

Troop 7 News

January 2012

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Calendar of Events:

January 2012

- 9th – Troop Meeting 7:00 to 8:30 PM
- 12th – Dist. Roundtable / OA Meeting
- 13th / 15th – January Campout
Camp Manatoc
- 23rd – Troop Meeting 7:00 to 8:30 PM
- 30th – Troop Meeting 7:00 to 8:30 PM
Committee Meeting

February 2012

- 5th – Scout Sunday
- 6th – Pack 7 Service Project 6 PM
- 6th – Troop Meeting 7:00 to 8:30 PM
- 9th – Dist. Roundtable / OA Meeting
- 10th / 12th – February Campout
Camp Beaumont
- 13th – Red & Green Court of Honor
- 27th – Troop Meeting 7:00 to 8:30 PM
Committee Meeting

OA News.

This months OA meeting will be January 12, 2012 at 7:00 PM at Eho. Call Mr. Fox 627- 8453 if you need a ride. We should have someone from our troop represent us.

Erie County Senior Center.

On Monday December 5, 2011 the troop again helped out at Erie County Senior Center putting together Emergency Meal Packs for our seniors during the cold winter months ahead. Over 250 packs were put together! Thanks to all that came out and helped.

December Campout.

Our December campout was cancelled. We need more scouts and adults to sign up to camp. The troop loses money every time we cancel a campout. Try to plan ahead each month for our campout.

Troop Rechartering.

Again this year, Father Dave and St. Mary's Parish have supported the troop by paying for all of our rechartering fees. If you see him, be sure to say THANKS!

Troop 7 Christmas Party.

Our annual Troop 7 Christmas Party was Monday December 12, 2011 at Osborne Park. All the cookies and donuts were GREAT! Everyone in attendance received a new car! and the Troop 7 Car Race was won by Perrin this year. The gift exchange was a lot of fun with lots of cool gifts. It was held at the **RIGHT** time and no one was **LEFT** out.



January Campout.

Our January campout will be held January 13/ 15, 2012. This will be at Camp Manatoc in Peninsula, Ohio. On Saturday evening we will travel to Boston Mills / Brandywine Ski Area for their 'Polar Blast' Snow Tubing. Cost for this weekend will be \$40.00 (\$15.00 for camp and \$25.00 for tubing). We need adults to attend also – please sign-up and spend the weekend with us. Permission form is attached.

Scout Sunday.

We will attend 11:30 AM Mass on Sunday February 5, 2012 at St. Mary's Church. Class 'A' Uniform is a must. Please plan to attend and show the Parish how much we appreciate their support.



Pack 7 Service Project.

Pack 7 will be handing out bags and collecting bags of food for Sandusky Heartbeat. Bag labeling will be Monday February 6th at 6PM. Handing out bags will be at all masses on February 11 and 12 with pickup on February 18 and 19. Please see Mr. Fox for signup sheet. The pack is looking for our help!

February Campout.

Our February Campout is scheduled for February 10 / 12, 2012 at Camp Beaumont. Camp Beaumont is located in Ashtabula County – in the snow belt! They have a great hill behind the lake to go sledding. Let's hope for some cold weather and snow!

Red & Green Court of Honor.

On Monday February 13, 2012 we will have our annual Red & Green Court of Honor. Did you earn any merit badges or rank advancements since Summer Camp? If not, GET 'UM DONE!

Pack 7 Blue & Gold.

Pack 7 will be holding its annual Blue & Gold Banquet on February 19, 2012 at 4PM at Sts. Peter & Paul Gathering Space. This will be the crossing over ceremony of scouts joining the troop. We need scouts to come and help welcome our new scouts. Class 'A' uniform is a must.

New Eagle Scout.

On Thursday December 1, 2011, Cody Reiman passed his Eagle Board of Review becoming Troop 7's 92nd Eagle Scout! Congratulations Cody!



Summer Camp.

Camp cost is \$225.00 per Scout. Fees are due in 3 payments of \$75.00 each; the first is due by **Monday January 30th 2012**. The second \$75.00 is due Monday March 26, 2012 and the third is due Monday May 14, 2012. As a reminder....we will be attending Camp Friedlander July 8 / 14, 2012....so it's time to commit to Summer Camp 2012!