



Troop Four Family Newsletter October 1, 2005

The Troop Four Family Newsletter is now on the information superhighway! We will send the newsletter via email, and post on the Troop website at: www.troop4milford.org Paper copies will be available at the troop meetings. Please let Dave Kirchner know if you would like to change/add email addresses to the newsletter distribution list, or would like to receive a paper copy.

Troop Four Court of Honor: Is on Thursday, October 13 at St. Mary's parish center hall at 7:00 PM. Family members are invited to attend. Awards earned by the scouts since the last court of honor in June will be presented. The event will last about an hour with refreshments to follow (no dinner). Each family attending is asked to bring a small dessert item. Drinks and paper products will be provided by the troop.

Troop Campout: will be October 15 and 16 at the troop campsite in Milford. This will be a pig roast camping trip (we will have some hot dogs and other food too for Saturday dinner). We will be doing some pioneering and orienteering, along with other outdoor activities. We have invited second year Webelos scouts to attend as well. We will have a campfire Saturday night. The troop will provide complete dinner and breakfast along with all the eating utensils, cups, plates, etc. The scouts will be planning the meals, activities, and doing the cooking for the weekend.

We will meet at St. Mary's parish center at 9:00 AM Saturday October 15 and will return to the parish center for pickup at noon on Sunday the 16. Scouts should bring their regular camping gear and a bag lunch for Saturday. As always, scouts can come/leave early late etc. - this is a great camping trip to fit into a busy fall schedule and is always a fun camping trip for the scouts.

If you son is planning to attend, please return the attached permission slip by the October 6 troop meeting along with a check payable to Troop 4 for \$8.00 to cover the cost of the food for the weekend. If you son would like to attend but won't be at the meeting on the 6, please call or email Dave Kirchner so we can include him in planning for the event.

Scouting for Food: in Milford will be the weekend of October 22 - 23. Locations and times will be provided as soon as we find out for any scouts interested in participating.

Please call the Dave Kirchner at 508-667-6675 or email at kirchner5@comcast.net if you have any questions.