

# MT. WHITNEY DISTRICT

## CALENDAR

### July 2007

05 Venturing Roundtable  
12 District Committee Mtg.  
12 Cub Scout Roundtable  
23-27 Day Camp

### August 2007

02 Venturing Roundtable  
09 District Committee Mtg.  
09 Ice Cream Social  
13 OA Chapter Meeting  
14 District Planning Mtg.

### September 2007

06 Venturing Roundtable  
08 Sanger City Recruitment  
10 OA Chapter Meeting  
11 Reedley City Recruitment  
13 District Committee Mtg.  
13 Cub & Boy Scout R/T  
13 Youth Protection Training  
18 Dinuba City Recruitment

## KEY 3 MESSAGE

By Joe Morgan, District Chair

**Change.** As it is with nature, so is it with life. We are coming into the "heat" of the summer season, and this is the time of year that Scouts really get into what we do best! We had a pretty calm winter, and the *typical* short spring. Now we are into the glorious summer that brings us to camp and all of the outdoor activities that we all enjoy so much! You gotta LOVE it!

**Change.** As the seasons have changed, so has our District and our Council with many wonderful individuals changing positions. For all of the years of duty, we would like to *thank you* and share with you how *grateful* we are that you performed your important position for so long with so much duty and passion! For those in new positions, we are very happy that you have stepped up to the plate to work for the betterment of Scouts in our area. It is a great service that you are doing, it is a difficult and sometimes thankless job. And in the final evaluation, when you someday look back at what you have done, the bottom line will be **Duty to God, Duty to country.**

## CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP

By Martha Helman, Vice Chair-Program & Day Camp Director  
Day Camp will be July 23-27, 3:30 to 8:30 PM, Kingsburg Gun Club. There will be BB Guns, Archery, Fishing, Leather Works, Crafts, Sports, Pinewood Derby races and lots of other fun. For more info contact me at [marthascout295@msn.com](mailto:marthascout295@msn.com) or call 891-9452.

## CAMPOREE

It was the BEST Camporee!!  
**Thank You Casey Jones,**  
**District Camping Chair**

## CONGRATULATIONS TROOP 282 EAGLE SCOUTS

Adam Jacinto, Brandt Laemmlen, Robert Perez  
& James Reyes

## WELCOME

Marty Carpenter, Cubmaster,  
Pack 322, Sanger  
Cheyenne Elizaldi, Cubmaster,  
Pack 356, Woodlake

## POPCORN

Autumn is approaching and with it comes the smell of Boy Scout popcorn. This year there is a wide variety of choices, from tins to microwave popcorn. Selling popcorn is an excellent opportunity for the scouts and your unit to earn money to pay for all the wonderful scouting activities and program you provide. Contact Anthony Escobar for more information at 786-6794.

## ORDER OF THE ARROW

By Daniel Ridgway, Chapter Chief

Congratulations to our new Arrowmen who attended Spring Ordeal. Join us at our chapter meetings, the second Monday of each month at Troop 395's Scout House, Pioneer Village, Selma. For more information contact me at [vicridg@yahoo.com](mailto:vicridg@yahoo.com)

## VENTURING OFFICERS ASSOCIATION

By Carson Billings, President, VOA

Some exciting things are happening to Venturing scouting in the Sequoia Council. Sea Scout Ship Sequoia has joined with the Fresno Yacht Club and Fresno State University to form a boating club that will be based at Fresno State. The club will keep the structure of a Sea Scout Ship and Venturing but will be open to anyone age 14 to 20. All types of boating will be supported with a special emphasis on sailing. I would like to invite everyone in the Sequoia Council who is interested in boating to join us. I would like to invite all the Venture Crews to the VOA, every First Thursday, to find out what is going on with Venturing in the Council. If you would like more information or are interested in the boating club you can contact me at [clb@mountainvalleygrowers.com](mailto:clb@mountainvalleygrowers.com) or at (559) 451-6460.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

**May 23 Al & Yuki Stuart**  
51<sup>st</sup> Wedding Anniversary

**June 21 Casey Jones**  
District Camping Chair

**June 26 Andy Dotson**  
ASM, Troop 288

**June 27 David Engstrom**  
2006 Silver Beaver

**July 08 Heather Billings**  
Founder, Ship 4180

**July 14 Beth Cacace**  
District Popcorn Chair

**July 21 Sheldon Feigel**  
District FOS Chair

**Aug 07 Sonya Morgan**  
Pack 367

**Aug 12 Yukie Stuart**  
Youth Protection Chair

**Aug 25 John Wright**  
2007 Silver Beaver

**Sept 05 Cheryl Nash**  
2007 Silver Beaver

**Sept 12 Lena Escobar**  
Anthony's Mom