

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

LSD BS RT 8 NOVEMBER 2007 " COOKING "

Pre-Opening Quiz: Kitchen Word Search

Opening: Thanks to T.388 for conducting the opening!!

OPENING KEY passed to T.706 for next months opening!!

What's New: **OA Updates** on Elections provided to OA Chapter Advisor Bill Payne
- note that Unit Elections must be completed by 12 Jan '08.

Jan 2008 District Scouter Awards Banquet - Mark Gilland is making a video for the event, send your pictures or movie clips to Mark at mark@wjhg.com.

District Award of Merit selection is being coordinated by Georgia McFadden; all past recipients will cast their vote after the 13 Dec RT. Please mail your nominations with proper application form to her at 114 Colony Rd, PCB FL 32407 so that she has them prior to next RT.

All other Special Awards: In order to receive awards in time for the banquet, applications and completed forms should be returned in NLT Dec RT. All special award applications go to Margaret Watts.

Veteran's Day Parade: A Big Thanks to T.303 SM Dave Hodges for coordinating.

Fall "Lost Island" Camporee: Hiking Medallions distributed (a huge thanks to Big Dale Wilson from Albany GA). George Pfeiffer awarded certificates to staff members, and provided a special thanks to Bill Ribbing, Georgia McFadden, and Gene Parsons for acting as his core camporee committee. And a big Congrats to Troop 303 who were lauded and awarded the coveted Bob Walton Spirit Award Plaque.

**** Thanks to the BS RT STAFF for the "BACK TO BASICS" COOKING DEMO ****

Ron White, Georgia McFadden, and George Goehring cooked, demo'd Dutch ovens, fire building and proper cooking heat, coolers, chuck boxes, menu prep, and proper sanitation - if you missed it you missed a great session - Ron cooked 2 cakes and his Infamous Potato DERP (wow, very TASTY !!). Great handouts, too !!

Welcome New Attendees: T.303 Joey Collingsworth

KG's Handouts Gone Wild: **Brochure:** FL Native Plant Society; as well as these **Paper Handouts:**

- Patrol Kitchen Box Design
- Patrol Box Gear for Scout Outings
- Troop 169 Patrol Box Inventory
- Troop Duty Roster
- Knapsack Desserts
- Backpack Chicken
- Byron's Dutch Oven Care <http://home.comcast.net/~papadutch/dutch-oven-care.htm>
- Cooking ala Campfire
- BS Menu Form (this form now on the LSD Website)
- Cooking Terms / Recipes
- Kitchen Word Search / Measurements
- 100th Anniversary Logo Contest
- Slide of the Month: Wooden Spoon

Travelling Spirit Stick: Apparently the stick mysteriously returned during the popcorn money turn-in on 1 Nov; its back from T.47 embellished with T.47 numerals. This month awarded to T.388 SM George Pfeiffer for his outstanding Fall "Lost Island" Camporee leadership.

Ticket Drawing Giveaway Winners: the big winners were:

Muffin Cookbook - T.39 David Bradford

Set of Dinnerware - T.82 Dave Kirkland

Grills - T.317 Jake Jacob & T.82 George Stilen

3 Wooden Spatulas along with a Frisbee or S&P Shakers were also given away

Closing: KG - adapted from B-P's "Rovering to Success": You will be happy if you aim to leave this world a little better for you being in it. One step in that direction, as a parent or leader, is to make each of your boys a better person than yourself. (check out the DUMP <http://www.thedump.scoutscan.com/>)

Additional Items of Interest:

- 1) Popcorn pickup at Buffalo Rock Thursday 15 Nov
- 2) OA Lodge Banquet 1 Dec at Jenks Ave Church of Christ
- 3) Online Recharter Tutorial - due by 15 Dec
- 4) Toys for Tots - drop off your toy at 13 Dec RT - POC Shuga-Bear
- 5) Mesa Verde (LPD-19) Commissioning - week of 15 Dec - POC Ted Spangenberg - and website for info is www.ccmesaverde.com
- 6) LSD Scouter Banquet - Sat 12 Jan 2008
- 7) Spring Camporee 28-30 Mar 08 - Gene Parsons chairing
- 8) Fall 2008 Camporee to be Council Wide Camporee at STSR

Future Monthly RT Feature Themes:

Dec = Wilderness Survival (John Edgeworth)

Jan 08 = Communications (Judy Young)

Feb = Pioneering

Mar = Environment

Apr = Orienteering

May = Mechanics

June - No RT (attend Summer Camp)

July = Hiking (Gene Parsons)

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

Yis, KG, your LSD BS RTC

May your Stuffing be Tasty

May your Turkey be Plump,

May your Potatoes and Gravy

Have never a Lump.

May your Yams be Delicious

And your Pies take the Prize,

And may your Thanksgiving Dinner

Stay off of your Thighs!



Happy Thanksgiving Everyone!