

# Troop 849 Newsletter



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**January 2016**

## **Luke Pastore's Eagle Project**

**Contributer:** Luke Pastore

Luke Pastore's Eagle Project is scheduled for weekend Feb. 20 (9-5), Feb. 21 (10-4) and Feb. 21 (10-4). We will be building a containment wall with the US Forest Service on the San Gabrellino Trail near Valley Forge Campground, off Highway 2 at Redbox trailhead. Two sign posts will also be installed. Weather permitted. Wear work clothing, hat, and gloves and bring lunch. Snacks and water will be provided. Families are invited to camp the weekend. Signups and carpool lists will be at Tuesday Scout meetings. Contact Luke Pastore for more information and to sign up.

## **Santa Monica Mountains Day Hike**

**Contributer:** Erik Lilligren

On January 10<sup>th</sup> 2016 we will have a day hike in the Santa Monica Mountains. We will meet at the Scout House at 7:30 on Sunday Morning. This hike will qualify as one of the 6 required hikes for the Hiking Merit Badge. Sign up at Tuesday's meeting or contract Erik Lilligren via ScoutBook.

## **2016 Summer Camp**

**Contributer:** Erik Lilligren

This summer Troop 849 will go back to Camp Chawanakee on July 24 to July 30. This is a fun time to earn 4-5 merit badges. Everybody who goes has a great time. Start thinking about attending summer camp, sign ups start soon.

## **2016 Calendar**

**Contributer:** Erik Lilligren

This year's Calendar has many fun and interesting items such as the Edwards Air Force Base Trip, Luke Pastore's Eagle Project, the annual Rocket Campout, the rifle/Bow and arrow shooting/tomahawks, the Camporee, Joshua tree rock climbing trip, and Deep Sea fishing, along with three long terms and many training hikes.

## Henninger Flats

**Contributer:** James Istock

Henninger Flats was on the weekend of December 13. We hiked up the mountain and camped at the Northern campgrounds. We all had a fun and enjoyed the views. Then in the morning we worked with the ranger and worked on making a new campsite. Then we hiked down the hill. And I think we all enjoyed the hike.

## Philmont Scout Ranch

**Contributer:** Erik Lilligren

Contact = Mr. Reeley

Philmont Scout Ranch is a scout facility in which Troop 849 will on a 12 day backpacking trip. Every day along the way you do different activities such as black powder musket shooting, archery and peak hikes. There are still open spots so if you are available between July 5 and July 19 I would highly recommend it. We will be going there by train and coming back by plane or train. For more information about Philmont Scout Ranch visit [philmontscoutranch.org](http://philmontscoutranch.org).

## Henninger Flats 2016



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Date	Event	Leader
4	Committee Meeting	Furth
5	Troop Meeting	SPL
7	Neighbor to Neighbor	Tauber
10	Santa Monica Day Hike	Erik Lilligren
12	Troop Meeting	SPL
19	Troop Mtg – Trip Prep	SPL
23-24	Edwards Air Force Base	Strizzi
26	Greenbar Meeting	SPL
26	Troop Meeting	SPL

## Feburary 2016

Date	Event	Leader
2	Troop Meeting	SPL
4	Neighbor to Neighbor	Tauber
9	Troop Meeting	SPL
16	Troop Meeting	SPL
19-21	Luke Pastore's Eagle Project	Luke Pastore
23	Greenbar Meeting	SPL
23	Troop Meeting	SPL
29	Committee Meeting	Furth

## Neighbor to Neighbor

**Contact:** Mr. Tauber

**Date:** January 7, 2016

**Location:** South Bay Community Church of the Brethren  
**Time:** 6:00 pm-7:00 pm

It is true that volunteering has a positive and meaningful impact on our community but you already know that it has many personal benefits for us too. Recently, many of you had participated in the event, thank you. It is what I am looking for, so let's keep the good service work up. I encourage you to continue with your service, it is of a great help. For those of you who haven't had the opportunity to participate in this service event, this is your time to, and I would like to see your attendance.

I repeat, this is a great opportunity to give some of your time and effort, and enjoy a unique chance to learn and grow stronger.

On the practical side, all Scouts in full Class A uniform, and registered adults who participate will **earn two community service hours**.

Upon arrival, please park behind the church (one street north of 190th on Armour Lane) in the back parking lot and 2come in through the back gate.

**Just the time of the month for our troop's monthly service event!**

## FUTURE NEWSLETTERS CONTRIBUTIONS

**Contributor:** Erik Lilligren

We would love to have you your contributions to next month's newsletter. If you would like to have your contribution considered please contact me at [tim@lilligrencpa.com](mailto:tim@lilligrencpa.com) or upcoming troop meetings. I want to finalize the January Newsletter by Feburary2 so please have all contributions to me January 29. Also, pictures that are submitted need to be as a JPEG attachment, not embedded, and not from third party programs.