

LAKE SANDS DISTRICT

Pre - RT

the *CRAWLIN' KINGSNAKE*

Mar 2011

BOY SCOUT ROUNDTABLE NEWSLETTER

LSD BS RT 7 P.M. 10 MAR 2011 N 30°09.345' // W 085°38.795'

“ENVIRONMENT”

Opening: Troop 310

Shandi Dayne – Updates on 26 March LSD MB University

**Program Feature: Invasive Plants by your RTC and
Interesting Plants along Econfina Creek by Tim Stuhr**

Big George's Medical Moment !

Sing A Simple Song ! by T.82

SITES 'N STUFF RELATED to THEME of the MONTH:

FL INVASIVE PLANTS http://myfwc.com/WILDLIFEHABITATS/InvasivePlants_index.htm

FL NON-NATIVE SPECIES http://myfwc.com/WILDLIFEHABITATS/Nonnative_index.htm

RECOGNITION CARDS for INVASIVE PLANTS <http://plants.ifas.ufl.edu/node/683>

PLANT SCIENCE MB <http://www.usscouts.org/usscouts/mb/mb085.asp>

PLANT SCIENCE MB Req #5: "List by common name at least 10 native plants and 10 cultivated plants that grow near your home. List 5 invasive non-native plants in your area and tell how they may be harmful. Tell how the spread of invasive plants may be avoided or controlled in ways that are not damaging to humans, wildlife, and the environment."

ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE MB <http://www.usscouts.org/usscouts/mb/mb007.asp>

BSA HORNADAY AWARDS <http://scoutleaderawards.com/advance/Hornaday.asp>

LEAVE NO TRACE ACHEIVEMENT AWARD

<http://scoutleaderawards.com/advance/boyscout/leavenotrace.asp>

MARION C. LEACH CONSERVATION AWARD Criteria and Sign-off Sheet

<http://www.lakesandsdistrict.org/docs/Leach%20Criteria%20and%20Sign%20off%20Sheet.pdf>

KG's NATURE BITES of the MONTH:

E. O. Wilson Biophilia Center Open House 9 AM - 3 PM Saturday 9 April

National Park Quarter Release Dates

<http://nationalparkquarters.com/national-park-quarters-release-dates/>

Bugga da Month: Little Metalmark, *Calephelis virginensis*,

<http://edis.ifas.ufl.edu/in734>

Everybody's Heard About the Bird: this bird seen in Bay Co last month.

Great Cormorant, *Phalacrocorax carbo*

http://www.allaboutbirds.org/guide/Great_Cormorant/id

So Many Plants, So Little Time: Paw Paw, *Asimina triloba*,

http://www.floridata.com/ref/a/asim_tri.cfm



Little Metalmark



Great Cormorant



Paw Paw Fruit



Paw Paw

The Sky Tells a Story: When darkness fall around 7 PM or so you can see both the Big Dipper and Cassiopeia when looking North, and BOTH of them can be used to find the North Star. Cassiopeia makes a striking "W" or "M" in the NW and the Big Dipper rises in the NE. They rotate counterclockwise 180 degrees apart from each other around the North Star.



Cassiopeia (Left Upper Corner) and Ursa Major (Rt Side)

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

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

- 1) LSD MB University, Sat 26 Mar, Deane Bozeman School.
- 2) Trainer's Edge, Sat 2 Apr, 8AM-5PM, Deane Bozeman School.
- 3) LSD Spring Camporee, 15-17 April "Disabilities Awareness" at Euchee.
- 4) COR Training, Thurs 21 April.
- 5) BS New Leader Essentials, Sat 21 May, 8AM-4PM, at FUMC.
- 6) Summer Camp at STSR - Celebrating 50 Years of STSR

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 or email me at kerry.gunn@navy.mil.

- 14 Apr = Orienteering (T.366 Mark Gilland)**
- 12 May = Mechanics (T.82 Bobby Prieto)**
- 9 Jun = Hiking**
- 11 Aug = Shooting and/or Sport (T.317 Jeff Neitzke)**
- 8 Sept = Engineering (Carl Bennett & Doug Merkle)**
- 13 Oct = High Adventure**
- 10 Nov = Tracking**
- 8 Dec = Hobbies (T.39 Mr. Ted)**

See ya Thursday Night 10 March !!!! YIS, KG, your LSD BS RTC RT #65

Roundtable Suggestion / Ideas

Date: _____

Name: _____ Troop: _____

Position: _____ Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Suggestion / Idea:
