



**Mark Your Calendar**

**Annual Planning Meeting**

- August 19 at 7 PM.
- Location: RR Depot.
- Parents please attend.

**Disaster Victims**

- August 21 at 7 PM.
- Location: NE entrance of the Hospital.
- Wear swim suit under sweats—you will get wet.

**Kiwanis Brat Feed**

- Sept 7 before the football game.
- Proceeds to help retire "Old Dusty"
- Volunteers needed to set up and clean up.

**Fall Camporee**

- Sept 14—16.
- Troop 128 is the sponsoring unit.
- Location: Fisher Grove
- We need everyone who can help on this one.



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**Fall Conclave**

- August 17—19

**Section Conclave**

- September 7—9

**Lodge News:**

www.siouxbsa.org/  
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**Chapter News:**

www.orgsites.com/sd/  
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# CAMP WILDERNESS

The troop was a little small this summer as it left for a week at Camp Wilderness in the Minnesota woods. The camp, north of Park Rapids, MN is nestled on the shore of Bad Axe lake. Only four scouts went for camp. Cole, Cory, Jacob and Judd occupied Rotary Hill campsite with Chris as Acting Scout Master.

While the pontoon fishing outings were probably most remembered, the real highlights were the accomplishments toward promotion. Cory and Judd both completed enough merit badges to qual-



Judd lead the chapel service Thursday evening.



Jacob and Cory negotiate the giant's ladder during the C.O.P.E.

ify for promotion. Cole completed the Trail Blazer program and a couple merit badges. Cole is also up for promotion.

For those up to some excitement, Corey and Jacob took the C.O.P.E. course. The Challenging Outdoor Personal Experience course involved

team building, problem solving and challenging their personal limits. The highlight of the week was high C.O.P.E. where the scouts get to test themselves against various obstacles located well off the ground. The high C.O.P.E course ends with the slide for life.

## ANNUAL PLANNING MEETING

Everyone should attend the annual planning meeting at 7 PM Sunday August 19th at the Train Depot. During this time the troop will plan for the coming year of scouting and make decisions about which events and camps the troop will attend.

Parents should plan to at-

tend since the scouts will also review the summer activities and be recognized for their accomplishments during the past few months.

Pictures from summer camp will be available as well as information about coming events.

Everyone is encouraged to bring their best ideas.

Individual advancement forms will be available for each scout.

Fund raising will also be on the agenda.



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## Cub Corner

*Pack 128 is still looking for Scouts to serve as a Den Chiefs. If you are interested check in with the Pack Leader, Pastor Tim Fugman, 472-1590.*

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## TROOP SPONSORS FALL CAMPOREE AND OPEN HOUSE

Fall camporee will be at Fishers Grove September 14-16. That's the good news and the bad news. Troop 128 has the shortest distance to travel to the camporee but we also get to sponsor the event.

The troop will need every hand we can find to make this a success. Fliers for the camporee have been distributed to North Star District troops and are available on the troop web site.

The events that will need supervisions and assistance include:

- Rope bridge
- Rope climb
- Canoeing
- American Heritage (School House)
- Archery
- Bar-B-Q supper



- Flag retirement ceremony
- Golf Tournament
- Fire Starting
- Rural Fire Truck
- Open Air Movie
- Historic Trail
- Compass Course
- Dead Reckoning Orienteering
- Knife Throw
- Tomahawk Throw
- Camp Implements
- Leather Work

Most of the work will be Saturday, September 15th but some items will require preparation. The major construction task is the

rope bridge. When we did it two years ago it took most of an afternoon with the whole troop.

Since September 14 is homecoming for RHS we hope to have all the preparation done by the weekend before since homecoming will occupy most of the scouts.

The Troop is also inviting the public for an open house and Bar-B-Q supper Saturday afternoon and evening. The intent is to show the community scouting in action and raise some money for the trailer at the same time.

An open house is also a recruiting event so we will be inviting boys 11-17 interested in scouting to come take a look at what we do.