

LAKE SANDS DISTRICT
the CRAWLIN' KINGSSNAKE

October 2009

Pre - RT

BOY SCOUT ROUNDTABLE NEWSLETTER

LSD BS RT 7 P.M. 8 Oct 2009 N 30°09.345' // W 085°38.795'

“BUSINESS”

Opening: Troop 302

Updates on Fall LSD Camporee in Nov & the 2010 Centennial Encampment in April

*** Program Feature by T.321 Mike Madewell**

*** Big George's Medical Moment and * Jim Wolf's Knot of the Month !!**

SITES 'N STUFF RELATED TO THEME OF THE MONTH:

MBS Related to Business: American Business, American Labor, Communications, Entrepreneurship, Personal Management, and Salesmanship

Scouting Magazine Oct 2006 Family Fun Page on Business
<http://www.scoutingmagazine.org/issues/0610/d-ffun.html>

Kids and Money

<http://life.familyeducation.com/money-and-kids/personal-finance/34481.html>

<http://www.ext.nodak.edu/extnews/pipeline/d-parent.htm>

Teaching Kids Business <http://www.teachingkidsbusiness.com/Home.htm>

KG's NATURE BITES of the MONTH:

Critter of the Month: Loggerhead Musk Turtle, *Sternotherus minor*

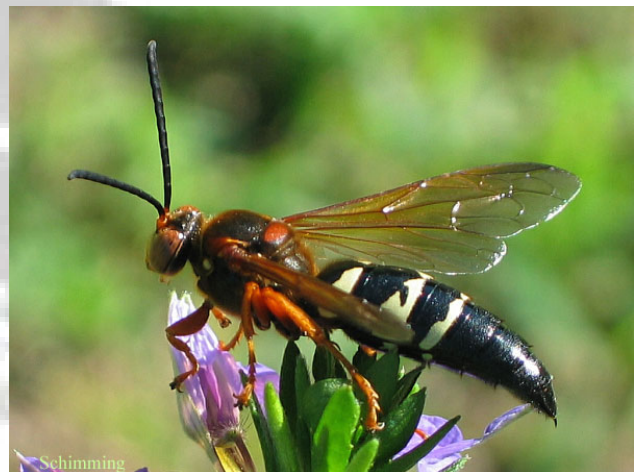
<http://www.enature.com/fieldguides/detail.asp?recNum=AR0572>

Bugga da Month: Cicada Killer, *Sphecius hogardii* - *Sphecius speciosus*

http://entnemdept.ifas.ufl.edu/creatures/beneficial/cicada_killers.htm



Loggerhead Musk Turtle



Cicada Killer

Everybody's Heard about the Bird: Ruby-crowned Kinglet, *Regulus calendula*

http://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Ruby-crowned_Kinglet/id

<http://www.wbu.com/chipperwoods/photos/rckinglet.htm>

So Many Plants, So Little Time: Horse Sugar (Common Sweetleaf), *Symplocos tinctoria*

<http://www.duke.edu/~cwcook/trees/syti.html>



Ruby-crowned Kinglet



Horse Sugar Fruit

The Sky Tells a Story: Galileoscope, good starter scope for kids only \$20

<https://www.galileoscope.org/gs/content/update>

EQUINOX means "equal night and day" but it is in reality defined by the Sun's passage through the equator, when declination is exactly 0:0:0, which happened on 22 Sept at 4:19 PM CDT. The day when the hours are 12 & 12 comes about a week later, due to atmospheric refraction. Remember the real sun has not risen yet when the refracted sun appears to already be completely over our horizon, and likewise the real sun is already down when the apparent sun is just touching the western horizon. This gives us about 8 extra minutes of daylight per day, and at the north pole, about 192 days of continuous daylight between sunrise and sunset, a little more than exactly six months.

Plus the Usual: Handouts Gone Wild!! / RT Spirit Stick / Ticket Drawing / Closing

Upcoming Events: visit <http://www.lakesandsdistrict.org>

- 1) University of Scouting in Orlando - Sat 17 Oct.
- 2) District Fall Camporee: 13-15 Nov.
- 3) Training: Boy Scout Leader Specifics, Lynn Haven United Methodist, 4501 Transmitter Road, Panama City, FL Dec 5th \$5.00.
- 4) STSR Winter Camp: 27-30 Dec 2009.
- 5) Wood Badge for the 21st Century: at STSR weekends of 26 Feb and 26 Mar 2010.
- 6) Council Spring Centennial Encampment: 9-11 April, Ft. Walton Fairgrounds.

Future Monthly RT Feature Themes: If you'd like to Step Up and Become Famous as a LSD RT Theme Presenter, your support would be much appreciated!! Call KG at 234-4077.

12 Nov = First Aid (T.317 G.Coehring)

10 Dec = Winter Camping

14 Jan 2010 = Citizenship (T.369 J.Dippin)

11 Feb = Physical Fitness

11 Mar = Forestry

8 April = Leadership

13 May = Special Cooking (T.366 J.Collingsworth)

see ya **Thursday Night 8 October** !!!!

YIS, KG, your LSD BS RTC