



# **Troop 32**

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### **Another Court of Honor** **By Erik Carver**

Our Troop has been really busy since our last court of honor. We have been earning a lot of ranks and merit badges. In this newsletter you will read about personal stories and a comic.

At tonight's Court of Honor, you will see scouts receiving merit badges and getting rank advancement. Also, you will see the slideshow of our past events. Refreshments and cookies will be at the end and remember adults go first. So without further ado, sit back and watch our Court of Honor.

# Emergency Preparedness Drill

## By Erik Carver

At the drill we had scouts with moulage injuries. The scouts, who were going for the E. P. merit badge had to treat the injured. The drill went well and afterwards we talked about how we treated the victims and they told us if they were injury was for something else. All scouts were prepared and brought the right materials for the drill. Most of them got the merit badge. This outing taught us about being prepared for natural causes.



# Pinnacles

## By Erik Carver

At Pinnacles we had twenty-three scouts attend the outing. After we got there and set up camp we took a 9.2 mile hike to the caves and back. Then the next day we split into two groups and one group took the 10.4 mile hike from camp with full packs to prepare for Death Valley. Also we went to the far caves and they were really cool and awesome. Then on the last day we packed up everything and drove the cars to another spot and reviewed our map and compass skills. This outing helped us out with preparing for Death Valley.



# Fishing At Chateau St. Jean

## By Erik Carver

At the fishing outing we a magnificent time catching a variety of fish such as catfish, bass, and bluegill. The first catch of the day by Jaron a new scout who caught a really big catfish. Jaron said "It was so big it was from my eyes to the tip of my toes." Scott caught the only bass, while others were catching bluegill. All of us had a fun time fishing. More of the scouts should go, because it was a great outing!



# Turkey Bowl

## By Erik Carver

At the Turkey Bowl we had a lot of scouts show up that we had a younger and older scouts game. We had good catches and throws by Ethan, Tyler, Ty, Dominic, Erik, and Chris. We had an exhibition game during half time and for lunch we had soda, hotdogs, and chips. The exhibition game was a bike polo with Mr. Hill, Bryant, Chris, Drew, and Connor. We had two MVPs one for each game. The MVPs are Tyler and Ethan they both had good catches, sportsmanship, and helping encouraging others. If you did not go you should next time and enjoy the fun.



# Death Valley Training Hikes

By Erik Carver

We did two hikes at Sugar Loaf Ridge State Park. First was the Planet Walk attended by 14 scouts. The second was to Gunsight with 4 adult leaders and 3 scouts. This past weekend we hiked at Annadel State Park with 7 scouts and 2 adult leaders.

