



# The TRAILBLAZER



## BOY SCOUT TROOP 204

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June 2023

CALENDAR NOW

NEWSLETTER # 408

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### 6 Troop Meeting 1930-2100

**Pre Opening:**

**Opening: Firesticks**

**In the hole: assigned knots**

**Scoutcraft: Lashing your tripod--Bears**

**Game: knot relay >>ASM's**

**Service Patrol: Firesticks**

### 13 Troop Meeting 1930-2100 assigned knots

**Pre Opening: assigned knots**

**Opening: Bears**

**In the hole: Summer Camp Merit Badges ==R U ready?**

**Scoutcraft: fire building with Andrew**

**Game: string burn >> ASM's**

**Service Patrol: Bears**



**Going to SUMMER CAMP??**

WE must have a BSA health form that has been completed within the past 12 months.  
Due 13 june

Final Payment due also  
**TOTAL**

\$375 if all deadlines were met, if not \$400



### 18 fathers day

### 20 Troop Meeting Court of Honor 1930 in the troop room

**Opening---SPL Invocation---chaplain's aide**

**After Court of Honor ::::**

**In the hole: assigned knots**

**Scoutcraft: tripods, tarps. Tables --- ASM's**

**Game: tarp relay >>>>>ASM's**

**Service Patrol: all**

### 27 Troop Meeting 1930-2100

**Pre Opening:**

**Opening: JASM's**

**In the hole: assigned knots**

**Scoutcraft: firebuilding with Raphael**

**Game: water boil >>ASM's**

**Service Patrol: JASM's**





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**4 th no troop meeting 7 pack n load ? 9-15 summer camp 18 no troop meeting**

Scout Troop 204

Summer Camp

### What You Should Take to Summer Camp

- \_\_\_\_\_ Sleeping Bag, or wool or cotton blanket
- \_\_\_\_\_ Sheet and pillow
- \_\_\_\_\_ Air mattress or twin mattress cover (suggested but not necessary)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Scout Uniform (wear it there and supper and other special times)
  - Coat hanger to Hang it up
  - extra uniform shirt if have one
- \_\_\_\_\_ Shoes (regular and sneakers) Bring boots if have them
- \_\_\_\_\_ Rain gear (It is summer - it will rain)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Jacket - all around light weight, nights could be cool and damp
- \_\_\_\_\_ Blue jeans or extra old pants (needed for lifesaving merit badge)
  - (Also long sleeve shirt needed for life saving merit badge)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Swimming suit (sturdy pair)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Cut-offs or shorts
- \_\_\_\_\_ Shirts, T-shirts or regular everyday shirts (no inappropriate themes, slogans or pictures)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Briefs
- \_\_\_\_\_ Hankerchiefs (old)
- \_\_\_\_\_ sleepwear
- \_\_\_\_\_ Socks (and extra pair)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Towels (2) - one for swim and one for shower
- \_\_\_\_\_ Toiletry kit - soap, shampoo, comb, toothbrush, deodorant, toothpaste
- \_\_\_\_\_ Clothes bag - for dirty clothes (mesh type bag works best for damp clothes)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Knife, fork, spoon, cup, and plate (a bowl would help you eat if the bears treat)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Bug Repellent (2 cans) BUGS THINK SCOUTS ARE TASTY
- \_\_\_\_\_ Flashlight with extra batteries
- \_\_\_\_\_ Ditty Bag or small day/back pack (for junk) pocket knife, pencil, paper, pad, compass, camera
- \_\_\_\_\_ Money -for merit badge supplies (basketry, leatherwork, photography, etc)
  - Also for the trading post (as much as you can afford to lose)
- \_\_\_\_\_ ONE (1) very old T-shirt (for camp service project)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Scout Handbook
- \_\_\_\_\_ Merit Badge Pamphlets for the merit badges you will be taking
- \_\_\_\_\_ Survival Kit
- \_\_\_\_\_ Stave
- \_\_\_\_\_ LONG PANTS - you need a pair

LABEL ALL Items

or else lost items end up with the Quartermaster and his store is already full of your stuff

Packing Tip - Place each days clothes in an extra large clear plastic ziplock, keeps stuff dry, organized and easy to find! Label each day, and place extra clothes in an extra labeled ziplock baggie.

Extra Key or combination for your footlocker to give to Scoutmaster  
His master key removes the lock AND the lock loops.....



# annual plans and campout

# 11-12-13 August