

A-words for November 17th, 2014

1. Meetings

- a. November 24th – Troop Meeting [prep for COH]
- b. December 1st – Court of Honor [install new Troop Leadership]
- c. December 8th – PLC Only – [Annual Planning session]
- d. December 15th – Troop Meeting [USAFA Color Guard visiting (from Offutt AFB)]
- e. December 22nd and 29th – No Meetings [Have a Safe Holiday Season]

2. Troop Camp Out(s)/Outings

- a. November 21st – 23rd – Troop Leadership Training (TLT) [Camp Eagle] **BSA required annual training**
 - i. All Scouts need to attend, Sleeping in the cabins, TLT is in the lodge, & Troop cooking
 - ii. Departure – Friday 5:30 p.m. – meet/load-up at back of church by Troop trailer
 1. 6:00 p.m.- depart for Camp Eagle
 - iii. Return – Sunday - ~10:00ish – Buffet Middle School (upper parking lot)
 1. ~ 9:00 a.m. – depart Camp Eagle (time depends on Troop pack-up)
- b. December 8th – Troop Annual Planning – St. Andrew's FLC
 - i. Patrol Leaders Council (PLC) and Troop Leadership required to attend
 1. 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. (eat dinner before arriving)
 - ii. All Scouts interested in planning 2015 Troop activities are welcome to attend
- c. December 13th – YMCA Lock-In – Valley, NE [Webelos are invited to attend]
- d. January 16th – 18th – Winter Camporee [Reloaded II] (Bellevue Rod & Gun Club)
 - i. Earlier discount sign-up ends on January 6th

3. Service Project(s)

- a. St. Andrew's Living Nativity – December 21st
 - i. Service Hours for Scouts who are in Omaha for Christmas
 1. Dress for cold weather work & work gloves
 2. Deadline to sign-up is November 24th
 - ii. *Set-up #1 – 12pm to 2pm {3 Scouts & 2 adults needed}*
 - iii. *Set-up #2 – 2pm to 5pm {3 Scouts & 2 Adults needed}*
 - iv. *Breakdown – 8pm to 9:30pm {5 Scouts & 2 adults needed}*

4. Order of the Arrow (for more information see Patrick Kennedy or Mr. Deprez)

- a. OA Winter Banquet – December 6th at Bellevue University
 - i. See costs breakout and sign-up on the MAC website
- b. OA Centuries of Service Award – All Arrowmen, see Alex Orlich to get signed-up

5. Merit Badges (for more info - See Mrs. Alexander or Mrs. May)[see flyers on bulletin board]

- a. Durham Museum Merit Badges (all cost \$12 per Scout & \$5 per adult)
 - i. Indian Lore - November 22nd from 1pm-4pm
- b. Merit Badge deadline for the December Court of Honor is November 17th (**Tonight!**)

6. District/Council Activities

- a. **Troop 308 annual dues are due!** See Mrs. Carlson if you haven't paid.
- b. Council Awards Reception – January 10th, 2015 at 5:30 p.m. @ the Scottish Rite Center
 - i. Celebrates the recipients of; scholarships, Hornaday & Spurgeon Awards, & Silver Beavers.
 - ii. Anyone wishing to attend with the Troop, see Mr. Rasmussen to register