

LAKE SANDS DISTRICT

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the CRAWLIN' KINGSSNAKE

May 2013

BOY SCOUT ROUNDTABLE NEWSLETTER

LSD BS RT 7 P.M. 9 MAY 2013 N 30° 10.890 // W 085° 40.010

“SPECIAL COOKING”

Opening: Thanks to the 4 Scouts of T.706 for leading the Flag Presentation and Opening Pledge. The opening key was passed to T.39 for the July Opening.

Thanks to the following Folks for their Participation, Information, & Enthusiasm:

Michael Kirkland, LSD DE: Michael can be reached at (850) 784-1886 and via email at mikirkla@basmail.org. 1) please turn in your Webelos X-over applications; 2) bring water to the camporee; 3) Congrats to the following folks who completed Basic Commissioner Training: Chris Mills, Charlie Holliday, and Cliff Fetter!

Kelly Williams, T366 SM: Kelly is heading up the **Memorial Day Flag placement for Veterans on 27 May at Kent Forest Lawn Cemetery** located at 2403 Harrison Ave in PC; looking for Scouts, Leaders, as well as parents to participate. Flyer handed out: times are 6-8 AM put out Flags and 2:30-3:30 PM pick up Flags. Kelly can be reached at (360) 969-4210.

Bill Duncy, LSD Spring Camporee: Bill hyped the spring camporee “**FUN IN THE SUN**” and if you have questions he can be reached at 814-3928. Events will be in a wide open space (no tree coverage) so bring a canopy for shade, bring water, insect repellent, and sunscreen.

Michael Cole, Appalachee Awareness: Mike hyped upcoming Chapter events: on **Memorial Day** will lead the effort to place/present **Flags for Veterans at Kent-Forest Lawn Cemetery**. There is an **Ordeal Make-up** and work day at STSR on Sat 8 June. There will also be a **Summer Social** at St. Andrew's St. Pk. 14-15 June. Michael can be reached at 303-3613.

FEATURE PRESENTATION

BIG Thanks to T.366 Joey Collingsworth along with Apalachee Chapter OA support for the presentation on SPECIAL COOKING.

Displays/demos included Dutch Oven cooking (with tasty treats of chicken and rice, monkey bread, and bacon and eggs cooked in a “paper bag” ala Jim Wolf), different types of stoves applicable to backpacking, and air duct pocket cookers. A handout on Dutch Oven Cooking was also provided.

And, BIG Thanks to George Goehring for his monthly moment related to “special cooking”. Big George hyped Keeping Food Safe and Food Safety Basics and referenced the following USDA website:

http://www.fsis.usda.gov/factsheets/safe_food_handling_fact_sheets/index.asp

http://www.fsis.usda.gov/factsheets/basics_for_handling_food_safely/

http://www.usda.gov/wps/portal/usda/usdahome?navid=FOOD_SAFETY

LSD Traveling Spirit Sticks: The new **thick Twisty Stick** was returned by **T.388** with a woggle/Turk's Head and T.388 jet ala TAFB attached. This stick was awarded to **T.321** for a July return.

The new **thin Twisty Stick** was returned by **T.310** with an engraved LDS Angel Moroni near the top of the stick. This stick was awarded to T.302 for a July return.

KG's Handouts Gone Wild: **FL CLAMS and MUSSELS** color brochure and **7** paper handouts:

- Herb Casserole Bread Recipe
- Pizza Cooking Tips
- Armadillo Eggs Recipe
- Spanish Rice (recipe from BSA Deck of Cooking)
- Fringe Tree, *Chionanthus virginicus*
- Quiz: FERN-tastic
- Wormy Apple Neckerchief Slide

Ticket Drawing Giveaways & Winners:

Bird Decorated Picture Frame (thanks to Jim & Cindy Wolf of WBU): T.303 Dave Hodges.

Cutting Boards (8): T.388 Art Roy, T.388 Scout Anthony Burgess, T.366 Joe Pippin, T.706 Scout Zach Nelms, T.300 Jim Wolf, T.300 Kevin Hall, T.317 Scout Jacob Cornell, T.317 Scott Cornell.

Upcoming Boy Scout Items of Interest:

- 1) **OWL Training** 10-11 May, and IOLS at LSD Fall Camporee in Oct.
- 2) **LSD Spring Camporee "FUN IN THE SUN"**, 17-19 May, Costin Airport Port St. Joe.; also BS Leader Specific training offered (~ half day session).
- 3) **Flags for Veterans Memorial Day** 27 May at Kent Forest Lawn Cemetery.
- 4) **OA Ordeal Make-up** 8 June at STSR.
- 5) **Apalachee Chapter OA Summer Social** 14-15 June at St. Andrew's State Park.
- 6) **College of Commissioner Science** 24 Aug.
- 7) **BS Shooting Sports** Day 21 Sept.
- 8) **LSD BS Fall Camporee** 18-20 Oct.
- 9) **LSD Merit Badge University** Sat 16 Nov at Northside Baptist Church.
- 10) **LSD Annual Scouter Banquet** Thurs 12 Dec in lieu of RT.

CLOSING by KG: **ADVICE from the Lobster:** Don't be Shellfish. Hold fast to your Dreams. Stay calm in a Pinch. Be a good Catch. Don't get yourself in Hot Water. Looks aren't Everything! It's okay to be a little Crabby as long as you don't Pinch!

ATTENDANCE, ATTENDANCE, ATTENDANCE !!!

THANKS to the following 16 Units represented at MAY RT:

39, 47, 82, 300, 302, 303, 310, 311, 317, 321, 323, 345, 366, 369, 388, 706

TOTAL MAY BS RT ATTENDANCE = 50

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: kerry.gunn@navy.mil . And reminder that all past "Crawlin Kingsnake" RT newsletters and other useful links can be found at http://www.lakesandsdistrict.org/Boy_Scouts.php .

11 July – Backpacking (T.300 Rob Adams)

8 Aug - Fishing/Aquatics (T.317 George Goehring)

12 Sept - Athletics

10 Oct – Science (T.311 Sherry Goldman)

14 Nov – Wilderness Survival

12 Dec – LSD Annual Scouter Banquet

9 Jan 2014 - Communications

13 Feb - Pioneering

13 Mar - Environment

10 April - Orienteering

8 May - Mechanics

12 June - Hiking

14 Aug – Shooting/Sports

11 Sept - Engineering

9 Oct – High Adventure

13 Nov - Tracking

YIS, KG, your LSD BS RTC

