

LAKE SANDS DISTRICT
after-RT *the CRAWLIN' KINGSSNAKE* *October 2007*
BOY SCOUT ROUNDTABLE NEWSLETTER

LSD BS RT 11 OCTOBER 2007 " SCIENCE "

Opening: Thanks to T.377 SM Ron White his Webelos Twins for conducting the opening!! OPENING KEY passed to T.388 for next months opening!!

Thanks to the following folks for their Presentations & Handouts:

John Hansel/Greg Lane –SEAL ROCKERY SOCIETY (SEARS 572) – outstanding program feature; you can visit their website at www.sears572.com as well as Team America Rocketry Challenge at <http://www.aia-aerospace.org/tarc/>
John announced that the Rocketry Club will help Scout Troops if contacted !

Big George Goehring's Medical Moment on Hazardous Materials
- and remember the solution to pollution is dilution.

A FEW UPDATES:

DE Jason Hall –last day for popcorn is 1 Nov; also Jason wants to brief FOS at your Troop's next Court of Honor.

Program Chair -Jimmy Wiselogel –Gene Parsons has volunteered to be the Chairman for the Spring 2008 Camporee; the Fall 2008 Camporee will be a Council-wide Camporee held at STSR.

Advancement Chair - Margaret Watts – please turn in your MB Counselor paperwork at the Nov RT; thanks to Troops 317, 345, and 388 for already turning in their paperwork.

CONGRATS TO STEVE SHUGA !!

Distinguished Commissioner Award Knot presented to Steve by Margaret

To T.388 SM and Fall Camporee Chairman George Dfeiffer – **Thanks George for all the hard work you put into organizing the Fall "Lost Island" District Camporee – A JOB WELL DONE !!**

T.344 SM Judy Young – giving a heads up that there will be a **WILDERNESS SURVIVAL Week** for interested Scouts at STSR during the 2008 Summer Camp.

And from me to you, another Science Site = The Science Spot <http://sciencespot.net/>

Welcome New Attendees: Chris Potter, former DC from the Oklahoma City area.

KG's Handouts Gone Wild: **Brochures:** Stork Mgmt; Plant it and They Will Grow; as well as these **Paper Handouts:**

- SPACE EXPLORATIONS & MODEL DESIGN & BUILDING MB
- MIDSCRI website Home Page
- BIZARRE STUFF website Home Page
- Unveiling the History of Econfina Creek
- Ask the FWC
- Canine First Aid
- Alligator Snapper
- How to Grow a Pineapple
- Lake Sands District 20-Miler

- Weather and Energy Quiz (from Scouting Magazine Oct 2004)
- Constellations Word Search Puzzle
- Slide of the Month: Wave Machine

Traveling Spirit Stick: Boo Hoo!! NO SHOW FROM T.47, recipients of last month's spirit stick.

Ticket Drawing Giveaway Winners:

- T.318 ASM Brett Butler: Small Canvas Pack
- T.303 SM Dave Hodges: Plastic Organizer
- unknown OA Scout: Glider
- T.317 CC Ming Cheung: Glider
- T.388 SM George Pfeiffer: Morning Dove Decoy (also showed up at the Camporee)

Closing: KG - from Footsteps of the Founder: "The Man who is blind to Nature has missed half the pleasures of life."

Additional Items of Interest:

- 1) Online Recharter Tutorial - it's a piece of cake !! = EASY !!
<https://scoutnet.scouting.org/ucrs/Help/tutorial/main.html>
- 2) 20 MILER on Sat 20 Oct - contact Gene Parsons, 271-0146, if interested in participating in hiking part of the Appalachian Trail.

Junior Leader Training: JLT class Tuesday, Oct 23, 2007 at L-3 Communications 7104 Laird Street, Panama City Beach 6:30 -8:30 PM. All participants are requested to wear their field uniform. NO COST CLASS! Class is for all First Class Boy Scouts age 13+ who have not had this class. All students should have a copy of the **Patrol Leader Handbook No 32502A:**

http://www.scoutstuff.org/BSASupply/ItemDetail.aspx?ctlg=05NDC&ctgy=PRODUCTS&c2=BOOKS_LIT&C3=BOYSCOUTS&C4=&LV=3&item=32502A&prodid=32502A^8^05NDC& can order it through the BSA supply system, or through the Scout Shop.

- 3) **Congrats to John Suddeth on Earning his Wood Badge Beads !!**
- 4) **Congrats to T.344 Chandler Young, now Yustaga Lodge Vice Chief and to T.82 Graham Parsons, new Chapter Chief !!**
- 5) OA Lodge Banquet 1 Dec at Jenks Ave Church of Christ
- 6) LSD Scouter Banquet - Sat 12 Jan 2008
- 7) Spring Camporee 28-30 Mar 08 - thanks to Gene Parson for Chairing !!
- 8) Fall 2008 Camporee to be Council Wide Camporee at STSR

Fall "Lost Island" District Camporee Top Award Winners:

Top Patrol: Congrats to T.317 SHARKS !!
Bob Walton Sprit Award: Congrats to T.303 !!!

Future Monthly RT Feature Themes:

November = COOKING - BACK TO BASICS

- Dec = Wilderness Survival
- Jan 08 = Communications
- Feb = Pioneering
- Mar = Environment
- Apr = Orienteering
- May = Mechanics
- April = Orienteering

And MANY, MANY THANKS TO ALL THOSE WHO SUPPORT THE LSD BOY SCOUT ROUNDTABLE !!

Yis, KG, your LSD BS RTC