

A heart-felt Thank You

to Mr. Jeff Culy for the last three years as serving as ScoutMaster for our Troop.

Welcome to Kevin Parker as the new Troop 350 ScoutMaster.

A special welcome to our new scouts!

Sam Bellizzi, James Rolf Blizzard, Oliver Boldt, Caleb Cahoon, Andrew Curlin, Cole Davis, Allen Edwards, Stormer Freeman, Hunter Jones, Cole Kountis, Jack Lawson, Kurt Matteson, James Pierson, Alex Smith, Evan Smith, Ward Smith, Grant Snyder, Nasir White, Zachary Whittaker

First Year Troop Guides:

Matthew Gillespie and Jeremy Roberts First Year Advisors are Chris Smith, Vern McDonald, Jimmy Boyette and Karl Snyder

Upcoming Trips

Apr 11-3:

Mountain Man, Kerr Lake

May 2-4:

Backpacking, Uwharrie National Forest

June 6-8: River Canoeing, Raven Rock State Park

June 29th (Sun)-July 5th (Sat):

Summer camp (Camp Durant)

Service Anyone? Thanks to all who helped clean up the T350 Greenway in March.

Outgrown Uniform?

-- Gently used camp shirts and Scout uniforms are available to purchase or swap.

contact: Carl Ely coolbytes@att.net.

-- Class B T-shirts will be available at the April 15 meeting.

Parent Involvement

--Troop Committee Members needed - open to any parent.

contact: Rick Goodman
rgood350@nc.rr.com

--Skills to Become a Merit Badge Counselor?

- Fill out the Troop Resource Survey on the parent tab if interested.

- Further information can be found on the [Troop website](#) under the [FORMS/DOWNLOADS](#) area. Some training may be required.

contact: Rob Lockhart

RLOCKHAR@gmail.com

--Become an Assistant Scoutmaster

contact: Rick Goodman

rgood350@nc.rr.com

Fundraising

Campcards - Units participating will earn \$2.50 for each \$5 Camp Card they sell. \$1.88 to Scout

account and \$0.62 to the troop

- grand prize drawing (ipad) on May 16th for top seller

-sales end May 5

contact: Beth Lane

wrenwood@nc.rr.com

Friends of Scouting (FOS)

It takes ~\$240 per scout per year to support their activities; popcorn sales and camp cards help support this but covered ~1/2 of the expenses last year and programs had to be cut. Every scouting family is asked to make a contribution. Deadline April 15.

More info: see website parent tab
<http://www.troop350nc.org/parents/friends-of-scouting>

contact: Rick Goodman
rgood350@nc.rr.com

Scout Accounts

-Fundraising \$ put into the Scout's individual account can be found on the scout tab of the website and can be used for trip/camp expenses.

-contact: John Litsas

JNLITSAS@gmail.com

Summer Camp

-Total cost: \$310 and includes a camp shirt.

1st \$100 payment past due

2nd \$100 payment due April 29

last payment \$110 due May 27

-Be on the lookout for camp Merit Badge registration

-contact: John Argento

jargento@nc.rr.com

Troop 350 Tips

-Not getting TMPPL TXT info-blasts? Add yourself by sending TXT to t350@tmpppl.com with keyword "troop350". Once you get an auto- response you are added.

Look for more updates & details:

<http://www.troop350nc.org/>

