

TROOP 171 NEWSLETTER

MARCH 2005

March and April activities

The annual cabin camp will be March 19–20 at Peaceful Valley.

Troop elections will be at the troop meeting on April 11. There will be a rifle shooting outing on April 15.

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.

Troop elections

Troop leadership positions for the next six months will be filled at the troop elections on April 11. Patrol positions will also be elected. Please come to this meeting to run for a position or vote.

Rifle shooting

The troop will take a trip to the Cherry Creek Gun Club on Friday, April 15 to do some target shooting. Scouts can shoot targets to qualify for the rifle shooting merit badge.

Summer camp payment

The first summer camp payment of \$70 is due. See the troop treasurer.

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

April

4	7:15	Troop meeting
11	7:15	Troop meeting Elections
12	7:00	Committee meeting
15		Rifle shooting outing
18	7:15	Troop meeting
25	7:15	Troop meeting

Yearly outing schedule

This is a summary of the troop's planned events for the rest of the year:

March 19–20	Cabin camp
April 15	Rifle shooting
May 20–22	Garden of the Gods
June 26–July 2	Summer camp
July 15–17	Rocky Mtn. Nat'l Park
August	Gore Creek
September 23–25	Camporee
October	Golden Gate
November	History museum
December	Salvation Army

Backpack for sale

Youth-size internal frame backpack. Brand new. \$60 value, will sell for \$30. Contact Marilu Hirschinger at a troop meeting.

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