



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA  
Chippewa Falls, WI

## Chippewa Valley Council Troop 13

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Shirt Color: Green

Patrol: Dragon

Activity: SCUBA

March 2008

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### March Activities:

- Saturday, March 1**                      **Merit Badge Clinic—Cameron High School**
- Monday, March 3**                      **Regular Troop 13 Scout Meeting—6:30pm**  
Trinity United Methodist Church  
Crime Prevention Merit Badge  
Communications Merit Badge  
**Committee Meeting**
- Saturday, March 8**                      **Scouters Rendezvous—Bloomer**
- Monday, March 10**                      **Regular Troop 13 Scout Meeting—6:30pm**  
Trinity United Methodist Church  
Pioneering Merit Badge
- Monday, March 17**                      **No Meeting—Easter Break**
- Monday, March 24**                      **Court of Honor**  
**6:00pm Dinner—Award Ceremony to follow**  
*See back for details and what to bring*  
***Please turn in Summer Camp Registration Forms!***
- Monday, March 31**                      **No Meeting—SCUBA on Tuesday**
- Tuesday, April 1**                      **SCUBA / Open Swim—6:30-8:30**  
**Chippewa Falls Middle School**  
*See back for more details*
- Saturday, April 5**                      **Merit Badge Clinic—Chippewa Falls**

#### UPCOMING PLANNED EVENTS (all dates and activities subject to change)

- **Monday, April 14**—Scouting for Food—Bag drop off / Hot Dog Supper
- **Saturday, April 19**—Scouting for Food—Food pick up / Raking / Overnight at Scout Island
- **Monday, April 21**—Highway Cleanup—6 pm
- **Monday, May 5**—Eau Claire Rod and Gun
- **Friday-Sunday, May 16-18**—Spring Camporee
- **Monday, May 19**—Court of Honor—6 pm
- **Sunday, May 25**—Bike Ride Fund Raiser
- **Monday, June 2**—Family Picnic

BOY SCOUT TROOP 13—TRINITY UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

# March Newsletter

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

- David Marten—March 7
- Jeremy Schlaugat—March 22



**PANCAKE BREAKFAST**

Thank you to all who helped with the Pancake Breakfast. We raised over \$400.00.

**COURT OF HONOR—MARCH 24**

**6:00pm Dinner**—awards ceremony to follow

All scouts and their families are invited. Please bring a **large** dish to pass.

- Salads: Dragon
- Desserts: Eagle
- Main Dish: Cobra

Troop 13 will provide beverages, silverware, plates, and napkins.

**Scouts should wear Class A Uniforms.**

**SCUBA /OPEN SWIMMING**

**April 1—6:30-8:30pm**

**Chippewa Falls Middle School Pool**

**You must be at least 12 years old to SCUBA. If you are under 12, you may go swimming.**

Please fill out the enclosed SCUBA release form. **This form does NOT have to be signed by a doctor UNLESS you have one of the conditions listed on the front of the form.** You must also bring a permission form and medical release form (or have one on record).

Please invite friends to SCUBA or swim with us, just make sure we know extra people will be attending.

**SUMMER CAMP**

**July 27-August 2**

**Summer camp planning meeting Monday, July 14.** Please remember to turn your forms in by the due dates, this will help to make registration for camp go smoothly.

If you turn in a health form for Sea Base, you can use it for Summer Camp.

**SCOUTING FOR FOOD**

**Monday, April 14 and Saturday, April 19**

On Monday, April 14, we will hand out bags starting at 5:30pm. Please meet at Trinity Church. After handing out bags, we will return to the church for a hot dog supper.

On Saturday, April 19, we will pick up bags of food and bring them to the food shelf. This day we will meet at Holy Ghost Church. After picking up food, we may have a few yards to rake. By raking, the yard owners make a donation to the Scouts, which can go towards your camping fees.

After raking, we will head to Scout Island for a lunch and, if the weather is good, stay over night.

**SEA BASE UPDATE**

Please remember to get your Sea Base health form turned in by May 5th. I will be sending them for review that week so we can make sure there are no problems when we arrive.

**TROOP 13'S 75<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY**

In March, Troop 13 will be 75 years old. Troop 13 is the oldest Troop in the Chippewa Valley Council. We will be discussing ways to celebrate this special anniversary in upcoming meetings. Please bring any ideas to a leader.

**FRIENDS OF SCOUTING**

Please remember to turn in your Friends of Scouting donations. To count towards our goal, payment must be at the Scout Office by **April 15th**. Thank you for your support of Boy Scouts, the Chippewa Valley Council, and Troop 13.

**MERIT BADGE CLINICS**

Merit Badge Clinics are not only a good way to start and possibly complete a merit badge. It can also be a good place to learn about new subjects. Look over the clinic flyer for badges which look fun and learn a new skill for life.

**QUOTE OF THE MONTH**

**The Thirteenth Point of the Scout Law**

Every Scout knows the Scout Law. But there is an extra point to the Law which is not written but is understood by every Scout. It is this: "A Scout is not a fool".

- Lord Baden-Powell