

# TROOP ONE - BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

First Baptist Church, 1670 Shatto Avenue, Akron, Ohio



## Making the Transition from Pack to Troop One 2011-2012



<http://TroopOneAkron.org/newscout.html>

### Check list

- o Let us know for sure who wants to join.
- o Review new scout information on our website.
- o Boy Scout Application filled out and signed by parent. Please include all email addresses.
- o Annual Health & Medical record Parts A&B done. (Part C before Summer Camp)
- o Pay joining fees and dues to BSA Troop One.
- o Return the Permission slip for the Induction Overnighter at Manatoc on Feb. 25, 2012
- o Attend the dinner and crossover ceremony at Camp Manatoc (Forester Lodge) on Sat. Feb. 25
- o New Scouts sleep over at Manatoc, Feb. 25-26.
- o Be received by Troop One at your Pack's Crossover / Blue and Gold meeting. Make sure the Scoutmaster knows the dates and time.
- o Scouts attend Troop meetings on Tuesday nights beginning Tuesday Feb 28 from 7:30-9:00 pm.
- o Parents attend the parents meeting on Tuesday Feb 28 from 7:45 pm - 9:00 pm in Room 1.

### Feb. 25-26, 2012

#### Troop One Induction Campout

All Webelos Scouts joining Troop One are invited to come out to Manatoc Scout Reservation, Forester Cabin, by 5:00 pm on February 25. Parents and family should plan to attend with their scouts. Troop One will provide a **great dinner for all**. After dinner there will be a time in the Cabin called "**meet the troop**" where Youth and Adult Boy Scout Leaders will be introduced. There will be some time for socializing, before the Webelos Scouts are led away on a short night hike which will end at the now famous **Spectacular Campfire Induction Ceremony** in the council ring. Parents and family will be led to the Campfire circle to await the entrance of the Webelos. After the ceremony, the New Scouts are asked to stay the night with the Troop in Forester cabin. Parents may pick their new members of Troop One at the cabin at 9:30 am Sunday Feb. 26, unless other arrangements are cleared with Scoutmaster Steve Myers in advance.

### Blue and Gold Banquet

Scouts from Troop One will be at your Blue and Gold Banquet to receive the New Members of Troop One when they cross over the stage for the last time in front of their old friends. Scouts who join will receive a Troop One Neckerchief and Boy Scout Handbook at that time. Contact Scoutmaster Steve Myers to make sure your pack is on our schedule.

### Tuesday Nights starting Feb. 28, 2012.

#### 7:30 pm to 9:00 pm

Our new scouts will attend regular weekly meetings of Troop One starting this night. They will be formed into new-scout patrols with an older scout assigned to them as a Troop Guide and will begin working and planning towards their first Boy Scout camping experience, which will take place at Camp Stigwandish on March 16-18. That cabin camp will be a new scout training camp with the older experienced scouts setting up a show-n-do experience.

### Future camps include:

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| March 16-18 | New Scout Training/Cabin Campout                                   |
| April 20-22 | Wright Patterson Air Force Base & Museum                           |
| May 18-20   | Tracey Ridge, PA   |
| June 23-30  | American Heritage High Adventure (Gettysburg, PA & Washington, DC) |
| July 6-8    | Canoe Trip, Mohican Wilderness                                     |
| July 15-21  | BSA Summer Camp, Manatoc   |
| Aug 17-19   | Clays Water Park, OH   |
| Sept 14-16  | East Harbor State Park, OH (Family Campout)                        |

### Other Dates to Attend

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| Feb 12 | Scout Sunday, First Baptist   |
| Feb 12 | Buffet Dinner, First Baptist  |
| Mar 20 | Troop Elections               |
| Mar 27 | Troop Court of Honor          |
| May 1  | Parents Summer Camp Meeting   |
| May 8  | Summer Camp early payment due |

Questions: Call Steve Myers, Scoutmaster, (330) 315-3570 home

Email the Scoutmaster at [myers@uakron.edu](mailto:myers@uakron.edu) and examine our website at <http://trooponeakron.org>