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Troop 270 Newsletter

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Your Fellow Scouts by Ben

Juliette "Daisy" Gordon Low assembled 18 girls from Savannah, Georgia, on March 12, 1912, for a local Girl Scout meeting. She believed that all girls should be given the opportunity to develop physically, mentally, and spiritually. With the goal of bringing girls out of isolated home environments and into community service and the open air, Girl Scouts hiked, played basketball, went on camping trips, learned how to tell time by the stars, and studied first

aid.

Within a few years, Daisy's dream for a girl-centered organization was realized. Today, Girl Scouts of the USA has a membership of nearly four million girls and adults, a significant growth from its modest beginnings nearly a century ago. In fact, more than 50 million women in the U.S. today are Girl Scout alumnae. Girl Scouts is dedicated to every girl, everywhere

Thank You by Judy Graefer

Dear Troop 270 Scouters,

Please accept my sincere appreciation for your help with Webelos Woods cracker barrel. Everything looked great and was presented with real flair. Even "Ranger" Jeff was pleased with how the kitchen and dining hall were cleaned up. We all had a great time, and your help contributed to it. Thanks again for all your efforts.

Judy Graefer





Award for Tom by Don Herweck

On October 28th at a recent Knights of Columbus meeting, our Scout master Tom was surprised when the Catholic committee on Scouting Showed up to present him with the Bronze Pelican-An Honor given to Catholic

Scouters who demonstrate exceptional leadership over time for youth in scouting. Tom has been very active in Cub Scouting, Webelos, and Boy Scouting-helping many boys achieve the Rank of Eagle

as well encouraging all boys to work towards the Religious Award of their Faith. Congratulations to Tom---Ask him to show you this award.

Cedar Badge by Andrew

Cedar Badge is a training Course for younger scouts that do not know how to be a leader. I did not learn anything from this but my brother Aric learned a lot. We played a lot of fun games like: Capture the Flag, Football, and freeze tag. These games were supposed to help us become more of a leader. We learned lessons about

taking notes, all the leadership positions in scouts, and how to tie the bottle knot. Overall I think it was a waste of time for me but to all the new kids I strongly advise you to go through this. This will make you a better leader and it will help you a lot in life.



Quote of the Month

Organization is what you do before you do something, so when you do it, it's not all mixed up.

-A.A Milne a.k.a. Winnie the Pooh

Scout Rodeo

By Nick

The scout rodeo was really fun. There was a water park with a pool and water slides. I spent most of the day at the water park.

There was a 24 hour motorcycle race

going on while we were there. It was hard to sleep because the race went on all night.

There were a lot of fun games and activities there. There was a rock wall and an Olympics Activity. I had lots

of fun and I think every one else did too.

Writers for Next Month:
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Useful Websites

www.riversidescouts.com

<http://www.scoutorama.com/recipe/index.cfm>

<http://www.meritbadge.com/mb/index.htm>

www.boyslife.org

www.scoutarama.com

<http://users.aol.com/randywoo/bsahis/b-p.htm>

www.bsa-ciec.org

<http://www.adobe.com/products/acrobat/readstep2.html>

<http://www.factmonster.com/spot/quiz/scoutboy/1.html>

