

SCOUTREACH

NEW SCOUTREACH UNITS

The City of Dinuba Parks and Community Services has approved the start of two new Scoutreach Units at Roosevelt Elementary and Wilson Elementary schools effective April 8th. After School Coordinator Vikki Halstead and District Executive Curtis Alexander will be coordinating the enrollment process. Ms. Halstead says that they are excited about what the Scoutreach Program has to offer their after school program youth. We would like to extend a warm welcome to Roosevelt and Wilson Elementary schools. We look forward to providing a fun and quality program.

SPRING RECRUITMENT

The Scoutreach Team is gearing up for a mega Spring Recruitment campaign. Permission has been granted by our 18 school sites to address the after school program youth who are not yet enrolled in our Scoutreach program. Incentives will be offered to those youth who return a properly completed enrollment application. This is a new recruitment approach that the Scoutreach Team feels will produce better results.

FRIENDS OF SCOUTING

The Scoutreach Team has set a target date of June 30th for reaching its \$45,000 Friends of Scouting goal.

We are presently working on renewing ten \$2,500 sponsorships from 2007 and acquiring six or more new \$2,500 sponsorships this year.

FAMILY SPRING FLING

Curtis Alexander and Scoutreach Program Leaders Maria Cid, Marisol Blanco, Paulina Murillo, and Cesar Murillo participated in the City of Dinuba Parks and Community Services Annual Family Spring Fling on Saturday, March 15th. There was FREE fun for over 1,500 youth and 500 adults. Games of Chance, Face Painting, Spin Art, Basketball Throw, Baseball Throw, Bounce House, Egg Hunt, and Tricycle Races were enjoyed by all. The Scoutreach Team established relationships with community leaders of Dinuba's Lions Club, Rotary Club, Kiwanis Club, Chamber of Commerce, Police Department, and Fire Department.