



Boy Scout Troop 232



Ramstein AB GE

Monthly Newsletter
Scoutmaster: Ian Nicholls

August 2004
Committee Chairman: Terry Enterkine

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August Activities:

Theme: Aquatics

1-7 Aug	Camp Freedom		
4 Aug	Troop Meeting	1900	1 st Combat Comm
5 Aug	Committee Meeting	1900	1 st Combat Comm
8 Aug	ASM Meeting	1700	1 st Combat Comm
	PLC	1800	1 st Combat Comm
11 Aug	Troop Meeting	1900	1 st Combat Comm
	<i>Board of Review</i>		
15-21 Aug	Troop 50 Miler		TBD
18 Aug	Patrol Meetings		
	Hooting Owls	1900	Ramstein Community Center
	New Scrubs	1900	Ramstein Community Center
	Green Knights	1900	Ramstein Community Center
	Crazy Mules	1900	1 st Combat Comm
	Deep Fried Frontiersmen	1900	1 st Combat Comm
	Lawn Gnomes	1900	Pizza Gallery
25 Aug	Court of Honor	1800	Pulaski Park
	Family Picnic*		
28 Aug	Annual Program Planning Meeting	TBD	TBD



***Family Picnic:** This month's Court of Honor will include a family picnic. Patrol Leaders are responsible for getting a head count of the number of people (scout, parents and siblings) who plan to attend. Information must be passed to Dawn Hilty by 18 Aug so the troop can get enough hot dogs. Also, each patrol has been assigned food categories to bring. Each scout should bring enough food in his category to feed his family plus four more people. Patrol assignments: Hooting Owls – drinks (two 2 liter sodas or juice), New Scrubs – desserts, Green Knights – desserts, Deep Fried Frontiersmen - drinks (two 2 liter sodas or juice), Lawn Gnomes – side dishes, Crazy Mules - side dishes.

Annual Planning Meeting: This is a mandatory meeting for all Patrol Leaders to attend. This important meeting will set the agenda for the coming year. All scouts are encouraged to develop ideas for events such as camping trips, hikes, fundraisers and other events and present them to their Patrol Leaders for consideration at the meeting. Patrol Leaders, please have inputs to Adam Hilty NLT 11 August so information can be gathered and to ensure the event meets Safe Scouting Guide standards. If you get late inputs – don't discard them, forward to Adam and get as much information as you can so they can be discussed at the meeting. Location for this meeting is currently TBD due to planned painting at the Scout Hut.

Eagle Projects: We have a number of proposed Eagle Projects pending approval by the district. These have not been added to the calendar since they have not been approved yet. However, once approved they will happen quickly. Scouts, keep in mind Eagle Projects are great ways to pick up service project hours for your advancements too. Here are the projects that have been proposed:

Trey Cox – Painting Ramstein Middle School hallways on both floors. If approved this project will take place 12-14 Aug and 20-21 Aug.

Bryan Hilty – Repairing and widening a walking path and creating a lake viewing area at Baumholder Lake. If approved this project will take place 13-15 Aug with alternative dates of 3-5 Sep.

Matt Terruso – Commissary bagging fundraiser to pay for supplies needed to create a children’s nature trail behind the Ramstein Community Center. If approved this project will take place 14-15 Aug between 1200 and 1500 at the commissary.

Josh Enterkine – Landscape construction and beautification at Sembach Library. If approved this project will take place 31 Aug – 2 Sep.

September Events: Troop Service Project, tentatively scheduled for 18 Sep. Currently the troop does not have a project lined up. If you know of any units or organizations that need help, please contact Adam Hilty (06371-493111) so information can be gathered and presented at PLC.

Looking for a Committee Chair: Unfortunately, Terry Enterkine is moving on. If anyone is interested in leading the troop committee, please step forward. Thanks to Terry for all he’s done!



Assistant Scoutmasters/Patrol Advisors:

Greg Hilty
Pat Ritchie
William Enterkine
Victor Terruso

Dave Cunnigham
Pat Howard
Greg Flood
Jack Head

Dan Battern
Mark Ritchie
Sam Baker

Committee Members:

Advancements: Mike Dunn
Secretary: Mike Thoreson
Membership: Phil Bossert

Activities Coordinator: Mike Cole
Treasurer: Dawn Hilty
Equipment Coordinator: Curt Juell

Public Affairs: **VACANT**
Training Coordinator: Joy Clickener
Ways and Means: Liz Tisdale