



# The Troop Times

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## November Campout

The November campout was at Camp Falling Rock. We slept in cabins, and the adults cooked all weekend (oh yeah!!). We launched rockets, which was very fun, and we played games at the dining hall. We even watched a movie on Saturday night! The weather was nice, it was sunny and fairly warm. We also did a service project there moving lumber. It was a great campout, easily one of the best in my opinion. Pictures of our campouts are available on our website.

*-Jeremy O.*

## New Changes

On November 29, we will be selecting our new patrols. Choose your new patrols wisely! The Golden Gladiators will be merging with other patrols, as they are not a permanent patrol.

Sometime soon, the PLC will also change. We will have a new SPL and new patrol leaders. The current Historian, however, will have the same position next term (don't worry, guys.). Get ready for these new changes, and encourage people to have leadership positions.

*-Jeremy O.*

## Patrol Reports

**Titanium Titans:** We will be having a patrol meeting to plan for skills. *-Jacob C.*

**Golden Gladiators:** We were supposed to have a patrol meeting, but it was canceled. We will not be having a patrol meeting in December, due to patrol changes. *-Brent C.*

**Burning Arrows:** We decided that Nick is still a part of our patrol, even though he is SPL. We will be having a patrol meeting on December second. We had a patrol meeting on November 25. Our skills plan is almost complete. *-Nick F, standing in for Kyle M.*

**Fire Breathing Dragons:** We had our service project, and we had a patrol meeting to plan for skills. *-Alex W.*



*Launching rockets at Camp Falling Rock*

## Scouting For Food

Our Troop had a service project on November 8 collecting food in a nearby neighborhood. Scouts went around different parts of the neighborhood, looking for bags of food that people put on their porch. On November 3<sup>rd</sup>, the scouts had gone around the neighborhood asking people to leave these bags to be picked up. We got two shopping carts filled with the food at the end. It was donated to the FCC food pantry.



*Kyle M. helps fill up the cart*



*Two shopping carts full of donated food*

## Scout of the Month **Trey O.**

Trey has been in our troop for about 3 years. He is a First Class scout. His favorite part of Scouting is friends. Outside of scouting, Trey is in orchestra and plays cello. In his free time, he likes to play video games. Trey plans to be Eagle.

## Quote of the Month

*If a cow is in an earthquake, do you get a milkshake?*

*-Mr. Gordon*

## Funny Story

A police officer found a perfect hiding place for watching for speeding motorists.

One day, the officer was amazed when everyone was under the speed limit, so he investigated and found the problem.

A little ten year old boy was standing on the side of the road with a huge hand painted sign which said “Radar Trap Ahead.”

A little more investigating work led the officer to the boy’s accomplice: another boy about 100 yards beyond the radar trap with a sign reading “TIPS” and a bucket at his feet full of change.

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