



1. **Welcome back – pick up Aerie with notes from the Leaders’ Dinner.**
2. **EAGLE PROJECTS- A REMINDER...** You may put together an Eagle project plan anytime after your Life BOR, BUT you cannot begin working on it, until the Eagle Project write-up has been approved and signed by Mr. Dave Burdette, Eagle Chrm., Mr. Bill McCarley, Scoutmaster, and Mr. Pete Tsaprazis, Adult TLC Chairman. Mr. Burdette and Mr. McCarley will help get it approved, signed by a member of the Sunset Advancement Committee – then you may begin work on your project.
3. **EAGLE IN November** - We have at least six Eagle Awards for November. **COMPLETED PAPERWORK DUE EARLY SEPTEMBER! BORS WILL BE SCHEDULED SOON.**
4. **MERIT BADGES – IF YOU HAVE PARTIAL MERIT BADGES, YOU NEED TO FINISH THEM UP ASAP!** If you have Summer Camp partials, make your plans to finish them before you forget you have them.
5. **IMPORTANT NOTIFICATIONS** – Special troop announcements will be published on the website and emailed to all adults. If you are not getting messages, get your e-mail into the mix! Contact Mr. McCarley at [bullet70@juno.com](mailto:bullet70@juno.com) and add your address.
6. **MERRIMAN HOLLOW SERVICE:** Other dates for 2018 – Next date is 9/22. CONSERVATION SERVICE opportunity!

**NOTES from Leaders’:**

- Davis and Cunningham will be joining the First-Year program.
- Jill King will take over the website.
- Pete Tsaprazis will collect Dues, reregistration, campout permission slips and money.
- Ron Blaisdell will temporarily update the records. If your son needs anything from the records, HE NEEDS TO CHECK WITH RON OR SAM – IT’S Scout’s responsibility to know what he has!
- Summer Camp went very well with cooking at our site and we’ll do it again next year. Tim Minor will be Scoutmaster and Taylor, Roaden, Dobar, Thornton and DeMarco will coordinate planning.
- Northern Tier went well thanks to DeMarco and Nielsen.
- Garage is a big mess! Doug McDougall and Craig Jones will coordinate clean up and repairs. They will also help pack trailers along with McCarley II. Anyone who brings ‘stuff’ back from campouts MUST CHECK IT IN AND PUT IT AWAY. If you are looking for something to do while your Scout is at a meeting, help is always needed to keep the garage in shape!
- Girls in Scouting topic came up and we will have an Adult Meeting within the next couple of months to discuss.
- Brad Vande Kieft will be putting the MB calendar together and we’ll publish it. If you want to teach ANY MB, you must submit new paperwork and take training if you aren’t already trained and have YPT.

Future plans for the next couple of years

- Turkey Bowl 2018 and Auntie Em’s 2019 are on the docket.
- April trip 2019 will be thru Ohio to Armstrong Museum, Ohio Caverns, Johnny Appleseed Museum and the Air Force Museum at Wright Patterson AFB. Mr. Kandt needs a co-leader.
- Sea Base 2019 didn’t fly. We have set in motion a Canadian HA to Georgian Bay area, thru the Soo, Tahquamenon Falls and back down thru MI – 10-day trip Taylor & McCarley II
- HA 2020 – Philmont is #1 choice, Sea Base #2 & Bechtel #3
- 2019 Spring Trip will be to the Muskegon area for 3 days 2/15 thru 2/18. Jill King is putting it together. Laura Roaden has offered to help plan. If you have ideas, contact her or McCarley II.
- Beer Boxes are available for packing gear for campouts and trips. If you want any, see McCarley II and we’ll get them for your Scout to paint and stencil his name on them.
- April trip 2020 will be down to Indy 500 and Blue Springs Cavern again.

**GROANER:** *The mushroom knew he was a comedian because the other mushrooms called him a FUN-GI :-{*



CALENDAR HIGHLIGHTS	
9/7-9	Pinery Campout at Camp Attawandaron
9/10	TLC MEETING 7PM Regular Meeting at 7:30PM