

# Boy Scout Troop 768

A Newsletter for Scouts & Parents

Ramona, CA

May 2012

## Newsletter/Committee Meeting Minutes

### Calendars:

#### 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 @ 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
Sat. May 19	TBA	Ramona Community (Rodeo) Parade
Mon. May 21	6:30 p.m.	Troop Meeting <b>Memorial Day weekend</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

#### June Activities

Sat. June 2	TBA	Ramona Senior Center - Rib Fest.
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>
Fri. June 22	TBA	<b>Padres Campout</b>
Mon. June 25	6:30 p.m.	Troop Meeting

#### July Activities

Monday July 2	6:30 p.m.	SM Conf/BR Class A Uniform
Wed. July 4	TBA	July 4 <sup>th</sup> Scout Activities
Mon. July 9	6:30 p.m.	Troop Meeting
Wed. July 11	7:00 p.m.	Committee Meeting
Mon. July 16	6:30 p.m.	Troop Meeting
Mon July 23	6:30 p.m.	Troop Meeting
Sat. July 28 thru Sat. Aug. 4	TBA	<b>Camp Chawanakee Summer Camp on Shaver Lake in the Sierras</b>

### From the Scout Master

Welcome Everyone,

A number of scouts participated in the Fiesta Island kayaking, sailing and canoeing camp out. They had a great time. Lots of fun. There were two dolphins swimming next to them as they

were out in the water which made it quiet exciting. Hopefully those of you who missed this trip can join us on our next camp out.

Those of you who completed the CPR training class we held on Monday, April 16, 2012, can contact me for your CPR training cards.

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 May 2, 2012, we held our committee meeting. In attendance were Doug Crawford, Rose Crawford, Carol Shellhammer, Steve Shellhammer, Don Scott, Michelle Scout, Bob Dobson, Goldie Kakacek and Steve Kakacek. We discussed future calendar events.

### **Treasurer's Report**

Goldie Kakacek gave the Treasurer's report. She made some deposits and collected some money due. Our account are fine at present. They seem to be maintaining approximately the same balance each month.

### **Railroad Museum - Postponed**

Our Railroad Museum Trip has been postponed at present. Greg Hietala is the Lead for this trip. This activity may be rescheduled at a later date. We will notify you when we can reschedule it.

### **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 @ 8:00 a.m. Thru 2:00 p.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 are going to show cooking with a Dutch Oven, put together a couple of cobblers before hand for the cooking and have flag pole activities. We need scouts to volunteer to help with this activity. It should be a fun experience for both the scouts and possible new recruits. 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.

### **Ramona Community (Rodeo) Parade - May 19, 2012**

On Saturday, May 19, 2012, we will be marching in the Ramona Community (Rodeo) Parade. We will need two groups. One group for the Flags (Color Guard) in the parade and the other group for clean up along the parade route. The times and directions will be announced at a later date.

### **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.

### **Ramona Senior Center Rib Fest June 2, 2012**

On Saturday, June 2, 2012, the Ramona Senior Center needs scouts to volunteer to be servers for this event. This is a perfect opportunity for community service hours. There will be an approximate four (4) hour commitment from our troop for this

activity. A sign up list will be presented at a later date.

**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.

**Padres Camp out**  
**June 22, 2012**

On Friday, June 22, 2012, will be having a Padres Camp out. You will be camping on the field after the game. There will be snacks and a movie. Sean Franklin is the lead person for this activity.

**July 4<sup>th</sup> Scout Activities**  
**July 4, 2012**

On Wednesday, July 4, 2012, will be having our 4<sup>th</sup> of July activities. The scouts will participate in the setting up, overseeing, and breakdown of all equipment for this activity. It is a fun time and you get to see the fireworks.

**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. We will be collecting the final payment for this trip at the next troop meeting.

**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, June 6, 2012 at 7:00 PM**

**2010-2011 Committee Members**

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