
TROOP 246 NEWSLETTER

April, 2001

Meetings

4/3	Aquabats Set up/Clean up
4/10	No Meeting
4/17	Sharks Set up/Clean up
4/24	Eagles Set up/Clean up

All meetings at Nut Swamp

Events

4/27-29 Camporee

Coming Events

Camporee April 27th - April 29th. This Year's Camporee will be held at Gateway National Recreation Area, Sandy Hook, with the theme of "Explore the Shore".

Recent Events

Philadelphia Historic Trail Trip March 30th - April 1st. We met for the Philadelphia trip at the school at 7:00 Saturday morning. 9 scouts and 3 adults attended this trip. Once we arrived in Philadelphia we walked to the Visitor's Center to plan our day. The first site we saw was Independence Hall, where we went on a 15 minute tour. On the tour we saw where the Constitution, Articles of Confederation, and the Declaration of Independence were written. After that we went to the Franklin Museum, where we watched a movie on Ben Franklin and looked at his many inventions. There was a cool section with telephones where you could "call" famous heroes of the revolution and hear them say something about Franklin. After that we returned to the Visitors Center to watch a movie on the revolution. It was interesting. We then made our way down to

Penn's Landing where we looked at an old submarine and warship. Then we went home. It was a fun day for all.



Submitted by Dan Feldman

ATTENTION ACTIVITY LEADERS!!!

This year, I'd like activity leaders (Scout *and/or* Adult – Scout preferred) for each activity to provide a short write-up to announce details for upcoming activities, and a short report of the trip afterwards.

Thanks to the Scouts who submitted their write-ups for this month's newsletter. Let's get even more participation next month.

Send items no later than one week before the first meeting of the month.

Don't worry too much about polishing up your submission – I'll be happy to do any final editing (of course, I'll also be happy if I don't have to do much editing!) Items can be submitted via email (plain text or Word 7.0), regular mail, or by phone. Email is preferred.

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