

Brought to you by the 2010-2011 Senior Patrol

Living by
the 3 F's of
Scouting:

22 Times

Fun,
Friends &
Freedom!

Troop 22's oldest currently running newsletter!

Volume 1, Issue 1

Beta Issue

On the Calendar:

James Porter's 4.5th Birthday	2/28-3/1
Wright Patterson AFB Campout	3/12-3/14
Court of Honor	3/15
Burr Oak Backpacker	4/16-4/18
Dorchester Intl. Brotherhood Camporee	5/7-5/9
Next 4 Troop Meetings: 7:30- 9:00 Arrive 7:15	3/1 3/8 3/22 4/5

PIC OF THE WEEK:



Do you know who this fine gentleman is? Honor patrol points are available for a correct answer

Patrol Corner(s):

- Patrol Leaders: this is the place to publish important announcements for your members including:
- Meeting dates and times
- What they need for the meeting
- Recent achievements

Welcome to 22 Times, the first ever boy-run troop newsletter

The idea for a boy-run newsletter came up at this years TOW (Troop Orientation Workshop) as a way to increase communication between Boy Leaders and Scouts and their families, as well as to provide a visual hard copy of upcoming events and to award progress of members in the troop. This first issue serves as a sort of test run, and we would like input from readers about what they would like to see in the newsletter, or if they have any suggestions for how to improve it. Our goal is to print either monthly or bi-weekly issues. Features we hope to include are a calendar of upcoming events, awards and advancement of Scouts, reports and opin-

ions of past events such as campouts, announcements from patrol leaders to members (in hard copy form, so there's no excuse for misplacing important reminders!), games, Scouting tips, jokes and whatever else we think of as we go on. That being said, we encourage submissions from troop members of any kind: full articles, letters to the editor, feature, etc. Let us and everyone else



We run this!

Photo: The Flamboyantly Clothed Gentlemen (FCGs) at Camp Pioneer, Summer 2009

know what you think of the troop and your experiences. Most of all, we hope this will be a fun journey in Boy Scouts this year, and that the newsletter will be here to chronicle it. **2T2**

New year, new leaders for Troop 22

Troop elections held on February 8, 2010 ushered in fresh faces into Troop 22's leadership scene. Two candidates ran for Senior Patrol Leader this year, Joe and Zaq, Both SPL-hopefuls have extensive experience in the troop under their belts. Joe, a six year veteran, most recently Rocket Patrol Leader, edged out Zaq, a fifth year Scout, who previ-

ously served as Quartermaster. Other races included a new Rocket Patrol Leader, where members voted overwhelmingly for previous Assistant Patrol Leader Max. He has chosen James as his assistant. The Crusaders elected Andrew for PL, and he subsequently appointed his long time friend Mark as his assistant. At press time, SPL Joe

has appointed Jacob as the ASPL and columnist in 22 times of "Jakes Take", Jack as Scribe and Co-Editor in Chief, and Zaq as Quartermaster and Director of Public Relations for the newsletter. **2T2**

The Updated Honor Patrol System

This year's honor patrol system is going to be much more organized and regulated than in years past. Honor Patrol scores will be recorded in each issue of the newsletter, so everyone is well aware of their standing. Every month there will be auctions at troop meetings where patrols will use their honor patrol points to win prizes, and then points start back at zero. In order for your patrol to gain the most honor patrol points, having high attendance at meetings, campouts, and other events (in uniform) will be key. If all patrol members are present, 30 points per person are awarded, 50 if in uniform.

The role of the patrol scribe will also carry much more weight. The scribe will be responsible for ensuring that patrol earns all of the honor patrol points it is entitled to. He must submit reports to

the Troop Scribe regarding attendance at Patrol Meetings for the patrol to gain full points (20 points per each member)

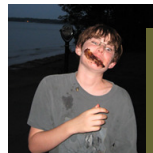
Advancement is the second most effective method for racking up a lot of points. If you submit an advancement card with 2 newly passed requirements, you earn 5 Honor Patrol points. Advancing a rank will earn you from 15-100 points, depending on rank. This system can work well for many Scouts, since there is obviously a great deal of advancing that can be done! (see bottom of this page).

Points can also be won for any well deserved effort or achievement that leadership deems worthy.

May the best patrol win! **2T2**

Current Totals:

Rockets.....0
 Crusaders.....0



Send your stories to the 22 Times...or else we'll run out of material soon



Yesss...

Saying Goodbye to Daniel and James

In the midst of talking about the future and new direction we hope the troop is headed, we find it necessary to take a look back and offer a retrospective of our two departing fellow Scouts, leaders, and friends: James "ohyoudontknow" Porter and Daniel "killyalater" Carlson. Both were very active and committed members of Troop 22.

Daniel began his career as a member of the Thunderdragon Patrol, and then the FIC/Vikings. Later he became Patrol Leader of the ATM Patrol for two years, before assuming the role of Senior Patrol

Leader for the 2009 year.

James was first a (very quiet) member of the Thunderdragons, and then moved on to be the Assistant Patrol Leader for the Flaming Icecubes/Vikings for two years (when he was 'broken'), and later the Patrol Leader of the same group. After that, he went on to become Troop Quartermaster, then ASPL, and then Interim SPL for a few months after Daniel.

So here's to all the good times, we'll miss you both.



James and

Daniel photographed together at Splash Lagoon January 2009

CONTACT US:

Joe, SPL, Editor-in-chief

Jack, Scribe, Editor-in-chief

Zaq, QM, Public Relations

Jake, ASPL, In-house curmudgeon

Updated Rank track for Troop 22 Scouts

None:
 Cameron
 Will
 Jan
 Adam
 Mark
Scout:
 Raphael
 Xavier
 Jami
 Eugene
 Ben
 Kirk

Tenderfoot:
 James
 Matt
 PJ

Second Class:
 Cooper

First Class:
 Max
 Andrew
 Jack

Star:
 Joe
 Jake
 Zaq

Life/Eagle:
 None

This data is according to the Troop 22 Census Data Feb. 2010. If there are any inaccuracies, please let us know. If you're unhappy with your rank, ADVANCE! We're here to help.