



Boy Scout Troop 461  
Zion Mennonite Church  
Souderton, Pennsylvania

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**CALENDAR OF UPCOMING EVENTS**

- June 1-3 Shooting sports weekend; Community Rod & Gun Club, Bechtelsville, Berks County, PA. Permission forms are required for all Scouts. All families whose sons have not provided this form have been notified. Please check the email notice, and give the signed form to Harold prior to the trip.
- June 4 Troop Meeting - Parent/Scout meeting for Canadian summer camp at 8:00 o'clock p.m.
- June 5 Pre-Camp swim classifications – 7:00 o'clock p.m. at the Souderton Area High School pool. This is for Scouts and adult leaders alike for both Haliburton and Ockanickon summer camps.
- June 7 Pre-Camp swim classifications – 7:00 o'clock p.m. at the Souderton Area High School pool. This is for Scouts and adult leaders alike for both the Haliburton and the Ockanickon summer camps.
- June 9 Equipment check for Canadian summer camp at Haliburton Scout Reserve at Scoutmaster Harold Frederick's residence from 10:00 o'clock a.m. until finished. To check Patrol Kitchen boxes & inventory. To check what gear will be needed from the trailer, and prepare it for unloading at the dock in Haliburton.
- June 11 Troop committee meeting at 7:30 o'clock p.m. in the Zion Mennonite Church library.

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- June 11 Monthly Troop Board of Review, if needed.
- June 11 All forms and fees for the Canadian summer camp at Haliburton Scout Reserve are due at this meeting. **THIS IS THE FINAL DEADLINE FOR THE FORMS AND FEES FOR CANADA.**
- June 11 Troop Meeting - Advancement [Personal Fitness merit badge:
- June 18 Troop Meeting – Advancement. Please write out all questions so as to be better prepared for discussion.
- June 25 Troop Meeting - Advancement.
- July 5 Loading vehicles for Canada – 7:00 o'clock p.m.; all vehicles should come to Harold's that evening prior to 7.00 p.m.
- July 6 Departure for Canadian summer camp at Haliburton – departure scheduled for 6:00 o'clock a.m. from the Zion Mennonite Church, Souderton. Please come early dressed in scout uniform - Class B [wearing the red trip t-shirt]. Each participant should have a packed lunch, and activities desired [with the approval of the driver] for travel time. Also, **REMEMBER** to bring either your passport or original birth certificate, if not already turned in to the Scoutmaster. Group photo to be taken prior to departure.

### **CALENDAR OF FUTURE PLANNED EVENTS**

- July 6—16 Summer Scout Camp, Haliburton Scout Reserve, Canada.
- July 23—August 8 World Jamboree in England.

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August 5-11 Summer Scout Camp, Ockanickon Scout Reservation,  
Bucks County Council.

### ADVANCEMENTS & ACHIEVEMENTS

*Eagle Scout* - Max Schwyter.



*Order of the Arrow*: Ordeal Honour – Joshua Floro, Ben Gehringer, and Andrew van der Kleut. Vigil Honour – Nathan Johnson and Christopher Kulp.



### PARTICIPANTS SIGNED UP FOR 2007 SUMMER CAMPS

#### HALIBURTON SCOUT RESERVE, CANADA

**18 Scouts** – Zachary Brong, Joshua Burke, Peter Detwiler, Joshua Floro, Arthur Forwood, Spenser Forwood, Adam Gambone, Ben Gehringer, Jordan Hay, Michael Hay, Andrew Isban, Nathan Johnson, Nathan Lanan, Nick Manton, Anthony Rivellini, Justin Seelaus, Darian Serfass, Nick Shurtz. **10 Adults** – Andrew Cowles, Richard Detwiler, Scott Forwood, Harold Frederick, Ernest Gambone, Joseph Hay, Kenneth Hutchinson, Michael Landis, Joseph Manton, Erik Shurtz.

#### OCKANICKON SCOUT RESERVATION, BUCKS COUNTY, PA

**6 Scouts** – Troy Radcliff, Andrew Rhoads, Jonathan Rhoads, Darian Serfass, Andrew van der Kleut, Sean van der Kleut. **2 Adults** – George Senderling, Fred Crouthamel.

## **SHOOTING SPORTS WEEKEND – BECHTELSVILLE**

Departure for the shooting sports weekend is at 7:30 p.m. on Friday night, June 1, 2007, from Scoutmaster Harold Frederick's home. Return will be Sunday about noon. The weekend fee is \$25.00 per person, plus \$20.00 for any Scout wishing to shoot for Shotgun Shooting merit badge. The weekend schedule includes rifle shooting in the morning and shotgun shooting in the afternoon. Everyone is welcome to participate in both types of shooting. For rifle shooting merit badge, a Scout must shoot five groups of three shots that can be covered by a quarter and then obtain a certain score on five (5) additional targets. For shotgun shooting merit badge, a Scout must hit 24 of 50 clay targets – 48%.

Larger bore shooting will be demonstrated after the regular Scout shooting is completed.

**SAFETY IN SHOOTING ACTIVITIES IS A MUST AT ALL TIMES. SHOOTERS MUST FOLLOW THE RANGE LEADER AT ALL TIMES. NO HORSEPLAY OR FOOLING AROUND PERMITTED!**