



## Congratulations to Stephen Whitt

We would like to congratulate Stephen Whitt for passing his Eagle Board of Review on Aug. 9, 2009. Troop 75 wishes him the best of luck at college this fall.



### PANCAKE BREAKFAST TICKET SALES BEGIN SATURDAY, SEPT. 19



Group Selling Sessions will be on Saturdays throughout September, October, and November. The morning sessions are from 9 a.m. – 12 p.m., and the afternoon sessions

are from 1 - 4 p.m. **Each scout is required to participate in four sessions.** Please mark your calendars and get ready to go out and sell on Sept. 19; Sept. 26; Oct. 3; Oct. 10; Oct. 17; Oct. 24; and Nov. 7.

#### WANTED: PANCAKE COMMITTEE MEMBERS

The 2009 Pancake Committee will be holding its first meeting on Monday, Sept. 7, at 7 p.m. at Good Shepherd. Please join us as we make plans for the Pancake Breakfast on Dec. 5. This is the fundraiser that we base our budget on each year, and we greatly appreciate your participation and input. Questions can be directed to Joan Hurst at 630-898-7257 or [swamppeople@sbcglobal.net](mailto:swamppeople@sbcglobal.net).



### Troop Calendar

#### *August*

- 23 Court of Honor
- 31 Committee Meeting, 7 p.m.

#### *September*

- 1 First Fall Troop Meeting, 7 p.m.
- 8 Pancake Ticket Sales Kick-off, 7 p.m.

25-27 Great Lakes Centennial Jamboree, Osh Kosh, Wis.

27 VonOven Open House

#### *October*

9-11 Devils Lake State Park, Wis.

16-18 Camporee

#### *November*

14-15 Upper Limits/ YMCA, Bloomington, Ill.

#### *December*

4 Pancake Breakfast Set-up, 5 p.m.

5 Pancake Breakfast, 6 a.m.

11-13 Camping (location TBD)

#### *January*

29 Klondike



Our first Fall Troop Meeting will be held Sept. 1 at 7 p.m. at Good Shepherd. Please remember that all scouts are required to wear their Class "A" Uniforms: scout shirt, neckerchief, pants or shorts, and hats.

#### Hats Off!

A big thank you goes out to all the parents and scoutmasters that attended, drove, or supported this summer's camping opportunities. A fun time was had by all.



## Troop Historian Report

by Alex B.



### Mother/son Camp-out

On June 12-13 we went to White Pines State Park. After we set up camp, it started to rain. It rained all night and to noon the next day. When it stopped, everyone went on a hike. It was a great trip.

### Camp Decorah

On July 5-11 we went to Camp Decorah. The first thing we did was unpack the trailer and everyone set up camp. Every morning we worked on merit badges. In the afternoon we had free time. During free time we could choose a lot of things to do like swimming, shooting rifles, archery, or ax throwing. We could also go to the nature center. Some people went to the trading post to buy slushies and ice cream. The last night there was a fire bowl and every troop performed a skit. One funny moment was when we found Mr. Boyle's hat at the top of the flagpole. It was a great week.

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