# Troop 171 Newsletter

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## February and March activities

There will be Order of the Arrow elections on February 14. The next Court of Honor will be on February 28. There will be a Friends of Scouting presentation at the Court of Honor.

#### OA elections

There will be elections for the Order of the Arrow at the troop meeting on February 14. Scouts are elected into the Order of the Arrow by their fellow Scouts, so it is especially important to attend this meeting.

#### **Court of Honor**

The next troop Court of Honor will be at the troop meeting on February 28. The achievements of the Scouts over the past six months will be recognized. As always, friends and family of Scouts are encouraged to attend.

#### Friends of Scouting

Also on February 28 there will be a presentation by the Friends of Scouting. The Friends of Scouting raise money for the Boy Scouts in Denver Area Council. Please consider making a donation at the Court of Honor.

		February
7	7:15	Troop meeting
8	7:00	Committee meeting
14	7:15	Troop meeting
		OA elections
21	7:15	Troop meeting
28	7:15	Court of Honor
		March
7	7:15	Troop meeting
8	7:00	Committee meeting
14	7:15	Troop meeting
19 – 20		Cabin camp
21		No meeting
28	7:15	Troop meeting

#### Cabin camp

The troop will go to Peaceful Valley for a cabin camp March 19–20. This primary purpose of this outing is to teach new Scouts basic skills and work with them to complete their first requirements. Scouts will have the option of sleeping in the cabin or in a tent.

## Dues increase

Remember that dues are now \$12 per month. You must be up to date with your dues to attend outings and advance in rank. See the troop Treasurer to check your dues status.

Contact David Fifield (david@bsatroop171.org) with additions to the newsletter.