

Troop 219 Informational Handout

(www.troop-219.org)

- **Summer Camp-second notice to make sure you receive it at least once !!!**

The dates for this year are Sunday, July 14th through Saturday July 20th.

The full summer camp fee must be paid to the Council Office, by the Troop, by May 15. After that the cost goes up an additional \$30.00 per Scout and \$20.00 per adult. The total cost for summer camp in 2002 will be \$185 per Scout and \$75.00 per adult. This includes camp fees, equipment rental from camp and Troop costs related to summer camp. Camperships or financial help may be available. Please see our Committee Chairman, Mr. Dennis Cox, if you need assistance.

Your full payment to the Troop is due in by or before Monday, May 6.

Auker fund raising amounts to your Troop account will be available to us in another week or two and the money in your Troop account may be used towards summer camp.

Scouts and adults require a physical by a physician. These are good for three years for a Scout but must be done every year for an adult. These forms will be available at our troop meetings or on the web-page www.troop-219.org. High adventure activity at summer camp requires a form signed by a physician within the past 12 months.

- **Star Seminar**

The next Star Seminar, hosted by Shiawasee District, is scheduled for Monday, March 11. You must call the Council Office at 810-235-2531 to make a reservation and to get the actual time and location. A parent/guardian should attend the seminar with you as well as a unit leader (Scoutmaster, Assistant Scoutmaster, Committee Chairman or Committee Member.

Attendance at a Star Seminar is required by a Life Scout before he can begin his Eagle Scout Service Project and may be attended by a Scout anytime after he becomes a Star Scout or as a Life Scout.

- **Troop 179 Lock-In**

As stated in a prior handout the Troop 179 Lock-In will be on Friday night, March 15 through Saturday morning, March 16. Registration begins at 6:00 P.M. with the opening at 7:00 P.M. Mr. Hussar has made the initial contact with Troop 179 and committed to 2 adults and 5 Scouts. These numbers will most like increase but at least one more adult is needed to go with Mr. Hussar. Cost is \$15.00 per Scout and \$10.00 per adult. This cost includes pizza and juice served at midnight and donuts and milk at 6:00 A.M. They will also have a concession stand set up. Activities include prizes, concession, volleyball, basketball, swimming, dodge ball, movies and merit badges. Merit badges being offered are: Music, Reading, Swimming, Basketry (some kits will be available for purchase), pet care with more to be announced later. The permission slip is attached and should be completed and returned, with your payment, on Monday, March 11-**OR YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO ATTEND.**

- **Scouting For Food Dates**

Scouting For Food bag distribution will take place on Saturday, March 9 beginning at 9:30 A.M. All Scouts are expected to participate. Dress for the weather but if it is nice this would be a good time to wear your Scout uniform. We should be done by 11:00 A.M. with enough participation. **WE WILL NEED DRIVERS.**

Scouting For Food bag pick-up will be on Saturday, March 16 and we will again meet at the church at 9:30 A.M. Bag pick up might take until noon or slightly after

depending on the participation but all Scouts are expected to participate-even those who attended to Troop 179 Lock-In on Friday night.

- **Hike-a-Thon and Council Camoree**

The 2002 Council Hike-a-Thon hikes will be held on Saturday, April 27. There will be a Council Camporee held in conjunction with the Hike-a-Thon. This will begin on Friday, April 26 and end on Sunday, April 28. Full details and a sponsorship sheet will be available shortly.

The sponsorship sheet may be mailed to each Scouts home by the Council office.

- **Troop 219 Scout Personal Data Worksheets**

Each Scout received a Scout Personal Data Sheets several weeks ago. To date only a few have been returned to Mr. Hussar. Please take the time to review and update these forms and get them returned to him. You may not want to provide information for all of the entries but the more information we have the better we can run the program and the easier it is to do so. If you need another copy of this form please let Mr. Hussar know so that one may be printed off for you.

- **Upcoming Activities**

- A second Gym night is scheduled for Monday, April 8 during the regular Troop meeting times. Details to follow.

- Pool Night-a tentative night has been set for a troop swim. The date is Monday, April 29. MORE DETAILS TO FOLLOW AS THEY BECOME AVAILABLE.

- **OA MEMBERS ONLY:**

- The C2A Section Conclave is Friday, May 2 through Sunday, May 4. See your February issue of the PineTree for more details.

- The Spring Conclave will be Friday, May 17 through Sunday, May 19.

- Monday May 6 will be SPL nominations and campaign with election of the SPL and Patrol Leaders to follow on Monday, May 13.

- Dorchester International Brotherhood Camporee, London, Ontario, Canada, Friday, May 10, 2002, through Sunday, May 12, 2002. Numerous details to follow soon.

- First Year Scout Campout and Leave No Trace Campout for the older Scouts will be Friday, May 24 through Saturday, May 25.

- The 2002 Fenton Memorial Day Parade will be held on Monday, May 27. We will march in the parade and will also provide the honor guard to raise the flag at the cemetery during the program.

(*) The final Troop meeting for the 2001-2002 calendar year will be on Monday, June 10, 2002, but there are still activities after that date.

(*) The pre-summer camp 2002 Combined Individual Patrol Campout will be Friday, June 14 through Sunday, June 16. The final Court of Honor for this calendar year will be Saturday evening, June 15. Details to follow.

(*) The PLC Annual Planning Meeting for the 2002-2003 Scout year will be held on Monday, June 17, 2002. The time and location will be announce at a future time.

(*) The Fenton Independence Day Parade will take place on Thursday, July 4, 2002. The Troop will march in this parade. Details to follow.

(*) Summer Camp 2002-We depart for summer camp on Sunday morning, July 14 and return from summer camp on Saturday afternoon, July 20. Details to follow.

Larry Zimbler

Scoutmaster-Boy Scout Troop 219

Mt. Morris Lock-In

Friday, March 15 through Saturday March 16, 2000

Return this entire form with the Scout's payment on Monday, March 11, 2002 (Court of Honor night)

Registration: Scout's name(s) _____

Payment Method: Scout's Account _____

Check Amount and # _____

COST (\$10.00) Cash _____

Payment Received By: _____

(Initials)

ADULT/PARENT/LEADER/COMMITTEE MEMBER

I would be interested in attending this activity (YES/NO) **AND / OR** also would be available as a driver (YES/NO).

Registration: Scouter's/Parent's name _____

Payment Method: Account _____

Check Amount and # _____

COST (\$10.00) Cash _____

Payment Received By: _____

(Initials)

PERMISSION SLIP & HEALTH FORM

_____ (name) has my permission to attend the Mt. Morris Lock-In at the Flint YMCA with Boy Scout Troop 219 from 7:00 P.M. Friday, March 15 until 7:00 A.M. on Friday, March 19. We will depart from the southwest corner of the Fenton K-Mart parking lot at 6:00 P.M. on Friday, March 15 and will return to that same location on Saturday morning, March 16 at 7:30 A.M.

In the event of an emergency, and I cannot be reached by telephone or other reasonable means, I hereby (DO/DO NOT) 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: _____