



TROOP 111 TRIBUNE

Newsworthy articles, dates, and other things

January 14th, 2019



1/15/2019– Troop Meeting
Class A

1/22/2019– Patrol Meeting
Class B

1/25-1/27– Flaming Arrow Campout

1/29/2019– Court of HONor

2/5/2019—PLC Meeting

2/9 and 2/10/2019– Blake Fearon—Eagle Scout
Project @ The First Tee of the Palm Beaches at Dyer
Park

2/12/2019—Troop Meeting and Parent Meeting
Class A

2/19/2019– Troop Meeting
Class A

2/19/2019– Patrol Meeting
Class B

2/22-2/24– Dupuis Campout
Activity: Long Hike

2/26/19– Troop Meeting
Class A

3/5/19– PLC Meeting

3/12/19– Patrol and Parent Meeting
Class B

3/15/19– New Scout Campout @ TK

Did you know the first French fries weren't actually cooked in France? They were cooked in Greece.

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- Upcoming Campout– Dealing Tonight!
- Scholarship for Eagles
- Blake Fearon—Eagle Scout Project
- Call to Action—Den Leader Needed



Scout Day Pictures

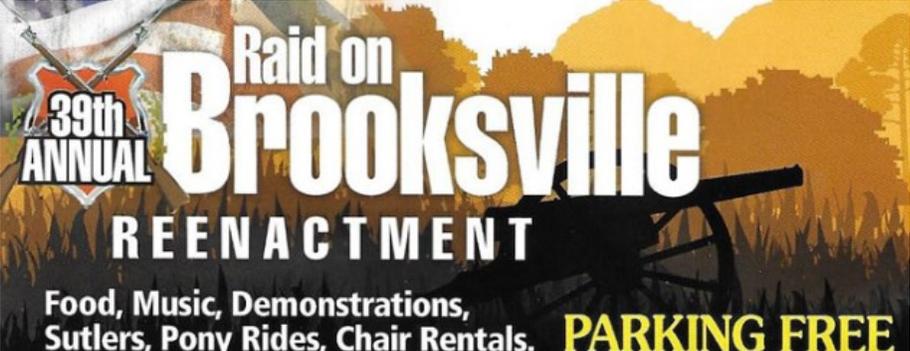
From the looks of it, Scout Day at Camp Davis was a success! Mr. Schuemacher was stuck at TK, but Mrs. Cabrera was awesome enough to send over this group of pictures. I heard there was a decent turnout and we should take a moment at this point to give a big shout-out to the committee members who have been so integral in moving the Troop's recruiting efforts forward. We wouldn't have any new Scouts joining the troop each year without the help and support of our Committee!



Upcoming Campout– Raid on Brooksville

It is finally time for our first campout of 2019. Today, Monday the 14th, is the last day to get signed up. To the right is a little more information and the itinerary of what we can expect to see on Saturday. You won't want to miss this event!

Sign up on ScoutPay today. As always, no Scout should miss an event due to lack of funds. If you do not have money in your ScoutPay account, but wish to attend, make sure you reach out to Mr. Williams or Mr. Lange today!



39th ANNUAL **Raid on Brooksville**
REENACTMENT

Food, Music, Demonstrations, Sutlers, Pony Rides, Chair Rentals. **PARKING FREE**

Where:
Sand Hill Scout Reservation
11210 Cortez Blvd., Brooksville

When:
Saturday and Sunday, January 19 & 20, 2019

Donations:

- \$10 Adults
- \$5 Youth 6-12 years old
- FREE - 5 & under
- \$3 Scouts in uniform

2019 TOP TWENTY EVENTS
Presented by:
Hernando Historical Museum Association • North Pinellas County Scout Sertoma Club

SATURDAY	SUNDAY
9:00 A.M. Camps Open	9:00 A.M. Camps Open
9:30 A.M. Colors – Battle Field	9:30 A.M. Colors – Battle Field
10:30 A.M. Ladies Tea (period dress required) Ball Tent	10:00 A.M. Church Service Ball Tent
11:30 A.M. Artillery Demonstration Battlefield	11:30 A.M. Artillery Demonstration Battlefield
12:45 P.M. Author Michael C. Hardy Presenting & Book Signing— Authors Row	Noon Author Michael C. Hardy Presenting & Book Signing— Authors Row
1:30 P.M. 7 Lbs of Bacon Band	12:30 P.M. 7lbs of Bacon Band
2:30 P.M. The Overland Campaign— Battlefield	1:30 P.M. Grand Review— Battlefield
4:45 P.M. Flag Retirement Ceremony— Battlefield	2:00 P.M. Atlanta Campaign-Battlefield
5:30 P.M. Camps Close	4:30 P.M. Camps Close



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Scholarship Opportunities for Eagle Scouts

Merit beyond the badge

High School Seniors!!! Did you know that Gulf Stream Council has a special Scholarship program for Eagle Scouts? Applications are due in March!! Turn yours in today! Scholarships will be awarded at the NESAs Eagle Scout Banquet in April!

Applications may be found at <http://ow.ly/9jAz30nfuQD>

#EagleScout #nesa #scoutmein #gulfstreamcouncil

Call to Action—Den Chief Needed



GREAT SCOUT LEADERSHIP OPPORTUNITY

Tenderfoot, Second Class, First Class, Star, Life and Eagle

Our local packs are in need of youth leaders to assist with the pack. Would you like to help? Check out the following info to see what being a **DEN CHIEF** is all about.

- selected by SPL & Scoutmaster
- approved by Cubmaster and pack committee
- take Den Chief Training
- help Cub Scouts advance through Cub Scout ranks
- encourage Cub Scouts to join a troop and continue in scouting
- assist with activities at den meetings
- be a role model: uniform, scout spirit, oath & law
- help the den in monthly pack meeting.
- meet with den leader to review den and pack meeting plans

Does this leadership position sound like something you'd enjoy?

If your answer is **YES**, please contact Mrs. Cabrera (Loricab17@gmail.com) OR Mrs. Doeren (bonnie@beerheadbar.com)

Blake Fearon— Eagle Scout Project

Blake's Eagle Scout Project is now on the calendar. The dates are set and the times and details should follow soon.

Here's what we know so far:

Location: The First Tee: 7301 Haverhill Rd, Riviera Beach, FL 33407

Day 1: February 9th—this will be sometime in the afternoon and involve the older scouts.

Day 2: February 10th— this will be for all scouts and volunteers

We'll keep you posted on details as we have them. For now, please mark your calendars.



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- UNIFORM
- RESPECT
- LAW
- OATH
- BE PREPARED
- SCOUT
- ADVENTURES
- LEADERSHIP
- SERVICE
- OUTDOOR CODE
- SECOND CLASS
- EAGLE
- MERIT BADGE
- LIFE
- TENDERFOOT
- STAR
- HONOR
- FIRST AID
- RANK

Play this puzzle online at : <http://thewordsearch.com/puzzle/7961/>



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Class A

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3/15/19— New Scout Campout @ TK

3/19/19— Troop Meeting
Class A

3/20/19— Round Table Meeting

3/26/19— Troop Meeting
Class A

4/2/19— PLC Meeting

4/9/19— Patrol and Parent/Committee Meeting
Class B

4/12-4/14— Mill Dam Campout

4/16/19— Troop Meeting
Class A

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- Flamingo Campout— register on ScoutPay
- Parent Meeting Tomorrow
- Wood Badge Update
- Puzzle



Blue and Gold Banquet– Pack 120

Mr. Williams has 6 tickets available for the Blue and Gold Banquet that Pack 120 is hosting. However, that is the same weekend as our campout. If there is anyone not going on the campout in two weeks who would be able and interested in attending the Pack 120 Blue and Gold Banquet, please let Mr. Williams know. This is an excellent, and important, way we can show support for our local Packs and get some T111 visibility out there so they know what an awesome Troop we are and want to join us.

The event is on Saturday, February 23rd, from 5-7pm at the Navy and Marine Corps Reserve Center located at 1227 Marine Drive, West Palm Beach, FL 33409.

Again, let Mr. Williams know if you are not planning on camping and would want to attend the Blue and Gold Banquet.

Parent Meeting

This Tuesday February 12th is a Committee/Parent Meeting. It is very IMPORTANT that you attend this meeting as we will be discussing the Future of Troop 111.

If you need to speak with us now you may call my cell 561-386-1189 today after 5:00pm or any time tomorrow. You may also contact Mr. Williams at 561-346-6891. We are always available to listen to your concerns.

YIS,

Katherine Lange

Committee Chair

Flamingo Campout– Everglades

The Flamingo Campout is up on Scoutpay. If you are planning on attending, the deadline for signup is next Monday, 2/18/19. The cost is \$45 for scouts. If your Scoutpay account is in the negative because Mr. Lange pulled the funds for re-chartering and January dues, please make arrangements with him as soon as possible and/or bring your account back into the positive by bringing funds to Tuesday's meeting.

Reposting his most recent email:

PLEASE NOTE THAT I HAVE MANUALLY APPLIED THE RE-CHARTER AND DUES FOR THOSE SCOUTS THAT HAVE NOT DID IT THEMSELVES. IT IS IMPORTANT TO CHECK YOUR BALANCES BEFORE TUESDAY'S MEETINGS.

TO THE SCOUTS THAT DID KEEP UP WITH THEIR SCOUTPAY, GREAT JOB! TO THE OTHERS, YOU CAN DO IT! JUST ASK ME IF YOU HAVE ANY PROBLEMS.

AS A REMINDER THE RE-CHARTER FEE IS A SCOUTING FEE, NOT A TROOP FEE. THE MONEY GOES TO DISTRICT, COUNCIL & NATIONAL.

I WILL REMIND EVERYONE THE EASIEST WAY TO AVOID LAST MINUTE FEES AND CHECKS IS TO PAY AHEAD IN SCOUTPAY. SCOUTPAY IS MORE LIKE AN ACCOUNT NOT A PAY AS YOU GO. MAKING SURE THERE IS A POSITIVE BALANCE ALLOWS SCOUTS TO TRACK AND ACCOUNT FOR THEIR OWN TROOP RESPONSIBILITIES.

A FEW HAVE PAID DUES 6 - 12 MONTHS IN ADVANCE AND 'CLICKS' ALL THE YEAR SO THEY DO NOT HAVE TO WORRY ABOUT GOING INTO THE RED.

FEEL FREE TO CALL ME WITH ANY QUESTIONS.

MR. LANGE

(561) 262-9375

Wood Badge 2019 Update



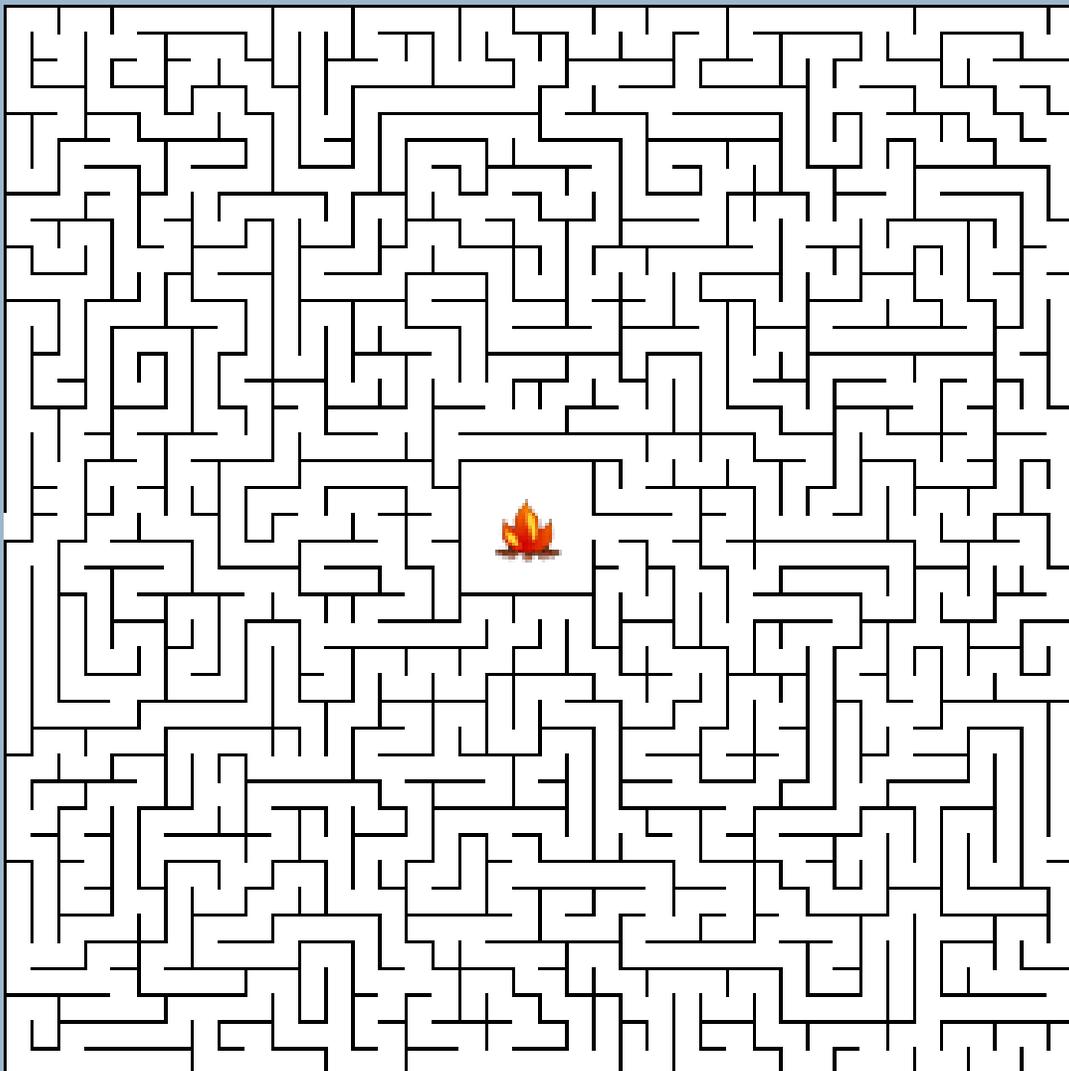
Mrs. Estevez is the latest in a long line of adult leaders out of T111 to tackle Wood Badge. That being said, in true Mrs. Estevez fashion, she was well prepared and was able to work with her patrol to produce the patrol flag you see in the picture to the right. While it is a fine flag, many may feel that the wrong critter is represented. I know Mr. Slayden and Mr. Estevez would have been proud to have her as a member of the greater Antelope Patrol. I'd have surely welcomed her as a wise Owl. And, Dr. Rice would certainly have welcomed her as an Eagle. Ultimately, it is Mr. Williams who gets to claim Mrs. Estevez as a fox.

(I'm sure I missed a few critters and names, but hopefully didn't get any of those wrong.)

Nonetheless, we are all immensely proud of Mrs. Estevez for taking on this training and encourage all of our adult leaders to complete this training. It will not only help you in scouting, but also in life. Plus, you get to craft a flag.



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- CAFCI Annual Ball
- South Florida Fair Gigantic Garage Sale Success
- "An Evening In The Woods" Fund Raiser

NEW SCOUT MEMBER

We welcome Matthew Kidder and the Kidder family to Troop 111! Matthew comes to us as a 2nd Class ranked scout. His favorite thing to do in his spare time is play video games (especially Minecraft). When outdoors, he loves to play Basketball with his friends. Matthew's favorite meal of the day is dinner, especially when his mom makes him chicken parmesan. We'll be on the look-out for that recipe Mrs. Kidder! We are glad to have your family join our troop family!



Matthew Kidder



Photo Caption

Celebrating 30 Years of Community Service

CAFCI, our charter organization celebrated their 30th year anniversary on September 28th. Both the village of Royal Palm Beach and Wellington presented proclamations making September 28th CAFCI day in both communities.

A wonderful slide show featured many past and current scouts at the various community service events in which our troop participated. Pictures of the troops early Eagle Scout ceremonies were also included.

"It is with great pride that I attended as both a Troop parent and CAFCI member", said Lori Cabrera, who sang the National Anthem at the event.

DID YOU KNOW ?

The largest known living organism is an aspen grove. Pando (Latin for "I spread out") is a group of genetically identical quaking aspens in Utah with an interconnected root system. It's an estimated 80,000 years old and takes up more than 100 acres.



GIGANTIC GARAGE SALE SUCCESS



Great teamwork at the South Florida Fair Gigantic Garage Sale. Mrs. Lange, our Committee Chair & Fundraiser Extraordinaire reports that we earned \$815.00! Thanks to all who donated items, set up and worked the event. Congratulations to the following scouts who represented our troop, sold items, helped our charter CAFCI at their tables and earned community service hours: Ryan, Mohammed, William H., Noah, Jared & Jackson E.

TELL A
JOKE !

An art thief once stole some very expensive paintings from the Louvre in Paris. He took two Van Goghs, a couple Monets, a DeGas, and some other paintings.

Everything went perfectly, except he was captured sitting in his van with the paintings only 2 blocks from the museum.

His van had run out of fuel!

When asked by the police how he could plan such a successful robbery and then be foiled by such a simple error, he replied...

'I had no MONET to buy DEGAS to make the VAN GOGH!'



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RIGHT AROUND THE CORNER:

10/5/19

Troop 111 Banquet BBQ "An Evening in the Woods" Schedule

5:00 PM	Guest Arrival, Games, Auction
5:30 PM	Food Is Served
6:30 PM	Dessert Auction
7:00 PM	Movie Set Up/ Sell Popcorn & Candy
7:30 PM	Movie Starts
9:00 PM	Event Ends

The "early bird" price of \$15 will be honored until Tuesday October 1st at the Troop meeting.

Please feel free to stop by to purchase your tickets. We also need parents' help to wrap silverware.

A "needs list" was emailed on September 27th. Please review and let Mrs. Cabrera or Mrs. Lange know if there is anything with which you can help.

Banquet Dessert Competition

Prizes awarded for:

Most Creative ~ Highest Bid ~ Tallest Display

Rules:

1. Theme: Merit Badge
2. Should feed 10-12 people
3. Should represent the merit badge you select
4. Should not include nuts
5. Must be presented on disposable dish
6. Must be bought to Davis house by 5pm
7. Desserts requiring refrigeration not permitted



**Remember to
include index card**

Front:

Scout Name/Merit Badge Name

Back:

Description of dessert

RIDDLE ME THIS

**Q: Why is the little ant
always confused?**

**A: Because all his uncles
are ants.**

**Q: What is the best part of
a Boxer's joke?**

A: The PUNCH line.

**Q: What kind of house
weighs the least?**

A: A LIGHT house

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October 7th 2019

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- Troop Trivia
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An Evening In The Woods

October 5th, 2019



An Evening In The Woods Troop Fund Raiser

Another great banquet has come and gone
We toiled at dusk we toiled at dawn
When all was in place the guests arrived
The moment was finally here
Scouts and parents meeting, greeting
All who gathered there.

Jonathan & Jared our co-emcees
kept things moving right along
From welcoming guests to leading cake bidding
They introduced skits and songs
The Doerens donated and also prepared
A delicious bbq feast
pulled pork , corn, salad and beans
And so much kindness to share

CAFCI was present supporting our youth
Treats were awaiting at the popcorn booth
Merit badge desserts were judged and sold
sweet treats enjoyed by the young and the old
The auction and raffle were so well supported
We'll see what was earned as soon as reported

To the Davis family we say many thanks
for your help and the use of your yard
And to troop 111's Eagle Scout Jordan
Wow those Canopies - you worked very hard
Till next year when we come together again
to create a fundraising success
We rocked it, we hit it right outta the park
Troop 11's the best!

~
By Lori Cabrera



EAGLE PROJECT

Scout: William Gulley

Date: October 12th at 9am

Project: Reconditioning and Painting 26 tricycles

Location: Hispanic Human Resources Council's New Pines Child Development Center

Address: 1427 South Congress Avenue, West Palm Beach, FL 33406

Bring with you:

Water bottle

Gloves

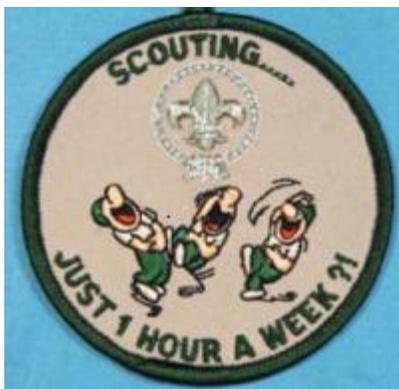
Electric Palm Sanders

Cordless Drills with wire brush attachments

Extension Cords

Small hand tools—screw drivers, wrenches

*Sign Up At Next
Scout Meeting on
Tuesday Oct e 8 !*



TROOP TRIVIA

1. What year did CAFCI become the charter organization for our troop?
2. Who was Troop 111's 1st Scoutmaster?
3. How did the Troop get the number 111?



Answers: 1. 2003 2. Mr. Pantone 3. The troop was formed on Nov 1st 2003, 11/1, 111

NOTICE FROM BSA
IMMEDIATE ACTION REQUIRED



The Boy Scouts of America (BSA) is committed first and foremost to keeping youth safe. Part of that commitment includes continually updating our youth protection policies to help ensure we are always on the forefront of youth safety.

As you know, one of the BSA's many barriers to abuse is a mandatory criminal background check during the adult volunteer application process. **The BSA will now also perform periodic rechecks of criminal backgrounds to support the continued safety of youth in our programs.**

Please complete the process listed below at your earliest availability to help us continue to provide the safest environment possible for our Scouts and leaders.

Please note that these steps must be completed before your 2020 annual registration can be processed.

1. Review the separate disclosure document linked below that is being provided to you separately for your review. It is titled "Background Check Disclosure."
2. Once you have reviewed that, print the separate document titled "Additional Disclosures & Background Check Authorization." Review the additional disclosures on that form, then complete and sign the Authorization using an ink/wet signature. *Note: A print signature is required for this document. Electronic signatures will not be accepted.*
3. Turn in the signed "Additional Disclosures & Background Check Authorization" form promptly to your unit leader or local council service center.

If you choose to decline the background check, or if you do not complete the Additional Disclosures & Background Check Authorization form and return it to your unit leader or local council service center, your 2020 annual registration will not be processed.

We are truly grateful for your continued commitment to keeping youth safe and for helping them learn, grow, and thrive through Scouting programs.

[Background Check Disclosure](#)

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Comic by Scott Nickel

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- **Important Notice From BSA: 2020 Registration Requirements**

Halloween

October 31st 2019

There's a big day coming up, and though it's probably not anyone's first go around, it is always smart to play it safe. From the candy to the costumes, Halloween is a fun-filled time for kids and parents. To help make it a trick-free treat, follow these simple safety tips from kidshealth.org:

Trick-or-Treating Basics

Kids under age 12 should:

- always go trick-or-treating with an adult
- know how to call 911 in case they get lost
- know their home phone number or your cellphone number if you don't have a landline

Older kids who go out on their own should:

- know their planned route and when they'll be coming home
- carry a cellphone
- go in a group and stay together
- only go to houses with porch lights on
- stay away from candles and other flames
- know to never go into strangers' homes or cars

For all kids:

- According to Safe Kids Worldwide, the risk of kids being hit by a car is higher on Halloween than on any other day of the year. So make sure all kids:
 - ⇒ walk on sidewalks on lit streets (never through alleys or across lawns)
 - ⇒ walk from house to house (never run) and always walk facing traffic when walking on roads
 - ⇒ cross the street at crosswalks and never assume that vehicles will stop
- Give kids flashlights with fresh batteries. Kids may also enjoy wearing glow sticks as bracelets or necklaces.
- Limit trick-or-treating to your neighborhood and the homes of people you know.

When kids get home:

- Help them check all treats to make sure they're sealed. Throw out candy with torn packages or holes in the packages, spoiled items, and any homemade treats that weren't made by someone you know.
- Don't let young children have hard candy or gum that could cause choking.



RIDDLE ME THIS

Why didn't the skeleton go to school?
His heart wasn't in it.

What kind of music do mummies love?
Wrap music.

What's a witch's favorite subject in school?
Spelling.

What happens when a ghost gets lost in the fog?
He is mist.

What room does a ghost not need?
A living room.

How do you fix a cracked pumpkin?
A pumpkin patch

When is it bad luck to be followed by a black cat?
If you are a mouse.

Why don't vampires have more friends?
Because they are a pain in the neck.

What position does a ghost play in hockey?
Ghoulie.

Why didn't the skeleton go to the dance?
Because he had no "body" to dance with.

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CALL FOR PHOTOS:

If you have a really creative or fun Halloween costume this year, send in some pictures to Mrs. Johnson (cdj9976@gmail.com) to be featured in our next newsletter!





**NOV 2ND - SAVE THE DATE:
Joshua Caudill's Eagle Project.**

Please contact Mr. Estevez if you can assist with any of these needs:

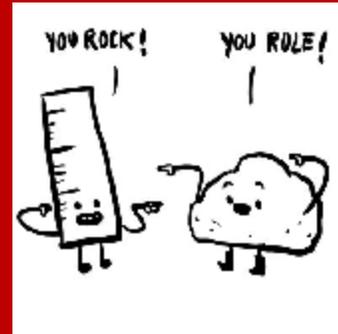
Registered adults leaders and merit badge counselors: We are in need of parents willing to become counselors and ASM's.

Youth Protection training and background checks mandatory.

Patrol Boxes Renovation: If you have any carpentry experience and can help rehabilitate two of our patrol boxes, we could really use your help!

Shout out to Mr. Goldberger:

Thank you for transferring the storage items to the Camp Davis Shed!



Alumni News

Mr. & Mrs. Jay Pantone are expecting their first child. Congratulations to our alumni scout!

DID YOU KNOW ?

Pumpkins, squash, and gourds are all technically the same species.

That's right, your zucchini and Jack o' lanterns are one and the same: *Cucurbita pepo*, a species that originated in Mexico more than 10,000 years ago. Farmers have since developed the many cultivars we know and use today.



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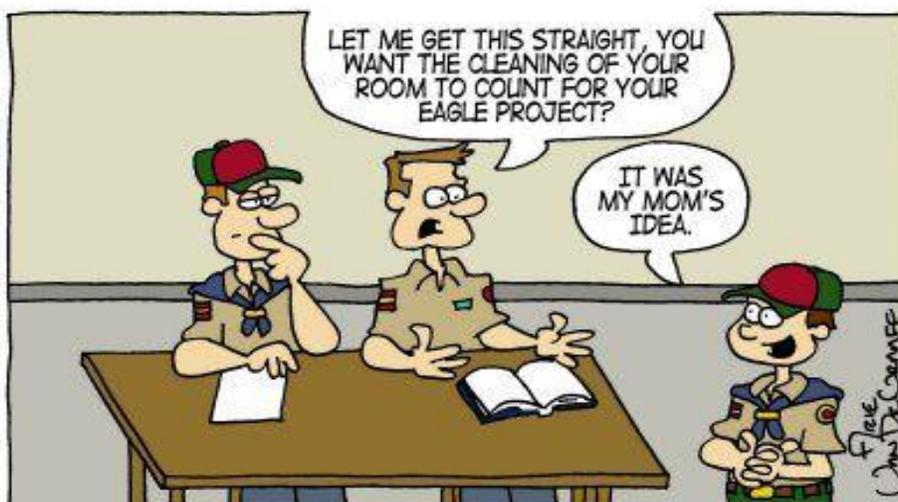
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Joshua Caudill's Eagle Project

Big Dog Ranch RESCUE - PLAY STATIONS



In my search for an Eagle Project idea, I looked around many different places: elementary schools, religious institutions, and many other non-profits. However, I couldn't find any inspiration for the projects which were proposed to me.

Continuing my search, I headed to Big Dog Ranch. While they didn't have any project ideas, they did have some ideas for things they wanted improved.

Through further discussion, I learned they wanted a way to allow the dogs to play with toys without the hassle of having to pick the toys up. This inspired me to come up with the idea of dog toy 'play stations'.

First, I had to find a way to create my vision. As I started developing ideas, the cost of the project continued to increase. I had to find a way to decrease that cost. My next step was to go around Royal Palm Beach and ask local businesses if they would be willing to donate any of the materials for my project. Over the next few weeks, I got my first donations from Lowes and Home Depot! And a few weeks after that, I was able to get a donation from Petsmart!

After that, the day of reckoning was upon me. I arrived at Big Dog Ranch to the smiles of many volunteers. The appreciation I received from them relieved many of the nerves that were built up.

Moreover, the support I received from the troop was absolutely amazing. I really appreciate all the help that I have gotten from everyone involved in the project: especially my parents and Mr. Slayden! I really appreciate it! I continue to be optimistic in the future of troop because we have many amazing, hard-

Great Job Scouts &

Congratulations Joshua Caudill!



Happy Birthday

NOVEMBER 11th

Troop Trivia

1. Who was the first Eagle Scout?
2. How many scouts started the troop?
3. What was the Troop's first community service event?

The Outdoor Code

ACROSS

3. we should all use these
5. you are this to others
8. you are this around the next word

DOWN

1. yellow and orange flames
2. something you should try to do
4. a citizen of the United States
5. remember to only use what you need
6. your mom likes your room like this
7. opposite of indoor

DID YOU KNOW ?

M&M stands for Mars and Murrie.

The Forrest Mars (son of the Mars Company founder) first spotted the British confection Smarties during the Spanish Civil War and noticed the candy shell prevented the chocolate from melting. He teamed up with Bruce Murrie (son of Hershey Chocolate's president) and the company later trademarked the "Melts in Your Mouth, Not in Your Hand" slogan.





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Three racehorses were in the stable waiting for the big race. Trying to psych each other out, they began bragging.

1st horse: 'I've been in 38 races and have only lost twice.'

2nd horse: 'Well, I've been in 47 races and have never lost.'

3rd horse: 'Huh, I've never lost either and I even beat Secretariat twice.'

Just then, they heard a chuckle by the stable door, and there was a greyhound dog walking up to them. The greyhound said, 'That's nothing. I've been in over 200 races and have won every one by at least 3 lengths.'

First horse: 'Wow! That's amazing - a talking dog!'



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Meeting Our Charter Organization Members at the CACIFI YEAR END TROOP REPORT



Nov 9th, RPB Rec Center - Thank you to Mrs. Lange, Jared, Mrs. Kelly, William, Mrs. Cabrera and Noah for attending the CAFCI meeting on Nov. 9th. The scouts represented the troop proudly. Jared was an outstanding ASPL. He explained how a "scout led" troop functions in regards to leadership, advancement and planning. He shared many of our past events and also explained our upcoming mystery campout. Mrs. Lange explained the different scout positions held by the boys and answered questions from the board and members. She also invited CAFCI to attend more troop events. Mrs. Cabrera shared a video featuring highlights from Pack 120. & our troop. CAFCI members enjoyed eating tacos prepared by Mrs. Davis and Scout Trail Crunch made by Mrs. Cabrera. Secret ingredient: Trails End Caramel Popcorn. They make wonderful teacher and co-worker gifts. If you need the secret ingredient please see Mrs. Lange.

SCOUT TRAIL CRUNCH

1 bag Trails End Caramel Corn
1 bag Snyder's pretzel snaps
1 box Cinnamon Toast Crunch Churros cereal
1 cup mixed nuts
1 bag white chocolate chips or morsels
2 tbsp. half n half
1 tbsp. butter
½ tsp. salt



Melt chips in double boiler with half n half. Stir until smooth and creamy. Melt butter in pan. Add nuts and salt. Toss to coat and lightly toast. Mix nuts and all other dry ingredients in a large bowl. Stir in melted chocolate until mixture is well coated. Place crunch mixture on a cookie tray lined with waxed or parchment paper. Spread out into a thin layer. When cool break apart into crunchy bites. Enjoy!



Troop 111 joined with Pack 120 to participate in the RPB annual Veterans Day Ceremony. Everyone enjoyed a delicious hot breakfast and perfect "indoor" weather as it was the 1st time this event was held in the newly refurbished Cultural Center. Thank you to Jonathan Farrell, SPL and Jared Lange, ASPL for their leadership in organizing all the scouts as they were positioned throughout the honored service people and guests for the Pledge of Allegiance. When the troop was announced a loud cheer rang out. Our past and continued service to this community have made us well known and truly appreciated. Keep up the good work Scouts.



VETERANS DAY FUN FACTS:

It was originally called Armistice day. On the 11th hour of the 11th day of the 11th month of 1918, an armistice, or temporary cessation of hostilities, was declared between the Allied nations and Germany in WWI.

On June 1, 1954, the name was changed to Veterans Day to honor all U.S. veterans. In 1968, new legislation changed the national commemoration of Veterans Day to the fourth Monday in October. In 1978 Congress returned the observance to its traditional date to observe its historical significance

There were around 21.8 million veterans in the United States as of 2010.

There are around 9 million veterans over the age of 65.

Around 1.6 million veterans are women.



ABOUT



TreeUmph! Adventure Course is an ideal, exciting venue for troops of any size to connect, boost individual confidence, enhance motivation and build lasting bonds. With over 100 unique obstacles that grow more challenging as they go, each step is a victory that will have your scouts encouraging and cheering each other on as they ascend towards the Summit. Overcoming the elevated challenge courses as a group creates relationships and memories that will last a lifetime, and will leave each individual inspired by the challenges they conquered with the help of their friends.

MYSTERY CAMPOUT



REVIEWING THE MYSTERY

I asked Micah Johnson to tell me about this exciting weekend. Here's what he had to say: "When I first arrived at the Rye Preserve, I had mixed feelings. I was happy to be out of Mr. Farrel's car after 3 hours, but I was confused because I thought a 'Mystery Campout" would be something different, but it seemed like a regular campsite. The next day however, after breakfast, we were given our group troop shirts that said 'Tree Umph" on them. That confused me... how mysterious :D

For those of you who have never been there or were unable to attend, Tree Umph is a huge rope obstacle course, with multiple levels of difficulty (1 – 5), with level 1 being a tutorial course and level 5 being near impossible. I was excited to make it through level five along with a handful of other scouts. There was also a floating jump down from level 4, and the triumph zip line, which was basically a huge zip line

from the end of Tree Umph back to the beginning.

Later that night we had meatball subs for dinner and we had a big campfire with the whole troop, and we all did a skit and song. In my opinion, the shaman / elusive bucks song was the best. It was called "If I were not a boy scout" and basically each scout completed the verse with what they would be – and everyone came up with really funny jobs that they did terribly. The best skit was probably the shaman's rendition of the "Bean" skit. The next morning, we did all the usual things - packed up, breakfast, clean the coolers, roses and thorns.... But there was a surprise in store after that - Nima and Josh got to... enjoy some whipped cream pies to commemorate their last campout with the troop ;) All in all, best campout of the year."

GOOD CHARACTER WORD SEARCH

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COURAGE

ALUMNI NEWS

Carl Mohr, our 38th Eagle Scout has moved on to a cooler climate. Carl is now residing in Wisconsin with his dear friend, Raymond Brown, also a Troop alumni. Carl, an outstanding Costco employee, was able to transfer with ease. We wish him the best of luck in his new endeavors and new location. Carl is the distinguished young man in the center proudly wearing his Eagle neckerchief at the 2018 Pack 120 Blue & Gold/Crossover.



Congratulations Paul Groves, Troop 111's Eagle Scout #18, on your little baby girl (and future scout)!



DID YOU KNOW?

You can hear a blue whale's heartbeat from more than 2 miles away.

It has the world's largest heart, weighing about 400 pounds, which is approximately the size of a small piano.





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RIDDLE CORNER

Q: How do you put a giraffe into a refrigerator?
A: Open the refrigerator, put in the giraffe, and close the door.

Q: How do you put an elephant into a refrigerator?
A: Open the refrigerator, take out the giraffe, put in the elephant and close the door.

Q: The Lion King is hosting an animal conference. All the animals attend... except one. Which animal does not attend?
A: The Elephant. The elephant is in the refrigerator. You just put him in there.

Q: There is a river you must cross but it is used by crocodiles, and you do not have a boat. How do you manage it?
A: You jump into the river and swim across. Have you not been listening? All the crocodiles are attending the Animal Meeting.



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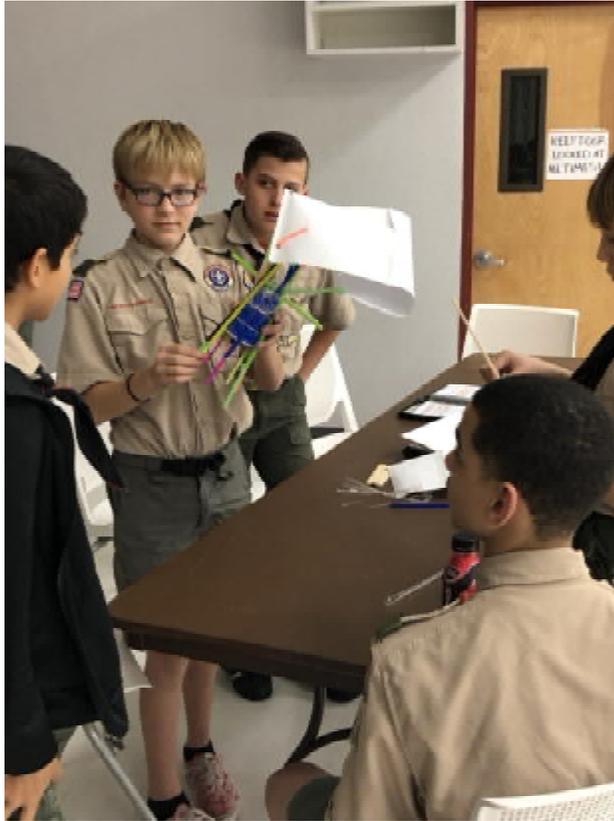
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TROOP MEETING ACTIVITIES - 11.19.19

EGG DROP!

The Troop had fun working on their contraptions during last week's meeting!



DID YOU KNOW?

The first Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade didn't feature any balloons.

The first parade in the early 1920s had puppets riding the floats, as well as singers and celebrities and of course, Santa Claus. And when the Thanksgiving parade made its big debut in 1924, it did have something that might be even crazier than balloons: animals from the Central Park Zoo.





SCOUTS OUT & ABOUT



Troop 111 was out and about in the community Thursday night, Nov. 21st. Jared, Ethan, Cole, Noah, Jackson & Luke attended the Pack 125 pack meeting. Jared did a wonderful job explaining how our troop functions. Thanks to Mrs Lange, Mrs Doeren, Mrs Cabrera, Mr Williams and Mr Estevez for also attending. Special thanks to Mr Estevez for bringing the trailer for the cubs to tour.



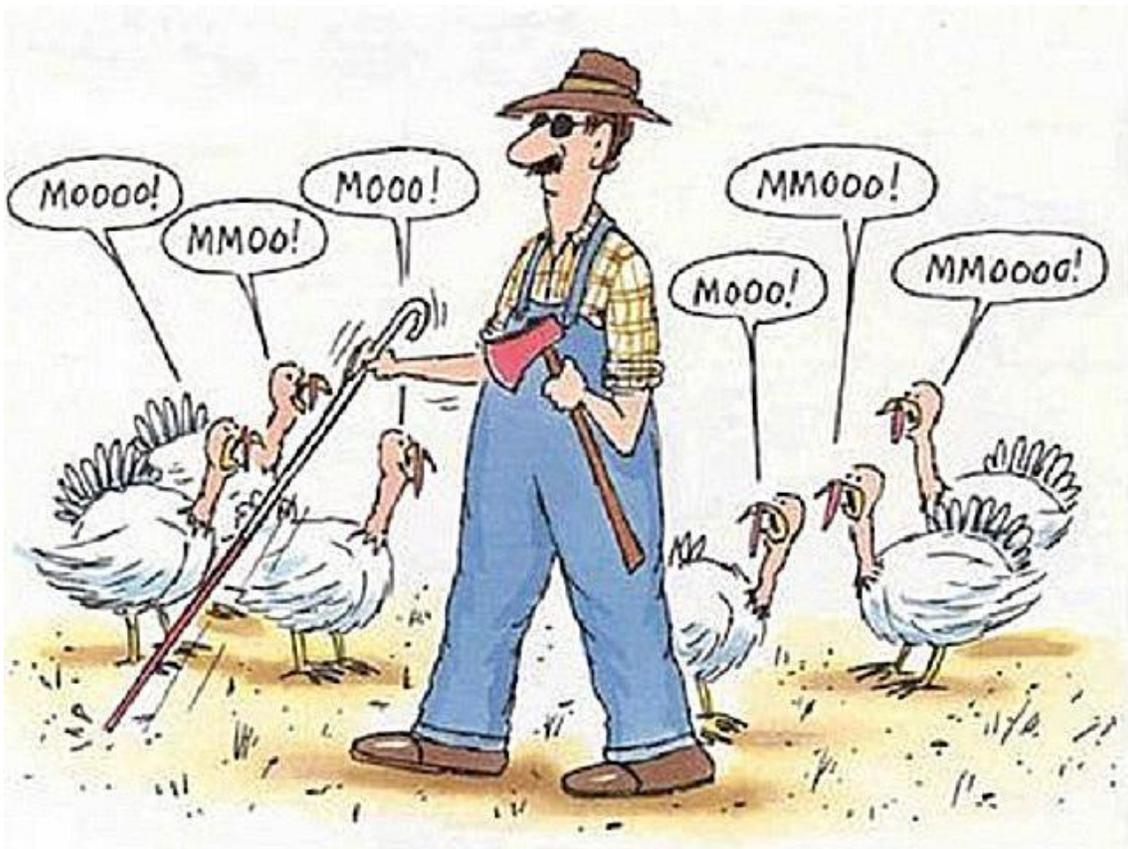
Congratulations to Ethan Estevez on another awesome performance with the Young Singers of the Palm Beaches. His proud parents and Mrs Cabrera enjoyed the show at the Kravis Center on Sat Nov. 23rd.



8 Surprising Facts You Never Knew About Thanksgiving

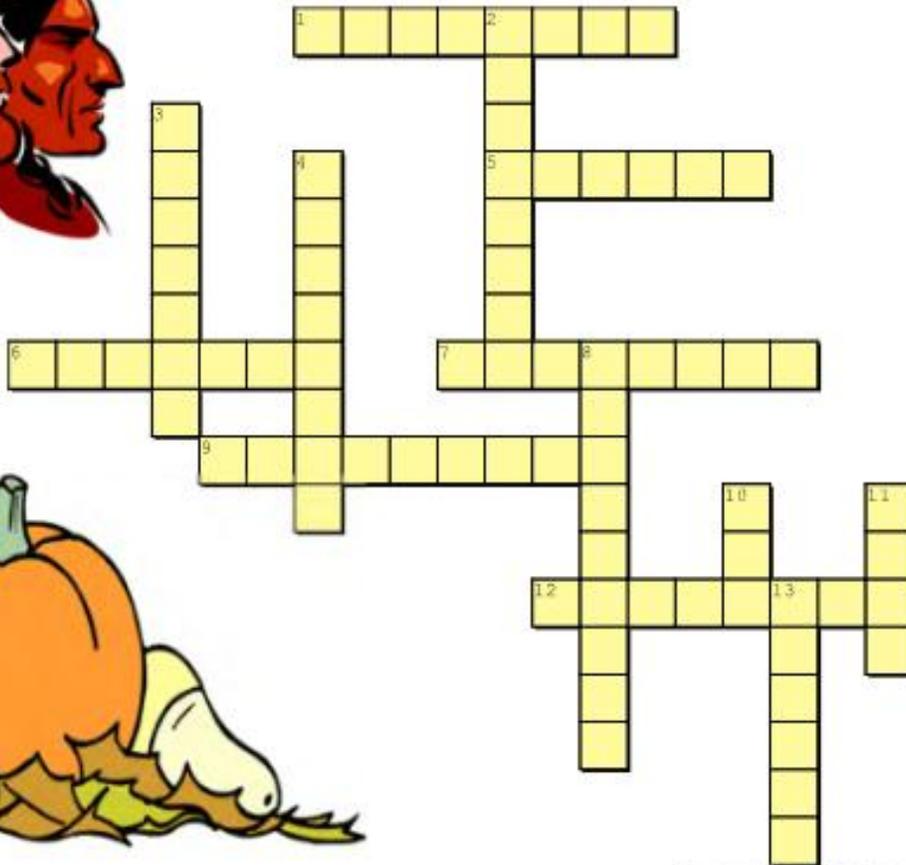
1. A woman named Sarah Josepha Hale lobbied Congress for years to make Thanksgiving an official holiday.
2. Originally, Thanksgiving may not have been celebrated in November at all, but rather mid-October.
3. In 1939, President Franklin D. Roosevelt changed the date of Thanksgiving to one week earlier. FDR reversed back to the 4th Thursday in 1941.
4. The first Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade in 1924 featured live animals from the Central Park Zoo.
5. Thanksgiving leftovers led to the first ever TV dinner.
6. The menu for the first Thanksgiving dinner in Plymouth—which took place in 1621—likely included lobster, seal, and swans.
7. Canadian celebrate Thanksgiving on a Monday in October.
8. The British don't officially celebrate Thanksgiving, but they do celebrate "Brits-giving."

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CROSSWORD

Test Your Thanksgiving History Knowledge!



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Across

1. Filling
5. Thanksgiving bird
6. Shared feast with the Pilgrims
7. Pilgrim landing rock
9. Red Berry
12. Month

Down

2. Sport commonly watched
3. Orange vegetable used in pie
4. Day of the week
8. Pilgrims sailed on this
10. Turkey alternative
11. Maize
13. Plenty



Happy Thanksgiving!



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TELL A JOKE !

A man buys a parrot, only to have it constantly insult him. He tries everything to make the parrot stop, but nothing works. Frustrated, the man puts the parrot in the freezer. After a few minutes the insults stop. The man thinks he might have killed the parrot, so he opens the freezer and takes the parrot out. The parrot is shivering. It stammers, "S-s-sorry for being r-r-rude. Please f-f-forgive me." Then, after a moment, the parrot softly asks, "W-w-what exactly d-d-did the turkey do?"



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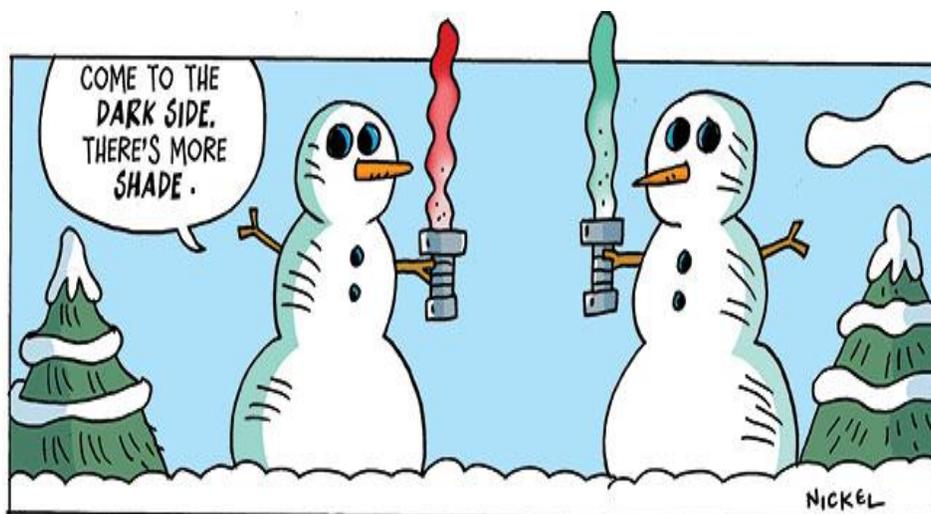
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RPB WINTER FEST

Fantastic Job BSA Troop 111 Scouts & parents on representing the Troop fundraiser & recruiting event at Royal Palm Beach Commons Park Winter Fest this past weekend!

So many yummy & creative treats made & donated by our scouts and families.

Special thanks to Mrs. Lange for setting up and coordinating this fun event!



DID YOU KNOW ?

Candy Canes have been around for over 170 years.

The first record of candy canes in America goes all the way back to 1847 when a German immigrant used them to decorate his holiday tree, according to the National Confectioners Association. Nowadays, the iconic Christmas candy is a holiday staple with more than 1.2 billion produced and sold each year.



TROOP MEETING ACTIVITIES - 12.10.19

GINGER BREAD HOUSES!

The Troop had fun planning, decorating (and eating) gingerbread houses during this week's meeting!





WREATHS *across* AMERICA

I always wondered how this wonderful tradition started. The following excerpt was taken from the Wreaths Across America website, and is a wonderfully inspirational story of how one man's annual tribute to our veterans inspired a legion of volunteers and gave rise to the Wreaths Across America of today.

Morrill Worcester, owner of Worcester Wreath Company of Harrington, Maine, [at age 12] won a trip to Washington D.C. His first trip to our nation's capital was one he would never forget, and Arlington National Cemetery made an especially indelible impression on him. This experience followed him throughout his life and successful career, reminding him that his good fortune was due, in large part, to the values of this nation and the veterans who made the ultimate sacrifice for their country.

In 1992, Worcester Wreath found themselves with a surplus of wreaths nearing the end of the holiday season. Remembering his boyhood experience at Arlington, Worcester realized he had an opportunity to honor our country's veterans. With the aid of Maine Senator Olympia Snowe, arrangements were made for the wreaths to be placed at Arlington in one of the older sections of the cemetery that had been receiving fewer visitors with each passing year.

Eventually, individuals, organizations stepped up to help. The annual tribute went on quietly for several years, until 2005, when a photo of the stones at Arlington, adorned with wreaths and covered in snow, circulated around the internet.



Suddenly, the project received national attention. Thousands of requests poured in from all over the country from people wanting to help with Arlington, to emulate the Arlington project at their National and State cemeteries, or to simply share their stories and thank Morrill Worcester for honoring our nation's heroes.

In 2007, the Worcester family, along with veterans, and other groups and individuals who had helped with their annual veterans wreath ceremony in Arlington, formed Wreaths Across America, a non-profit 501-(c) (3) organization, to continue and expand this effort, and support other

groups around the country who wanted to do the same. The mission of the group is simple:

Remember. Honor. Teach.

In 2008, over 300 locations held wreath-laying ceremonies in every state, Puerto Rico and 24 overseas cemeteries. Over 100,000 wreaths were placed on veterans' graves. Over 60,000 volunteers participated. And that year, December 13, 2008 was unanimously voted by the US Congress as "Wreaths Across America Day".

In 2014, Wreaths Across America and its national network of volunteers laid over 700,000 memorial wreaths at 1,000 locations in the United States and beyond, including ceremonies at the Pearl Harbor Memorial, as well as Bunker Hill, Valley Forge and the sites of the September 11 tragedies. This was accomplished with help from 2,047 fundraising groups, corporate contributions, and donations of trucking, shipping, and thousands of helping hands. The organization's goal of covering Arlington National Cemetery was met in 2014 with the placement of 226,525 wreaths.

The wreath-laying is still held annually, on the second or third Saturday of December. WAA's annual pilgrimage from Harrington, Maine to Arlington National Cemetery has become known as the world's largest veterans' parade, stopping at schools, monuments, veterans' homes and communities all along the way to remind people how important it is to remember, honor and teach.

Wreaths Across America also conducts several programs to honor our veterans, including the popular "Thanks a Million" campaign which distributes cards to people all over the country to give veterans a simple "thank you" for their service. WAA participates in veterans' events throughout the year, and has a veteran liaison on staff to work with local veterans organizations.

WAA is committed to teaching younger generations about the value of their freedoms, and the importance of honoring those who sacrificed so much to protect those freedoms. The organization offers learning tools, interactive media projects, and opportunities for youth groups to participate in the events. They also work to create opportunities to connect "the Greatest Generation" with the "Generation of Hope", passing on inspirational stories from World War II veterans to the leaders of the future.

There are many ways you can help—[learn more](#) about how you can get involved.

Participate on 12/14/19 at [South Florida National Cemetery](#) at 1030am!



WINTER HOLIDAY FUN FACTS

CHRISTMAS 

ON DECEMBER 25 CHRISTMAS IS CELEBRATED BY MILLIONS OF CHRISTIANS AND NON-CHRISTIANS ACROSS THE GLOBE. POPULAR WAYS OF CELEBRATING CHRISTMAS INCLUDE GIFT-GIVING, DECORATING CHRISTMAS TREES, SENDING HOLIDAY CARDS, GOING TO CHURCH, CAROLING, AND FEASTS. SANTA CLAUS AND HIS 9 REINDEER ARE POPULAR FIGURES ASSOCIATED WITH CHRISTMAS SINCE THEY ARE WORLD RENOWNED FOR DELIVERING PRESENTS TO CHILDREN ON CHRISTMAS EVE

HANUKKAH 

HANUKKAH, OR CHANUKAH, IS THE JEWISH FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS. DATING BACK OVER 2000 YEARS, HANUKKAH REPRESENTS A REDEDICATION TO THE JEWISH FAITH, THE TEMPLE, AND ONE OF THE GREATEST MIRACLES IN THEIR HISTORY. A MENORAH (AN 8-STEMMED CANDELABRUM) IS USED IN CELEBRATION OF HANUKKAH. ON EACH OF THE 8 NIGHTS OF HANUKKAH AN ADDITIONAL CANDLE IS LIT.

KWANZAA 

DR. MAULANA KARENGA CREATED KWANZAA IN 1966 AS A WAY TO BUILD A GREATER COMMUNITY AMONG AFRICAN-AMERICANS. KWANZAA, WHICH COMES FROM A SWAHILI PHRASE MEANING, "FRESH FRUITS," IS A 7-DAY CELEBRATION. ON EACH NIGHT OF KWANZAA, FAMILIES AND FRIENDS COME TOGETHER TO LIGHT A CANDLE ON THE KINARA (CANDEHOLDER). EACH NIGHT OF KWANZAA REPRESENTS A PART OF NGUZO SABA (SWAHILI PRINCIPLES).

THE EVERGREEN FIR TREE HAS BEEN A SYMBOL FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON FOR THOUSANDS OF YEARS. USED BY BOTH CHRISTIANS AND PAGANS, THE TREE IS WIDELY USED IN HOMES TO CELEBRATE THE WINTER SOLSTICE AND GIVE HOPE FOR THE UPCOMING SPRING SEASON. THE TRADITIONAL CHRISTMAS TREE USED TODAY IS LIKELY TO HAVE ORIGINATED IN EUROPE IN THE EARLY 1000'S



BETWEEN THANKSGIVING AND CHRISTMAS **20 BILLION**

LETTERS AND HOLIDAYS CARDS ARE SENT IN THE UNITED STATES ALONE!



750 THOUSAND

PEOPLE ARE HIRED SPECIFICALLY FOR HOLIDAY JOBS, MOSTLY IN RETAIL.



DURING THE HOLIDAY SEASON AMERICANS SPEND OVER

THREE TRILLION DOLLARS

ON RETAIL PRODUCTS



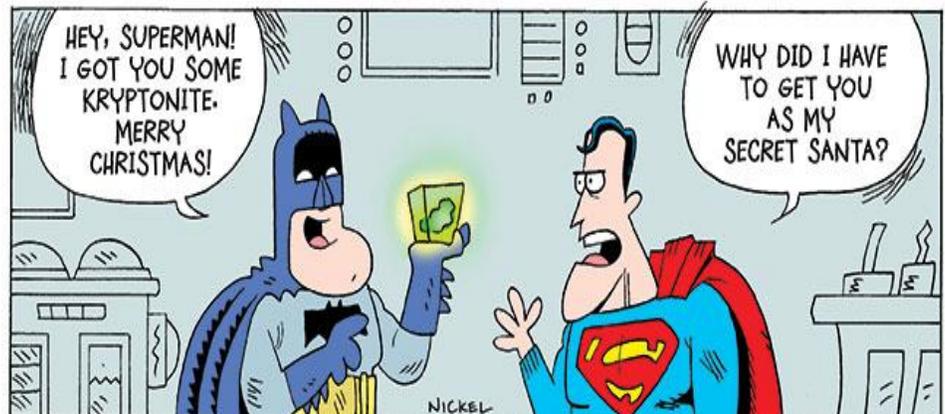
SNOWFLAKES CAN RANGE IN SIZE FROM THE WIDTH OF A STRAND OF HAIR TO ABOUT THE SIZE OF A PENNY. AND, ON AVERAGE, SNOWFLAKES FALL AT A RATE OF 1 TO 6 FEET PER SECOND. IF THEY SNOWFLAKES FORM A MORE PELLET-LIKE SHAPE, THEY FALL EVEN FASTER!



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Please contact Mr. Estevez if you can assist with any of these needs:

1. January 11th: Trailer Clean Up
2. Registered adults leaders and merit badge counselors: We are in need of parents willing to become counselors and ASM's. Youth Protection training and background checks mandatory.
3. Patrol Boxes Renovation: If you have any carpentry experience and can help rehabilitate two of our patrol boxes, we could really use your help!

BOY SCOUT LAW

A SCOUT IS:

TRUSTWORTHY

LOYAL

HELPFUL

FRIENDLY

COURTEOUS

KIND

OBEDIENT

CHEERFUL

THRIFTY

BRAVE

CLEAN

REVERENT

RIDDLE ME THIS

Q: What kind of Christmas music do elves like?

A: "Wrap" music



Q: What do you call a snowman with a six pack?

A: An abdominal snowman

Q: How you can tell that Santa is real?

A: You can always sense his presents.





Checklist

- Paid my dues
- Completed [Youth Protection Program](#) (Parents)
- Submitted payment for ReCharter (See email 12/1/19)
- Completed [Background Check Disclosure](#)
- Completed [Additional Disclosures & Background Check Authorization](#)

Boy Scouts and the Three Finger Salute

In Boy Scouting, we use the three-finger sign and salute. It's the same one used by Scouts around the world.

Who: Boy Scouts and Boy Scout leaders, Varsity Scouts and Varsity Scout leaders

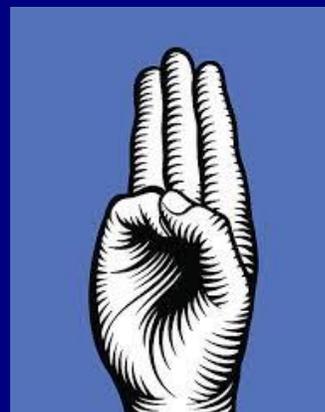
When: Give the Scout sign each time you say the Scout Oath and Scout Law. It's also handy when you want to quiet a room quickly.

How: To make the Scout sign, raise your right arm to shoulder height with your elbow bent at a right angle. Cover the nail of your pinky with your thumb and hold the three middle fingers of your hand upward and together.

Why: Your thumb and little finger touch to represent the bond uniting Scouts throughout the world. The three fingers stand for the three parts of the Scout

Oath: duty to God and country, duty to others and duty to self

Salute: Form the Scout sign with your right hand, then finish the salute by bringing that hand up, palm down, until your forefinger touches the brim of your hat or the tip of your right eyebrow. The Scout salute is a form of greeting that also shows respect. Use it to salute the flag of the United States of America. You may also salute other Scouts and Scout leaders.



Source: *Boy Scout Handbook*, 13th edition