Troop 185 News Letter May 2009

Hello Troop 185 Scouts and Parents,

First, I would like to thank all those parents who came out and helped out with the INFERNO District Camporee last weekend. (Jose V.-parking & event station, Dennis B. & Doug P.-Troop 185 camp set-up, Dan C. & Mike H. & Brett W. -asst. SM's / event stations / Score tally's etc.) Thanks Again!!

The entire event was a complete success. We had over two hundred scout campers at Lake Towhee County Park.

Congratulations Troop 185 Scouts. They came home with 1st Place BEST OVERALL in all the events. We got a New Lifetime Warranty Axe, a new Fire Extinguisher, a New Craftman Tool Box and Tools and a few other items.

We have a BIG backpacking trip coming up in a few weeks. May 29th-31st. We will be on a nice section of the application Trail. If you have never been back packing or have questions regarding what your son will need. Please attend the next few meetings. We are doing the back packing merit badge and this is some of the basic requirements. I will need a lot of support from from all of you parents for this trip. Either by attending the hike and/or driving our drop off vehicles. Please stop by the meeting and ask how you can assist or come out have some crazy fun with us. Call Me ANYTIME. 267-374-8500 Again it will greatly appreciated. Thanks

We will have our monthly parent/troop committee meeting at Mike & Joann Houdeks Home on Our Next Meeting is MAY 17th 2009. Sunday

** Committee Positions for our 2009-2010 Troop season

Mike Houdek: Committee Chair

Bill Witkoski: **Treasurer**

Brett Wasilewski: Secretary **

Donna & Doug Peters: Trip Coordinator Chair **

Gitza Villaneva: Fundraising Chair ** May Vivian: Committee Member

Cathy Roemmele: Committee Member Kevin Miller: Advancement Chair

Kevin Miller: Website Master www. troop185.tk

Note: We still have a great need for some for a few more hands, if any one could help now and then, that we be great too!! Come join us for coffee

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Some important SM topics to be discussed at the committee meeting: Please note the committee members will have other topics as well

** June 09' Court Of Honor & BIG Picnic (Typically at my Log Home) SM's Suggestion for the Committee Mtg: JUNE 14th Sunday

** Summer Camp and Details for all kids going varies camps and dates!!

Note: (I will have three special Mtgs. for the South Dakota scouts and Parents) 1st(5-26 Tues.) 2nd(6-16 Tues.) 3rd(6-23 Tues.) Final mtg. TROOP 185 Scouts going to ANY summer camp will meet for this FINAL mtg. (6-23 Tues.) Please Note: Meeting is required to get ready. (ex. What to bring, Health Forms etc.)

"ALL MEETINGS ARE AT THE SCOUT ROOM and will meet at 6:00pm" Summer camp is FAST approaching. Medicine Mountain MMR, Ocknikin OSR, Resica Falls RFR. Here we come!!!!!!!!

- ** Fundraisers: Mother's Day & Red Robin Flyer's
- ** Troop Meetings over the summer (WHEN & Where)

SM's Suggestion for the Committee Mtg: ** Summer Camp MMR Sun. June 28-July 19th

FYI Venture Crew 185 Trip July 30 - Aug 11

- ** No Wednes. Night Meetings except July 29
- ** Quakertown Pool Fun Nite wednes. July 29
- ** Summer Camp Resica Falls Sun. Aug 2nd 8th
- ** Regular Wednesday Mtgs Resume Aug. 19th

- ** Labor Day Weekend Trip
- ** New School Year Troop 2009-2010 Program Ideas fro SPL's
- ** Shirts orders for Class B

We will be placing our order for Class B Shirts in the coming weeks. Bill W or Mike will let you know the price. They will probably be 7-8 dollars. I have included a copy of the logo for you all to see.

- * Great Job everybody for a Fantastic Easter Fund Raiser Flower Sale. Ask Bill W. for your account information for your son. Every boy that worked earned approx. \$ 10.00 cash and hour and the parent(s) earned half that per hour as well. Thousands of dollars were raised directly into the boy's account. Also, an additional thousand bucks went into the troop account. If you have any question regarding your boy's account, just ask Bill W. our Treasurer when he has a moment.
- * We have the **Mother's Day Plant and Flower sale** coming up this weekend. Sign up this Wednesday nite at the meeting. 5-06-09. We will be selling this Mother's day weekend and all the way thru next weekend 5-17-09 shut down.

Thank You,

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