# **TROOP 246 NEWSLETTER**

## Meetings

10/2	Eagles Set up/Clean up
10/9	Aquabats Set up/Clean up
10/16	Dragons Set up/Clean up
10/23	Lightnings Set up/Clean up
10/30	Eagles Set up/Clean up

All meetings at Nut Swamp

# Events

10/12-14Philmont Shakedown10/14Walk for Diabetes10/20-21Belle Plains Biking and Haunted Hayride

Reminder: Please arrive for the regular Tuesday meetings **by 7:25p.m.** 

# <u>Recent Events</u>

**Family Picnic** Sept 8<sup>th</sup>. The troop started off the new season with a family picnic at Bodman Park. A good time was had by all.

<u>Eagle Ceremony</u>. On Sunday, Sept 9<sup>th</sup>, Chris Bosch was elevated to the rank of Eagle at his Eagle Ceremony. Congratulations Chris!

<u>Kayaking trip</u> Our first trip for the new season was a 10-mile kayaking experience on the Wading river in South Jersey. We later camped out at Wharton State Park.

## Coming Events

<u>Philmont Shakedown</u>Oct 12<sup>th</sup> - 14<sup>th</sup>. Scouts going to Philmont next summer will participate in the first shakedown camping trip in preparation for the weeklong Philmont event.

Walk for Diabetes Oct 14<sup>th</sup>. Meet at Nut Swamp on Sunday morning to go to the Avon-by-the-Sea boardwalk for a five mile walk. Please get your donations and have them ready for the day of the walk. The walk will be held rain or shine!

### Belle Plains Biking and Haunted Hayride

Oct. 20<sup>th</sup> - 21<sup>st</sup>. Bring your bikes for some good exercise followed by a spooky hayride. Hope for clear skies!!

## Note from the Editor

## ATTENTION ACTIVITY LEADERS!!!

This year, I'd like to continue to have activity leaders (Scout <u>and/or</u> Adult – Scout preferred) to provide a short writeup to announce details for upcoming activities, and a short report of the trip afterwards.

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Thanks to the Scouts who submitted write-ups for last season's newsletters. Let's get even more participation this year!

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

Items can be submitted via email (plain text or Word 97 compatible), regular mail, or by phone. Email is preferred.

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