean-up:	May 31 (FALCONS – meet at Scout Hut)
First Aid training:	June 2 (Place to be determined, cost \$5.00)
Court of Honor:	June 9 (7:00 - Please bring a “Finger Food”)

Charter Organization News:

The First United Methodist Church of Moore will be recognized at the 2003 Sooner District Awards Recognition Banquet on April 25, 2003 for “Outstanding Charter Partner of the Year” This is for their chartering of a Cub Scout Pack, Boy Scout Troop and a Venture Crew.

Fundraising News:

The Butter Braid Fundraiser put \$750 into scout accounts - Good Job to everyone!!!
We are planning on a car wash, curb painting and we also will have the July 4th Booth for summer fundraising events. There are also 33 First Aid Kits left in our inventory. For any questions regarding fundraising please see Paula Smith.

Training News:

Youth Protection on-line! http://www.lastfrontiercouncil.org/ypt_tour2003.htm . Youth Protection is an annual requirement dictated by council for all adult scouters to be current and registered in the troop. For other council training courses keep checking their calendar: www.lastfrontiercouncil.org .

CPR Training – May 5 (6:30 Scout Hut, cost \$5.00)

CPR Training – May 12(6:30 Scout Hut, cost \$5.00)

First Aid training – June 2 (Place to be determined, cost \$5.00)

Advancements:

UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Committee Notes:

If you have something for the newsletter please contact Karen Morrow @:
kem66_1999@yahoo.com. Thank you!

Scoutmaster Minute:

Summer Camp is around the corner which means days of endless naps (tying the Scoutmaster in his hammock is not an approved activity), cool mountain breezes. This year we will be at Camp Pioneer. Activities to include swimming, hiking, canoeing, climbing and mountain biking. All that is missing is YOU and YOUR smile. Sign up and bring it.

YIS Mr. Cannon
p.s. Tying Committee Chairs' hammock is an approved activity!

Pre-registration form for Merit Badges and Rank Advancements will be handed out April 21, 2003. All scouts will have a schedule and an advancement report. Each scout should review this information with his parents and adult advisor. The scout should then complete the pre-register form no later than May 12, 2003. If you have any questions please have the scout contact his adult advisor.

MAY 2003

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 7:00 Roundtable	2	3
4	5 SUMMER CAMP \$ DUE 6:30 CPR Training 7:00 Troop Mtg. 7:15 Merit Badge Training	6	7	8	9	10 8:00 – Merit Badge Fair 6:30 - South Canadian Annual Tour – Service
11	12 6:30 CPR Training 7:00 Troop Mtg.	13 7:00 – PLC Meeting	14	15	16 Campout – Eufaula Fish Fry	17 Campout – Eufaula Fish Fry
18 Campout – Eufaula Fish Fry	19 7:00-8:30 Summer Camp Mtg. 7:00 Troop Mtg.	20 7:00- Committee Mtg.	21	22	23	24
25	26 7:00 Troop Mtg.	27	28	29	30	31 Street Clean-up FALCONS

May

- 5 Merit Badge Training (7:15 Covenant Room)
- 5 Summer Camp Money Due
- 5 CPR Training – (6:30 Scout Hut, cost \$5.00)
- 10 South Canadian Annual Tour – Meet at 6:30/6:45am
- 10 Merit Badge Fair (8:30 a.m. St. Andrews Catholic Church, SW 5th St., Moore)
- 12 CPR Training – (6:30 Scout Hut, cost \$5.00)
- 16-18 Camp Eufaula – Fish Fry (cost approx. \$10)
- 19 Pre-Summer Camp meeting (7:00 – 8:30 Scout Hut)
- 31 Street Clean-up - **FALCONS**

JUNE 2003

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 7:00 Troop Mtg.	3	4	5 7:00 Roundtable	6	7
8	9 <u>COURT OF HONOR</u> 7:00 Troop Mtg.	10 7:00 PLC Meeting	11	12	13	14
15	16 7:00 Troop Mtg.	17 7:00- Committee Mtg.	18	19	20	21
22 SUMMER CAMP Camp Pioneer	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30 7:00 Troop Mtg.					

June

9 Court of Honor (please bring "finger foods")
 22 – 28 Summer Camp "Camp Pioneer"