



Troop 424 Newsletter

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SCOUTMASTER'S CORNER

Your Scoutmaster, Mrs. Mattor

There are more changes in our Troop coming with the change in seasons (eventually the snow should stop!) We're settling down after going through the transition of getting a new Scoutmaster and new Committee Chairman in the fall. And, then we've recently ballooned in size with 9 new Scouts joining us this winter. The next change you'll see is a new Senior Patrol Leader (SPL) starting at the April 3rd Troop Meeting.

Our recent SPL, Chris M., has done a great job and I've been impressed with the skills used on the job: always ready with his agenda, always volunteered to help with the Scout programming and meet for planning sessions, and all with nearly perfect attendance. These leadership skills all worked to create an efficient SPL. I want to thank him for his hard work and hopefully he'll take a well-deserved break. What does the SPL do? This is the Scout leader with the most responsibility in the Troop.... the one who works directly with the Scoutmaster to plan the programming, make sure it's staffed with Scouts and plans / runs the Troop and PLC Meetings. In other words, he makes sure the Troop runs in an orderly and timely manner.

Thanks also to the other Scouts holding down leadership positions. We also have new Patrol Leaders (Phillip and Alex) who have already been holding down patrol meetings and coming to Patrol Leader Council (PLC) meetings. I want to remind everyone with a leadership position to attend the PLC meetings and turn in a newsletter article every month along with meeting the duties of your position. I will create a chart to start keeping track of everyone's progress on meeting their leadership requirements. I am fortunate since I don't have to oversee ALL our Den Chiefs because Mr. Defrancisco is doing such a wonderful job in this area.

Another way Scouts can take on leadership roles in the Troop and support its programming is to become Scout Coordinators for trips/events. The Scout Coordinator advertises the trip / event, gets Scouts signed up and helps plan / run it. You will have a lot of help from the Adult Coordinator planning the trip / event. You've heard all this talk about making it a *boy-run* Troop. Well, this is where you come in. It's your Troop! You want great trips / events? You want to learn how to plan trips and put them into action? If you become a Scout Coordinator you can plan the trips / events the way you would like them. It makes sense for you Scouts to do this since you know how boys like events/trips better than the adults.

We currently need Scout Coordinators for lots of upcoming events so if you're interested please contact me or the new SPL next week. We still need Scout Coordinators for the upcoming day hike in April, for the hike-a-thon, and the backpacking trip this summer. Thanks to the Scouts who volunteered at the PLC Meeting to be Scout Coordinators for

upcoming trips: Jacob (Mt. Cardigan), Jason (Memorial Day Parade and beginner canoe trip), Alex (WOW Cleanup), Chris M (Umbagog trip), Andy L (6K Road Race) Looks like we're almost covered for the rest of the year so our programming is well-staffed thanks to our *boy-run* Troop (!)

PARENTS, PLEASE READ
YOUTH PROTECTION PROGRAM FOR SCOUTS
BY Mr. Hargreaves

As the last activity of the April 3, 2008 troop meeting, we will be presenting the BSA Youth Protection video "A Time To Tell". Viewing the video is highly recommended for all scouts and their parents / guardians. Note the viewing it is not required, and there is absolutely no problem with scouts and/or parents leaving after the other troop meeting activities but before the video starts. It should start around 7:45. Additionally, scouts and their parents / guardians may borrow the video to view at home. Please see the following message from our Scoutmaster for details.

Dear parents:

Child sexual abuse is so prevalent in American society that one in seven boys might be sexually abused before reaching adulthood; the percentage of sexually abused girls is even greater. To respond to this growing social problem, the Boy Scouts of America has developed comprehensive Youth Protection training that addresses the problem of child abuse and at the same time helps Scouting continue to provide a safe environment and meet high standards of leadership for our youth members. At our troop meeting on April 3, 2008, we will show the video, *A Time to Tell*. This award-winning video was produced by the Boy Scouts of America to educate boys 11 years of age and older about child sexual abuse and the steps they should take to protect themselves from being sexually abused. A Time to Tell is an important part of the BSA's Youth Protection training. Each Boy Scout troop is encouraged to show the video to its members once a year. The video presents common situations in which sexual abuse might occur. It emphasizes the BSA's "three Rs" of Youth Protection that instruct children to Recognize that child molesters can be anyone and to be aware of situations in which the youth can be at increased risk of being abused, Resist advances made by child molesters, and Report to parents or another trusted adult any molestation or attempted molestation.

I hope that you will be able to join us on April 3rd.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Mattor
Scoutmaster

The video will be facilitated by Mr. Hargreaves (Committee Chair). As stated previously, staying for the video is entirely at the scout's and parent's / guardian's option, and scouts who chose not to stay will not miss any other troop meeting activities that

evening. Please contact Mrs. Mattor and/or Mr. Hargreaves if you have any questions. Additionally, if any parent / guardian would like the the Parent's Guide for the movie (*How to Protect Your Children From Child Abuse: A Parent's Guide*) please visit <http://www.scouting.org/YouthProtection/BoyScouts.aspx>

SENIOR PATROL LEADER'S CORNER

By Chris M.

TROOP UNIFORM POLICY

The policy of our Troop on the wearing of the uniform is as follows:

Class A Formal Uniform: To be worn at Boards of Review, Courts of Honor and other formal occasions. Scout Shirt with appropriate insignia, worn tucked in and as the outside article of clothing. Scout pants or shorts, Troop neckerchief with slide, Troop hat or no hat.

Class A Uniform: To be worn at normal troop meetings and events. Scout Shirt with appropriate insignia, worn tucked in and as the outside article of clothing. Appropriate pants or shorts, Troop neckerchief with slide, Troop hat or no hat.

Class B Uniform: To be worn at informal and outdoor events. Troop or other Scout T-shirt or sweatshirt, appropriate pants or shorts. Scout hat.

We are tracking the usage of the uniform, and a patrol will be recognized for the best percentage of the correct uniform-wear.

PATROL CORNERS

SENIORS

TIC TAC PATROL

Alex E. Patrol Leader Tic Tacs

Thanks for making me your new patrol leader. Our patrol is going to be working on the railroading merit badge. We are also working on running a troop meeting in april.

SPARTAN PATROL

By Philip L.

The theme for the 4/17 meeting is physical fitness. Also we have created a patrol patch of a Spartan at our last patrol meeting.

PHOENIX PATROL- First Year Scouts

By Mr. Elmer

Wow! We're off to a great start! All of us have our Scout badge, we're working on tenderfoot requirements and looking forward to completing our swim requirements at the YMCA. For the next newsletter, we should have our own patrol leader and he'll send in the monthly report. Thanks to everyone that helped us at the Wasserman overnight!

ORDER OF THE ARROW

Dominick D.
OA Troop Representative

This month at our OA meeting we learned origami and finished the Pulp and Paper merit badge. We each learned and folded butterflies out of paper. At our next meeting on April 16 we will be introducing the new ordeal members and preparing them for their ordeal.

FUTURE EVENTS

YMCA Lock-In- March 29

As you know, the Lock In is being moved to the Nashua YMCA. More about it next month.

TROOP ELECTIONS- APRIL 3.



Communications Merit Badge Class

BY Mr. Grosso

A class on communications skills is being offered by Mr. Grosso, former Scoutmaster of Troop 424, to assist Scouts in completing the Communications Merit Badge. This badge is required for

attaining the rank of Eagle Scout because the BSA recognizes that in the marketplace in which you young men will compete, communication skills are frequently critical to job success. If you are a First Class Scout who is interested in "bagging" an Eagle required badge in a week, wait for summer camp in 2009. If you don't mind doing some work, then either write a five-minute speech or your autobiography and include it in an email to paddlemaster@gmail.com to register for the course. You will need \$10 to cover the cost of the book, blank VHS tape, and pizza. If you're still wondering whether to wait and take this one at camp, talk to Kevin G. and ask him how many times he had to rewrite his essay.

Day Hike - April 19th

by Mrs. Mattor

Why: To make up for the fact that the April Backpacking trip was cancelled, and to get in condition for later hikes this year (ie Mt. Cardigan). Former Hiking Merit Badgers would probably be interested since they expressed interest for a nonstop hike while on last year's hike-a-thon. In fact, any Scout interested in starting the Hiking Merit Badge again please see Mrs. Mattor.

Who can go? Older Scouts over 14 years old (would consider younger if parent came) who can handle a 5-10 mile hike in one day.

ASMs: Mrs. Mattor and Mrs. Trepanier

Scout Coordinator: Need one! The Scout can help choose where we go. Possibilities are hikes in the Madanock Region, or even along the coast, or even on a historical trail in MA. The possibilities are endless. The Scout Coordinator can choose one with Mrs. Mattor who has many resources. She will decide on one by the April 3rd Troop meeting if no Scout Coordinator steps up by then.

More details upcoming at April 3rd Troop Meeting. Whether or not it will run will depend on the number of Scouts who sign up.

Hike-A-Thon, Sat. APRIL 26

by Mrs. Mattor

WHO: Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Mattor **WE NEED A SCOUT COORDINATOR**

WHY: First years will fulfill some of their requirements, especially the five mile hike. Earn some money for your Scout account by getting sponsors. Older Scouts can start Nature MB (See Mrs. Mattor)

WHEN: Saturday, April 26th 9:00 a.m. (sharp) to 2:00 p.m.

WHO: First Years should go to meet the five mile hike requirement, compass work and the plant/animal id requirements. Older Scouts are encouraged to come to help. ASM leaders.

WHERE: Joe English Conservation Land in Amherst. We will meet at the Peabody Mill

Environmental Center again like last year. (Directions will be on permission slips)

WHAT: A five mile hike.....so bring a backpack to hold compass, a bagged lunch, lots of water, a whistle, rain gear, sturdy hiking shoes and a pen/pencil to record your sightings.

Permission slips and hike-a-thon sponsor sheets will be available at the April Troop meetings. Pledges for this event can/should be taken. You will get a patch, and will get 75% of the pledge money put into you scout account. .

SUMMER CAMP

By Mrs. C.

So far we have 19 Scouts registered to go to Camp Bell from July 13-19. Mrs. Trepanier will be the adult leader in charge, with Mrs. Hall, Mrs. C (maybe), Mr. Morin and Mr. Hargreaves/Mr. Thibault splitting the week. We need to finalize the attendance, so we can start making plans for menus and activities during the week. How many patrols? What do you want to do? Grub? Contact Mrs. C. with registrations. We need \$50 deposits with final payments due in May. Otherwise we have late fees involved. So, who wants to do blacksmithing? Black powder shooting? Cutting down trees? Tubing? Kayaking? What else?

Lake Umbagog Canoe Trip August 1-3

by Mrs. Mattor

Update: We already have 13 signed up so there are just three more slots...first come, first serve..please contact Mrs. Mattor asap!

Thanks to Mr. Pugh and Mr. Elmer who have stepped up as fellow leaders to join Mrs. Mattor. And, thanks to Mr. Tadi for coming along.

The following Scouts are signed up: Trevor, Ben, Alex, Rishi, Roshi, Phillip, Dan, Chris M (Scout Coordinator), Brandon

Why go? *Enjoy the pristine wilderness and wildlife in the Lake Umbagog State Park*

<http://www.fws.gov/northeast/lakeumbagog/>

Develop back country canoeing and camping skills, as this will be the prep trip for doing the Allagash Wilderness Waterway next summer. You will expand your canoeing skills with long-distance paddling during the trip and swift water training ahead of the trip. Work on merit badges such as Nature MB, Fishing MB, Canoe MB, Camping MB.

When is the trip? *First weekend of August (August 1-3) Friday - Sunday*

Who can go? *Restricted to Scouts with First Class by this summer (exceptions if parent comes), Swimming MB*

Who is leading the trip? *Mrs. Mattor*

Where is the trip? *Lake Umbagog in northern NH by Errol, NH*

http://www.umbagogchambercommerce.com/umbagog_refuge.php

Cost? \$75 (\$40 deposit due on April 10th, full payment due by June 5th)

How many can go? *Maximum of 16 (state campsite maximum allowed)*

When is the deadline to sign up? *April 10th Troop Meeting. It will be on a first-come, first-serve basis since we have a limit of 16 participants. .*

Itinerary

Friday - *Launch on the west side of Umbagog Lake (starting on the Androscoggin River to intersection of the Magalloway River) and paddle to Lake Umbagog (see map <http://www.nhstateparks.org/library/pdf/campgrounds/UmbagogRemoteMap06.pdf>). Paddle across the lake to a campsite on the Rapid River and night time paddle under the full moon to seek out moose, or other wildlife.*

Saturday - *We paddle a few miles or so down to a campsite further south on the eastern side Umbagog Lake (Remote State Campsite R23 on map). We can canoe to a private natural sand swimming beach.*

Sunday - *We explore areas of the lake, possibly an island, and then return back to the starting point and drive back down to Merrimack.*

Be prepared to attend planning meetings as well as spending a day practicing canoeing skills before the trip.

Allagash Backcountry Canoe Trip 26.Jul – 2.Aug.2008

By Mr. Grosso

Three Scouts and two adult leaders are looking for one more Scout to complete a party of six for a weeklong wilderness canoe trip to the Allagash Wilderness in northern Maine from July 26 to Aug 2.

The invincible Antarctic explorer Ernest Shackleton (1874-1922), who gained fame for his incredible (but unsuccessful) attempts to reach the South Pole allegedly ran the following advert in the London papers:

"MEN WANTED FOR HAZARDOUS JOURNEY. SMALL WAGES, BITTER COLD, LONG MONTHS OF COMPLETE DARKNESS, CONSTANT DANGER, SAFE RETURN DOUBTFUL. HONOR AND RECOGNITION IN CASE OF SUCCESS."

I don't think our trip will be quite that miserable, but it certainly has the potential to be quite challenging. We're advertising for a sixth member of the trip we are planning to Allagash Lake and Chamberlain Lake in northern Maine. The trip will begin with a five hour drive to where we drop one vehicle and all cram into a truck for the drive to last parking area. There we undertake a mile

long portage of our canoes and all our gear over a trail to Allagash Lake. We will then cross the Lake and attempt to travel down Allagash Stream. If we find that the summer water flow renders it passable then we may travel down the stream to its outlet. This part of the trip could be an interesting down stream coasting ride, passing through rapids, portaging a waterfall, and coasting through swift water, with time off to swim below the water falls, or it could be a repeat of some of the river scenes from the old Humphrey Bogart movie "African Queen". If we succeed we'll reach another huge lake which we paddle down to get to the vehicle we left behind and save ourselves a repeat of the initial portage. Otherwise we drag our boats back upstream, cross Allagash Lake again and portage back out to our truck.

This is not a trip for the faint of heart. Scouts will need to be in great physical shape, preferably as demonstrated by participation on sports teams or equivalent. The Scouts also need to have demonstrated they are hard workers. This is not a trip for Scouts that have had discipline problems. We will run this trip on the Philmont model, which is that the adults are there as observations and advisors, but the Scouts rotate daily leadership by choosing a crew chief who'll decide how far they'll travel each day, where they'll camp, and assign the daily duty roster.

If you are interested in the trip, contact Mr. Grosso at paddlemaster@gmail.com, or talk with Kevin and Andy, veterans of the last Allagash expedition.

Proposed Wild River Trail Backpacking Trip by Mrs. Mattor

When: Either the weekend of June 28/29 or the weekend of July 5/6 (would go day after July 4th). It depends on the leadership that comes together and the Scout Coordinator can choose the weekend IF adult leadership is also available. **As of now, it'll be July 5/6th so Mrs. Trepanier can attend.**

Scout Coordinator: NEED ONE!

Who: Older Scouts, over age 14 (unless a parent attends, will consider interested 13 year olds)

Where: Wild River Trail in the White Mountains. It is one of the most isolated areas in the White Mts. and the hike will be along the Wild River. It is 9 miles long one way but we can go as far as we want, camp the night and then turn around and hike back.

<http://hikenh.netfirms.com/TDWildRv.htm>

ASMs: Mrs. Mattor and Mrs. Trepanier. Looking for additional ASMs to come on this trip.

EVENT REPORTS

Court of Honor

By Chris F.

The Court of Honor was a great success. Because of the delay in getting into the church, a big thank you to every one for helping set up. Also, thank you to the Spartans for staying and cleaning up after it was over. The desserts and drinks were great. I hope everyone enjoyed themselves.

Easter Vigil Fire at OLM - Trip Report

by: Mr. Hargreaves

The frigid evening at Our Lady of Mercy was warmed by friendly Scouts, excited Parishioners and a blazing fire.

Christopher L. started the evening's activities by reviewing fire safety. This was followed by fire building and starting instruction by Brandon W., who showed all present how to start a fire with a 9-Volt battery and steel wool.

After the fire was blessed and the Easter Candle was lit, the Scouts continued to burn old palms contained in two very-large trash-bags.

Attending Scouts were; Matt C., Brandon H., Christopher L., and Brandon W.
Attending Leaders were; Mr. Hargreaves, and Mr. Watkins.



POSITION REPORTS

DEN CHIEFING

Stephen M.

As a Den chief I attended my Pack's Pinewood Derby, I helped run the flag ceremony and helped get the cars that were ready to race. I attended my Den's pack meeting and I taught them some First-Aid skills and they also went sledding. Our Blue and Gold's First-Aid skit was very successful and I hope everyone learned something from it. And my den has obtained the rank of Webelos 2 and they are on their last year as Cub Scouts working to receive the Arrow of Light!

Alex E.

Den chief Bald Eagles

My den has been working on first aid. They are having thElr meetings on days that i cannot manage to be there, so as soon as they're done with first aid, i will be attending thElr meetings again.

Chris F.

My den recently took part in the pack's Pinewood Derby, where the kids raced homemade race cars. I operated the starting line and everyone had a lot of fun. A reporter from the Merrimack Journal was there and he wrote an article about the derby for the Journal.

John S.

My Bear Den raced their cars in the Pack Pinewood Derby. Everyone in Den 8 had cars to race. One of my Bears, Austin D., came in second for the whole Pack! Way to go Austin! I even raced a car that I made when I was a Cub Scout in the family and friends race. I came in fourth. We all had a great time!

Jason D.

This month I went to my den's meetings. Everyone made a first aid box and put in first aid items. We also worked on requirements. I also helped out at the pine wood derby by picking up the cars after they went down the track

Troop Guide

Dominick

As troop guide, I ran the Wasserman weekend where everybody earned their Scout badge. Thank you to everyone who helped me by leading an activity or staying overnight. I am hoping we can have another camp out in April at Whip-o-Will to work on more skills.

SCRIBE

LIBRARIAN

Looking for missing books.

HISTORIAN

Did you see the scrapbooks Mike had on display at the Court of Honor? He located them from an old Historian. Still looking for more photos.

CHAPLAIN'S AIDE

By Jason D.

Chaplain's Aide:

This month I did a prayer service at the First Year weekend. I also did an opening prayer at the

TROOP COMMITTEE REPORTS

TROOP COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN

By Mr. Hargreaves

On behalf of the Troop Committee I would like to thank the following individuals for volunteering their precious time and space to benefit Troop 424;

Kathy Kautz – Troop Publicity coordinator

Steve Pugh – Troop Equipment coordinator

Barbara Pugh and Lisa Hargreaves – Troop refreshment coordinator

Troop positions seeking volunteers are; Membership coordinator and Uniform coordinator. Without adult volunteers the Troop cannot succeed! Thank you to all Troop adult volunteers...you are greatly appreciated.

In the near future the Troop Code of Conduct will be amended. Members of the Troop Committee will meet with the Senior Patrol (SP) to forge out amendments to the current Troop Code of Conduct. Once drafted, the SP will meet with all the Scouts at a Troop meeting to discuss and solicit comments. Next the Senior Patrol Leader will present the amendment to the

Committee for consideration. Once adopted, we will have in place a Code of Conduct for scouts authored by scouts. The Committee is looking forward to working with the SP on this project.

Finally, an open line of communication is one topic that I cannot overstate. Do not hesitate to contact me for additional information or to have your questions answered at any time. Remember “One Team – One Mission” (quote borrowed from a colleague).

ADVANCEMENT NEWS

Mrs. DeFrancisco

Congratulations on a wonderful Court of Honor! It was impressive to see all of the rank advancement! It was also remarkable to see those 38 merit badges earned and awarded! Keep up the good work.

Just an FYI.....our next Court of Honor is in early June, only 2 months away! Plan ahead for those Boards of Review. **The last date I will do a Board of Review or collect completed merit badge cards to be presented at the June Court of Honor is May 22nd.**

Also, if you are interested in hosting the next Court of Honor, let Mrs. Mattor and your Senior Patrol Leader know ASAP.

At the next troop meeting I will be handing back to you partial merit badge cards, some from as long ago as 4 years! I suspect that many of you have forgotten what you have worked on and not completed, so this will be a good reminder. Many Scouts have only 1 or 2 requirements left to finish a badge. If you need the name of a counselor, please send me an email and I will check the DW Council list and get back to you. In order for a badge to be considered earned, **it must be signed off by a registered counselor for that badge.** If unsure, check with me!!

[Congratulations to the following Scouts who have earned merit badges since our March newsletter:](#)

Stephen M.- Scholarship, Public Speaking

Andy L.-Citizenship in the World

Jason D.- Citizenship in the World, Citizenship in the Nation, Citizenship in the Community

Rishi T.- Citizenship in the World

Roshan T.- Citizenship in the World

Ryan S.- Citizenship in the World, Citizenship in the Nation, Citizenship in the Community

Chris F.- Citizenship in the World, Citizenship in the Nation

Aaron H.-Rifle Shooting

Jacob T.-Camping, Gardening

Brian Q.- Citizenship in the World

Maslin L.-First Aid

Dominick D.-Personal Management, Pulp and Paper

Michael K.-Family Life

Congratulations to the following Scouts who have advanced in rank since our March newsletter:
Scout Rank: **James J., Nathan L., Timothy M., Wesley N., Mitchell Y., Matthew C., Nicholas E., Gifford H., Devon H.**

QUARTERMASTER

By Mr.Q

TRAINING

By Mr. Laberge

I am happy to report that March was a very busy month for our Adult Leader Training. Many of our ASMs and Committee members completed or updated their training. Several of you reported taking various courses, but please remember to get me copies of your certificates for our files, and so that I may pass the info along to Mrs. De who logs it in for our Council records.

For anyone who was not at our last Troop meeting, it was announced that Daniel Webster Council is requiring 100% training compliance for all Scoutmasters, ASMs and Committee members, effective immediately. If anyone is uncertain of the requirements for a position or their current status please see me at the next meeting. Many of these courses are now offered online at our Council website, nhscouting.org. These include: Youth Protection, BS Leader Fast Start, Troop Committee Challenge, Safety Afloat and Safe swim Defense.

In upcoming Arrowhead District Training news, Outdoor Skills Training for SM and ASMs is being offered April 17th, 7pm at First Congregational Church in Nashua, (Orientation and Patrol Meeting), and June 7-8th at Camp Doucet, Nashua, (Camping Course). The fee is \$25 and payment is required by April 10th. To register, see me for the form. For more info contact Janet Gaylord, Arrowhead Dist. Trainer at gaylordhouse@msn.com or call 424-2070.

Also, for any interested Scouts, Den Chief Training will be offered on May 10th, time and location TBA. Thanks and keep training! Mr. Laberge 424-0860 m3laberge@comcast.net

FUND-RAISING

We're still collecting used printer toner cartridges for rebates. Bring them to Mrs. Morrison.

PUBLICITY

By Kathleen Kautz

Each Scout coordinator should get articles and photos to Mrs. Kautz to put in the newspapers.

UNIFORM EXCHANGE

See Mrs. Martens to contribute or to obtain uniform parts.

MEDICAL FORMS

Contact Mrs. Downing to update your medical forms.

. Please remember to update your medical forms & new medical cards (Copy of the front & back)

All scouts are now required to have a current medical form and medical card copy for all troop activities or they will not be able to attend any troop activities. This also applies to adult leaders or parent planning to attend overnight activities.

Doctors and Hospitals will not treat your son without the insurance card. The insurance number on the med form will not read into their scanners and they need the phone numbers on the back of the cards.

There is now a form for submission with any medications for any Scout. It must be submitted in a zip lock back with the medications to the adult coordinator of any trip. If it is not submitted, the Scout will not receive the medications.

TRANSPORTATION RECORDS-424 Transporters

It's time to update our transportation records so please dig out your family's driver, vehicle and insurance information. Fill out the attached form and provide the information to me via email or in-person.

DRIVER/OWNER Information					
Last Update	Last Name	First	DL License #	ST	
VEHICLE Information					
Make	Model	Yr	Plate #	ST	Seats
INSURANCE Information					

Injury Person (k\$)	Injury Per Event (k\$)	Property Damage (k\$)

Mr. Sullivan

Transportation Coordinator

NEW WEBSITE

By Chris Vecchione

The website is nhtroop424.org. It is not complete yet, but some things are there. When the roster, transportation list and other non-public items are included, they will be password-protected. You will be notified of the password.

CALENDAR

**PLEASE REMOVE THIS PAGE AND POST ON YOUR REFRIGERATOR
OR BULLETIN BOARD**

BOLD = Scout events

OA Events

Italics= Adults

<i>April 2</i>	<i>Troop Committee Meeting</i>
April 3	Troop Meeting- Relig. Ed. Hall
April 5	ZipLine- canceled
April 8	CPR Training- Nashua Comm, College 6:30 PM
<i>April 9</i>	<i>Roundtable- LDS Church</i>
April 10	Troop Meeting- Wasserman Park
April 16	OA Chapter Meeting- Nashua
April 17	Troop Meeting- Wasserman Park
<i>April 22</i>	<i>ASM Meeting- Comm College- Nashua</i>
April 24	PLC- Comm. College Cafeteria
April 24	First Year Meeting- Relig. Ed. Hall

April 19	Day Hike- Location TBD
April 26	Hike A Thon- Amherst
May 1	No Troop Meeting-vacation
<i>May 7</i>	<i>Troop Committee</i>
May 8	Troop Meeting- Whip O Will
May 9-10	First Years' Campout WoW
May 10	Whip O Will cleanup
May 11	6K Race- Nashua
<i>May 14</i>	<i>Roundtable-Nashua</i>
May 15	Troop Meeting- Whip O Will
May 16-18	Cardigan Campout- Orange
May 16-18	OA Spring Meet-Hidden Valley
May 21	OA Chapter Meeting- Nashua
May 22	Troop Meeting- Relig. Ed. Hall
May 23-26	Memorial Day Weekend
May 26	Memorial Day Parade
<i>May 27</i>	<i>ASM Meeting- Comm. College 7:00</i>
May 29	PLC- Comm. College 7:00
May 29	First Year Meeting
<i>May 31</i>	<i>Council Program Kickoff</i>