

Troop 113 Totem Pole

A Newsletter of Events for Scouts and Parents

For more information:

<https://sites.google.com/site/bayporttroop113/>

Sep. 26, 2011



Calendar of Events

27 September § Tuesday

6:15 PM - Troop Meeting - *Ultimate Frisbee* - Scout Building - [bring red & blue Class B's. Bears stand all.](#) - permission slips due for Fall Camporee.

30 September - 2 October § Fri. – Sun.

Fall Camporee - Phillippo Scout Reservation - meet at **6:00 PM** Friday evening at scout building.
<http://greativers.nsbsa.org/>

4 October § Tuesday

6:15 PM - Troop Meeting - *Cooking, Bear Patrol* - Scout Building.

7 October § Friday

6:00 PM *Pumpkin Unloading* (tentative) - meet at Scout Building.

8 October § Saturday

10:00 - 3:00 *Pumpkin Sale* - Village Green.



8 October § Saturday

4:00 PM - *Jackson Brown's Eagle Scout Court of Honor* - Bethlehem Lutheran Church.

9 October § Sunday

4:30 PM - *Second Sunday Supper* - Bethlehem Lutheran Church ([Zack, Ben, Tony](#))

11 October § Tuesday

6:15 PM - Troop Meeting - *Cooking, Border Patrol* - Scout Building.

18 October § Tuesday

6:15 PM - Troop Meeting - *Patrol Leader's Conference* - Scout Building.

25 October § Tuesday

6:15 PM - Troop Meeting - *Cooking, Pyro Patrol* - Scout Building.

Other Upcoming Events -

Dec. 2-4: **Christmas Camp**

Dec. 13: **Feed my starving children**

Jan 20, 2012: **Spearhead/Snow Huskies**



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Calling all Photographers

In order to maintain the tradition of having a slide show at Christmas Camp, we need everyone to assemble their pictures and turn them in to Terry as soon after the Fall Camporee as possible. Please pre-screen your photos to eliminate the blurry ones, the finger in the frame pictures, the eyes closed, the replicates, etc. Photos can be delivered on CD/DVD or a memory stick labeled with your name (if you want it back).

Calling all Artists

Believe it or not, it has been 5 years since we last redesigned our neckerchief patch. Our Troop will be 90 years old next February, so it is time to start working on a new patch design. Use your imagination and begin sketching out your ideas now. It would be great to finalize the patch design at Christmas camp.

The patch needs to include:
The letters BSA or at least one complete fleur-de-lis
The number 113
Bayport, MN or Bayport Minnesota
An indication that the Troop is 90 years old

This web site has design templates and suggestions:
<http://www.ravenassociatesinc.com/Pages/2ndTier/DesignYourOwn.htm>
Keep in mind that a standard square patch can be rotated to a diamond.

This is your chance to define the symbol of our Troop for the next 5 years!!!

Spearhead/Snow Huskies



DID SOMEONE SAY SNOW??? I thought this was a family-oriented newsletter!

I'm afraid it's time to think ahead to the season that we all know is coming. Don't let it get you down. The fact is, winter camping is a fantastic way to break the cabin fever and is loads of fun. The weekend of Jan 20-22, 2012 has been set aside for a possible Snowbase adventure at Tomahawk Scout Reservation. High adventure programs are available for kids 13 and over, including the 'Spearhead' outdoor overnight treks or a dog sledding trek. The younger kids can participate in 'Snow Huskies', which is an introduction to winter camping that does not involve an outdoor over-night. Because these programs are more costly than our typical weekend camp-outs and potentially the troop is split into two programs, it is necessary to gauge interest and plan early to make reservations. Please review the programs and be ready to decide if you would like to participate. More information: <http://www.camptomahawk.org/snowbase>



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Pumpkin Sale Saved!

A new pumpkin supplier has been identified. Tentatively, we will meet at the scout building at 6:00 PM on Friday, Oct. 7 to unload the pumpkin delivery. Sale will begin at 10:00AM Saturday, Oct. 8 on the Village Green in Bayport. Confirmation of this schedule will be provided at upcoming meetings.

Second Sunday Suppers

Bethlehem Lutheran Church 'Second Sunday Supper' program takes place every second Sunday of the month during 2011. Troop 113 is providing three or more volunteers for each dinner to help serve meals, greet, and clean up. Set-up begins at 4:30 PM and clean-up should be finished by 6:30 PM. It is expected that every scout will volunteer for at least two Sundays during 2011. Please understand it will be the scout's responsibility to 'trade' days with another scout if scheduling conflicts arise.

	Scout 1	Scout 2	Scout 3	Scout 4
Sunday, January 09, 2011	Jackson Brown	Bryan Rettner	Thomas Vlasak	*
Sunday, February 13, 2011	Thomas Vlasak	Kenneth Nelson	Will Thomas	Nick Scheel
Sunday, March 13, 2011	Cullen Ring	Jacob Ring	Nick Scheel	Eddie Cardenas
Sunday, April 10, 2011	Kenneth Nelson	Jackson Brown	Toby Leppicello	Will Thomas
Sunday, May 08, 2011	Cullen Ring	Jacob Ring	Cory Spawn	Eddie Cardenas
Sunday, June 12, 2011	Alex	Zack	Eric	*
Sunday, July 10, 2011	Julian Nowaczek	Evan Nowaczek	Nick Carlson	*
Sunday, August 14, 2011	Tony Walters	Nick Carlson	Dominic Shelly	Petey Soderstrom
Sunday, September 11, 2011	Cory Spawn	Bryan Rettner	Ben Vlasak	Petey Soderstrom
Sunday, October 09, 2011	Tony Walters	Zack	Ben Vlasak	*
Sunday, November 13, 2011	Julian Nowaczek	Evan Nowaczek	Toby Leppicello	*
Sunday, December 11, 2011	Dominic	Alex	Eric	*

Troop 113 Totem Pole - from the Editor

If you have ideas, comments, concerns, submissions, photos, etc., please contact Paul Vlasak: pvasak@mmm.com or 651-430-3178. Submissions from Scouts are preferred, all submissions appreciated. Also, if you want to add or remove an e-mail address from the distribution list, please let me know. Keep in mind that the web-site may be more up to date and contains information for events as far out as there are plans: <https://sites.google.com/site/bayporttroop113/>

