



Troop Talk

Jordan Boy Scouts Troop 332

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Upcoming Meetings and Events

Scout Oath:

On my Honor I will do my best to do my duty to God and my country and to obey the Scout Law; to help other people at all times; to keep myself physically strong, mentally awake and morally straight.

Scout Law:

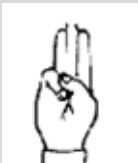
A Scout is trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean and reverent.

Scout Motto:

Be Prepared

Scout Slogan:

Do a Good Turn Daily



November 21

Popcorn/Wreath pickup at Pauly's – 9am-noon

November 23

PLC Meeting – 6:30-7:30pm, JMS
▪ Required for SPL, ASPL, PL, APL
▪ No regular meeting

November 30

Meeting with Webelos – 6:30pm, JMS
▪ All Scouts are asked to attend!

December 1

Wreath/Popcorn money due to Mary Pauly!

December 6

Skating at the RollerDome – leave from Lion's Park at 1pm

December 7

Troop Meeting – 6:30-7:30pm, JMS
Parent Meeting – 6:30pm

December 14

Troop Meeting – 6:30-7:30pm, JMS

December 21

Troop Meeting – 6:30-7:30pm, JMS

December 28

▪ **No Meeting** (No school)

December ?

Overnight at Le Sueur Community Center – date TBD, held over the Holiday Break.
▪ Swim, ice skate, play basketball, racquetball, and many other activities.

January 4

Troop Meeting – 6:30-7:30pm, JMS
Parent Meeting – 6:30pm
▪ Recharter fees due!

January 11

Troop Meeting – 6:30-7:30pm, JMS

January 15-17

Snowbase

January 18

▪ **No Meeting** (No school)

January 25

PLC Meeting – 6:30-7:30pm, JMS
▪ Required for SPL, ASPL, PL, APL
▪ No regular meeting

February 1

Troop Meeting – 6:30-7:30pm, JMS
Parent Meeting – 6:30pm

February 8

▪ **Blue & Gold Crossover Ceremony**
▪ Meet at JES at 6:45pm

February 15

No Meeting (No school)

February 19

Overnight at Buck Hill – 10pm-5am
See back for more details.

February 22

PLC Meeting – 6:30-7:30pm, JMS
▪ Required for SPL, ASPL, PL, APL
▪ No regular meeting

February 27

Klondike Derby

March 1

Troop Meeting – 6:30-7:30pm, JMS
Parent Meeting – 6:30pm

March 8

Troop Meeting – 6:30-7:30pm, JMS

March 13-14

March Campout – Fort Ridgely State Park

March 15

Troop Meeting – 6:30-7:30pm, JMS

March 22

PLC Meeting – 6:30-7:30pm, JMS
▪ Required for SPL, ASPL, PL, APL
▪ No regular meeting

March 29

No Meeting (5th Monday, Spring Break)

Check out our website:

www.jordanboyscouts.org

and our Facebook page:

www.facebook.com/home.php?#/pages/Jordan-Boy-Scouts-Troop-332/151871055169

Reminder

A Scout is Prepared – Scouts should come to meetings wearing their Scout shirt, with Scout handbook, pen and paper.

Please contact Lois Baker (492-6305 or Lnbaker@aol.com) with any questions about newsletter content.

Parent News

Reminder, parent meetings are been moved to the **1st Monday of each month** during the Boy Scout meeting (except when there is no meeting on the first Monday).

Each month we will be discussing upcoming events. Please try to attend!

Troop Website

The troop website is now on a new hosting location and has a new look. It is in the process of getting all the information switched over and a calendar added, so please check back periodically.

Rechartering

It's time for our annual recharter. Forms will be distributed to indicate your scout's intent to recharter with the troop for the upcoming year. Fees/dues for the upcoming year - \$40 (includes \$15 for national registration + \$25 for troop dues/equipment fee). If a Boy's Life subscription is desired, add an additional \$12.

New Activities Coordinators

Michelle Zappetillo and Sarah Gavert have graciously volunteered to undertake the position of Activities Coordinators. Please take a moment to thank these wonderful ladies for their time and effort!

Odds n' Ends

- Still at Jeff Carlson's – 3 folding tables from the garage sale! Please claim ASAP!
- It's Rechartering time! Fees (\$40) and forms are due on January 4! If a Boy's Life subscription is desired, please add \$12.
- Don't forget to pick up your wreaths and popcorn – Saturday, November 21 at Pauly's, 9am-noon. Money is due to Mary Pauly by December 1.
- Monday, November 30 – Please try to attend the meeting with the Webelos at JMS, 6:30pm.



Blue & Gold

The Blue & Gold crossover ceremony will be held on Monday, February 8 at Jordan Elementary School. Please meet at JES at 6:45pm, as we welcome new Scouts to our Troop.

Friends of Scouting

Our annual Friends of Scouting (FOS) presentation will be at the February 1 parents meeting.

FOS is a council fundraiser that helps provide upkeep of camps, camperships for Scouts, training for volunteers and many other benefits for our Scouts, families and leaders.

Please come and learn more!

Overnight at Buck Hill

If you like to ski, snowboard, snow tube, or just have fun, consider the Overnight at Buck Hill! On Friday, Feb 19, Scouts (and parents) can spend the night on the slopes at a discounted rate. Get tired of the slopes, spend time with other Scouts playing games, watching movies, or just hanging out. Watch for more info.
\$35 lift ticket and ski/snowboard rental
\$10 tubing (11:30pm-1:30am)
\$45 for skiing and tubing



Klondike

The annual Klondike Derby will be held on February 27. It will be a day of fun, adventure and friendly competition against other troops from our district and a neighboring district.

Watch for more details!

Snowbase

We will be going to Snowbase on January 15-17.

Snowbase is an outdoor winter experience at Tomahawk. Past participants have had a great time. All meals and gear provided!

Two programs are available:

Huskies – for 6th grade and older, \$58/person*

- Program is Sat morning-Sun afternoon, outdoor activities, sleep inside

Spearhead – for 7th grade and older, \$72/person*

- Program is Fri evening-Sun afternoon, outdoor activities, sleep inside Fri night, outside on Sat night

*Camperships (for up to ½ of fee) are available, see Lois for info.

Tomahawk
SNOW BASE

