

# Boy Scout Troop 768

A Newsletter for Scouts & Parents

Ramona, CA

April 2012

## Newsletter/Committee Meeting Minutes

### Calendars:

#### April Activities

Monday Apr. 2	---	No Troop Meeting Holiday
Monday Apr. 9	---	No Troop Meeting Holiday
Wed. Apr. 11	7:00 p.m.	Committee Meeting
Mon. Apr. 16	6:30 p.m.	Troop Meeting <b>CPR Training + Order of the Arrow Election</b>
Thurs. Apr. 19	7:00 p.m.	Stater Bros. Grocery Shopping for Camp out
Fri. Apr. 20 thru Sun. Apr. 22	6:00 p.m.	<b>Fiesta Island Sailing/Kayaking</b>
Sat. Apr. 21		Scout Fair
Mon. Apr. 23	6:30 p.m.	SM Conf/BR Class A Uniform
Mon. Apr. 30	6:30 p.m.	Troop Meeting

#### June Activities

Monday June 4	6:30 p.m.	Scout Master Conf./Board of Review Class A Uniform
Wed. June 6	7:00 p.m.	Committee Meeting
Fri. June 8 Depart from Church Sunday June 10 Return to Church	6:00 p.m.	<b>Lake Dixon</b>
Mon. June 11	6:30 p.m.	Troop Meeting
Mon. June 18	6:30 p.m.	Troop Meeting
Mon. June 18 thru Fri. June 22	---	<b>District Cub Scout Summer Camp (Service Hours Opportunity)</b>
Mon. June 25	6:30 p.m.	Troop Meeting

### May Activities

Wed. May 2	7:00 p.m.	Committee Meeting
Monday May 7	6:30 p.m.	Scout Master Conf./Board of Review Class A Uniform
Fri. May 11 Depart from Church Sat. May 12 Return to Church	6:00 p.m.	<b>Railroad Museum</b> (This activity may be rescheduled)
Fri. May 11 @ Immaculate Heart Church on corner of 6 <sup>th</sup> & B Street	6:30 p.m.	<b>District Potluck Dinner to Honor our nominees for Red Tail Hawk &amp; Pathfinder Awards</b>
Sat. May 12	8 a.m. - 2 p.m.	<b>Scout-O-Rama K-Mart Parking Lot</b>
Mon. May 14	6:30 p.m.	Troop Meeting / Court of Honor Dessert Potluck & Uniform Inspection
Mon. May 21	6:30 p.m.	Troop Meeting
		<b><u>Memorial Day weekend</u></b>
Friday May 25	4:00 p.m.	Put out poppies at Cemetery
Sunday May 27	9:30 a.m.	Flag Ceremony @ 1 <sup>st</sup> Christian Church -Service @ 10:00 a.m.
Mon. May 28	9:00 a.m.	Ceremony @ cemetery Full Class A Uniform
Mon. May 28	TBA	BBQ @ VFW
Wed. May 30	4:30 p.m.	Put away flags & poppies

### From the Scout Master

Welcome Everyone,

Our scouts participated in both a biking trip to Santee Lakes and a hiking trip. They had a great time. Lots of fun. Hopefully those of you who missed those trips can join us at Fiesta Island in April for kayaking and sailing. Families are welcome and invited to join in on this trip. Families who do not want to camp, can come down on Saturday and join the sailing and kayaking,

for the day.

Be sure to watch for our upcoming events which should be really fun and a great experience for the boys. All these events will help to foster a greater independence and connection to all boy scouts and parents. Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,  
Doug Crawford, Scoutmaster

### **Committee Chair's Corner**

Hi Everyone,  
On April 11, 2012, we held our committee meeting. In attendance were Doug Crawford, Rose Crawford, Carol Shellhammer, Steve Shellhammer, and Dawn Perfect. We discussed future calendar events.

### **Treasurer's Report**

There was no Treasurer's Report given.

### **Sailing/Kayaking – Fiesta Island - Apr. 20-22, 2012**

On Friday, Apr. 20 thru Sunday Apr. 22, 2012 we will have a sailing/kayaking trip at Fiesta Island. Steve Shellhammer is the lead person for this activity. The Adults will be trained for CPR by Bill Modeen on Monday, April 16, 2012 during the Boy Scout meeting.

### **Scout Fair - April 21, 2012**

On Saturday, April 21, 2012 Council has their annual Scout Fair. Sean Franklin is the lead person for this activity. There has been some discussion about possibly having Dutch Ovens at this event.

### **Railroad Museum - May 11-12, 2012**

On Friday, May 11 thru Saturday May 12, 2012 we are having our Railroad Museum Trip. Greg Hietala is the Lead for this trip. This activity may be rescheduled.

### **District Potluck Dinner - May 11, 2012**

On Friday, May 11, 2012, at 6:30 p.m. at the Immaculate Heart Of Mary Catholic Church of Ramona located at the corner of 6<sup>th</sup> and B Street Council will be presenting awards to nominees for Red Tail Hawk and Pathfinder. This is a Potluck Dinner where they will provide paper goods, beverages and desserts. Please bring one of your favorite items for the potluck. Everyone is invited. Please come and support our nominees. This should be a very fun night.

### **Scout-O-Rama - May 12, 2012**

On Saturday, May 12, 2012 @ 9:00 a.m. at the K-Mart Parking lot we will be having Scout-O-Rama. This is an activity to recruit new scouts to our troop. We will need to show off our great troop, our skills/activities and recruit new scouts.

### **Court of Honor Dessert Potluck - May 14, 2012**

On Monday, May 14, 2012 we are having our Court of Honor Dessert Potluck. If each family brings a dessert to this meeting, the boys and parents can enjoy dessert while receiving awards.

### **Memorial Day Weekend – May 25 - 30**

We have lots of activities for this weekend to honor our servicemen. On Friday, May 25 at 4:00 p.m., we are placing poppies and flags at the grave sites at the cemetery. On Sunday, May 27 at 9:30 a.m. there will be a flag ceremony at the First Christian Church. The service starts at 10:00 a.m. We are asking the scouts to please stay through the service. On Monday, May 28 at 9:00 a.m. there will be a ceremony at the cemetery. There will be a VFW Picnic where the scouts can earn some service hours by emptying trash, being kind to everyone, being on their best behavior and picking up. Scouts are to wear their full Class A uniforms to the ceremonies. On Wednesday, May 30 at 4:30 p.m. we will put away the flags and poppies.

### **Lake Dixon June 8 – 10, 2012**

On Friday, June 8 thru Sunday June 10, 2012, we will be having our Lake Dixon camp out trip. Mike Wagner is the lead person for this activity.

**District Cub Scout Summer Camp**  
**June 18 – 22, 2012**

On Monday, June 18 thru Friday June 22, 2012, the District will be having Summer Camp for Cub Scouts. This is an opportunity for our boy scouts to earn service hours by working and helping out at this summer camp.

**Summer Camp**  
**July 28 – August 4, 2012**

On Saturday, July 28, 2012 we will be leaving for Summer Camp. We will return on Saturday August 4, 2012. Steve Shellhammer is the lead person for Summer Camp.

**Web Site**

The Boy Scout Troop 768 website contains valuable schedule and activities information and is continuously updated. Steve Shellhammer is the official Website contact person. If you have any questions, input or changes regarding the website, please feel free to contact him. <http://www.troop768.org/>

**NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING**

**Wednesday, May 2, 2012 at 7:00 PM**

**2010-2011 Committee Members**

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