



Troop 842 March 2008 Newsletter



Upcoming Troop Events

March 1st – SALT training
March 4th – Court of Honor
March 8th to 9th – Oak Leaf and IOLS training
March 28th to 30th – Camporee at Camp Cherokee
April 25th to 27th – Wichita Mountains Wildlife Refuge Campout
May 3rd – Troop Garage Sale
May 10th – Scout Show
June 8th to 14th – Summer Camp, Camp Hale.

Check it Out!!!

Scout Sunday at FUMC Sunday, February 10th

The troop was well represented for both services. Our boys ushered and performed the collection, and looked great! It's always amazing when the church asks everyone in the audience to stand that has been involved with Boy or Girl Scouts, and pretty much the entire audience stands. Scouting is more than a program, it's an enduring culture. Below is the crew from the 2nd service.



Scouting For Food February 9th and 16th

We had a great turnout both weekends. This is a tremendous community service project. The food banks were at alarming low levels and this one event helps fill their pantries. We brought in 1,004 cans, the most of the 4 Coppell troops!!!! And all together Coppell Boy and Cub Scouts brought in 13,440 items. GREAT JOB!



Troop Web Site

Check out pictures of our campouts, check upcoming events on the calendar, get a camping checklist, view leadership positions and requirements, newsletters, etc. You get the message—there's a ton of good stuff out there. Check it out: <http://www.troop842.com/>

Special Events and Information

EVERYBODY RECHARTER!!!! See Bill Branz

Webelos Crossover – Welcome New Scouts!!!!

All you “experienced” scouts and parents make sure you welcome all the new scouts and their families into the 842 family. 30 new boys joined the troop and formed 3 new patrols.



Summer Camp June 8th to 14th

This year we will be going to Camp Hale, Oklahoma, and the early date ensures nice cool weather camping. Cost of the camp is \$180 plus transportation. Deposit of \$95 is due by March 3rd. All Scouts and adults under 40 years of age are required to complete the Class 1 Personal Health and Medical History form (each year). Adults older than 40 years of age must have a physical examination each year and use the Personal Health and Medical Record Form Class 3. Camp video at <http://www.halescoutreservation.org/promo/>

New Troop Fundraiser May 3rd

Troop 842 will host it's first ever Super Multi Family Garage Sale May 3rd at the church. Please gather any and all valuable stuff which you can contribute to this Troop fundraiser. Please put May 3rd on your calendar, and **Scout participation will be critical.** Any adults interested in assisting in organizing this project, please contact Stephanie Broun at 214-288-0791 or email Stephanie@Broun.US.

Total Lunar Eclipse Feb 20th

Scattered clouds but still pretty cool!



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