

Hello Scouts, Scouters, and Parents,

Our next Troop Meeting is Tomorrow (Monday, July 15) 7:00 - 8:30 pm at Faith Community Church on Highway 66 between Hover and Francis. [Click here for a map.](#) Class B uniforms. Please come to the North side of the church. Looks like we will have clear weather again. BRING BUG SPRAY!!! with your name on it.

Meeting This Week:

Please arrive BEFORE 7:00 pm. We would like to start our flag ceremony right at 7 so we have plenty of time for the meeting.

We will be practicing our lashing tomorrow. Afterwards we will have A-frame Races.

Also, we will be trying out a new game at game time called 9-Square. It's like 4 Square, but with 9 squares, a volleyball and played in the air!

Also, please bring your scout book so we can sign off of items that you may have completed this summer.

Class B uniforms. For the rest of the summer you may wear your **Class B uniform t-shirt**. We have some available to purchase at meetings (\$10.00 each). (Please always wear Class A uniform if you need a Scoutmaster conference or a Board of Review or meeting with counselors as an Eagle Scout candidate.)

Our Rank Advancement person is Martin Sullivan. He is going to bring his One Wheel for the scouts to try out. In order to ride the One Wheel each scout must wear a HELMET, GLOVES and CLOSED TOED SHOES. If they have Elbow, Knee and Eye protection, bring that too. Here is a video that shows what a One Wheel is:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XNqOU4jx62I&authuser=0>

Summer Camp Merit Badge results are in. Please check TroopWebHost (TWH) to review your records. For incomplete Merit Badges, scouts will receive a Blue Card starting tomorrow night. All Completed Merit Badges will just be recorded in TWH.

Agenda for this Monday:

6:45 **Dragon** Patrol Flags. We will be doing an outside flag ceremony.

7:00 Flags

7:10 Announcements.

7:15 Lashing practice. Break into patrols.

8:00 Game Time-9 Square

8:25 Closing

Upcoming Troop Activities:

July 21-27 Northern Tier High Adventure Camp. Minnesota [Mr. Bollacker will sit in for me.]

August 3 Glendon M. Eagle Project at Old Mill Park 9am-1pm. Lunch provided.

Please sign up in TWH as Glendon needs to fill out his teams.

August 9 Friday night Star Party at Little Thompson Observatory in Berthoud.
Finish or start your Astronomy Merit Badge and look through the two large telescopes.
Aug 16-18 Campout. Mark your calendars. Great Sand Dune National Monument
Family Campout!! This is a Family Favorite!
Aug 26 Fall Court of Honor
Sept 13-15 Mtn. Bike campout. Curt Gowdy State Park, Wyoming.

General Announcements:

PayPal is Now Available to make Troop 66 Account Payments! *From Troop 66 Treasurer Scott Francis:* Cash and check are still welcome.. If you have a Paypal account and transfer money from a bank account, you can transfer money to the scout account for no fee. If you use a credit card, you will be charged a fee of \$0.30 plus 2.9% of the value of the transaction. This fee is from Paypal, not the troop. After you submit money via Paypal, I will get an email notification and can send you this notification as a receipt. After I receive the notification, I will credit the scout account in Troop Web Host. This may not happen for several days after the transfer of money. The account is set up as Boy Scout Troop Sixty Six, but you may need to use my email address to find the account: 07consultingcolo@gmail.com
Troop Web Host: Our Troop Advancement and Accounting Software. We subscribe to a web-based Troop management software that helps our Troop Leaders, parents and Scouts access and manage our advancement records, financials and communications. Please log in and update your information, especially your email address, and check out all of the features. If you need to receive login credentials, please email Mr. Foss at foss@airmail.net. Please make sure you are using and up-to-speed on this web based management software so we can streamline the activity management and workload on our adult leaders.

Fundraising Activities:

Troop Calendar:

For current status of all upcoming meetings and troop activities, please reference our Troop Calendar on our Troop Website: <https://bsa66.weebly..com/calendar..html>

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Yours in Scouting,

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