

# COMPASS POINT APRIL 2003



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**Boy Scout Troop**

**120**



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Pikes Peak Council, Boy Scouts of America  
Fellowship Bible Church of Colorado Springs



## FAMILY NIGHT & COURT OF HONOR

Welcome to the April 7 Court of Honor and Family Night. These events are held every two months. The next one will be June 16.

## SCOUT ADVANCEMENT



Scout Tenderfoot Second Class First Class Star Life Eagle

## Congratulations to the following Scouts who advanced in rank:

First Class .....	Drew Shaw
Scout .....	Trace Abele
	Nicholas Booker
	Chase Phillips
	Joseph Renck
	Eric Rygiel
	Marc Schneider
	Brian Bane
	Andrew Joynton
	Micah Mikaiwi
	Jacob Newland
	Keath Stewart

- Monday, June 2 – Regular Troop Meeting at FBC from 7-8:30pm
- Monday, June 9 – Regular Troop Meeting at FBC from 7-8:30pm, Patrol Leaders Council from 6-7pm, Board of Review
- Monday, June 16 – Family Night and Court of Honor, 6:30 – 8:30pm

## TROOP COMMITTEE MEETING – APRIL 17

The February troop committee meeting will be at the Witt's house on Thursday, April 17 from 7-9pm.

## NEW SCOUT PARENT MEETING – APRIL 21

Scoutmaster Keith Brown will meet with the parents of new scouts at FBC at 6pm on Monday, April 21. The meeting will be held in the grade 5-6 room at FBC next door to the multi-purpose room. Submarine sandwiches, salad and pop will be provided. Please RSVP to Mr. Brown (635-1469) by April 20. This is a great chance to ask questions and find out more about Troop 120!

## SAND DUNES CAMPOUT – APRIL 25-27

The annual troop camping trip to the Sand Dunes will be led by Mr. Bruce Harrison (599-9503). Sign up now!

## SUMMER CAMP SWIM CHECK – MAY 3

The summer camp swim check (required for summer camp) will be Saturday May 3 from 1-3pm at Cheyenne Mountain High School.

## BARR CAMP CABIN BACKPACK – MAY 17-18

We will backback from the Barr Trail Trailhead to Barr Camp (about 7 miles and spend the night in the cabins). Dinner and breakfast are provided at the cabin. This is a great way to get started backpacking! Sign-up tonight. Steve Witt is coordinating this trip but we need someone to take over and champion this event. Sign up tonight!

## 2003 SUMMER CAMP – JULY 6-13

Troop 120 Summer Camp will be the week of July 6-12, 2003 at Camp Alexander ("Camp A"). Summer Camp is the best way for Scouts to get involved in the troop, achieve rank advancement, earn merit badges, and have a great time! Camp Alexander is an excellent Scout camp! Camp Alexander requires a deposit \$50 per and there is a total cost of \$175. Contact Mr. Rob Beck (264-1799) to sign up.

## GREEN RIVER CANOE TRIP – JULY 18 - 24

Seven days of scenic adventure on the Green River through the deep canyons of Utah! Scouts 13 years and older who have attained First

## UPCOMING EVENTS

### TROOP MEETINGS

- Monday, April 14 – Regular Troop Meeting at FBC from 7-8:30pm, Patrol Leaders Council from 6-7pm, Board of Review
- Monday, April 21 – Regular Troop Meeting at FBC from 7-8:30pm
- Monday, April 28 – Regular Troop Meeting at FBC from 7-8:30pm
- Monday, May – Regular Troop Meeting at FBC from 7-8:30pm
- Monday, May 12 – Regular Troop Meeting at FBC from 7-8:30pm, Patrol Leaders Council from 6-7pm, Board of Review
- Monday, May 19 – No Troop Meeting, Patrol off-site activity
- Monday, May 26 – Regular Troop Meeting at FBC from 7-8:30pm

Class are qualified to go. The cost is approximately \$250. Mr. Bob Schustedt (573-8317) is leading this event.

## EVENTS IN REVIEW

### SNOWBOARDING AND SKIING – FEBRUARY 15

Ten Scouts went snowboarding and skiing at Ski Cooper. Several earned their Snow Sports merit badge. Thanks to Mr. Parris for leading this event!

### SPRING BREAK FAMILY TRIP – MARCH 22-26

Troop 120 Scouts and families went for a week long camping trip to Carlsbad Caverns in New Mexico during Spring break. Everyone had a great time. They visited Carlsbad Caverns, Climebe White. Thanks to the Pucketts for leading this event!

## OTHER INFORMATION

### DONUTS

Troop 120 sells donuts at Fellowship Bible Church on each Sunday. The troop raises money and Scouts can earn money to put towards their accounts. Volunteers are needed - contact Mrs. Lamb.

### UNIFORMS

Scouts are to wear their Class A uniforms (official Boy Scout tan shirt and Boy Scout green pants or shorts) to the Court of Honor and Eagle Ceremonies. Scouts may wear blue jeans or blue jean shorts with their "Class A" tan shirts to regular Troop meetings. If you need a uniform or patches and badges sewn in place, bring them to the troop uniform closet at 8:15 p.m. A nominal \$1 charge per patch will be deducted from your account.

Your troop account will be charged \$10 if a Scout needs a tan shirt or green pants and \$5 for shorts. A new patrol patch is \$1.86. There is no charge for any patches, which are awarded (Tenderfoot, Quality Unit, Patrol Leader). Scouts may retain their rank and leadership patches for a scrapbook or shadow box. Troop T-shirts (\$7) are worn for summer camp, campouts and service projects. Our troop usually travels to and from outings in the tan Class A shirt and blue jeans or blue jean shorts.

All tan shirts in our troop closet will have "120" numerals and a Pikes Peak Council patch. If you need shoulder loops, more numerals or a world crest patch, they are available from our uniform closet or Hibbard Scout Shop on Uintah for a nominal charge. You will receive a "credit" for uniforms turned back to the closet when Scouts need a larger size.

### MERIT BADGE COUNSELORS

We want to offer our Scouts a wide variety of merit badges to choose from - if you have a hobby, job experience, or training in any of the merit badge fields we encourage you to sign up to be a merit badge counselor. Consider donating your time and expertise to help our Scouts by leading a merit badge class. Contact Martha Brown or Phil Puckett.

### E-mail ADDRESSES

Notices for upcoming troop events are sent out on e-mail as well as in flyers at the troop meetings. If you would like to be on the Troop 120 e-mail distribution list give your name and e-mail address to Peter Udall (phone 598-0620, e-mail Peter\_Udall@Navigators.org) or Steve Witt (phone 528-1014, e-mail [steve\\_witt@agilent.com](mailto:steve_witt@agilent.com)).

### TROOP MEETINGS

Troop meetings are at Fellowship Bible Church (5580 N. Nevada Avenue) from 7:00 – 8:30pm every Monday night. During the school year on the third Monday of each month the Scout meeting will be out of the building for a patrol off-site activity or a special event.

## TROOP LEADERSHIP POSITIONS

<b>Position</b>	<b>Scout's Name</b>
<b>Senior Patrol Leader</b>	<b>Tim Brown</b>
Assistant Senior Patrol Leader	Mike Puckett
Troop Guide	Josh Lamb
Instructor	Scott Brown Tim Udall
Dragons Patrol Leader	Lucas Smith
Dragons APL	Danny Witt
Frogs Patrol Leader	Hal Boulter
Frogs APL	Andrew Harrison
Moose Patrol Leader	Sean Parris
Moose APL	Ross Schustedt
Scorpions Patrol Leader	Brian Bane
Scorpions APL	Jacob Newland
Flaming Arrows Patrol Leader	Matt Newland
Flaming Arrows APL	Alex Rygiel
Historian	AJ Abele
Bugler	Travis Mattoon
Librarian	Drew Shaw
Chaplain Aide	Preston Phillips
Scribe	Aaron Thayer
Quartermaster	Ethan Beck

## SCOUTMASTERS

<b>Position</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone No.</b>	<b>Mentor for Patrol</b>
<b>Scoutmaster</b>	<b>Keith Brown</b>	<b>635-1469</b>	<b>Frogs</b>
Asst. Scoutmaster	Jim Agee	599-8406	Moose
Asst. Scoutmaster	Rob Beck	264-1799	Moose
Asst. Scoutmaster	Doug Buchanan	475-8590	Dragons
Asst. Scoutmaster	Tim Gatlin	531-5478	Scorpions
Asst. Scoutmaster	Greg Halliday	593-9690	
Asst. Scoutmaster	Bruce Harrison	599-9503	Frogs
Asst. Scoutmaster	Nick Hulbert	593-8603	
Asst. Scoutmaster	T.J. McGinty	634-0681	Flaming Arrows
Asst. Scoutmaster	Kevin Newland	495-3939	
Asst. Scoutmaster	Bob Schustedt	573-8317	
Asst. Scoutmaster	Tom Shaw	328-9872	Scorpions
Asst. Scoutmaster	Terje Turner	528-5965	Dragons

## TROOP COMMITTEE MEMBERS

<b>Position</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Phone No.</b>
<b>Chairman</b>	<b>Phil Puckett</b>	<b>487-9213</b>
Committee Member	Melissa Blanz	260-1175
Advancement	Martha Brown	635-1469
Donuts / Hospitality	Rachel Lamb	633-8273
Uniforms / Hospitality	June Libby	593-9861
Treasurer	Mike Parris	579-5514
Unit Commissioner	Bob Savage	591-9826
Hospitality	Mary Schustedt	573-8317
Mentor Eagle Candidate	Peter Udall	598-0620
Committee Member	Dennis Wagner	635-4630
FBC Staff Liaison & Charter Organization Representative	Dave Williams	593-2433
Communications	Steve Witt	528-1014