

# MOUNT WHITNEY DISTRICT

## CALENDAR

Ongoing – Resident Camp

### July

04-Holiday

07-11-Day Camp

### August

07-Roundtable

07-Unit Commish Mtg.

21-Dist. Comm Mtg.

### September

01-Holiday

11-Roundtable

11-Unit Commish Mtg.

18-Dist. Comm. Mtg.

## THE WORDS OF LORD BADEN-POWELL OF GILWELL

G.C.M.G., G.C.V.O., K.C.B., LL.D., D.C.L.

“Your natural inclination is to preach and to warn other travelers of snags in the path, but isn't it better to signal to them some of the joys by the way which they might otherwise miss? The great thing that strikes you on looking back is how quickly you have come-how very brief is the span of life on this earth. The warning that one would give, therefore, is that it is well not to fritter it away on things that don't count in the end; nor on the other hand is it good to take life too seriously as some seem to do. Make it a happy life while you have it. That is where success is possible to every man.”

## DISTRICT DINNER

### DISTRICT AWARD OF MERIT RECIPIENTS

Congratulations to District Award of Merit recipients Daryl Stout of Kingsburg & Paul Khasigian of Fowler, Scoutmaster's Key Award to Rick Zeitke of Dinuba, Scoutmaster of the Year to Todd Jacinto of Reedley, and Cubmaster of the Year Connie Khasigian of Fowler! Thank you to Nancy Rodrigues of Selma for putting together such a great event!

## CUB DAY CAMP

Day Camp is available for all registered Cub Scout members! Ours was held July 7-11, 3:30-8:30 p.m. at First Free Will Baptist Church in Selma.

## FALL ROUNDUP & RACE TO CUB SCOUTING CAMPAIGN

Many hands make light work! Please help out our membership team by relaying any information you may have on Back to School Nights. We want to be a part of every one of them! Please pass on any information about those types of events to Bob Sabroe at the council office at 559-320-2100.

## POPCORN SALES PROMOTION

Your unit can earn A WHOLE LOT OF \$\$\$ by participating in the fall popcorn sale. Your boys can also apply the skills learned in popcorn to a number of belt loop or merit badge requirements. Great prizes too for the boys!! To find out more, please come to the August Roundtable!

## COMMUNITY VISIBILITY

Several of our Scouting members have assisted in presenting our message to a number of community groups, such as Lions, Rotary, & Kiwanis. We have found that many former Boy Scouts are now members of those groups. It goes to show that the commitment to serving others stays within, even after leaving the program. Please let Bob Sabroe know if you know of a group that would like to hear about us.

## TRAINING

The 2008-2009 training schedule will be published in the new Calendar of Events. Additional trainings are offered in other districts as well and are open to all.

## UNIT HIGHLIGHTS

Thank you to all who held a spring membership drive! They went great!

## SPECIAL EVENTS OR RECOGNITION

Mt. Whitney would like to welcome Erika Medina aboard as our Cub Scout Roundtable Commissioner! Please meet her at our next Roundtable, August 7, 7 p.m. at the LDS church in Reedley.