



T52 NEWS



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Congratulations to our Troop 52 Stinger Award Winners!

Pictured are: Presenter John Sarantakes for Bee Cave District, Pete Chalfant, Jim Schulenberg, Tray Bates, John Doggett, Bryan Russell, and Karma Ezell. The Stinger Award is given to Scouters in the Bee Cave District to recognize Scouters who render outstanding contributions to their Unit. Thank you for all you do for our troop!

Troop Meeting – March 28, 2022 – 7:00 pm Emmaus

--We still need an adult grubmaster for Camporee!--

We will continue to prepare for Camporee by practicing scout skills. This is a very important meeting for new scouts to learn knots for advancement as part of Trail to First Class. Please sign up and pay in the troop store on the troop web site and remember to RSVP on Scoutbook.



Congratulations to Andrew Segner on his Eagle Project! The benches were built on Saturday, March 26, 2022. They will be allowed to dry out, stained, and delivered to the West Oaks Independent Living Community in Lampasas. Scouts, remember to get your service hours signed off for rank advancement, NHS, NJHS, or Cavs in Service.



Bee Cave District Camporee – April 1-3, 2022 – Camp Tahuaya, Temple, Texas

--We still need an adult grubmaster for Camporee! Please email Mr. Loredo and Mr. Ezell--

Get ready for the first Camporee since 2019! We will be competing as a troop against all other troops in the Bee Cave District. The cost is \$20. Please register on the troop web site to pay and then mark yourself as going in Scoutbook. There will be Order of the Arrow call-outs for new members from the troop elections held last week. Make sure you attend Camporee to be called out to join OA.

Here are some items from the PLC:

- We will teach basic scout skills to new scouts – any skill from Scout to First Class is fair game at Camporee
- Teach scout oath, law, standing at attention, etc. basic items.
- Request OA Elections on 3/21 as first choice, 3/28 as backup
- Srijan will be SPL at Camporee
- Troops will cook own meals, not recommended by Camporee staff to patrol cook due to limited time

Camporee Program:

Compete by patrol - 6-8 scouts each

Friday - arrive, opening campfire, movie night

Saturday - opening flag ceremony - Class A - cadence singing while marching

- Morning - stations for competition - shelter building, first aid, knots, lashings, fire starting

Lunch

- Afternoon - Midway stations - tomahawks, tug-o-war, team building games

Dinner - scoutmaster cobbler cookoff

Skits by patrol – submit for approval to camporee staff

OA Tapout ceremony

OA Brotherhood opportunity

Campsite inspections Sunday for competition



Gear Swap – Sunday, March 27, 2022, 2:00 pm – Emmaus Parking Lot at Trailers

Quartermasters and patrol leaders will guide the scouts in making sure the troop gear is in good condition and ready for another season of camping. **All Quartermasters, ASPLs, and Patrol Leaders are required to attend as part of their POR duties.** This should take approximately two hours. Please bring a water bottle.

Calendar Feed URL

Want to add this calendar to your Google calendar or other calendaring program?

Copy and Paste this calendar url to your favorite calendar program that supports the iCal (.ics) format.

Troop 52 B iCal URL:

<https://scoutbook.scouting.org/ics/56498.66CD7.ics>

How do I add the troop calendar to sync to my Google calendar or iPhone?

Many of us find the calendar function extremely useful in keeping track of all our troop activities. Log in to Scoutbook and visit the troop calendar page by going to Dashboard -> Troop 52 -> Upcoming Events. Once there, under the calendar grid, click “subscribe” next to Troop 52 and follow the directions on your screen to paste it into your calendar. Here is a link:
<https://scoutbook.scouting.org/mobile/dashboard/calendar/>

My Calendar						
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Fishing Campout at Tom Wood Ranch	PLC	Committee Meeting Evening with Astronaut & Eagle Scout		Order of the Arrow - Bee Cave Chapter		SERVICE OPPORTUNITY: Bee Cave
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Spring Break					
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
	Troop Meeting			CANCELLED CIS MB Zoom Class #5 Bee Cave District Awards Banquet		Andrew Sagners Eagle Project
27	28	29	30	31	1	2
Gear Swap	Troop Meeting			CIS MB Zoom Class #5 - Final Class	Camporee	Council Eagle Recognition Ceremony Council Eagle Recognition Ceremony
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Camporee	PLC	Committee Meeting		Order of the Arrow - Bee Cave Chapter		

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- Troop 52 B Blue Violets Patrol Subscribe
- Troop 52 B Eagle Patrol Subscribe
- Troop 52 B Panthers Patrol Subscribe
- Troop 52 B Red Cobras Patrol Subscribe
- Troop 52 B Shark Patrol Subscribe



Trail to First Class Activities – Starting April 9, 2022 – 9:00-11:00 am

Troop 52 scouts,

Each month Mr. Schulenberg will be hosting Trail to First Class workshops at Lakeway City Park. Beginning on April 9, these workshops will take place on the second Saturday of every month from 9-11 AM at the upper pavilion. We will focus on rank advancement skills and knowledge from Scout through First Class. All scouts are welcome to join in, to listen, learn, and participate. For the older scouts, this is an opportunity to earn rank advancement by helping to lead these sessions by demonstration the EDGE method.

During these 2 hour sessions we will work together through each of the requirements in Scout, Tenderfoot, Second Class, and First Class, including some of the more challenging activities such as first aid, knots, fire building, nature hikes, and the physical fitness requirements. Our goal is to have fun and learn from each other.

Please see the Troop Calendar for workshop details.

Dates to remember:

- April 9, 2022 - 9-11 Lakeway City Park, upper pavilion
- May 14, 2022 Lakeway City Park, upper pavilion
- June – summer camp
- July TBD
- August 13 Lakeway City Park, upper pavilion

September 10 Lakeway City Park, upper pavilion
 October 8 Lakeway City Park, upper pavilion
 November 10 Lakeway City Park, upper pavilion
 December 14 Lakeway City Park, upper pavilion



Sea Base – Spring Break 2023 – March 10-18, 2023

Good news! We were able to secure a spot for Sea Exploring on a tall ship for Sea Base in March 10-18, 2023. **Registration is now open in the store section of the troop web site.** The first payment of \$150 per person secures your spot. Spots will fill up fast, so please register quickly. The minimum age for this trip is 13 years old. This will require extra travel expenses for flights to and from Miami.



If your scout is attending summer camp this June and wants to participate in Whitewater Rafting then please head over to the Troop 52 store to sign up! The cost would be an additional \$100 per attendee with everything included (wetsuit, booties, life jacket, etc.).

The deadline for paying for Whitewater Rafting will be April 10th. After that we will be finalizing the roster and won't be able to add any more rafters. Adults and scouts who attend would be the same \$100 amount to raft. Proof of passing the scout swimming qualification must be completed prior to rafting.



Sign up for Summer Camp 2022 – San Isabel Scout Ranch – Beulah, Colorado (June 18th - 26th)

Summer camp 2022 is at San Isabel Scout Ranch in the heart of the San Isabel National Forest just outside of Pueblo, Colorado.

Second payment of \$250 is due by March 1st.

It's not too late to sign up - If you are interested in going, please pay \$500 per person by March 1st (comprised of 1st and 2nd installments).

Final payment of \$150 (scouts) or \$70 (adults) is due by April 1st.

We are also planning on White Water rafting – if you are interested that will cost an additional \$100 per person.

Please go to the Troop 52 Scout Store to make your payments: <https://troop52lakeway.us/store>

SICs for summer camp - Ken Semph & Vamsee Konda

For leader guide, camp map and other details please visit - <https://pathwaytotherockies.org/sanisabel/forms-resources/>

Camp Location:

<https://www.google.com/maps/place/San+Isabel+Scout+Ranch/@38.003256,-105.0429923,17z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m5!3m4!1s0x871474dfbcac772f:0xf4b351c97cf8f504!8m2!3d38.003256!4d-105.0408036>

New scouts – one of the best things you can do is to go to summer camp. You will have a lot of fun while learning some crucial scout skills. Transitioning to middle school is made so much easier by spending a week at camp.



Philmont 2023 Announcement

Great news for Troop 52!

We applied for - and received - 2 treks for Philmont in June of 2023. We will be leaving Austin on 6/24/23 and returning on 7/8/23.

We have room for 16 Scouts and 8 Adults to join in this adventure (many of these slots have been spoken for) so please sign up via Scout Book and secure your spot with a deposit by January 15, 2022.

Scouts will need to be 14 years old by 6/25/23 (or have completed 8th grade).

The 12-Day Reservation fee is \$1,500.00/person with payment schedule as follows:

- Deposit of \$160.00/person due 1/15/2022
- Advance of \$670.00/person due 9/1/2022
- Balance of \$670.00/person due 2/1/2023



Summit Bechtel Reserve High Adventure – July 6-12, 2022

We still have a few slots for high adventure at the Summit Bechtel Reserve in West Virginia this summer. Please see Mr. Ezell for information.

Summit Bechtel Reserve High Adventure – June 13-21, 2023

We have at least one spot available (we may be able to add more) for high adventure at the Summit Bechtel Reserve in West Virginia the summer of 2023. Please contact Josi Bogdon at 512.971.8141 or easonj@sbcglobal.net for more information.

Please use the albums below to enjoy and share photos from our wonderful Troop 52 Events!

Camporee (upcoming)

<https://photos.app.goo.gl/zynxaZuAuVrjsZ1z8>

Andrew Segner's Eagle Project

<https://photos.app.goo.gl/Q533GCigUArJ89M8A>

Bee Cave District Awards Banquet

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Fishing/Pioneering Campout

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Crossover

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Crossover Bridge Build

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Welding Merit Badge Class

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First Aid Campout

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Court of Honor

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Potluck Dinner

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Troop Blog

If you need to check for announcements on the troop web site, we do have a blog that gets updated by Tray Bates. You can access it here: <https://troop52lakeway.us/blog>



Happy Birthday to these scouts celebrating in March!

March

6 Nirujen Manoharan

6 Sarujen Manoharan

6 Leo Walters

14 Xander Palermo

14 Owen Riener

16 Aditya Rao

23 Erik Schneider

26 Aaroosh Kolli

Remember!

