

Boy Scouts of America Troop 1, Spartanburg, South Carolina

Chartered Organization
Episcopal Church of the
Advent



Eagles Nest

September
2004

Troop 1 Legacy Fund

What do you get the Eagle Scout who's earned everything? How about a gift that will not only reflect your pride, but help pave the way for his fellow scouts? A donation to the *Troop 1 Legacy Fund* in the Eagle's name makes a remarkable gift. It helps to guarantee that Troop 1 remains in great financial shape for the future.

The *Troop 1 Legacy Foundation General Fund* was opened on October 12, 1999 at the Spartanburg County Foundation. It was created for the purposes of safeguarding this Troop financially and to insure its future perpetuation by supporting the general eleemosynary operations and program of work of the Boy Scouts of America Troop 1 at the Episcopal Church of the Advent. The principal and net income in the fund each year is available for distribution to Troop 1. The Awards Committee or the individuals authorized to make distributions from the fund are the Chairman of *Troop 1 Legacy Foundation*, the Treasurer of the *Troop 1 Legacy Foundation*, and the Chairman of the Troop I Leadership Committee. The fund can make distributions as needed and can never be spent down below \$5,000. This fund would be used for any necessary repairs to our Scout Hut and is insurance that our Charter will be protected as Troop 1, the oldest Troop in the State of South Carolina.

Mr. Michael Hammond is the current Chairman of this Fund. Contributions may be sent to:

The Spartanburg County Foundation
For: *Troop 1 Legacy Foundation General Fund*
320 E. Main Street
Spartanburg, SC 29302
Attn: John Dargan, President



Upcoming Events

Two events on one weekend!

October 15-17 **Camping at Lancaster Farm**

For 1st year Scouts or any Scout who needs orienteering

October 16-17 **Canoeing on the French Broad River**

September Calendar

Monday, September 6

No School

Tuesday, September 7

Scout Meeting 6:00 - 7:30

NS Camping MB

OS Personal Management MB

Notice to Scouts concerning BBQ Corporate Sponsors

Friday, September 10-13

Drive-up Camping

At Johnson Pavilion, Lake Bowen

Canoeing Merit Badge

Tuesday, September 14

Scout Meeting 6:00 - 7:30

NS Camping MB

OS Motorboating

Friday, September 17

No School

Tuesday, September 21

Scout Meeting 6:00 - 7:30

NS Camping MB

OS Motorboating MB

Tuesday, September 28

Troop Leadership Comm. Meeting 5:00 - 6:00

Scout Meeting 6:00 - 7:30

NS Camping MB

OS Motorboating MB

NS = New Scout OS = Older Scout

Scoutmaster Notes

The Scout season has started with a bang! Meetings are in full swing and attendance has been great.

I would like to welcome two new Scouts to Troop 1, Wil Hammond and Hampton Ike.

We have just returned from our third largest trip to-date.

The very biggest was a trip to Lake Moultrie with 72 people.

Next was the Edisto Beach Trip with 65 people

and third, the Nantahala Family Rafting Trip with 55 participants.

The weather was as predicted and expected,

perfect. We did get our traditional rain while rafting down the river. Other than

that, no rain, cool mountain temperatures and a full moon with clear skies. Best of

all, the first aid kit was not used once!

Our next trip will be to the Johnson Pavilion on Lake Bowen. We will work on first year Scout skills and offer the Canoeing Merit Badge for all Scouts who need it.

Scouts who have the Canoeing Merit Badge are asked to please come and assist

with the course. Keep up the good work and I'll see you at the Tuesday meetings!

Thanks,

Walter



August Advancements

J. Barber

Eagle Scout

B. Daley

Second Class Scout, First Class Scout

P. Ely

Personal Fitness, Personal Management, Citizenship in the Community

P. Kavanagh

Eagle Scout

D. Miller

Eagle Scout

M. Parks

Eagle Scout

L. Somers

Personal Management, Environmental Science

B. Taylor

Family Life

C. Todd

Indian Lore

H. Todd

Golf

R. Wise

Family Life





Please join us to honor
John Phillip Barber, Jr.
Patrick Gerald Kavanagh
Derek Joseph Miller
on their attainment of Eagle Rank
Boy Scout Troop 1

Court of Honor ceremony
Sunday, September 26, 2004
4:00 p.m.

Episcopal Church of the Advent

Reception immediately following the ceremony

*John and Isabelle Barber
Joe and Julie Kavanagh
Clark and Jenny Miller*

864-583-6618
864-582-7953
864-542-8451



Merit Badge College 2005

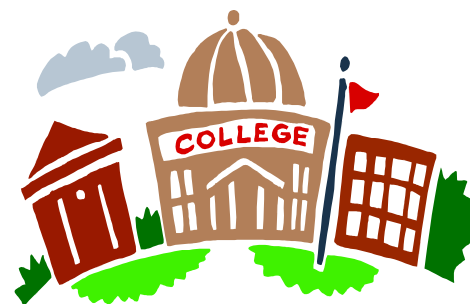
At Bethel United Methodist Church, Spartanburg, S.C.

Jan. 12, 2005(8:30-12:30) First session

Jan. 26, 2005 (8:30-12:30) Second session

Feb. 12, 2005(8:30-12:30) Third session

Feb, 26, 2005 (8:30-12:30) Fourth session



Merit Badges Offered: Fingerprinting, Reading, Citizenship in Nation, Citizenship in Community, Citizenship in World, Truck Transportation, Medicine, Law, Dentistry, Soil and Water, Emergency Prep., Photography, Weather, Electronics, Computers, Art, Fire Safety, Architecture, Electricity, Auto Mechanics, Veterinary Medicine, Communication, Personal Management, Pulp and Paper, Crime, Family Life, Disability Awareness, First Aid, Personal Fitness, Chemistry

Merit Badge College is a tremendous benefit not only to Troop 1 Scouts but also to Scouts throughout the Spartan District. Many Scouts would not be able to earn these merit badges in other venues, so this is providing them with a great opportunity. Adults offer their time and talent in teaching to help the boys along their trail to Eagle. It involves a commitment of 55 minutes for 4 Saturday mornings. Instructional materials are available. Parents! We need your help! If you can teach a class or know anyone that can teach a class this year please call Mike Parks at 585-4860 or 582-2555. Thanks to Dr. Lee Daley, John Dargan, Chris Lynn, Maxcy Lynn, Adair Watters and Jan Yurgiewicz for already volunteering.

Boy Scouts of America Troop 1,
Spartanburg, South Carolina

Committee Members

Walter Oates- Scoutmaster
Michael Hammond-Committee Chairman
Coby Alexander-Advancement Chairman
Rev. Rob Brown- Chaplain
Kate Dargan-Program / Merit Badge Coordinator
Stephen Freudenthal-Barbecue Co-chair
Ken Frick- Finance Chairman
Arthur Hellyer - Mount Mitchell Co-chair
Kit Jennings-Barbecue Co-chair
Mallie King- Eagle's Nest
Rodney Lacoste- Outdoor Chairman
Grey Lancaster- Senior Advisor
Jacky Middlebrooks-Scout Camp Chairman
Mike Parks-Senior Advisor
Rick Phillips - Mount Mitchell Co-chair
Cathy Richardson- Secretary
Virginia Setzer- Cubmaster
Chip Smith- Board of Review Chairman /
Barbecue Co-chair
Sarah Todd-Program / Merit Badge Coordinator
Holly Watters- Master of Ceremonies



Eagles Nest

September Birthdays

Taylor Shoulders 9-02

Mark Crowley 9-11

Drew Henderson 9-19

John David Ike 9-20



Congratulations to our Duke Talent Identification Program
award winners—

Drew Henderson, Caleb Jennings, Richard Lacoste

Congratulations to **Taylor Shoulders** and the Spartanburg
High School Cross Country Team for being the fastest boys and
girls team in the Portland (Oregon) to Coast race.

Congratulations to the Troop 1 Scouts who completed their
Order of the Arrow Ordeal in August

Walter Oates

John Clark Cochran

John David Ike

Monty Oates

Matt Hammond

Adam Freudenthal

Hamilton King

Important News

Help Wanted!

Chip Smith is looking for parents to help with Boards of Review during the meetings on Tuesdays. If you can help, please call Chip or just tell him at the meetings, no prior scouting experience is needed and mothers are welcome as well. It is an excellent way to find out exactly what is required for their scouts to advance in scouting and help other scouts. Thank you! Chip's number is **573-7282**.

Backpack for Sale

The Lynn's have a backpack for sale - cheap! It's one they bought for Tripp when he was in the 7th grade or so, so it has been well loved. It would be a great starter backpack for a new Scout. Please call Chris Lynn if you are interested, work (585-2268) or home (573-8900).

Troop Calendar

The Troop 1 Calendar for 2004-2005 has been available at the scout hut during the last few meetings. This year's calendar was created using Microsoft Outlook. If you use Outlook (not Outlook Express) as your scheduling software and would like to have the Troop 1 calendar on your computer, send an e-mail to coby@teleplex.net. He will reply with an Excel file that can be imported into Outlook.

Calling all 4th Grade Boys

The Pack is looking for 4th Grade Boys to sign up to be Webelos. Please call Virginia Setzer-Cubmaster at 583-3215 if you know of anyone who wants to join in the great Boy Scout Experience!