

Troop 219 Informational Handout

(www.troop219.org)

- **NO Boy Scout Troop Meeting on Monday, April 5, 2010**

Sunday, April 4, 2010 is Easter Sunday. Most schools and colleges are closed for the week after Easter therefore we will not have a Scout meeting. Enjoy the Easter Holidays and if you go away for all or part of the week please be careful.

- **Summer Camp Deposits-IMPORTANT ! ! ! !**

Our week at Camp Tapico is Sunday, July 11 through July 17, 2010. We need to turn in our first roster and deposit by Wednesday, March 31, 2010. The first roster with a \$50.00 per Scout deposit will be turned in before March 31, 2010. Your full summer camp fee must be turned in to the Troop by Monday, May, 14, 2010. We needed your deposit for Summer Camp no later than Monday, March 22, 2010-new Scouts exempt but it would be nice if you will be attending with us if you could turn in the form and payment. This would give Mr. Miller time to prepare the paperwork to turn in and to deposit any checks or payments. There is an early incentive fee which means we must make the full payment to the Council Service Center by May 14, 2010. The full cost per Scout is **\$280.00** if the full payment is made by May 14. The full fee per Scouter is **\$140.00** if paid by May 14, 2010. You should make your payments to the Troop with the last payment being made no later than Monday, May 10, 2010. These may be made at any Scout meeting to our Troop Treasurer, Mr. Miller.

- **Eagle Scout Court of Honor**

On Sunday, April 18, 2010, there will be a Court of Honor to celebrate the awarding of the rank of Eagle Scout to David Michael Adams. This will be held at the St. John Activity Center in Fenton and will begin promptly at 2:00 P.M.

Please come and help David and his family celebrate this accomplishment, Scouts and their families are invited.

- **First Year Scout Campout**

A campout for the new Scouts is scheduled for Saturday, April 24-Sunday, April 25, 2010. Requirements for Tenderfoot Scout will be worked on at this campout and ALL new Scouts should make every attempt to attend it. The campout will be held at Camp Holaka at the Fox Ridge Campsite. The permission slip and payment information are attached and must be returned on Monday, April 12, 2010.

- **Cooking Skills Campout for older Scouts**

There will be a campout on the same weekend as the first year Scout campout. This may take place from 6:00 P.M. on Friday, April 23 through 11:00 A.M. on Sunday, April 25, 2010. Details are still being worked out so an email will be sent to all of the older Scouts family and/or personal email accounts with the Permission Slip and Payment Form. The older Scout will be working on cooking skills using dutch ovens and charcoal. Some of you may also help Mr. Adams and the first year Scouts with some skills and there will most likely be a one or two hour Service Project opportunity for Camp Holaka. The permission slip and payment information will be emailed to you and the completed form and payment is due at our next Scout meeting on Monday, April 12, 2010.

- **Dorchester International Brotherhood Camporee**

If you are going to the Dorchester International Brotherhood Camporee in London, Ontario, Canada, you need to review Mr. Millers paperwork and make sure that you are preparing any paperwork which you will need.

If you have yet to return a completed 2010 Troop 219 Child ID Form you need to do so or you will not be allowed to participate. If you do not have a current and valid Passport or Passcard you need to take care of that or you will not be allowed to participate. If you do not have any of the other required paperwork you will not be allowed to participate. SEE MR. MILLER FOR ANY QUESTIONS, CONCERNS OR PAPERWORK.

- **Paperwork for ALL Scout Families**

I have input all of the information from the paperwork that has submitted so far, for both the new Scouts and the rest of the Troop, and then printed out the individual Troop 219 Scout Personal Data Sheets for all of our Scouts **and** Troop 219 Adult Personal Data Sheets for all of the adults who are registered with the Troop and those parents whom I have input into the adult roster as they will sometimes drive for and or attend activities and I needed to be able to put them on the paperwork. These forms were placed into each Scout's Mail Folder except for those adults who no longer have a Scout in the Troop. Please review all of the information and update or correct information and then return the forms to Mr. Hussar.

We are still missing a number of Child ID Forms for 2010, mostly from our current Scouts and not the new Scouts. That information for the Child ID Form we have is on the Troop 219 Scout Personal Data Sheet. If you have not yet turned in your 2010 Child ID Form you will not be going on activities outside of Troop Meetings- especially not those where we are leaving the country (as in Dorchester, London, Ontario, Canada).

Especially for the new Scout parents, but not limited to them, please add or review the information on the bottom of the Adult or Scout Personal Data Sheets for vehicle information. If a parent wishes to drive to help with transportation we need all of that information plus your Michigan Driver's License Number. This is entered onto our Local or National Tour Permit Application for each activity or event.

2010 Annual Health and Medical Form-beginning in 2010 each registered member must complete the 2010 Annual Health and Medical Form and turn in Parts A and C. PLEASE DO NOT TURN IN THE ORIGINAL BUT RATHER MAKE A COPY FOR OUR RECORDS AND KEEP THE ORIGINAL. Please attach a copy of your Scout's Immunization Record and a copy of your Health Insurance Card (both sides). This will provide information that may be used on any activity up to 72 hours in duration. If an activity will be longer than 72 hours then a physical from a physician is required and Part B must be turned in. However, parts A and C of the 2010 Annual Health and Medical Form must be completed and turned in for each Scout and Scouter in the unit. IF you are going to an event of more than 72 hours duration, such as summer camp, National Jamboree or National Youth Leadership Training, then Part B, dated back less than one year from the end of activity date, is required. I have paper copies of the 2010 Annual Health and Medical Form or you may go to www.tpcbsa.org and under the forms tab you will find a copy of this form which may be saved to your computer and completed at your leisure. The 2010 Annual Health and Medical Form is also available on our web page so that you may do the same thing from www.troop219.org under Download Forms. A Sports Physical dated after July 17, 2009, may be attached to Part B but Part B should still be filled out by a parent or guardian.

The Annual Health and Medical Forms will be put into sheet protectors and it and the Child ID Form will accompany participant's on activities and then be returned to me to be refilled and put into safe storage again.

Michael Hussar, Scoutmaster

Boy Scout Troop 219

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Troop 219 First Year Scout Campout
Saturday, April 24 thru Sunday, April 25, 2010
PERMISSION SLIP & HEALTH FORM
(RETURN-WITH \$15.00 PAYMENT AT April 12, 2010 SCOUT MEETING)

REGISTRATION: Adult or Scout's Name _____

Method of Payment: Individual's Account _____

Check Amount and Number _____

Cash _____

_____ (name) has my permission to attend the Troop 219 First Year Scout Campout from 8:00 A.M. Saturday, April 24th through 11:00 A.M. Sunday, April 25th, 2010, at Camp Holaka, Lapeer, Michigan. Transportation arrangements will be made by the Troop. Scouts should be dropped off with their equipment prior to the 8:00 A.M. departure time from the Fenton Collision parking lot. Scouts **should be picked up** at this same location **at 11:00** A.M. on Sunday.

You should have BREAKFAST prior to arrival Saturday morning.

In the event of an emergency, and I cannot be reached by telephone or other reasonable means, I hereby (DO) give my permission to the physician selected by the adult leader in charge to hospitalize, secure proper anesthesia, order injections, surgery and do whatever appears medically necessary for my child.

Medical Insurance Company: _____

Medical Insurance Numbers: _____

Allergies or other medical information: _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian: _____ Date- _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Home Tel. No: () _____ Alternate Tel. No: () _____

Person to contact in an emergency if parent/guardian cannot be reached:

Name: _____ Relationship to Scout: _____

Telephone Number: () _____

SPECIAL HEALTH OR DIETARY NOTES UPDATE BY PARENT/GUARDIAN: