



The Kickapoo Scoop!

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September-October 2005

District Calendar

September

- 1 - Roundtable, Kickapoo Scout Service Center, Brownwood, 7:00 p.m.
- 10 - New Leader Essentials, Session I, 7:50 a.m. - 10:30 a.m., Brownwood Scout Office
- 10 - Cub Scout Leader Specific - Session II, 10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., Brownwood Scout Office
- 10 - Youth Protection - 1:00 p.m., Brownwood Scout Office
- 20 - Roundtable, Lampasas, First Baptist Church, 7:00 p.m.
- 23 - Abilene Office closed for Special Inventory
- 24 - New Leader Essentials, Session I, 7:50 a.m. - 10:30 a.m. Brownwood Scout Office
- 24 - Cub Scout Leader Specific - Session II, 10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., Brownwood Scout Office
- 24 - Youth Protection, 1:00 p.m. - Brownwood Scout Office
- 28 - Abilene Office closed for Computer Update

October

- 1 - New Leader Essentials, Session I, 7:50 a.m. - 10:30 a.m., Brownwood Scout Office
- 1 - Cub Scout Leader Specific - Session II, 10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., Brownwood Scout Office
- 1 - Youth Protection - 1:00 p.m., Brownwood Scout Office
- 6 - Roundtable, Kickapoo Scout Service Center, Brownwood, 7:00 p.m.
- 8 - 9 - Cub Scout Adventure Weekend, 9:30 a.m. Sat. to Noon on Sunday - Camp Billy Gibbons
- 15 - New Leader Essentials, Session I, 7:50 a.m. - 10:30 a.m., Brownwood Scout Office
- 15 - Cub Scout Leader Specific - Session II, 10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., Brownwood Scout Office
- 15 - Youth Protection - 1:00 p.m., Brownwood Scout Office
- 14 - 16 - Order of the Arrow Fall Fellowship, Camp Billy Gibbons
- 18 - Roundtable, Lampasas, First Baptist Church, 7:00 p.m.

November

- 3 - Roundtable, Kickapoo Scout Service Center, Brownwood, 7:00 p.m.
- 5 - New Leader Essentials, Session I, 7:50 a.m. - 10:30 a.m., Brownwood Scout Office
- 5 - Cub Scout Leader Specific - Session II, 10:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., Brownwood Scout Office
- 5 - Youth Protection - 1:00 p.m., Brownwood Scout Office
- 15 - Roundtable, Lampasas, First Baptist Church, 7:00 p.m.



FALL CUB SCOUT RECRUITING

All packs should begin making plans now for giving boys an opportunity to join the fun and adventure of Scouting. This year's recruiting theme is **RACE TO CUB SCOUTING**. There will be a lot of exciting and fun items to go with the fall recruiting program.

There will be a **School Night to Join Cub Scouts** in all elementary schools in our communities. Flyers are available to pass out at your school printed with the time and place of your rally. Contact Michael Deming, our District Director, to set a date for your School Night to Join Cub Scouts.



Every new Tiger Cub, Cub Scout or Webelos that you register in your Cub Pack this fall will receive a free Pinewood Derby Kit in an attractive blue plastic box pictured above. Michael Deming, will have these kits on hand to give to each new boy that turns in his Cub Scout Application on School Night and pay his registration fee.



Cub Adventure Weekend Camp Billy Gibbons

Save the weekend of October 8 - 9, 2005 for a weekend of camping adventure for all Cub Scouts and adult partners. Activities will include archery, BB guns, crafts, games, hiking, campfire, and more.

Check-in will begin at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday and everyone will depart by noon on Sunday.

Cost is \$25.00 per team of Cub Scout and adult partner and \$10 for each additional scout that attends with an adult. Supper on Saturday and Breakfast on Sunday will be provided. Bring a sack lunch for noon on Saturday.

Additional registration information will be coming soon by mail so you can sign up for this great weekend!

Denateka Lodge Calendar Order of the Arrow

The Penateka Lodge has a full calendar of events scheduled for this fall. Here are some of the major dates:

- Sept. 9 - Black Arrow/Taso Tasiwood Fun Weekend, Camp Tonkawa
- Sept. 25 - Black Arrow/TasoTasiwoo Officer/Advisor Training, Council Office in Abilene
- Oct. 14 - 16 - Fall Fellowship, Camp Billy Gibbons
- Oct. 29 - Penateka Lodge Executive Committee and Vigil Ceremony, Camp Tonkawa New Property
- Nov. 5 - OA Annual Food Drive
- Nov. 6 - Black Arrow/Taso Tasiwoo Chapter Council, Brownwood and Abilene
- Nov. 20 - Penateka Lodge Executive Committee, Place to be announced



POPCORN TIME!

It's that time of the year for your unit to sell popcorn and earn money to your unit's activities! Your unit can earn up to 30% commission on each sale! Select your Popcorn Chairman and send in his name, address, phone number and e-mail address today! Be sure he gets your unit's official sales kit which includes Popcorn Sign-up Sheet, order forms, prize sheets, popcorn sales schedule, collection envelopes, fact sheet.

Your boys can earn all kinds of prizes depending on how much popcorn they sell. You will pay for you popcorn with cashiers or certified check or money order from the unit. You pay the council money for the amount your unit has sold and they will then send your commission check to your Unit Committee Chairman by December 31st for all units that have paid their popcorn in full by December 9th.

If you have not received your unit's popcorn packet, contact Michael Deming immediately. Here is the complete schedule and details.

Schedule

- Sept. 2 - Show and Sell Order Due
- Sept. 15 - Show and Sell Product Pick Up
- Sept. 24 - Take Order Sales Begin (Check for Brown County for possible different date)
- Oct. 27 - Show and Sell Dollars Due in Council Office by 5:00 P.m.
- Nov. 8 - Unit Popcorn Orders & Prize Request Forms Due in Council Office
- Nov. 18 - Popcorn Pickup Day, begin delivering popcorn & collecting money.
- Dec. 7 - Earn 26% commission or 30% Commission if unit meets requirements.
- Dec. 14 - Earn 21% Commission
- Dec. 21 - Earn 16 % Commission
- After Dec. 22 - Earn 10% Commission

