

Weekly Newsletter

Monday, May 25, 2009



Troop Meeting

Tuesday, May 26th 7:00 – 8:30 pm

- ✗ Meet at Hembree Farms Subdivision Pool
- ✗ Pre-Camp Swim Tests
- ✗ Swimming

Scoutmaster Trivia

How large is Woodruff Scout Reservation and when was the first summer camp held there?

What was Memorial Day first called and when was it first observed?

Hembree Farms Subdivision Pool is located on Upper Hembree Road just south of the creek/bridge.

If inclement weather, look for an email no later than 6:30 pm.

Summer Camp Details

If you haven't paid your Summer Camp Fee in full, please do so at this week's meeting. Bring your completed Medical Form and signed Rafting Waiver as well as your completed Drug Usage Form if needed.

Troop 985's Newest Eagle Scout

Alex Losh

His Eagle Ceremony was Saturday, May 23rd. Alex is also valedictorian for TEACH High School. Congratulations Alex! Troop 985 is very proud of you!

Pre-Camp Swim Test

- ✗ Jump feet-first in the water over the head in depth, level off and begin swimming.
- ✗ Swim 75 yard in a strong manner using one or more of the following strokes: sidestroke, breaststroke, trudgen or crawl.
- ✗ Then swim 25 yards using an easy, resting backstroke.
- ✗ After completing the swim, rest by floating.
- ✗ The 100 yards must be completed in one swim without stops and must include at least one sharp turn.

T 985 Summer Camp

May 31 – June 6

Woodruff
Boy Scout Reservation

Meet Sunday May 31st
at 10:45 am

The Silos at Crabapple
We will leave no later than 11:30pm

Keep Shawn Wright and his family in your prayers. Shawn is at Scottish Rite Hospital and is waiting on biopsy results for a tumor found in his lung. As you can imagine, hanging out in the hospital during summer vacation isn't fun. Visitors are welcome. Look for email updates.

Do you Love Science?

Earn some service hours and be a lab assistant in the afternoon at Science Camps at Bristol Oaks School in Alpharetta this summer. Camps run from June 1 to the start of school. Middle school AND High school kids needed.

Sample courses: Basics of Microscopy, Rocketry, Geology & Paleontology, Motors & Mechanics.

For more info, ScienceAcademySite.com

A Look Ahead

Summer Camp	May 31 – June 6
Philmont Outing	June 9 – 21
Etowah River Canoe Outing	July 17- 19