

A-words for January 25th, 2016

1. Meetings

- a. February 1st PLC and Troop [Order of the Arrow Elections] Meeting in the Rotunda
- b. February 8th Committee and Troop Meeting in the Rotunda
- c. February 15th Troop Meeting in the Rotunda

2. <u>Troop Camp Out(s)/Outings</u> [sign-up is on patrol sheets]

- a. Troop 308 Movie Outing; Tentative Date Saturday, February 6th Need to Confirm Headcount Tonight
 - i. Approx. cost \$4 to \$6 per person; All family members are welcome; Signup total family count
- b. The February Lock In will be March 11th-12th Lock In @ St. Andrew's Sign Ups Coming Soon
- c. The Next Campout will be March 18th 20th @ Wakonda Sign Ups Coming Soon

3. Annual Permission Slips for 2016 [Please see patrol sheets to verify if you have submitted a new form]

a. All Scouts need to submit new Camping/Outing Permission Slips for 2016

4. Service Projects [sign-up on patrol sheets]

- a. Pack 308 Pinewood Derby Races
 - i. Friday, January 29th Buffett Middle School; Setup starts @ 5:00 pm; Racing starts @ 7:00 pm
- b. Scout Sunday February 7th @ St. Andrew's
 - i. 8:30 a.m. Service Need Approximately 4 ushers and a couple greeters
 - ii. 10:00 a.m. Service Need Approximately 8 ushers and 4 or more greeters
- c. Blue and Gold Crossover Ceremonies for Webelos in 2016
 - i. Pack 308 Sunday, February 21st @ St. Andrew's

5. Soaring Eagle Spring Camporee Planning - Troop 308 Co-Hosting [sign-up on patrol sheets]

- a. Scouts needed to help plan and assist with the Troop 308 co-hosting of the event
- b. The next planning meeting will be Sunday, February 7th @ St. Andrews in LL1

6. <u>2016 Camp Cards</u>

- a. Scouts can earn money for camp by selling the \$5 card with \$2.50 of commission for each card!
- b. Orders due January 28th to guarantee inventory. Please email Mr. Cresto @ derekcresto@yahoo.com

7. Merit Badges

- a. 2016 Merit Badges classes @ LDS (all sessions are 9 a.m. Noon and are free)
 - i. March 5th: Family Life, Genealogy, and Pulp & Paper; Registration closes on February 20th
- b. Durham Museum Badge-a-Palooza on March 19th (\$15 per session + one free adult)
 - i. 10:00 am 3:00 pm; AM Session Personal Management; PM Session Photography

8. Order of The Arrow (OA)

- a. Troop Elections for Order of the Arrow (OA) schedule for February 1st
 - i. For more information please see Jonathan Keller

9. National Youth Leadership Training (NYLT)

- a. July 31st August 6th @ Little Sioux Scout Ranch
- b. Participants must be 13 years old, First Class, and have completed TLT by the start of the training
- c. If you are interested in attending, please see Mr. Barnes to discuss