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ANNOUNCE SUMMER PROGRAM EVENTS

700 Boro Scouts Officially Launch Rock Lake Camp Season

More than 700 Scouts and leaders, who jammed 28 buses to capacity, left Scout Headquarters, 114 Remsen St., Monday morning, as the first contingent to officially open the 1937 Summer season of the Brooklyn Council Scout Camps at Rock Lake, N. Y. This was one of the largest delegations to leave for the first period of Camp in many years, the Headquarters executive staff announced.

Camp Director Joseph W. O'Farrell and his entire staff, who have been in camp for the past two weeks have formulated an active program of wilderness camping, canoe trips, Scoutcraft, woodcraft, Scout advancement, council fires and athletics

for the campers.

A large and exceptionally well-trained, experienced staff of Camp and Scout Leaders, which will supervise the activities of the campers, include six American Red Cross Examiners and a head waterfront man; two doctors and a nurse, with a modern equipped hospital and fine chefs to insure good food. For the added convenience of the Scouts, an additional 48 cabins have been constructed this year in camp for sleeping accommodations.

The religious aspect of the Scouts' lives will be taken care of by Catholic, Protestant and Jewish Chaplains, who will be in Camp all Summer.

Washington Baths To Admit Scouts During Weekdays

Borough Scouts who remain in the city during the Summer months will not find their spare moments idling away, according to an announcement by the Summer Program Committee.

An interesting and diversified program has been arranged which will include ball games at Ebbets Field, where Scouts will have an opportunity to witness the Brooklyn Dodgers in their fight for the first division, swimming meets and athletic rallies at Manhattan Beach, the annual visit to Steeplechase, sightseeing trips and numerous other events which will be announced during the next two weeks.

First Game July 12

The first game which the Scouts will see at Ebbets Field will be played on Monday, July 12. The Scouts will convene, about 1 p.m., outside the ball park on Sullivan Pl. and wait for instructions from the leaders in charge.

All Brooklyn Scouts, under 16 years of age, will be admitted to use the pool and the athletic facilities of the Washington Baths in Coney Island, every Monday to Friday, provided they report before noon. The Scouts will have to pay a small service charge of ten cents and must wear their uniforms or present their registration and activities cards.

Steeplechase Outing

The annual visit to Steeplechase will be held on Monday, August 2. The Scouts will meet in front of the Municipal Baths on W. 5th St., at 12:30 p.m. and then march down Surf Ave. to the amusement park. A fee of twenty cents will entitle the Scouts to the Park.

VISIT STEEPLCHASE PARK

Thirty Scouts of Troop 185, slid, bumped and made merry at Steeplechase Amusement Park, during their annual blowout, recently.

Borough Scouts Vie For Honors At Washington

Special to The Council Ring

Scout City, Washington, D. C.—The eyes of the thousands of spectators and participants of the National Scout Jam-boree now taking place here were trained on the 91 Brooklyn Scouts and Leaders,

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Present Activities Card

One important item must be remembered. No Scout will gain admittance to any of the events sponsored by the Summer Program Committee without the presentation of their "Summer Activities Cards".

Weekly Council fires, which feature songs, skits and games, will be held every Monday night atop Lookout Mountain in Prospect Park. The first one was held last Tuesday.

More dates and events will be announced next week, so don't miss the next issue of the Council Ring.

W. E. Bargar Elected Atlantic District Commissioner

At the annual meeting of Atlantic District, held at the Christ Church, 73rd St. and Ridge Blvd., last Monday, Willard E. Bargar was elected District Commissioner, and Julius Lowenthal, recording secretary, respectively.

The other officers, who were all re-elected to serve another year in their present capacities, are: Herbert D. Wojan, president; Walfred Johnson, Sr., vice president; August Wenzel, treasurer; and John A. Nelson, Jr., corresponding secretary.

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BOROUGH AND DISTRICT DATES

All District Officers are urged to notify The Council Ring, about two weeks in advance, the dates of their Summer program and activities.

BOROUGH:

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

Brooklyn Council Cubbing Committee meets second Tuesday of each month at the office chairman James F. Milde, 44 Court St., Room 1018.

Camera Club meets second and fourth Tuesdays of each month at Headquarters, at 8 p. m.

BUSHWICK-ARLINGTON

Swimming at Highland Park YMCA, Jamaica and Shepherd Avenues, every Saturday at 6:45 p.m.

CENTRAL:

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.

Nature Study, Monday, Aug. 2, meet at Prospect Park West and Union St.

EASTERN:

Assembly Meeting, third Tuesday of month. Merit Badge and First and Second Class Court of Honor, July 12, at the "Y", S. 9th St. and Marcy Ave. No Court in August.

FLATBUSH-MIDWOUT:

Life Saving Instruction every Monday at 8:50 p.m. at Flatbush Boys' Club, Bedford and Church Avenues. Bring 15 cents for towel and soap. Scouts must show registration cards.

STUYFORD:

Community Troop No. 2, Fridays, P. S. 167, Al Corn, Scoutmaster.

Community Troop No. 1, Fridays, P. S. 54, Sanford and Willoughby Sts., Milton P. Coon, Scoutmaster.

Plans 2 Community Troops For Summer

Stuyford District will have two Community Troops this Summer to take care of the needs of Scouts who will remain in the city.

The first Troop will be known as Community Troop No. 1 and will meet every Friday night at Public School 54, Sanford and Willoughby Sts. Milton P. Coon is the Scoutmaster.

Community Troop No. 2 also will meet on Friday nights, but at Public School 167. Al Corn is the Scoutmaster.

CONSTRUCT DARK ROOM

We are informed by the Brooklyn Scouters Camera Club that a dark room has been constructed in one of the basement rooms at Scout Headquarters, 114 Remsen St. and the club is open for more members.

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John Zeltman Guest Speaker At Troop 266 Parents Night

The history and future of Scouting was pointed out to more than 100 persons by John Zeltman, Assistant Commissioner of Atlantic District at the third annual Parents Night of Troop 266. The Scouts of the Troop planned and presented the entire program with the exception of the addresses of the guest speaker and Scoutmaster Bernard H. Nathan.

Scoutcraft demonstrations, skits, a Tenderfoot and Senior Scout induction and refreshments played a major part in the evening's activities.

ISENA To Furnish Scout News To Troop Papers

If you are interested in joining an International Scout Exchange News Association—ISENA—that will furnish you with the latest news from the Scouting world, feature articles by prominent men, possibly nationwide advertisements and a plan for savings in the purchasing of supplies and numerous aids to benefit your Troop and Troop paper, send your Troop paper's and editor's names and full mailing address to: The Triangle, 192 Beach Ave., New Dorp, Staten Island, N. Y.

2 Knives, First-Aid Kit

Found at Fort Hamilton

Two knives and a first aid kit, presumably lost by one of the Camp-O-See Patrols, have been found at Fort Hamilton by John Barry of Troop 277.

If you were at the Camp-O-see and have lost any of the above articles, contact Phil Wagner at Scout Headquarters.

PHIL WAGNER GUEST SPEAKER

AT TROOP 160 PARENTS NIGHT

The City Summer program and the activities of the Brooklyn Scout Camps at Rock Lake were explained by Field Executive Philip F. Wagner at the 20th annual Parents Night of Troop 160, recently.

Songs, recitations, Scoutcraft demonstrations and bird imitations were presented with a "dummy constructed camp" as the background.

TROOP 74 HOLDS PARENTS NITE

Howard Silken of Troop 74 is quite a versatile young man. He, both, directed and starred in a one-act playlet which was presented at the annual Parents Night, recently. Assistant Scoutmaster Raiken was presented a gold medal for distinguished service to the Troop the same evening.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The Summer Program Committee has arranged a "corking" program of interesting and entertaining events for City Scouts.

But if you don't receive the Council Ring it is rather difficult to keep tabs on these dates.

Scouts, why don't you tell your brother Scouts who don't receive the Council Ring of the special rate now being offered to non-subscribers.

The Council Ring will be sent to the homes of all Scouts for the nominal fee of 15 cents, starting with the next issue and continuing till December 31. This is more than a half year's subscription. Fill out the bottom coupon and send the coins or stamps to the Editor of the Council Ring at Scout Headquarters, 114 Remsen St. Please send me the weekly issues of the Council Ring for the duration of your special rate. Enclosed you will find 15 cents in stamps—coins.

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336's FOXES WIN CONTEST

Thirty Scouts of Troop 336 attended the opening services of the Midget Squadron Yacht Club at Mill Basin, recently. Neckerchiefs and slides were presented to the members of the Fox Patrol, as a reward for their victory in the six-month inter-Troop contest.

RICCA FLYS IN FROM COAST

"Camping Highlights" were brought out by Troop 210 at its annual Rally and Parents Night at St. Bartholomew Church. Anthony Ricca, who is one of the strongest supporters of the Troop, flew in from the coast to attend the affair. The Troop also spent a weekend at Spruce Pond, recently.

322 WINS EXHIBIT AWARDS

Troop 322 of the Flatbush Midwout District was awarded first prize for the best group project and another prize for the best exhibit at the fourth annual hobby show of the Samuel J. Tilden High School, recently.

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Tote Tribe 313 Plans

Reorganization Program

Plans to make Tote Troop 313 of Sunrise District the model Troop for efficient activity, coordination and fun of Brooklyn Council were formulated at a special reorganization Patrol Leaders meeting, last week.

The leaders decided to form a "Patrol Leaders Patrol" among themselves with each one of them assuming a responsible Troop task.

Included in the proposed program are plans for Troop membership and advancement drives, and more active entertaining programs at Troop meetings.

79 Scouts Go To Camp

As Guests of Daily News

Seventy nine Brooklyn Scouts, who who could not afford to pay their own way, left Monday morning for the Council Camps at Rock Lake as guests of the N. Y. Daily News. These Scouts were selected from more than 400 applicants, who were all carefully interviewed by Field Executive Philip F. Wagner and Al A. Anderson, at Scout Headquarters, last week. The 79 boys will stay in camp for two weeks, all expenses paid.

Edward Piller Honored

At 271's Annual Meeting

The presentation of a gold medal to Edward Piller for massing the largest total of points in the advancement contest and his promotion to Senior Patrol Leader, featured the closing meeting of Troop 271, Stuyford District, at Public School 167, Schenectady Ave. and Eastern Parkway.

The Clover Patrol was awarded the Patrol Honor Banner, and Bernard Cramer provided the sensation of the evening in capturing first prize by devouring the most huckleberry and custard pies in the Troop pie eating contest.

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last Friday, as they went through the paces of presenting a duplicate of the huge Scout-O-Rama as was seen in Madison Square Garden last year.

Every one of the Brooklyn Council representatives held the Jamboree spotlight and received rounds of applause as their presentation was warmly received by the 25,000 Scouts from the far corners of the country and from 24 foreign lands, represented.

Scout City

As the Council Ring goes to press the "good will ambassadors" have established a Scout City which rivals the beauty and splendor of the nation's capitol. Everywhere one turns in this beautiful city they find Scouts.

The Treasury Building, the White House, the Congressional Library and many other interesting sights in Washington have caught the fancy of the Scouts. Set **boldface** Scouts Vie For Honors

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At present the different Councils in the completed Scout City are in a heated argument to decide which is the best encampment. Brooklyn, with its 30-foot tower, the Tendoy Council of Idaho, with its realistic Indian wigwams, the Scouts from Hyde Park, with their model of the Summer White House, and the Manhattan Scouts with the skyline of New York City over their gateway, are all keen rivals.

Set **Boldface** Sing America

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Colorful flag raising ceremonies officially opened the ten-day Jamboree. At the signal, 1,600 flags were raised over the 350-acre tent city as the Scouts stood at attention.

The same evening the Scouts assembled at the foot of the Washington Monument as Uncle Dan Beard, with flint and steel, lighted the opening Council Fire. Here the Scouts were addressed by Dr. James E. West, chief Scout executive and listened to a message of welcome from President Roosevelt. One of the features of the event was the playing of "America" by a Scout band of 185 members, after which the 25,000 voices sang the same song with the help of an organ.

Started at the Council Fire also was the

Flatbush Midwout Advocates Summer Courts of Honor

In place of the weekly examination meetings held last year, only four meetings will be held in the Flatbush Midwout District this Summer for city Scouts who are anxious to advance in Scouting, District Commissioner Alden P. Gleason announced today.

The four meeting dates are:

August 4—Merit Badge Examinations.

August 11—Courts of Honor, all ranks except Eagle.

September 1—Merit Badge Examinations.

September 8—Courts of Honor, all ranks except Eagle.

District Commissioner Gleason urged the cooperation of all Scoutmasters and examiners. He also announced that, if it is possible, Second and First Class tests will be given on the above nights.

Perpetual Fire. This will burn for the duration of the Jamboree. When the fire is finally put out, the embers will be taken to the World Jamboree in Holland and used to light the fire over there.

When the first groups of Scouts came into Washington they felt a little out of place in their shorts. Now the residents and tourists are beginning to feel strange and are becoming "shorts conscious." Many persons in Washington have been heard saying, "the Scout City is no longer part of Washington, Washington is part of the Scout City."

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