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 National Public Lands Day offers project opportunities (Troop 405, San Antonio, Tex. finishes conservation project) (NPLD Web site offers ways to help) Sep 4
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 Keeping a balance (Wife of Scoutmaster and mother of two Scouts finds March/April 2004 article still timely) Oct 50
 Next year's (2007) photo contest Oct 50
 A special visitor (Cub Scout Pack 945, North Royalton, Ohio prepare care packages for military personnel in Iraq and receive a thank you visit and flag from Marine who was there) Oct 50

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Airport visits are rewarding (October, 2006 AirCamp article) (Dubuque, Iowa and Southern Pines, N.C., Scouts also have Aviation merit badge events) Nov-Dec 4
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 Family Fun Page: Birds of a Feather by Douglas Byrne Mar-Apr 50
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Project replaces library books lost in hurricane (Michael Ward, Troop 406, Phoenix, Ariz.) (Eagle Scout project helps restock Gulfport, Miss., schools and public libraries) by Lorraine Leavitt . . . May-Jun 11

3.5 million cans equal new home for needy (W.D. Boyce Council [Peoria, Ill.] Scouts CAN program collects \$50,000-worth for Cans for Habitat [for Humanity]) (Good Turn for America) by Bill Sloan and Cathy Fishel . May-Jun 44

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