



Woodstock

The Official Troop 59 Newsletter

June 2009

SUMMER MONTH

Volume II, Issue VI

OUR LADY OF PEACE
TROOP 59

Scoutmaster

Larry Daley

Committee Chair

Michelle Ohmer

Senior Patrol Leader

Jake Werner

Prowlers Patrol Leader

Alec Ward

D.I.T.H. Patrol Leader

Shaun Evans

Mustang Patrol Leader

Nick Baran

Platypus Patrol Leader

Nick "Omlet" Ohmer

YOUR GUIDE TO JUNE

what you probably should know, I think

BY AARON LONCKI

No doubt, June is one of the craziest months on the troop calendar this year.

The first big event to kick off the month is the annual Troop 59 **Garage Sale** on Saturday, June 6 from 8 a.m. – 2 p.m. Item drop off days are Thursday, June 4 and Friday, June 5 from 6-8 p.m.

Each Scout and a parent is required to work one drop off day and one shift of the sale on Saturday. **Everyone is required return at 1 p.m. Saturday to**

start the clean-up process. Schedules will be distributed at the June 1 troop meeting. Yes, we know that Our Lady of Peace and Blessed Sacrament schools both have their Waldameer picnics on that Friday, so Scoutmaster Larry has made accommodations for those Scouts.

Contact Scoutmaster Larry Daley if you have any questions or scheduling conflicts.

As far as the summer trip (June 22-27) goes, there

is a **mandatory parent meeting at 8 p.m. on June 8** following the troop meeting. Final details of the trip will be discussed and **the final payment is due.** Any questions parents have will be addressed at this meeting. Also, all advancements required for the trip must be completed by June 8. **If advancements are not done by June 8, the Scouts will not be permitted to go on the trip.** Go get 'em done! It's not worth missing the trip, so finish them soon. You'll regret it if you don't!

GARAGE SALE SIGN: THANK YOU ALL

BY JO ANN SIMONELLI

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the hard working Scouts and parents who helped to make the Garage Sale sign a reality.

After dragging Joe all over Home Depot for the plywood and paint we were all set to begin painting on Monday evening. With the help from Joe Simonelli, Tim Whitman, Greg Coppola and the careful guidance of Mrs. Whitman and myself

we managed to get this started with the white background being completed.

We returned on Sunday with the expectations of completing the sign. We started the day around 11:45 a.m., unfortunately with cold and rainy conditions, however, that did not last long because we were able to move into the little garage—and the sun eventually came out. After our engineers (Greg Coppola and Mr. Simonelli) figured out the layout for the place-

ment of the letters, Joe Simonelli, Tim Whitman, Greg Coppola and Nick Ohmer along with Mrs. Whitman, Ms. Ohmer and myself began tracing from the stencils and painting the letters.

After some upgrades to our original painting plan, some pizza (and a little caffeine to keep us going), adjustments to the sign and some encouraging words from Fr. Bill, Mr. Loncki and Aaron we placed the sign in front of the Church for all to see by 7:00 p.m.!



Woodstock Editor

Aaron Loncki

loncki14@gmail.com

(814) 460-3693

Next deadline:

June 22, 2009

Upcoming Events

June 1	6:30 p.m. — Troop Meeting
June 4	6 p.m. — Garage Sale Drop-off (Day 1)
June 5	6 p.m. — Garage Sale Drop-off (Day 2)
June 6	8 a.m. — Garage Sale 1 p.m. — Mandatory Cleanup
June 8	6:30 p.m. — Troop Meeting 8 p.m. — Summer Trip Parent Meeting — Final Trip Payment Due
June 15	6:30 p.m. — Troop Meeting
June 22-28	Gettysburg/Washington D.C. Trip <i>Depart from OLP Parking lot</i>
June 29	NO TROOP MEETING

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				



Jake Werner (left) and Nick "Omlet" Ohmer show off their high-quality rain gear.

BUFFALO NAVAL PARK TRIP APRIL 25-26 2009

Troop 59's April outing was a short, one night stay at the Buffalo Naval Park. During the day, Scouts explored the park, which includes a museum and three main naval vessels: a missile frigate, destroyer and submarine. Guests to the park have free reign of the ships and its many other attractions. Scouts waited in the "chow line" for meals and slept in metal bunks like the real deal. At night, there was a hands-on weapons display. Exploring the ships was even more fun at night.



The weekend's "crew" on the bow of the U.S.S. Little Rock, a battle cruiser turned missile frigate that served from World War II into the Cold War. The park is also home to the destroyer U.S.S. The Sullivans and the submarine U.S.S. Croaker among smaller vessels and vehicles.