

## Scoutmaster Notes August 19, 2003

Summer camp at Ravenknob was enjoyable and productive for the majority of scouts. There was a little home sickness and that is expected, but I usually get better after a couple of nights. I was very proud of all of our scouts and the way our troop pulled together and tried to make a week at camp a positive experience for everyone. Our scouts earned the distinction of being one of the few Honor Troops with a perfect score of 100 every day of camp inspections. Many thanks to Alex Tringas for acting as Senior Patrol Leader for the week and all the other older scouts that pitched in to help him make it a fun week at camp.

We are ready for our troop fall camping season, so please check out the troop calendar. It is very important for scouts to participate in the outdoor program to advance. Parents need to help their scout finish any partial merit badge that they might have from summer camp. Do not let those go to long without finishing.

We have new troop class B T-shirts for sale and some Philmont T-shirts that were dedicated to Brendan McDonald and are considered class B T-shirts. Please plan on purchasing some extra for your scout and yourself. We need to get these sold.

We are going to sell the Chick-Fil-A Cow calendar this fall as a troop fund raiser. I would like to have each family commit to selling 5 calendars. They will cost \$5.00 and we will get to keep 50% of the money. They are easy to sell and easy to use. The Schulte family purchased 5 calendars last year from some other group and we use them all the time. Judy Schulte sold 10 at work and could have sold more.

At the bottom please fill out the information, so that we can pre-order the calendars. You may pre-order your calendars by calling me or by e-mail.  
Sincerely,

Dan Schulte  
scoutmaster@troop13.info

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Family Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes! We will commit to selling 5 Cow calendars. \_\_\_\_\_

Yes! I love cows and would like to sell more than 5. \_\_\_\_\_