



Troop 210 Newsletter

December 2025 Edition



December Troop Activities

Dec. 5/6 - Troop 210 is participating with the Spencer Township Neighborhood Association to help hand out Christmas presents to needy kids on Saturday, December 6, from 9 am to noon. At least (10) Scouts and adults are needed. Set up is from 3 to 8 pm on Friday. Help is needed there as well. Note that this project would count as service hours for any rank up to Life Scout. See the Troop meeting flyer for more info.

Dec. 12-14 - The Troop is conducting a Camp Alaska shakedown camp out in Adirondacks #3 at Camp Miakonda the weekend of Dec. 12-14. Adirondacks are 3-sided shelters arranged around a firepit for heat. Bring your own Saturday breakfast, lunch, and dinner meals. Cost is \$15 per Scout. See the flyer for more detail.

Dec. 19 - On Friday, December 19, the Troop is going bowling with Pack 236 at *Timbers Lanes* from 6-8 pm. Cost is \$12 for 2 games and shoes. See the activity flyer for more info.

Dec. 26 - A *Funagin's* fun night is set for 6-10 pm on *Friday, December 26*. Cost is \$16.00 per person for unlimited laser tag and skating. Note that *no pizza or pop is included this year*, so bring extra money for food or snacks. Also note that Webelos from Packs 144 and 236 have been invited to join us. Meet directly at *Funagin's* at 5:45 pm. See the flyer for more details.

Troop Meeting on December 16

The Troop will meet elsewhere in the church on Tuesday, December 16 - the Cub Scouts have their Pack meeting scheduled for that night in the FLC.

Re-Registration Fees Due

The re-registration fee for the next Scout year is \$105, due by the December 16 Troop meeting. Money from a Scout's unit account may be used to pay the fee. *Scout Life* costs approximately \$15.00 more.

- Annual registration fees may be paid electronically via Cheddarup.
 - Use <https://troop210-holland-annual-fee.cheddarup.com> for renewals

Camp Alaska Training continues Thru January 14

Camp Alaska is set for the weekend of January 16-18 at Camp Pioneer. Training started on November 25. Scouts that want to participate in Camp Alaska *must* undergo 4 weeks of cold weather training at Troop meetings. First time participants must bring their gear in to have it inspected at the January 6 or January 13 Troop meetings.

The Troop has reserved the Handicrafts building. Scouts that do not wish to participate in the 24 hour outdoor Camp Alaska challenge may stay in the cabin both nights. Alternate activities will be set up for non-Camp Alaska participants. More information is available in a separate flyer.

Pop Corn Fund-Raiser Update

All popcorn sales sheets should have been turned in. *Take order* popcorn orders were available for pickup as of November 25. Any outstanding monies are due to Mrs. Rapino ASAP. If you have any questions, call Mrs. Rapino at (419) 705-2551.

Troop Mulch Sale Fundraiser

Last year's mulch sale was another great success!! The 2026 mulch sale will be officially kicked off at the January 20 *Court of Honor*. Flyers with information and order forms will be available that night. Each Scout is asked to sell 50-100 bags. Troop proceeds from the sale will be used to reduce the cost of Summer Camp or high adventure treks for our Scouts. Each Scout can also earn money for his unit account by helping with delivery.

2-MONTH CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Date	Time	Event	Place
Dec. 2	6:45 - 8:30 pm	Troop Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Dec. 5/6	3-8 pm & 9 am-noon	Christmas Service Project	Spencer Township Center
Dec. 9	6:45 - 8:15 pm	Troop Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Dec. 10	7:15 - 8:30 pm	Troop Committee Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Dec. 12-14	6 pm Fri.-9 am Sun.	Camp Alaska Shakedown	Camp Miakonda
Dec. 16	6:45 - 8:15 pm	Troop Meeting – other side of church	Providence Lutheran
Dec. 19	6 – 8 pm	Bowling Fun Night	The Timbers Lanes
Dec. 26	5:45 – 10:00 pm	Laser Tag, Skating, Pizza	Funagin's
Jan. 6	6:45 - 8:30 pm	Troop Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Jan. 9/10	6 pm Fri – 8 am Sat.	Lock In/Trampolining	Providence & Skyzone
Jan. 13	6:45 - 8:30 pm	Troop Meeting – other side of church	Providence Lutheran
Jan. 14	7:15 - 8:30 pm	Troop Committee Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Jan. 16-18	4:30 pm-11 am Sun	Camp Alaska	PSR
Jan. 20	5 – 6:30 pm	Spaghetti Dinner Fundraiser	Providence Lutheran
	6:45 - 8:30 pm	Court of Honor	Providence Lutheran
Jan. 27	6:45 - 8:30 pm	Troop Meeting	Providence Lutheran

General Notes:

- Troop Committee meetings are held at the church at 7:00 pm the 2nd Wednesday of each month. Exceptions (**) will be noted in the calendar. Parents of Scouts are always welcome to attend.
- Scouts: Call your Patrol Leader or Senior Patrol Leader if you have any questions.
- Adults: Contact the Troop 210 Scoutmaster - Mr. Jackson - @ (567) 408-6393

Check the Troop 210 website for more info @ bsatroop210.us

