

# Scouting

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 Who turned on that light? (WR) (Asst SM wakes up in tent thinking someone turned on a light. It was only the bright moon). . . . . Mar-Apr 12  
 Dressed for success (WR) (As joke Asst SM tells new campers to be fully dressed before bugler finishes playing reveille in the morning. He found out that they just slept in their uniforms) . . . . . Mar-Apr 12  
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 Pasta Anyone? (Quick pasta meals) by Candy Sagon . . . . . Mar-Apr 9  
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Encouraging OA Participation by Mark Ray . . . . . Jan-Feb 14  
 National Order of the Arrow Conf. register online (NB) . . . . . Mar-Apr 2  
 As Good As It Gets (Arrowcorps5) (Arrowmen gather for adventures and the largest service project in U.S. Forest Service history) by Jordan Rane . . . . . May-June 18  
 Whitewater Safety (L) (Cover photo of whitewater activity with no helmets) . . . . . Sept-Oct 1

**OUTDOORS**

Do No Harm (Minimize your impact through the ideals of Leave No Trace camping) by Karen Berger Jan-Feb 38  
 The Bountiful Bookshelf (Travel and adventure book reviews) by Karen Berger. . . . . Mar-Apr 40  
 Different Strokes for Canoeing Folks (5 basic canoeing maneuvers) (Description and illustrations) by Karen Berger. . . . . May-June 42  
 Good Read - You Will Survive (TH) (*National Geographic Complete Survival Manual*) (Full of information with easy to find layout) . . Sept-Oct 16  
 Great Gear (5 new sleeping bags) (Summer and winter bags) by Stephen Regenold . . . . . Sept-Oct 60  
 Dutch Treat (Dutch Oven 101) (How to select, season and use a Dutch Oven) by Kent Rappleye. . . . . Sept-Oct 62  
 Fitness (Train for the Trail ) (No-gym exercise routine) by Jeff Csatori . . . . . Sept-Oct 66  
 Trail Tips (Canoeing the St. Regis Canoe Area in Adirondack Park, NY) by Larry Rice . . . . . Sept-Oct 70  
 Survive This! (Fix a flat bike tire with or without a patch kit) by Josh Piven . . . . . Sept-Oct 72

Ground Rules: Bedding Down Without the "Ow" (The key to a good night sleep is how you pitch your tent and how you prepare your bed) by Cliff Jacobson . . . . . Sept-Oct 74

Fuel Up (Snacks to keep you going) by Candy Sagon . . . . . Sept-Oct 76

Where Am I? A Mountain Oasis . . . . . Sept-Oct 78

Cool Camps (Bert Adams Scout Reservation) (Atlanta Area Council) . . . . . Sept-Oct 84

Great Gear: Base layers worn next to the skin to wick sweat also defense from the worst chill) by Stephen Regenold . . . . . Nov-Dec 40

Where Am I? Kickin' It in the Desert . . . . . Nov-Dec 42

Dutch Treat (Peachy Keen Cobbler) by Kent Rappleye . . . . . Nov-Dec 43

That Sinking Feeling (OD) (How to rapidly mend a hole in your canoe) by Josh Piven . . . . . Nov-Dec 44

Fitness: 'Tis the Season to Overeat (How to survive the holiday buffet) by Jeff Csatori . . . . . Nov-Dec 46

Fuel Up Pick-Me-Up Gulps (Which sports drinks have the ingredients you need) by Candy Sagon . . . . . Nov-Dec 48

Trail Tips: Why Get Lost? (Hiking and camping on the rugged, unspoiled Lost Coast Trail in CA) by Larry Rice . . . . . Nov-Dec 50

Cool Camps - Okpik Adventure (Norther Tier High Adventure Base in Ely, MN) . . . . . Nov-Dec 60

#### PHILMONT

Bring the Family to Philmont (Family vacation to Philmont Training Center training and activities for all) (Fees listed) . . . . . Jan-Feb 16

First Among Equals (Scout leaders from across the country put leadership skills into action at the Philmont Leadership Challenge) by Mark Ray . . . . . Mar-Apr 25

Corrections for Mar-April '09 (NB) ("First Among Equals" Photo caption error) ("Haul It" Miles per gallon error) . . . . . May-June 7

Help Wanted (TH) (High Adventure bases have summer jobs for Scouts or Scouters 18 or older). . . . . Sept-Oct 11

Waite's Wheels (TH) (Waite Phillips 1906 Model "N" Ford on display at Philmont). . . . . Sept-Oct 13

#### PROGRAMS/PROMOTIONS/ GUIDELINES (BSA)

Scoutmaster's Toolbox by Mark Ray (Program planning conference leads to calendar full of exciting troop outings) . . . . . May-June 17

The Future Is Now (New programs for the next century) . . . . . Nov-Dec 4

#### RELATIONSHIPS/CHARTERED ORGANIZATIONS

Show of Faith (Earning religious emblems represent Scouts devotion to faith) (Age appropriate levels) by Bryan Wendell . . . . . May-June 28

Roots of Faith (L) (Errors in origin year of faiths). . . . . Sept-Oct 1

#### ROUNDTABLE

by Mark Ray

What I've Learned (Kelly Rodrigue) (Southeast Louisiana Council's Bayou District) (How do you prevent burnout as a super-involved leader?). . . . . Sept-Oct 20

Advancement FAQ's -Above and Beyond (What it takes to earn Palms) . . . . . Sept-Oct 21

Cub Scout Corner (How to Get Up and Go) (Tiger Cubs on trips) (Plan lots of people and patience). . . . . Sept-Oct 23

Nature of Boys (Just the Facts Jack) (Scale the wall of silence: Keep it simple). . . . . St-Oct 24

Ethics - Pressure vs. Principle (Teaching teens to do the right thing) (Traffic Jam game) . . . . . Sept-Oct 26

Merit Badge Clinic (Dollars and Sense) (Personal Management Merit Badge book best lesson in what money can buy) . . . . . Sept-Oct 28

What Would You Do? (How do you get boys to settle down when it's time to get serious?) . . . . . Sept-Oct 30

Michelle Holmes and Derrick Jackson (How one couple with kids and careers find time to give back to their Scouts) (Boston Minuteman Cncl) . . . . . Nov-Dec 14

BSA Hall of Leadership (Nominate a Scouting volunteer who's made a difference in your life) (See web site) . . . . . Nov-Dec 15

Advancement Trail Making the Distinctions (How the Venturing awards program works). . . . . Nov-Dec 15

From "Me to Me" (What does it take to give your Cub Scouts the tools to help other people?) . . . . . Nov-Dec 21

#### SCHOLARSHIPS/HONORS

Let's Celebrate (BSA's National Meeting) (2 millionth Eagle Scout) (Silver Buffalo recipients) by Scott Daniels . . . . . Sept-Oct 43

#### SCOUTING/BSA

Scoutmaster's Toolbox (Youth led unit) (Find balance between helping them and letting them flounder) by Mark Ray . . . . . Jan-Feb 36

OK to Brag (NB) (Tell us about you units planned activities)... . Mar-Apr 6

#### SCOUTING HISTORY

The founding father (of Scouting, that is) (WR) (Boy answers question of who the founding father of the US is with Baden-Powell) . . . . . Mar-Apr 10

Monument-al Changes (TH) (BSA Memorial Monument on the Ellipse in DC is restored) . . . . . Nov-Dec 12

#### SPORTS

Kinetic Energy (Farrer family enjoy family sports no matter what the season) by Richard Romney . . . . . Jan-Feb 18

Freezing Cold, Burning Calories (Samoset Council Scout Exec Active Outdoor Challenge) (Year round program to maintain monthly outdoor

physical activity) by Suzanne Wilson . . . . . Jan-Feb 23

Right on target (WR) (Cub Scout is proud to hit bulls eye on archery range even if it was someone else's target!). . . . . Mar-Apr 12

Net Gains (A Family Together Feature) (How hockey and a busy schedule keeps the Stavinsky family of Penfield, N.Y. close even when apart) by John Clark . . . . . Mar-Apr 14

Outside Chance (Hunt-N-Fish Day) (Old North State Council) (Scouts and parents learn about and participate in outdoor sports) by Lynn Seldon . . . . . May-June 25

Different Strokes for Canoeing Folks (5 basic canoeing maneuvers) (Description and illustrations) by Karen Berger . . . . . May-June 42

#### SUPPLY GROUP

Training goes interactive (NB) ("New Leader Essentials" training video presentation) (Find online or order from Supply). . . . . Mar-Apr 6

*Norman Rockwell's Boy Scouts of America*. (NB) (Book chronicles the nearly 100 years of Scouting.) (Rockwell and Csatori paintings with background information) . . . . . May-June 2

Boy Scouts of America's 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Video. (NB) (Valuable perspective on impact of Scouting past and future). . . . . May-June 4

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#### TELEVISION/RADIO

*Spirit of Adventure* (Interview with young men about their extraordinary experiences and missions) (Excerpt from book about two Eagle Scouts) by Alvin Townley . . . . . May-June 3

What to Watch (TH) (The Boys Are Back!) (Scouting for Adventure on Outdoor Channel). . . . . Sept-Oct 10

Air It Out (TH) (JOTA and JOTI) (This year will showcase efforts to protect environment and battle climate change). . . . . Sept-Oct 18

#### TIGER CUBS

Cub Scout Corner (RT) (How to Get Up and Go) (Tiger Cubs on trips) (Plan lots of people and patience) . . . . . Sept-Oct 23

#### TRAILHEAD COLUMN

by Chris Tucker

What to Watch (The Boys Are Back!) (Scouting for Adventure on Outdoor Channel). . . . . Sept-Oct 10

Scouting Goes Green (Magazine has SFT's seal of approval) (Sustainable Forestry Initiative). . . . . Sep-Oct 10

- Help Wanted (High Adventure bases have summer jobs for Scouts or Scouters 18 or older) . . . . . Sept-Oct 11
- Saving Our Watery World (Sign up for Preserve America's Waterways Initiative) (Give community service hours) . . . . . Sept-Oct 11
- Countdown to 100 (Jamboree 2010 information) . . . . . Sept-Oct 12
- Quotable (Tico Perez) (Quote from Nat'l Mtg) (Take the legacy into the next century) . . . . . Sept-Oct 12
- Did You Know? (Tour Permits are online) . . . . . Sept-Oct 12
- One for the Books) (G. Harvey Ralphson, Amer Scouter wrote dozens of novels featuring Scouts saving the day around the globe) . . . . . Sept-Oct 13
- Waite's Wheels (Waite Phillips 1906 Model "N" Ford on display at Philmont) . . . . . Sept-Oct 13
- Keep On Truekin' (See the 18 wheeler, interactive Scouting exhibit) (Will visit more than 40 destinations next year) . . . . . Sept-Oct 14
- Gotta Have It (The Ultimate Gadget) (Multi-tool from Leatherman) . . . . . Sept-Oct 16
- In Memoriam - Edward Whitehead (Oldest Scout passes away at age of 102) (Detroit Area Council) . . . . . Sept-Oct 16
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- Let's Get the Party Started (100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary is time to look back and to enter the second century) (Complete requirements to earn the year of celebration ribbons) . . . . . Nov-Dec 8
- Coming Up Roses (BSA Rose Bowl float) . . . . . Nov-Dec 9
- Net Gain (Scouts will do service projects to educate people about Malaria) (UN Foundation helping people of Africa fight Malaria with Malaria nets) . . . . . Nov-Dec 9
- An Amazing Life (Royal Robbins one of America's greatest climbers) (Book *To Be Brave* autobiography) . . . . . Nov-Dec 10
- Euro Pass (Volunteer for BSA's European Camp Staff Program) (Info online) . . . . . Nov-Dec 10
- Gotta Have It (Portable navigation devices) (Timex Expedition WS4) . . . . . Nov-Dec 10
- Did You Know? (Rank requirement changes) . . . . . Nov-Dec 11
- Keys to Adventure (Training Conf at the Florida Sea Base in Jan) . . . . . Nov-Dec 12
- Cash for College (NESA scholarships and others that are available on the NESA web site) . . . . . Nov-Dec 12
- Monument-al Changes (BSA Memorial Monument on the Ellipse in DC is restored) . . . . . Nov-Dec 12
- Shout Out The Eagles Fly Again (47 year old gets his Eagle) . . . . . Nov-Dec 12
- UNIFORM & INSIGNIA**
- Know Your Knots (Adults can earn by demonstrating continued leadership and service to the program's ideals) (Photo's and descriptions of knots) by Bryan Wendell . . . . . Jan-Feb 25
- Correction (Community Organization Award in Jan-Feb issue was incorrectly displayed) . . . . . Mar-Apr 6
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- WORLD SCOUTING**
- Spend the summer in Europe (NB) (BSA'S European Camp Staff Program) (6 week minimum commitment) (More info online) . . . . . Jan-Feb 2
- Ready for exchange (Youth and leader exchange program with Saudi Arabia Boy Scout Association) . . . . . Mar-Apr 6
- Euro Pass (TH) (Volunteer for BSA's European Camp Staff Program) (info online) . . . . . Nov-Dec 10
- WORTH RETELLING / LOL**
- A Brush with nature (Boys terrified of buzzing in the tent . It was battery-operated toothbrush) . . . . . Mar-Apr 10
- Idaho: Not known for its pineapples (Scout from Idaho says pineapple is locally grown in Hawaii) . . . . . Mar-Apr 10
- The founding father (of Scouting, that is) (Boy answers question of who the founding father of the US is with Baden-Powell) . . . . . Mar-Apr 10
- A dry sense of humor (To leave no trace Scout wants to water dry spot under tent) . . . . . Mar-Apr 10
- Do as I say... sort of (Asked to use zip bag for leftovers in can, a Venturer puts vegetables and can in bag) . . . . . Mar-Apr 10
- Opossum, the other white meat (Scouts believe Asst SM is cooking Opossum when told it's not chicken or beef) . . . . . Mar-Apr 11
- Something doesn't add up (Son wants to know if Quartermaster father will be Half-master if promoted to pack committee) . . . . . Mar-Apr 11
- Catch and release (Scout that left his Scout book on a rock while fishing has it returned to him) . . . . . Mar-Apr 11
- Q-and-Aches session (Scout on grocery shopping trip to earn a merit badge gets headache from all the questions) . . . . . Mar-Apr 11
- Who turned on that light? (Asst SM wakes up in tent thinking someone turned on a light. It was only the bright moon) . . . . . Mar-Apr 12
- Right on target (Cub Scout is proud to hit bulls eye on archery range even if it was someone else's target!) . . . . . Mar-Apr 12
- Fly-by-night astronomy (During backyard astronomy lesson, boys are told airplane flying over is an "Aeroplaneous") . . . . . Mar-Apr 12
- Dressed for success (As joke Asst SM tells new campers to be fully dressed before bugler finishes playing reveille in the morning. He found out that they just slept in their uniforms) . . . . . Mar-Apr 12
- Judged by what we wear (Uniformed Scouts are asked to watch stranger's two children while he parks car) . . . . . Mar-Apr 13
- Don't get hot-headed, Dad (Scout chooses to wear 3 hats to keep from losing heat through his head instead of new cold-weather sleeping bag) . . . . . Mar-Apr 13
- LOL - But He's Only a Cousin! (TH) (Leader teaches fishing catch and release policy is seen buying fish to cook at store) . . . . . Sept-Oct 18

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Get the Message (How can the BSA's adult leaders and Scout parents spot the warning signs of child abuse and keep it from happening?) (New video takes a fresh approach to present the best and most up-to-date information to leaders) (Available from local councils or online) by John Clark . . . . .  
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