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BAZAAR Oct. 11



This authentic Log Cabin design patchwork quilt will be awarded to some lucky person at the United Methodist Women's Rural Americana Bazaar on October 11, 1978. The queen-size quilt contains 32 different calico prints and is hand quilted.

A hand knit afghan and crocheted stole are the second and third prizes, respectively. Raffle tickets are now available at \$1.00 each from U.M.W. members.

Library Meeting Aug 24

A resolution of intent to improve the existing library property was unanimously passed by the Sugar Grove Township Library Board at its August 1st meeting. The vote on the resolution is the first of a number of steps required before the actual construction of a new library building.

A special meeting has been called for Thursday, August 24 at 7:30 P.M. in the library for the purpose of determining the financing for the proposed library. The

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BOY SCOUTS

Our paper drive will be held October 25. If you have a truck or station wagon and can help drive, please contact Douglas Bates at 892-1098 and let him know.

The paper drive money helps buy troop equipment, merit badges and pays for our troop registration fees at our district activities and hikes.

On October 10, 11 and 12, the Devils Cave Fall Camporee was held at Camp Ke-De-Ka. Attending adults were Don Pfeffer, Jack Doherty, Neil Morton, Bob Bates, Alan Baum, Oliver "Doc" Sweet and Joe Hoehn. Attending Scouts were Doug Bates, Greg Richards, Charles Roberts, Donny Forys, Cliff Hinstead, David Mattice, Jeff Hess, George Edman, Kenny Gilliam, Brad Scott, Gary Baum, Bill Ogle, and Eddie McGee.

The theme of the Camporee was "Pioneering-Bicentennial weekend in somewhat the same way as our forefathers did 200 years ago. We spent Saturday morning erecting various camp gadgets considered useful for camp life.

Saturday afternoon our patrols took part in contests based on the Pioneering Theme, such as: camping, hiking, and first aid.

Saturday supper was cooked without utensils. It included main entree, vegetable, dessert, beverage and biscuits. Try cooking biscuits without utensils. We couldn't use foil because it is considered a utensil.

The Scouts that took part in this camporee received the first of a series of four special bicentennial patches. The other three patches will be awarded at the "Klondike Derby", First Aid Rally and the Spring Camporee.

"Thanks" to Stanley Richards for taking and bringing back our equipment from the Camporee. Also "Thanks" to Mrs. Charles McGee, Miss Mary Theurer and Mr. Jordon Hess for helping in driving the Scouts to the Camporee.

At the Court of Honor, a total of 51 merit badges were awarded. Some of the Scouts have really been working hard for higher ranks. Advancing into higher ranks were:



BOY SCOUTS

October 18 we went on a 20 mile hike in Princeton, Ill. This was "The Red Covered Bridge Trail". Adults attending were: Neil Morton, Jack Doherty, Allan Baum and Bob Bates. Scouts attending: Doug Bates, Greg Richards, Jeff Hess, Scott Lane, Jim Theurer, Ken Gilliam, Brad Scott, Bill Ogle, Donny Forys, Charles Theurer, Ed McGee, Bill Yoder, Gary Baum, George Edman and Greg Baum.

We want to thank all the people for saving papers for our paper drive. We got over 20 tons of paper.

A special "thanks" to Mrs. Carlene Bates, Mrs. Carol Hess, Mrs. Shirley Hoehn and Mrs. Joan Perrin for helping in the kitchen at our paper drive.

Also "thanks" to the many people and Scouts for bringing food, driving trucks and letting us use their trucks.

We are trying to get a schedule worked out, so that we can take paper at the barn again. Watch the bulletin board at the Post Office for the schedule. We are no longer taking glass.

On October 28 the Scouts went to Kaneland High School to help in the "Bicentennial Flag Presentation".

Mr. Harvey Hoyt's merit badge class in "Citizenship In The World" had two guest speakers: Mr. Ed O'Connell showed us slides of Argentina and answered questions. He was a student there for 2 months.

Kaneland A.F.S. student, Sylvie Basteau gave a talk and answered questions about her country, France.

Thanks to Mrs. Carlene Bates and Mrs. Joan Perrin for serving refreshments at our Court of Honor.

Our cabin campout will be at Camp Ke-De-Ka December 19-20-21. This will be our last camp out for Devils Cave District. As of Jan. 1, 1976 we will merge with another district. Let's have a good turn out for this last camp out.

Troop 41 extends a warm welcome to Scott Lyle and David Anderson, our two new Boy

BOY SCOUTS--TROOP 41

Greg Richards will be presented his Eagle Rank at a special Court of Honor on December 10th at Camp Ke-De-Ka.

Other Scouts will be presented their awards and advancements at this time.

Charles Roberts of Jonesboro, Tenn., a former Scout of Troop 41, has passed all of his Eagle requirements.

So far Sugar Grove has 3 Scouts to advance to Eagle this year. We are hoping for 4 this year.

We are still in need of adult help in our troop. Let us know if you can help and we will put you on our Committee at no charge. Also, at the Camporees, you will get free eats prepared by the Scouts.

We are still hoping for a truck to haul our paper. So if you can hang on for a while longer, it will be greatly appreciated.

Our First Aid Rally was held December 2nd at Camp Ke-De-Ka.

The Fox Patrol with David Mitcheltree, Tom Rogers and Denny Nickels got a first place ribbon.

Also, the Hawk Patrol with Joe Wolf, Richard Keck and Dan Woulfe got a first place ribbon.

Our Annual Cabin Campout will be held at Camp Ke-De-Ka on December 15, 16 & 17. We need adult help, so come out for all or part of the week-end. If you need cooking kits, the troop will loan you one.

We have 3 cabins rented and they all have a fireplace and a new stove. All you need is some Scouts to cut the firewood.

If you need information about the Campout - feel free to contact Bob Bates at 892-1098 and he will help you get the supplies you need.

Troop 41 wishes everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, and a big thanks for your support and help during the past year.

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KLONDIKE DERBY



Scouts Joe Wolf and Steve Nelson with their Klondike Derby sled.

Sugar Grove Scout Troop 41 participated in the Annual Klondike Derby at Camp KeDeKa on Saturday, February 11, 1978. Each Patrol visited fifteen towns or stations, via sled, and were graded on various areas of the Scout Handbook.

The adult leadership was comprised of Bob Bates, Neil Morton, Joe Hoehn, Jack Doherty and Ron Pearsall.

The patrols included Jeff Hess, John Kling, Rick Peters, David Mitcheltree, Tom Rodgers, Skip Freitag, Steve Nelson, Mark Dixon, Doug Bates, Joe Wolf, Mark Stratmann, Kirk Pearsall and Donny Forys.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL PAPER DRIVE HAS A TENTATIVE SCHEDULE FOR APRIL 8th.

"HELP" The Troop Committee needs at least two (2) fathers for CB6 - July 2 to July 8. CB6 is at Birnamwood, Wisconsin.

March 7th is the date of the troop swim at the Holiday Inn in North Aurora.

The annual Scout Expo will be held at the Kane County Fairgrounds on April 15th.

May 6th is the Spring Camporee. Accommodations will be announced at a later date.

Joe Wolf and Mark Stratmann are currently working on their God and Country Awards.

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Congratulations Jack!



Jack L. Huggins was given the Silver Beaver Award at the Two Rivers Scout Council Recognition Banquet held in Batavia recently.

The Silver Beaver Award, the highest honor granted by a Scout Council, is awarded with the approval of the National Court of Honor in recognition of long and exceptional service to youth, church and community.

Jack has served as the Camp Ranger at Camp Kedeka for 20 years. The award said

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BOY SCOUTS TROOP 41

Our Court of Honor was held March 28 at the Community House. We had several parents attending but would like to see all the parents there the next time.

We would like to thank Albert and Winona Mitcheltree and family for furnishing and serving the refreshments for our Court of Honor.

Our paper drive was April 8 and we'd like to thank all the people that helped us that day. A very special thanks to the drivers.

Thank also to all the people that saved their papers for us. We're sorry if we missed you that day and would appreciate it if you will give us a call. We will try to make arrangements to have the paper picked up for you.

Thanks to the following women for helping prepare and serve lunch for the paper drive. They are: Mrs. Joan Robert, Mrs. Shirley Hinstead, Mrs. Carlene Bates, Mrs. Vera McGee, Mrs. Sharon Sweeney, Mrs. Barbara Wolf, Mrs. Barbara Forsys, Mrs. Carol Hess, Mrs. Sharon Nickels, Mrs. Judy Freitag, Mrs. Pat Rogers and Miss Laura Mitcheltree.

Also thanks to Rev. Carlisle for letting us use the church kitchen to serve this lunch.

Our Scout Expo was held April 15 at the Kane County Fairgrounds. Our booth's theme was "leather care". Thanks to the boys who helped in the booth.

Money or unsold tickets for Expo are due NOW. Please return the money or tickets to Mr. Bates as soon as possible.

There was a very small turn out for our Spring Camporee - only 7 boys. Thanks to leaders Mr. Bob Bates, Mr. Joe Hoehn and Mr. Albert Mitcheltree for their help with the Camporee.

C.B.G. summer camp is coming up real soon and we need help. We need some Dads to go to camp and help out, during the first week of July. We also need transportation for the boys to the camp and back. If we don't get some help, the boys may not get to go to camp this year. So let us have some volunteers.

Boys don't forget to get those physical forms filled out.

The Troop would like to welcome Dan Wolf as the newest member of Troop 41.

BOY SCOUT NEWS

We had a good turn out for our week at summer camp in Wisconsin. Three adults and sixteen Scouts attended camp. Adults attending were: Bob Bates, Jack Doherty, and Dave Docherty. Scouts attending were: Doug Bates, Greg Richards, Dale Perrin, Charles Roberts, Ricky Peters, Cliff Hinstead, Jim Theurer, Charles Theurer, Eddie McGee, Chris Carter, Ken Gilliam, Tom Millard, Tom Day, Brad Scott, Brad Tutt, and Terry Tutt.

Doug Bates, Greg Richards and Charles Roberts were tapped out for Order of the Arrow.

Greg Richards won the medal for the best rifle shot at camp that week. Doug Bates tied with another Scout in archery. They won half of a watermelon each.

Charles Roberts and Doug Bates went on a Wilderness Indian Survival Expedition. Get them to tell you how to eat plants and to cook without pots and pans.

The boys completed 26 merit badges and 9 partial ones.

Lately the Scouts have been hiking a lot. In April with adult leaders, Neil Morton, J. Doherty, and Joe Hoehn, they hiked 13 miles on "The Red Caboose Trail." The old "Aurora-Elgin Railroad Trail." In May with Neil Morton and Bob Bates they hiked 17 miles on the Illinois and Michigan Canal. In June with Neil Morton and Jack Doherty they hiked 10 miles on the "Cantigny-McCormick trail at Winfield, Ill. Dave Docherty and Bob Bates helped with the transportation.

Last but not least, with Neil Morton, Jack Doherty and Don Pfeffer, some of the troop went on a bike hike of 25 miles to Lone Grove Forest Preserve. That Neil Morton sure does a lot of hiking!

Our next hike is planned for September 6 at Bradford, Ill. It will also be a campout. We need parents for driving as it is about 90 miles one way. Contact us if you can help drive.

Fall Camporee will be in October. The exact date will be announced later.

Next Court of Honor will be September 23, 7:00 p.m. at the Community House. Parents, brothers and sisters are welcome.

There is no market for paper and we can't collect papers until further notice. We hope to be able to sell some in September. Save your papers if you can.

Boy Scouts participated in Corn Boil July 26th with a "Moon Walk".

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We also need trucks, drivers and fathers to help handle the papers.



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The Fall Camporee will be held at Camp KeDeKa October 3, 4 and 5. A great program is planned for the Scouts, so let's have a big turnout.

On September 5 and 6 adult leaders Neil Morton and Bob Bates with Scouts Doug Bates, Greg Richards, Charles Roberts, Ken Gilliam, Donny Forsys, Jeff Hess, Ricky Peters, Bill Ogle and Charles Theurer went on an overnite camp-out and hike.

The Scouts also hiked the 16 mile "Amquonsippi Trail" at Bradford, Ill. On this hike each Scout earned one medal and three patches.

"Thanks" to Joe Hoehn for getting the food for this hike. Also a big "Thank You" to Mr. & Mrs. Donald Roberts for driving. It wouldn't have been possible to go on this hike without their help.

This was the fourth hike planned and led by Neil Morton. Some of the Scouts have been on all four hikes and have earned 4 medals and 7 patches. "Thanks", Mr. Morton.

Left out last month were the people who drove to C. B. G. Thanks to drivers: Norma Carter, Jerry Perrin, Stanley Richards, Ralph Scott, Dave Docherty, Carl Millard, Kenneth Gilliam and Bob Holle.

Where are the Webelos that graduated into Boy Scouts? Lost? You will find us every Tuesday at 7 o'clock in the Community House. Come on in and join a hiking and camping troop.