Hello Scouts, Scouters, and Parents,

It is our end of summer Dessert Court of Honor

Special Announcements:

We will be discussing our summer camp plans for the summer of 2020. We will have registration forms available.

We are also taking our Annual Troop Photo. All adult leaders and scouts please come in your Class A uniforms. No bright colors on pants or shorts please.

Meeting This Week:

Agenda for our Meeting this Monday:

6:40 All Scouts Set up set up tables and chairs Patrol Flags.

7:00 Flags

Announcements

Dessert.

Rank Advancement

Merit Badges

Summer Camp Discussion

Popcorn announcement

Photo

Closing

Upcoming Troop Activities:

Monday, September 2 NO Meeting (Happy Labor Day)

September 13-15 Mountain Biking Campout at Curt Gowdy State Park, Wyoming. We will have alternate activities for those who do not want to mountain bike. Many of the cooking merit badge requirements will be completed this weekend.

October 12-13 Campout at St Vrain State Park. Hiking, Backpacking, Canoeing and Working on Cooking Merit Badge Requirements.

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:

King Soopers Loyalty Card fundraiser is ongoing..... Please keep scanning your Sooper card when you buy groceries and gas. We earn 5% of these purchases if you link your Sooper Card to our troop. As a reminder, and to share with your friends and family, this is how you link your card to Troop 66:

- Go to this link: http://www.kingsoopers.com/communityrewards
- Sign in to your existing King Soopers loyalty account (if you've never set one up before you'll need to create one. We can help you do this at a Troop 66 meeting. Just bring in your King Sooper Card)
- In the upper left corner, there is a drop down menu titled "Save" then select "King Soopers Community Rewards" from the Save drop down menu
- Click on the words "Enroll Now" in the middle of the page
- In the "Find an Organization" field search for "Boy Scout Troop 66 –Longmont, Colorado" or Organization "XR517" (which is our organization's code in the system)
- Click on the **Enroll button** within the box for our organization
- You will get confirmation that you successfully enrolled in the Community Rewards Program.
 That's it!
- Sign out of your account. (Troop 66 does NOT have access to this account or any personal information).
- Questions? Contact: Scott Francis, Troop 66 Treasurer, (720) 936-1128 or 07consultingcolo@gmail.com

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/

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Yours in Scouting,

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