# **Troop 849 Newsletter**



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### **Medical forms**

Cathy Karnes is now accepting medical forms for scouts/adults participating in any activity other than troop meetings. Please see her email to the troop or contact her at <u>karnes.family@verizon.net</u> for details.

## Eagle Court of Honor

Contributor: Joanne Hadley

There will be a Troop 849 Eagle Court of Honor on Sunday, June 8th from 1:30 to 3:30 PM at O'Donnell Hall at American Martyrs. The new Eagles being honored are Matt Lyons, Justin Pastore and Matt Wenner.

All scouts, leaders, family and friends are invited to attend this inspirational ceremony. Scouts please arrive early in Class A uniform. Refreshments will be served.

Congratulations to Matt, Justin, and Matt! And many thanks to our scout leaders and everyone who helped these three fine young men achieve this highest rank in Boy Scouts!

### New Easy Hike

Contributor: Mr. Vahey

A new Easy hike has been added to the calendar to be led by Dr. Rose to Valley Forge, leaving Saturday June 28, and returning Sunday June 29. This excellent local mountain overnight hike is perfect for those new to backpacking, or those who just want to get out in the mountains and camp along a stream. This will be a great opportunity to do advancement for tenderfoot, second class, and first class. Sign up at the scouthouse.

## ARRL field day Contributor: Mr. Vahey

The W6HA amateur radio club will be in Wilderness Park, Redondo Beach June 28 for the annual ARRL field day. Come see multiple radio stations including one with a portable 55 foot radio tower. Learn more about radio. Get on the air and use the radio to talk to people across the country. The best time to arrive will be between 1PM and 4PM. No reservations are required, just show up. Will fulfill some of the radio merit badge requirements.

Calendar		
date	Event	Coordinator
3	Troop Meeting	
5	Neighbor to Neighbor	Mr. Tauber
7	National Trails Day	Forest
		Service
8	Eagle Court of Honor	
10	Troop Meeting	
14-	TBD Hike	Mr. Vahey/
15		Mr. Tuck-
		Sherman
14-	Little Jimmy	Mr. Reeley
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14-	Trail Fork Springs	Mr.
15		Rolandelli
17	Troop Meeting	
20-	National Youth Leadership	Mr. Bernard
22	Training Course	
24	Troop Meeting/Greenbar	
27-	National Youth Leadership	Mr. Bernard
29	Training Course	
27-	Amateur Radio Field Day	Mr. Vahey
29		· · · · · ·
27-	Mt San Antonio award LT	Mr. Reeley
29	prep hike	
30	Troop Committee	
	Meeting	

## Neighbor to Neighbor

Contact:	Mr. Tauber	
Date:	June 5, 2014	
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 come in through the back gate. Just the time of the month for our troop's monthly service event!