



Troop 210 Newsletter

September 2026 Edition

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Welcome Back!!

We hope everyone is eager to start another fun year of Scouting!! The Patrol Leaders' Council (PLC) met on Tuesday, August 11 to plan out the Troop calendar for this Scout year. Many Troop activities are popular repeats from last year, but some new ones have been added, such as the Troop is going to the Dorchester, Can., Jamboree in May! A 2026/2027 Troop Activities Calendar is available as a flyer at Troop meetings and on the Troop electronic sites. Other important notes for this year:

- The next **Court of Honor** (COH) is scheduled for Tuesday, September 29. Advancements earned thru the summer will be presented at that time. The COH will be a dessert potluck, with the Troop providing drinks & table service. Each family is asked to bring a dessert to share for up to (8) people.
- Other scheduled COH dates for this Scout year are: January 19, March 30, and June 8.
- **Boards of Review** for rank advancements for the September COH can be scheduled up to and including the Sept. 22 Troop meeting.
- Troop meetings must move to the other side of the church at least once per month: Cub Scout Pack 210 conducts their monthly Pack meeting in the Family Life Center on the following Tuesdays: Sept. 15; Oct. 20; Nov. 17, Dec. 15, and Jan. 12. The first Tuesday in November (elections) is another night that we must meet on the other side.

September 11-13 Troop Activity – Campout @ Adams Conservation Club

The PLC decided to camp along the Adams Conservation Club lake in September instead of the usual Oak Openings group site. Rifle shooting, fishing, and kayaking activities will be offered. Meet directly at the Adams Club lake (gate #4 on the east side of King Rd.) on Friday, Sept. 11, at 6 pm. Families are invited out for dinner and camp fire entertainment by the Scouts on Saturday night. Cost is \$25 per Scout. There is no charge for families coming out just for the Saturday evening festivities. Pack 210 Webelos & AOL Scouts have been invited out for dinner and the campfire. A flyer with more details is available.

Medical Forms

Every year, Scouts *and* adult leaders must turn in an updated BSA medical form. They are good for one year from the date of the check-up. Any time your son visits the doctor during the year, consider having a new medical form with Parts A thru C filled out and turn it in to the Troop so we can update our files as we go. It is also a good idea to keep a copy for your own files. A medical form turned in now will cover medical form requirements for your son for Dorchester, summer camp, or a high adventure trek next year.

October 2-4 District Camporee

This year's Swan Creek District Fall Camporee will be at the Operating Engineers Training Facility in Cygnet, Ohio. Scouts will have the opportunity to operate a back hoe and front end loader, plus make some hands-on electrical, plumbing, sheet metal, and carpentry projects. A flyer with additional info will be available in the next several weeks. Cost is \$25.00 per Scout and includes all food, the Camporee fee, and a patch.

Camping will be in tents, so pack your gear accordingly. Meet at Providence Lutheran Friday night, October 2 at 5:30 pm. Class A's must be worn the entire weekend. Bring your Troop class B shirts in case we are asked to perform a service project.

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Popcorn Fund-Raiser - Starts Sept. 11 & Ends October 27

Each Scout will soon receive an e-mail detailing the upcoming Popcorn sale. Order forms & envelopes will be available by the Sept. 8 Troop meeting.

The total cost for Scouts to participate in all the activities the Troop has planned for the 2026/2027 year (excluding high adventure outings or uniform costs) is about \$800. If a Scout sells \$2,500 of popcorn, the 30% profit made will generate enough money to pay for a Scout's entire year of Troop activities.

As with all Troop fundraisers, participation is voluntary. Sales profits are put into a Scout's Troop unit account and can be used to pay for any Scouting-related gear, uniforms, or activities.

2-MONTH CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Date	Time	Event	Place
Aug. 25	6:45 - 8:15 pm	1 st Troop Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Sept. 1	6:45 - 8:15 pm	Troop Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Sept. 8	6:45 - 8:15 pm	Troop Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Sept. 9	7 - 8:30 pm	Troop Committee Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Sept. 11-13	6 pm Fri.-9 am Sun.	September Campout	Adams Conservation Club Lake
Sept. 11	<i>Take Order</i> popcorn sale starts, ending on October 27		
Sept. 15	6:45 - 8:15 pm	Troop Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Sept. 22	6:45 - 8:15 pm	Troop Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Sept. 29	6:45 - 8:30 pm	<i>Court of Honor & Dessert Potluck</i>	Providence Lutheran
Oct. 2-4	6 pm Fri.- 10 am Sun.	District Camporee	Operating Engineers, Cygnet
Oct. 3	9 am - 5 pm	Pack 210 Outdoors Skills Help	Camp Miakonda Cub Fort
Oct. 6	6:45 - 8:15 pm	Troop Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Oct. 13	6:45 - 8:15 pm	Troop Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Oct. 14	7 - 8:30 pm	Troop Committee Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Oct. 20 or 21	5 - 7 pm	Scouting for Food - Bag Distribution	Providence Lutheran
Oct. 20	6:45 - 8:15 pm	Troop Meeting	Providence Lutheran
Oct. 24	9 am - noon	Scouting for Food - Food Collection	Providence Lutheran
Oct. 27	6:45 - 8:15 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

Also check the Troop 210 website for more info @ bsatroop210.us

