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BROOKLYN SCOUTS WILL HAVE THREE MORE DAYS OF NATIONAL JAMBOREE

Completion of final arrangements for the Brooklyn Council contingent going to the National Jamboree, to be held in Washington, D. C. were announced today by the Jamboree executive committee.

It was particularly pointed out that Brooklyn Jamboree Scouts will stay three extra days in Washington and one full day in Philadelphia, where they will attend a banquet. The fee will remain at its original low total of \$40 and will include carfare, meals and miscellaneous expenses.

The Scouts will leave early Sunday morning, June 27 and will arrive in Washington in the early afternoon. They will lunch aboard the train and have supper in camp. As the Jamboree actually does not get under way till the 30th, the Scouts will have ample time to visit the numerous interesting sights in the nation's capitol. Some may take a trip through the national treasury building and learn the rudiments in art of manufacturing money. Others will find Congressional library and other Government buildings of major interest.

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Committee Sets May 1 Camp-O-Ree Deadline

This is the final notice for the Camp-O-Ree. All applications for entry into the borough-wide camping event must be in at Headquarters by Saturday, May 1.

Final plans for the Brooklyn Council Camp-O-Ree, to be held at Fort Hamilton, May 22 and 23, have been completed, Edward Smith, chairman of the Rally Committee, announced today.

All Scoutmasters are urged to submit their Troop's application, including the names of one full patrol and two alternates, to headquarters immediately.

SCOUTERS GAIN BEAVER HONOR AT PUBLIC COURT

A capacity audience of more than 1,000 persons witnessed the borough-wide Public Court of Honor, first in the history of Brooklyn Scouting, last Tuesday evening, in the auditorium of the Girls Commercial High School, Classon Avenue and Eastern Parkway.

Plan Guide Group For Visiting Scouts

Preliminary plans now are being formulated for the organization of a Brooklyn Scout Guide Group, to direct out-of-town Scouts stopping in this city prior to their departure to the National and World Jamborees, Scout Executive Lindsley F. Kimball, announced today. The unit will be one of the numerous summer community service projects and will be directed by Herbert D. Wojan, chairman of the summer Activities Committee.

A great many travelling Jamboree Scout contingents will stop in Brooklyn, either going to or on their return from Washington and Europe. These scouts, literally, will be lost in the metropolis and miss the numerous sights without someone to show them about the borough and city.

All Brooklyn Scouts and Scouters, who are willing to perform a "real good turn" to a brother Scout, are urged to write to "Doc" Wojan at Scout Headquarters, 114 Remsen St., stating the day and hours available for guide duty, age, address and rank.

Similar guide groups also are being formed in the other four Councils in the city. All units will be under the direct supervision of a committee from the National Council consisting of John R. Long, chairman, O. D. Sharpe and E. H. Vitalius.

DOCTOR JOINS TROOP

Dr. Noah Barysh of 9214 Ridge Boulevard, formerly troop physician and committeeman of Troop 30 in Chantanqua Council, Jamestown, N. Y., has accepted the same position with Troop 334 of Atlantic District.



The feature of the evening was the presentation of the Silver Beaverfood Award to five prominent Brooklyn Scouters by Scout Commissioner James E. Finegan, president of the Municipal Civil Commis-Service sion. The Silver Beaver, highest dis-

James E. Finegan tinction in Scouting, is presented to

those Scouters who have accredited themselves to Scouting and their respective communities, and for their accomplishments to further the standards of modern boyhood.

The recipients of the award were: Thornton C. Thayer, Charles Lewis, Paul Stewart, Mons. J. Jerome Reddy and Sidney Weiss. In the absence of both Monsignor Reddy and Mr. Lewis, the awards were received by the Rev. Francis A. Froehlick and a Scout, who will present the Silver Beavers at a later date.

One of the outstanding features of the event was when 98 Scouts appeared for their various awards. Awards went

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SPRUCE POND COMMITTEE WILL INTERVIEW SCOUTS

Applicants for the position of Campmaster at Spruce Pond from May 15 to Sept. 15 will be interviewed at Scout Headquarters, 114 Remsen Street, on Tuesday, May 4, at 5:30. J. Edward Robinson, chairman of the Spruce Pond Camp Committee, announced today. Applicants must be Senior Red Cross life savers.

RING COUNCIL



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BOROUGH AND DISTRICT DATES

BOROUGH:

(Please keep Headquarters posted as to all District dates.)

University of Scouting—Thursdays up to and including May 6—8 p.m.—H. Q.

Scout Advancement-First Monday-5:30 p.m.-Headquarters.

Commissioners Meeting - First Monday -8 p.m.—Headquarters.

Council Meeting - Second Monday - 8:15 p.m.-Headquarters.

Organization Committee—Fourth Monday-8:15 p.m.—Headquarters.

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ea Scott Committee Meeting—First Monday—8 p.m.—Headquarters.

EASTERN:

of the month—Williamsburg Y. M. H. A. Jr. A. R. C.—1st aid course at Troop 252's place, E. 93rd St. and Concklin Ave.—Starts Thurs., April 22, for ten weeks—8-9:30 p.m.—certificate to those passing—William Quinn instructor.

CENTRAL:

structor.

Swimming 1 Cl. and M. B., test passing and A. R. C. Life Saving at Prospect Y. M. C. A. every Saturday 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. Non-swimmers' class every Friday 5:45 p.m. Bring 15c for towel and soap. Applicants must write William Ruane, 1938 Stuart St.

Livingston-Clinton Neighborhood Assembly Third Tuesday—7:30 p.m.

District Assembly and Organization Meeting—Tuesday following Borough Council Meeting—8 p.m.—Headquarters.

FLATBUSH-MIDWOUT:

M. B. and 1 Cl. First Aid, Map and Sig-nalling tests, 1st Wednesday of each month at All Souls' Church, Ocean and Ditmas Aves.

SCOUTERS GAIN BEAVER HONOR AT PUBLIC COURT

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to four Eagles, 26 Lifes, 65 Stars, two Bronze Palms and one for Heroism.

George M. Aronwald, chairman of the Court of Honor, greeted the guests and expressed the hope to be able to continue borough-wide events.

"We are happy to inaugurate something, whereby the Scouts and parents may participate jointly," he said.

An added feature to the program was the Sea Scout Bridge of Honor, at which time ten Sea Scouts were advanced in rank.

Presented with Plaque

Edward Chalmers, chairman of the committee of the Sea Scout Ship Neophyte, was presented with the Sea Scout Plaque of Honor, by Commodore A. C. Howell, in appreciation for the work done by the members of the ship during the recent flood distaster in the middle-West.

Mrs. William E. Parker, chairlady of the Volunteer Service of the American Red Cross, in a brief address, praised the work and accomplishments of Boy and Sea Scouting, particularly stressing the performances of Edward Chalmers and the members of the S.S.S. Neophyte.

Joseph Infranca, Second Class Scout of Troop 178, was cited for heroism and bravery for the rescue of two lives at great risk of his own, by Dr. Lindsley F. Kimball, Brooklyn Scout Executive. Scout Infranca also was presented with a letter, written and signed by Supreme Court Justice James C.

-7:30 p.m.

SHEEPSHEAD BAY:

1 and 2 Cl. C. of H.—Half Moon Hotel—Wednesdays, April 14, May 12 and June 9.
M. B. examinations will be held at the Joyce Kilmer Post, Kings Highway and 12th St., on Wednesday, April 21, May 19 and June 16.

STUYFORD:

Patrol Leaders Course conducted by Stuyvesant Chapter—Tuesday, up to and inc'uding May 25—7:30 p.m.—Grace M. E. Church. Swimming, Boys' Branch, Bedford Y. M. C. A., 1st Monday of each month.
Stuyford Neighborhood 1 and 2 class Court of Honor—Fourth Tuesday—7:30 p.m.—Grace Church, Stuyvesant and Jefferson Aves.

Troops will celebrate Mother's Day, Sunday.
May 9, by visiting the Theodore Roosevelt
Memorial House at 28 E. 20th St., Manhattan,
at 3 p.m. There will be no admission charge.
All Sunrise Scouters are asked to contact
Commissioner Charles Chopnick at 286 E. 53rd
St. with regard to the trip.
District Meeting, May 13, H. E. S. Building, Hopkinson and Sutter Aves.

Cropsey, president of Brooklyn Council, commending his quick thinking and heroic actions.

The program was opened with the massing of 32 Troop flags and the presentation of the Colors.

Among the speakers were: the Rev. Francis A. Froehlick, activities director of the Catholic Youth of Kings County, Mrs. Herbert D. Wojan, the Rev. Dr. Alexander Lyons, Rabbi of the Eighth Avenue Temple, Garfield Place and Eighth Avenue and Gunnar Berg, director of Volunteer Training, National Council, Boy Scouts of America.

Award Badges

The following Scouts were awarded the Eagle Badge: Thomas Antonsen, 232; Robert Ericksen, 18; Philip Gill,, 34, and Herbert Lichtman, 268.

The recipients of the Life Badges are: Carl Abjornson, 324; Richard Berquist, 108; Padraic Boyle, 230; Laurie Brown, 334; Ralph Chelsen, 117; Andrew Clark, 233; Albert Davis, 198; John Graff, 2; Harold Gunston, 248; Leon Henig, 253; John Kempton, 30; Edward Knecht, 273; Edgar Lessey, 83; Richard Madarassy, 83; Raymond Malley, 353; John McCafferty, 165; Thomas Morrison, 4; Robert Mullens, 279; Henry Oakland, 24; Robert Pines, 256; Milton Rand, 273; Robert Runge, 353; Walter Savitzky, 250; Edward Sickert, 64; Leon Strees, 13 and Fred Weisser, 253.

The new Star Scouts are: Robert Abercrombie, 132; Martin Adler, 98; Henry Anderson, 279; Harold Backhus, 30; Leon Baker, 286; Herbert Banks, 105; Charles Baumann, 232; Marvin Bernstein, 266; John Bierschenk, 232; Bernard Bloomfield, 98; Walter Bodt, 174; Armen Bogossian, 2; Charles Carter, 198; Marvin Chaiken, S204; Jack Delaney, 129; George Dilopould, 2; Eugene Donohue, 122; Timothy Driscoll, 279; Michael Duncan, 250; Arthur Fredette, 279; Charles Forman, 224; Saul Goldberg, 90; Joseph Hall, 279; William Hartz, 90; Leo Heime, 64; Christian Heigeland, 248; Mervyn Honig, 131; John Horsk, 279; Joseph Italiaander, 88; John Klein, 386; Kurt E. Koempel, 210; Melvin Konecoff, 266; Robert Lawrence, 214; Fred Leddin, 232; Carl Liberi, 237; Wolf Linnemeir,

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BRIEFS ABOUT NEW BEAVER WEAR

PAUL STEWART

Entered Scouting in 1910 with Troop 55. Became Scribe in 1911 of same Troop and First Class in 1914 and Assistant Scoutmaster from 1914 to 1919. He was Scoutmaster from 1919 to 1930, still with Troop 55. In 1930



Paul Stewart

he became Scoutmaster and Cubmaster of Troop Pack 198, and still is serving in the same capacity.

Was secretary to Fort Greene District 1926 to 1927. Merit Badge Counselor, Central District, 1930-1937. Had two District Patrol Leaders Courses from 1934 to 1936. Had Specialization Course in

Community Appreciation December, 1935 to February, 1936.

He was Campmaster in New York, New Jersey and Long Island. Received Scoutmaster's Key on Jan. 11, 1937. Is at present time conducting Junior Red Cross Course under American Red Cross.

Paul Stewart, as his record shows, has given more than a quarter of a century to Scouting. Working with colored boys he is undoubtedly our outstanding Scoutmaster in this field, highly thought of in the community and a typical example of unselfish Scout Service.

He is highly thought of in the Borough of Brooklyn.

Court of Honor Awards Continued

2; Richard Martin, 324; Alec McAllister, 3; Owen McKinney, 198; Henry Mednick, 131; Arnold Meshes, 2; Ralph Mirau, 32; Fred Neptune, 30; Stanley Obarski, 75; Frank Odasz, 279; Paul Persiani, 211; Joseph Phelan, 13; Andrew Pirano, 92; Henry Provdizy, 890; Louis Romano, 94; Jack Schwartz, 253; Morton Schwartz, 253, Harold Schwinger, 266; Leon Shear, 98; Felix Siegman, 234; Marvin Silverman, S101, Bernard Sterverman, 266; Jerome Stick, 266; Warren Strickland, 2; Joseph Sweeny, 279; Morty Weingart, 266; Arthur Weisenfeld, 266; David Williams, 265; Heinz Wlochal, 16; and John Xamthopoulos, 75.

seph Satten, S101 and Harry Tau, 330. out the borough.

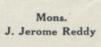
MONS. J. JEROME REDDY

Mons. Reddy was a member of the Brooklyn Council and the Bishop's official representative for five or six

years-about 1925 to 1931.

Father Reddy is head of the Catholic Charities, Diocese of Long Island. He was appointed by Bishop Molloy to sit on the Brooklyn Council as his personal representative. During the years of his service, and since, he did all in his power to further the interests of Catholic Scouting,

helping, not only with general advice, but with real work in many parishes.



SIDNEY WEISS

Entered Scouting in 1919 with Troop 116 as Assistant Scoutmaster. Served with Williamsburg District Council. Was Merit Badge examiner and expert in various subjects, 1919 to 1931. Was connected with Troop 226 since 1926, served as Scoutmaster in 1928, '29 and '30. Was connected with various Council Committees since 1926.

He is now Chairman of the Sea Scout Committee. For the past 15

years has promoted Scout work in various Veteran's Organizations, getting Posts to sponsor Troops and Ships. Sidney Weiss has served Scouting in many capacities and as Chairman of the Sea Scout Committee has been of great service. He

has not only served

existing Sea Scouts,

but built up the



strength, has organized a real committee, and has been an active personal leader of the Sea Scout Division. He has given untold hours to Scouting and done efficiently in such a way as to reflect credit upon the whole movement.

Sidney Weiss is highly thought of, Bronze Palms were presented to Jo- not only in his own area, but throughTHORNTON C. THAYER

In 1922 was a contributing laymember of Columbia Heights District. Was 1st vice-president and Chairman of Court of Honor and later President of Columbia Heights District. Since



the reorganization, has been 1st Vice-President of Central District. Is now President of Columbia Heights Neighborhood. In 1936 was Chairman of the District Finance Committee and was on the Borough Committee. Was honorary member of the Columbia Heights

Thornton C. Thayer Chapter of the Senior Division and has taken an active part in their activities.

Thorton C. Thayer, in all the years of service to Scouting, has given of himself unstintingly, even to the extent of real sacrifice. As a busy and prominent layman, has been of inspiration to all of the technical Scouters in his District. Has distinctly brought up the plane of Scouting throughout the downtown area of Brooklyn.

CHARLES LEWIS

He organized Troop 137 in May, 1917. Was its first Scoutmaster and continued in that capacity until 1930. By then the Troop had grown to such proportions that it was divided into The other half became Troop 234. At the same

Charles Lewis

time was a member of the Bay Ridge Assembly and during part of such membership was secretary of the Assembly. In 1930 induced Robert Giere and Samuel Wachsmen to become Scoutmasters of Troops 137 and 234. He in turn became chairman of both Troop commit-

tees and up to the

present time is active in both Troops. Charles Lewis has been in Scouting for 20 years.

Jamboree Front:

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From June 30 to July 9 the Scouts will be kept pretty well occupied following the Jamboree program.

The Brooklyn contingent will break camp on July 10, a day after the closing of the national Scout extravaganza, and go to Philadelphia, where they will be guests of the Scouts of the "city of brotherly love." They also will be dined at a large banquet.

Continental Hall, closely view the Lib- fore the departure for the Jamboree.

erty Bell and many other famous places of the revolutionary era.

The Scouts will leave Philadelphia about 8 P. M. and return to Brooklyn around 10:30 p. m.

It also was announced that the National Foundation will provide tents, cots, bed-ticks, for Scouts and leaders and a small steamer trunk for each Troops equipment, Jamboree Troop flags and Sisal Craft paper for each Troop to be used as ground cloth in the tents.

The Pennsylvania Railroad agreed that they will provide a car for trans-While in Philadelphia, the Scouts portation of any general equipment if will go on a sightseeing tour via buses. necessary. This car will be ready at They will visit the historically famous the Pennsylvania Railroad the day be-

Trouping

with the

Troops

BY LIONEL GOLDEN

We've lost ourselves in S-324's Reflector. They recently celebrated their tenth birthday with a party. Over 90 were present but that didn't make the paper interesting. They turned their Troop Roster into a Roaster . . . some of the gags were terrific.

The "Spirit of 204" had a two page issue this month with a three page supplement for April Fool. They weren't fooling though when they headlined that they were S-204 for the 16th consecutive year. The PL's of the Troop took over the program last week . . . S-271 held one of those things, too. The new officers promptly broke a paddle over the erstwhile SPL's seat. Cute boys. That's the same Troop that attended a hike called for eight-at eight, gave the leaders ten minutes leeway and left them flat. It takes three Scouts to carry 131's knot board . . . The Eagles of S-286 are three and a half points ahead of the Panthers 512. Sounds close, doesn't

The Owl Patrol of 269 certainly had a narrow escape. They were just turning into Coyotes when Norman Evensen came in with a new Owl Banner . . A brush fire out at Hollis was nipped in the bud by the Aztec Patrol of 137 . . . Troop 41 of Bath Beach defeated the Edgewood Church, 13-8, in a baseball game at Dyker Park last week . . . There's a poiple copy of the Orator of Troop 116 at hand. It's all hand done with some good cartooning ideas. The Troop is planning a minstrel and dance in the near future.

Troop 60 scalped Captain Freddi's Indians, 24-14, at what was supposed to be an innocent basketball game. Perhaps the Indians didn't know 60 had lost only one game this year . . . A council fire and blowout was jointly held on Committeeman Wel's lawn by Troops 161 and 326 last Friday. Their card said it was a success. We're certainly glad to hear it-how about telling us the details. Our last column reminded us of a serial in the movies.

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