

Redhawk District



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Fall Roundup

Fall Round-up materials were distributed at the August Roundtable. Units received in depth presentation on the "My Best Friend is a Scout" recruitment campaign. By now all packs should have scheduled their boy talks and join us nights with the schools in there are. Please remember to turn in your flier request form to the Council Service Center or District Executive no later than 10 days prior to your boy talks. If you are in need of additional round-up materials please contact your District Executive Ellen Watkins.

Roundtable

Roundtables are held the first Thursday of each month at 7:00pm at the First Christian Church in Casey. All units should attend as this is your opportunity to receive important information concerning upcoming district and council events, learn new skills, and interact with other leaders just like yourself. These meetings are not just for Scoutmaster and Cubmasters, they are open to any leader, committee member, or parents in your unit who wants to help improve your program.

Popcorn

Our 2009 popcorn sale is well underway with 26 units selling! Please remember that all popcorn and prize orders will be due by noon on October 26th. Chris Miller will be contacting all unit popcorn kernels to confirm delivery location and if your unit will be participating in the prize program. This year Redhawk units will have the option to pick up their product at Bolin Enterprises, Inc. in Casey or in Effingham. For additional popcorn fliers or information, please contact Chris Miller at 217-549-5271 or Ellen Watkins.

2009 District Cubmobile Race

On Saturday, August 1st, Redhawk District hosted their 5th annual Cubmobile Race. This year's race was once again held in downtown Charleston. A total of 37 Cub Scouts from 4 packs came out for a morning of fun racing their pack's Cubmobile cars. Congratulations to this year's winners and to all of the Cub Scouts who participated. Redhawk District would like to extend our thanks to the City of Charleston for allowing us to block off 8th Street for the races. Special thanks also needs extended to Harrelson Plumbing, Heating and Air Conditioning for their donation of a porta-potty for the event.

Kyle Daubs Earns James M. Stewart Good

Redhawk District is proud to announce that Eagle Scout Kyle Daubs of Troop 57 in Mattoon has earned the James M. Stewart Good Citizenship award. Daubs received a 4" full color embroidered patch and bronze medal featuring Brigadier General James Stewart. This award has been established by the James M. Stewart Museum Foundation with the consent and cooperation of the Boy Scouts of America, Penn's Woods Council and the family of James M. Stewart.

The purpose of this award is to introduce Boy Scouts to the life of a great American. Jimmy Stewart was born in Indiana, PA and grew up with a background in Scouting. He remained involved with Scouting throughout his adult life. It is hoped that the values of the Boy Scouts that were shared by Jimmy Stewart will become ingrained in each recipient of the award. The Jimmy Stewart Museum is offering this award to a Boy Scout or Scouter who has exemplified the characteristics necessary to live the life of a good citizen. To earn the award, Scouts are required to complete the Jimmy Stewart Museum Quiz, write an essay of not less than 500 words, and do a good citizenship project in their community in honor of James M. Stewart. Additional information on this award can be found at <http://www.jimmy.org/scoutaward>.



Redhawk District Calendar

October

1 - Roundtable - 7:00pm
3 - Bobcat Bootcamp @ RFSR
15 - District Commissioner &
Committee Meetings
16-18 - Spookoree @ RFSR

17 - Cub Leader Training @ RFSR
23 - Popcorn Sale Ends
23-25 - Camp Inferno @ RFSR
24 - Boy Scout Leader Specific Trng.
26 - Popcorn & Prize Orders Due