



Scouts BSA



TROOP 308

August 28, 2022

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## UPCOMING TROOP MEETINGS (6:45 - 8:15pm)

Held at St. Andrew's unless otherwise specified

DATE	TOPIC	PROGRAM PATROL	ASSIGNED ASPL	SERVICE PATROL	NOTES
8/29	Court of Honor	EPLC	SPL/TG	EPLC	See more below in <b>OTHER TROOP INFORMATION</b>
9/5	<b>NO MEETING - LABOR DAY</b>				
9/12	Knots/Lashings Review	EPLC	Gage	Zillion Zebras	
9/19	Knots/Lashings Follow Up		Gage	Soggy Waffles	
9/26	Clean up Fire Pit for Flag Retirement	Zillion Zebras	Gage	Sarcastic Sloths	
<b>*Service patrol needs to arrive by 6:30 to set up and stay after the meeting to put Troop equipment away</b>					

## UPCOMING CAMPOUTS

DATE	PROGRAM/THEME	LOCATION	NOTES
9/16 - 18	Webelo Invitational	Little Sioux Scout Ranch	
9/30 - 10/2	Salt Mine Camp Trip	Hutchinson, Kansas	
10/7-8	Jubilee	Mahoney State Park	More information below in <b>OTHER TROOP INFORMATION</b>
11/4 - 5	Lock-In		
12/2 - 4	TLT	Camp Eagle	

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8/29	6:00	ASM	St. Andrew's	ASMs required to attend
9/12	6:00	PLC	St. Andrew's	Troop Leadership required to attend All Scouts welcome
9/12	6:00	Committee	St. Andrew's	Committee required. All parents encouraged to attend
9/26	6:00	ASM	St. Andrew's	ASMs required to attend

## SERVICE PROJECTS

DATE	TIME	PROJECTS	LOCATION	COMMENTS
Thursday 9/15	6:15 - 8:00pm	Pack 308 Fishing Meeting	Flanagan Lake (168th and Fort)	*5-6 Scout Volunteers needed *Sign up on Attendance sheets
Saturday 10/1	<b>Set-Up</b> 7am-9am <b>Tear Down</b> 3:00- 4:30pm	St. Andrew's Harvest Boutique	St. Andrews	*Need 6-8 Scouts <b>not attending the Salt Mine Campout</b> to help with unloading and loading cars, early morning and late afternoon. *Sign up on attendance sheets ASAP *Class A Uniforms to be worn
10/20	6:15 - 7:30pm	Pack 308 Rocket Launching	St. Andrews	*Troop to do Flags *Need 4 Scout volunteers *Sign up on Attendance Sheets





## OTHER TROOP INFORMATION

- \* **COURT OF HONOR: August 29th, 7:00pm, St. Andrew's**
  - \*Bring a dessert to share
  - \*Will be held outside at St. Andrew's, near the trailer
  - \*Bring your own chairs
- \* **POPCORN SALES:**
  - July 1st: Online sales begin
  - August 28th: 2:00-5:00pm, Sales Academy at Scout Shop - register using the link on GroupMe
  - September 9th: Door to Door Sales begin using Trails End app
- \* **JUBILEE: October 7th - 9th.**
  - Sign up on your own - there will not be a sign up through the Troop.
  - Mahoney State Park
  - Performances, Activities, Demonstrations, Live Music, & Food Trucks
  - For more information and registration Scan QR code or go to <https://scoutingevent.com/326-Jubilee2022>



## UPCOMING MERIT BADGE OPPORTUNITIES

	DATE	MERIT BADGES	TIME	OTHER INFORMATION
<b>TROOP 308</b> Merit Badges	TBD	<b>Citizenship In Society</b>		 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Classes will be limited to three Scouts, Star Rank and above (prefer groups of Scouts the same age)</li> <li>*Hosted by Mary Tjepkes</li> <li>*Scouts should find a group of three interested Scouts and contact Mary at <a href="mailto:Tjepscout@gmail.com">Tjepscout@gmail.com</a>. Please provide her with names and ranks of each Scout in your group.</li> <li>*Classes will be scheduled Monday evenings between 5:00pm to 7:00pm</li> </ul>
	9/3 & 9/10	<b>Rowing</b>		 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*<b>Saturday, Sept. 3rd, 8:00 - 10:00am</b></li> <li>*Creighton Boathouse: 4434 N. 17th Street, Carter Lake, Ia 51510</li> <li>*Will be learning about competitive rowing with the help of Creighton Women's Rowing Coach and college rowers.</li> <li>-Waiver will need to be signed before participating</li> <li>*<b>Saturday, Sept. 10th, 9:00ish</b></li> <li>*Mr. Provaznik's Lake Cabin in Cedar Creek</li> <li>*Learn how to row a flat bottom boat, submerge it and rowing safety.</li> <li>-No Charge for this Merit Badge</li> <li>-Participants must be <a href="#">blue swimmers</a> and have earned the Swimming Merit Badge</li> <li>-Scouts MUST commit to both days! Limited spots; 4 more spots available as of Friday, 8/26</li> <li>-Scouts will need to coordinate their own transportation to and from locations.</li> <li>-Email Mary Tjepkes <a href="mailto:Tjepscout@gmail.com">Tjepscout@gmail.com</a> if interested</li> </ul>

	DATE	MERIT BADGE	OTHER INFORMATION
<b>SAC MUSEUM</b> Merit Badges	<b>2022 Merit Badge Offerings</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Each Troop authorized ONE point of contact to register and pay for ALL scouts and adults attending the overnight IN ADVANCE, preferably using the Troop account. <b>Coordinate at the Troop level before attempting to register.</b></li> <li>• No scout may be left at the museum without coordinated adult supervision.</li> <li>• Dinner –No dinner during the overnight. Eat dinner before arriving.</li> <li>• Breakfast – Snack breakfast provided.</li> </ul>
	10/15	Game Creation	Late Arrival Policy – Doors are locked at 6:00 PM. Please arrive by 5:30 PM to start check-in . Due to the disruption of activities, late arrivals will not be able to participate in the overnight. Pricing – \$40 per scout, \$40 per leader/chaperone.
	11/19	Engineering	
	12/10	Robotics	
	Register at:		<a href="https://www.sacmuseum.org/what-to-do/education/scouts/">https://www.sacmuseum.org/what-to-do/education/scouts/</a>



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HENRY DOORLY ZOO Merit Badges	DATE	MERIT BADGE	TIME	OTHER INFORMATION
	9/18	Oceanography	1:00pm	
	9/25	Nature	2:00pm	
	10/12	Nature	6:00pm	Virtual Merit Badge \$15/Scout
	10/16	Mammal Study	2:00pm	
	11/16	Environmental Science	5:30pm	Virtual Merit Badge \$15/Scout
	11/20	Oceanography	2:00pm	
	12/1	Nature	2:00pm	
	12/7	Sustainability	5:30pm	Virtual Merit Badge \$15/Scout
Register at:	<a href="https://www.omahazoo.com/scout-programs">https://www.omahazoo.com/scout-programs</a>			\$20/Scout *unless otherwise indicated

DURHAM MUSEUM Merit Badges	DATE	MERIT BADGE	TIME	OTHER INFORMATION
	9/24	American Heritage	9am-Noon	
	9/24	Citizenship in the Nation	1:30-4:30p	
	10/22	Coin Collecting	9am-Noon	
	10/22	Textiles	1:30-4:30p	
	11/12	Citizenship in the Nation	9am-Noon	
	11/12	American Heritage	1:30-4:30p	
	1/28	Coin Collecting	9am-Noon	
	1/28	Railroading	1:30-4:30p	
	2/11	Citizenship in the Nation	9am-Noon	
	2/11	American Heritage	1:30-4:30p	
	3/11	Railroading	9am-Noon	
	3/11	Textiles	1:30-4:30p	
	4/15	Citizenship in the Nation	9am-Noon	
	4/15	American Heritage	1:30-4:30p	
Register at:	<a href="https://12565.blackbaudhosting.com/12565/tickets?tab=3&amp;txobjid=01e1494d-f8ad-44c6-b3e3-8214b1b56e2d">https://12565.blackbaudhosting.com/12565/tickets?tab=3&amp;txobjid=01e1494d-f8ad-44c6-b3e3-8214b1b56e2d</a>			\$13/Scout Durham Membership \$15/Scout Non-Member \$5/Parent or Chaperone

\*Please refer to FACEBOOK for any **online virtual** Merit Badge opportunities posted by Chad Marquis

## HELP OUT OUR SCOUTS!!

**We need your help!** We are always looking for Adult volunteers to help lead our Scouts by enrolling as a Merit Badge Counselor. **If you have a hobby, a career or interest that relates to a Merit Badge, please consider teaching a Merit Badge class to our Troop.** Contact Mary Tjepkes [Tjepscout@gmail.com](mailto:Tjepscout@gmail.com) and she will help you get enrolled as a Merit Badge Counselor. Any current Merit Badge Counselors that are enrolled, please consider holding a class. Mary will work with you to find a time to host the class!