

Boy Scouts of America Troop 280



Mini Court of Honor and Elections

On June 11, the troop held a Thursday meeting that was both a small Court of Honor and the 2015 Elections for the troop positions of leadership. About thirty scouts and adults gathered outside the gym at St. Bede's for the night. It was humid, and the sun was setting through the clouds over the building. We began at seven in the afternoon.

First, everyone discussed their thoughts on the WWII trip and ideas for future trips. It seems that the majority favor backpacking and canoeing/water sports-based weekends.

As for the Court of Honor, Danny Stauffer gained Citizenship in the Community; Buster Chalupa and Brendan Faille earned Scout, Joe Russo earned First Class; **and Barry McAndrews earned Eagle!** Congratulations everyone, especially Barry: you made it!



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Here are the official positions of leadership for the rest of the year and next year, 2015-2016:

Senior Patrol Leader: Tom Cawley

Assis. Senior Patrol Leaders: Jack Swift and Matt Chalupa (Jacob Leinenbach to take position upon Matt turning 18)

Patrol Leaders: Chris Prazych, Craig Fox, and Collin O'Neill

Historian: Tom Garback

Chaplain's Aid: Michael Trojak

Librarian: Steven Pugliesi

Quartermaster: Joe Russo

Den Chief: Brendan Faille, Joe Russo, and Brian Cawley

Bugler: Matt Chalupa (Steven Pugliesi to take position upon Matt turning 18)

Troop Guide: Joe Long, and Danny Stauffer

Order of the Arrow Representative: Jacob Leinenbach

Leave No Trace Trainer: Ethan Himes

Scribe: Joe Russo

All positions are effective immediately. Congratulations to our new leaders! Let's end the year solidly and make next year the best one yet in Troop 280!

Scouts also received the new council badge and assigned patrols. These elections are a key event in Boy Scouts, as they will sculpt the image of the troop for the following year. There is a little bit left to the 2014-2015 year, so let's finish out strong!

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