LAKE SANDS DISTRICT

November 2006

the CRAWLIN' KINGSNAKE

BOY SCOUT ROUNDTABLE NEWSLETTER



LSD BS RT 9 NOVEMBER 2006 "FIRST AID"

Opening Flag Ceremony by Dist OA Chapter - thank you Chief Chandler

- next month starts Troop rotation of Opening starting with T.39 for Dec

Added Features: thanks to the following folks for their discussion and inputs

- T.302 ASM John Edgeworth: Composite Materials MB
 - and Your Troops MB Counselor POC
- Dist Adv Chairman Margaret Watts: MBs and Use of Blue Cards
- T.303 ASM Mark Gilland: brief presentation / handout regarding Scouts with learning disabilities, specifically ADD with the Inattentive and Hyperactive components

http://www.scoutingdigest.com/index.php?option=content&task=view&id=85

The Infamous Band-Aid Exercise - do this with your Troop and have some fun

A Huge thanks to Big George Goehring for his Feature Tutorial on First Aid Revenge of the PLANTS

http://www.scoutingdigest.com/index.php?option=content&task=view&id=99 Sunburn, Melanoma, and Scouts

http://www.scoutingdigest.com/index.php?option=content&task=view&id=132

The Fever Tree, Pinkneya pubens: In earlier days, malaria and other fevers were treated at home with a medicine made from the inner bark of this deciduous, 30-foot-tall, North American native tree, giving it the common name "Fevertree" http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/ST455

New Eagle Scout: Congrats to T.700's Andrew M.

Presentation of Bob Walton "Spirit" Award to T.302 - Congrats to SM Ted the "X-man", and Outstanding ASMs John Ford and John Edgeworth

KG's Handouts Gone Wild: Brochures x 4 !! The Big Picture: St. Andrew Bay Watershed; Florida's Native Snakes; Old Sawmill Horse Trail; Manual for Chaplains and Chaplain Aides; + Poster: Gulf Coast Marine Habitat

- Inspirational Booklets:
 - Footsteps of the Founder \$14.95, The SM Minute \$6.95
- Merit Badge Counselor Info Sheet
- Veteran's Application for 5, 10, 15, 20, ++ years of Service to Scouting, download from GCC Website

http://www.gulfcoastcouncil.org/downloads/index.html

- Realistic First Aid Formulas (Boy's Life Reprint thanks to Carl "the Sage "Bennett)

- Seizure Recognition and First Aid Chart
- Home Care for Pandemic Flu
- Twostriped Walking Stick
- Mockingbird
- Owl Quizzes
- Slide of the Month: Blood Hound (Boy's Life Reprint from the 60's)
- NEW !! 2007 Centennial Quality Award find out all about it on this site http://www.scouting.org/awards/centennial/index.html
- 7 of the Top 20 Brightest Stars found simply by locating Orion (now starting to rise in the East early evenings): Betelgeuse & Rigel (Orion), Aldebaran (Taurus), Capella (Auriga), Pollux (Gemini), Procyon (Canis Minor), Sirius (Canis Major)

RT Spirit Stick: Returned with Be Prepared and carved scroll from T. 310; Awarded to T. 302 for Winning Bob Walton Spirit Award

Raffle Ticket Drawing: 4 WINNERS going home with First Aid Kit Supplies

Future Monthly Themes: Dec = Winter Camping; Jan = Citizenship; Feb = Personal Fitness, Mar = Forestry; Apr = Leadership; May = Special Cooking

Closing: Whoops!! Got Carried Away Handing Out Gulf Coast Marine Habitat Poster (and thanks to all for the cake and ice cream birthday surprise!!)

MISC Other Scouting Event Info:

- OA Recent Election Results: Congrats to the following
- Michael Kirkland Lodge Chief; Geoffrey Helms Asst Lodge Chief, Chandler Young - Chapter Chief
 - also, OA mtgs now held from 6:30 7:30 PM same nite/location as RT
- The News According to Shuga-Bear contact Steve if your Troop would like to participate on 17-19 Feb 07 in the 1st Annual American Legion Department of Florida BS Camporee at Camp Rybolt, Winn Dixie Scout Reservation in Paisley FL
- **** also Introduction to Outdoor Leadership Skills (IOLS) 17-18 Nov at Pine Log St Forest ****
- Pop Corn Pickup, Thurs 16 Nov 9-5PM at Buffalo Rock !!
- National Camping Award: 1-pager due by Dec RT
- Annual LSD BS Leader of the Year Awards: SM, ASM CC, CM, etc info put out at RT, write-ups due to Shuqa-Bear by Dec RT
- LSD Scouter Banquet 20 Jan 2007, Jenks Ave Church of Christ, \$10, make chks payable to BSA, Margaret Watts POC, Luau theme, Catered by Smitty's BBQ
- Potential Service Hours: info per Jack Mobley the Navy and TAFB are putting on an Extreme Challenge Race on 2 Dec at TAFB. They are in need of help on the course, giving out water, keeping track of kayaks, bikes etc. would be good for older responsible scouts, will run from 0700 to 1630.
- Going Camping Soon ? Look up in the Night Sky !!
 - ** LEONID METEOR SHOWER Nov 13-20 and GEMINID METEOR SHOWER Dec 6-29 **

