

Troop 7 News

May 2008

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Calendar of events:

May 2008

- 2nd / 4th – May Campout
Camp Firelands – District Fishing
- 5th – Troop Meeting 7:00 to 8:30 PM
- 8th – Dist Roundtable / OA Meeting
- 12th – Troop Meeting 7:00 to 8:30 PM
Committee Meeting 8:30 PM
- 15th – Erie County Senior Center
Service Project 4:30 / 7:30 PM
- 17th – Wightman/Weiber Fun Day
- 18th – Norwalk Raceway Park
- 19th – Troop Golfing 7:00 to 8:30 PM
Goofy Golf
- 26th – Memorial Day Parade

June 2008 – Osborn Park

- 2nd – Spring Court of Honor 7:00 PM
- 6th / 8th – June Campout **TBD**
- 9th – Troop Meeting 7:00 to 8:30 PM
- 16th – Troop Meeting 7:00 to 8:30 PM
- 23rd – Troop Meeting 7:00 to 8:30 PM
Committee Meeting 8:30 PM

July 2008

- 6th / 12th – Summer Camp 2008
Camp Berry – Findlay, Ohio

OA News.

This months OA meeting will be May 8, 2008 at 7:00 PM at Ebove. Call Mrs. Mehling 627-1929 or Mr. Fox 627-8453 if you need a ride. We need good attendance from our OA members.

Note: September OA Ordeal is scheduled for September 19/21, 2008.

Elks Pancake Breakfast

We received a check from the Elks for \$300.00 for the pancake breakfast. Special thanks to the Elks Lodge #285 for helping us out with this fundraiser!

April Campout.

Our April Campout was held at Camp Miakonda in Toledo April 4th / 6th, 2007. Our annual **Chili Cook off** was won by the 'Hot' team of Connor, Don, Jay, Jake and David. 2nd place goes to the 'Mild' team of Taylor, Cody, and M. Dorski.

May Campout / District Fishing Day.

Troop 7 is again chairing the annual District Fishing Day at Camp Firelands May 3, 2008. This will also be our May Campout weekend – Camping near lake, canoeing, etc. **Parents – we will need your help – signing people in, cooking lunch, and helping in the program areas. Please contact Mr. Fox if you can help!**

Erie County Senior Center.

On Thursday evening May 15, 2008, we have been asked to help serve dinner at Erie County Senior Center. Hours are from 4:30 to 7:30. We will put out place settings, fill water, deliver food, etc. All who attend will have a spaghetti dinner also. Let's show our seniors we care. Class A Uniform a must. Permission form is attached.

Wightman / Weiber Fun Day.

May 17, 2008 we will be helping run a kids ride at the old wave pool in downtown Sandusky. Hours are 11:30 AM to 5:00 PM. More information to follow as it is received. Let's show our support of this great organization.

Norwalk Raceway Park.

FREE fun day at Norwalk Raceway Park Sunday May 18, 2008. Scouts and families all invited. Scouts must attend in class 'A' uniform and participate in opening flag ceremony. See attached flyer!

1st Annual Troop Golfing.

Monday May 19th we will meet at Goofy Golf on Rt 250 and have our 1st annual Troop Golf Outing. Prizes will be awarded. Permission form is attached. There is no charge for this outing!

Memorial Day Parade.

We will be participating in the annual Memorial Day Parade again this year on Monday May 26, 2008. We will meet at the Ohio Veterans Home at 8:30AM. The parade will end at Oakland Cemetery – permission form attached.

Spring Court of Honor.

Our Spring Court of Honor is scheduled for June 2nd, 2008 at Osborn Park. Have you completed any merit badges or rank advancements? Get 'um done!

June Meetings.

Our June meetings will be held at Osborne Park in the Firelands Room at the Frost Center. Class 'B' uniform OK. Order form will be coming if you need new stuff.

June Campout.

Our June Campout is currently planned for June 6 / 8, 2008. At this time we have not made plans for this campout...any suggestions?

Aluminum Can Collection.

Camp Firelands 'Over the Hill Gang' is collecting aluminum cans to help raise money to continue their work in improving our camp. Please bring your clean aluminum cans to any Monday meeting and give them to Mr. Fox. He will deliver them to camp. Please be sure the cans are in a tied plastic bag.

More Summer Camp Info....

Summer Camp at **Camp Berry** in Findlay is scheduled for **July 6 – 12, 2008.**

We will be staying at the '**Clark**' **Campsite.**

Swim Test will be taken before we go to camp – we will schedule soon.

Merit badge signup: has been completed. See Mr. Fox if you want to change anything.

Medical forms must be complete and turned in before we go to camp.

Money cards will be available at the trading post. Put your spending money on it Sunday, then you don't need to take money around with you. If anything is left at the end of the week, you turn in the card and get cash back.

Watch for the **Slushie Shuffle** Sunday after check-in.

Dodge Ball Tournament

Euchre Tournament

Shooting Triathlon

Softball

Volleyball

Theme for the week – **Berry Proud!**