

TROOP ONE ENJOYS AN EVENING UNDER THE STARS

The troop enjoyed working on the astronomy merit badge last Saturday evening over at the E.P. Tom Sawyer State Park. An excellent program was conducted by the Louisville Astronomy Society.

We learned about a wide variety of topics including the adverse effects of light pollution on night viewing conditions in our area, the moon, planets (yes, the rumors are true – Pluto is no longer a planet), the solar system and telescopes.

Scouts have the opportunity to view sunspots, the lunar craters, Mars, Venus and to observe the rings of Saturn. We learned how to locate Polaris and to use it for night time navigation.

Scouts who want to earn the merit badge will need to observe and to map the cycles of the moon over a full lunar time period. They should bring in their written drawings at the end of this viewing.

Thanks to Annette Mode for coordinating this event. A special thanks goes to the Louisville Astronomy Society.

APPLEBEE'S BREAKFAST

We had a very good turnout for the pancake breakfast which was held at the Clarksville Applebee's. The final ticket sales total was a little over 500 dollars. Thanks to everyone who worked to make this possible.

THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM is on the oral histories as part of Jonathan's Eagle project.

Our speaker is Eagle Scout Dr, Carl Kramer, director of the IUS oral history center.



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UPCOMING SCOUTING EVENTS

The **Webelos Cross-over for Pack 1** will be held this Thursday evening at Jeffersonville's Vissing Park. Troop 1 Scouts are invited to attend. Please bring your uniform. Families are welcome to bring in a pitch-in item as part of this program. Please help to welcome our newest members.

Concert in the Park on Friday evening. Help is needed.

No other weekend activities are planned. Enjoy your Memorial Day weekend.

LOOKING AHEAD – Wall Street UM Church will be participating in the annual repair affair weekend on June 5th. We have been invited to also participate. More information will be coming up on this event.

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NEWS NOTES AND UPDATES

EAST COAST TRIP – IMPORTANT!

The first payment of \$150 is NOW due for our July 31 – August 4th trip.

NEXT WEEK IS A FUN MEETING

The first meeting of the month will be a special fun activity. Please dress accordingly as we prepare to begin our summer activities.

CLASS B UNIFORMS

We will be finalizing our new Class B uniforms this week and hope to place an order for in time for summer camp.

FACEBOOK PAGE

Become a fan by going to Boy Scout Troop One Jeffersonville, Indiana for the latest updates.

AUSTRALIA NEWS

A new Facebook page has been set up for the 5th City Troop of Brunswick and Troop 1 to jointly share information.

CHECK WWW.BSATROOP1.US

Lots of new videos and photographs have been posted on our highly rated troop website. Check it out!

A CANOE TRIP IS IN THE WORKS FOR JUNE 12 & 13. TENTATIVE COST IS AROUND 15 DOLLARS FOR THE WEEKEND. IT WILL PROBABLY BE ON BLUE RIVER. MORE INFORMATION WILL BE E-MAILED THIS WEEK.



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