

TROOP 461

“KNOTSENSE”

News and Activities of Boy Scout Troop 461

Dec. 2006

“News that ties us all together!”

Congratulations to E.J. Knesek Troop 461’s new Senior Patrol Leader and Tommy Forte the new ASPL.

There will be a January (Polar Bear) Campout the night of Saturday January 13th! The Scouts will be leaving the storage site on Saturday at 9:30 A.M. Scouts will be dropped off at home between 10:00 AM and noon on Sunday. This will be tent camping/patrol cooking so be sure to come dressed for the weather. We are planning to have it at Punderson State Park. This park has a sledding hill with tow rope, so bring your sleds, tubes, etc. You may also bring any winter sports equipment you might want to use. Please give us your feedback on the Polar Bear Campout. Permission slips will be available at the meetings or on the troop web site.

Don’t forget to check out the Troop website! Dan Kosareo keeps copies of all Knotsense issues, permission slips for campouts, maps to camping sites, Scout forms, etc. There are also links to useful Scout sites. Be sure to bookmark this site on your computer!

<http://home.att.net/~kosareo/Troop461.htm> or www.bsatroop461.org

This is YOUR newsletter! If you have ideas, comments, information you would like to include, camping supplies for sale, etc. – CONTACT THE “KNOTSENSE!” Email: prmullet@att.net or call: 216-382-2820 or snail mail: 1162 Dorsh Rd., South Euclid, OH 44121 with your news/information.

December Calendar of Events

Sunday, Dec. 3, 7:00pm – Troop Committee Meeting at Highland Heights Community Center.

Thursday, December 7, 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. – Highland Heights Community Center.

Troop will practice the First Aid Event for the Klondike. Game is Dodge-ball or snowball.

**Wednesday, Dec. 13, 7:30pm – District Roundtable at Jewish Community Center
26001 S. Woodland Rd., Beachwood, OH**

**Wednesday, Dec. 13, 7:30pm – Klondike Planning Meeting at St Paul's Episcopal Church
2747 Fairmount Blvd, Cleveland Heights, OH**

Thursday, Dec 14, 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. – Highland Heights Community Center.

Troop will practice the Ravine Crossing Event for the Klondike and Caterpillar Race. Game is Capture the Flag.

Thursday, Dec. 21, 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. – Highland Heights Community Center.

Last meeting before the holiday break! Troop annual board game/card game night! Bring treats to share.

Thursday, Dec. 28, 2006 – Holiday Break – Happy Holidays - No Troop Meeting

**Thursday, Dec. 28, 2006 – WhirlyBall Tournament - Venturing Crew 461 (Scouts Ages 14 & up)
At WhirlyBall, 5055 Richmond Rd. at Miles Rd. Bedford Heights
Registration: 6:30-7:00pm (\$10/ea), Tournament: 7:00-9:00pm**

Friday – Saturday, Dec. 29-30, 2006 – Winter Backpack Hike and Campout – TBD - Venturing Crew 461

Upcoming Events:

Saturday – Sunday, Jan. 13-14, 2007 – Polar Bear Campout -TBD

**Friday - Sunday, Feb. 9-11, 2007 – Klondike Derby Campout, Beaumont Reservation
Event Descriptions - <http://www.glacierridgecc.org/Klondike/Home.htm>**

Friday - Sunday, May 4-6, 2007 – Scouting 360, Cuyahoga County Fairgrounds, Berea

Sunday-Saturday, June 17-23, 2007 – 2007 Summer Camp at Manatoc, Pennisula, OH