



Today's Weather



Hot and sunny
Chance of PM shower
High 92°



Patchy clouds and humid
Low 70°

6:00 AM – Catholic Mass (NER stage)
6:00–7:00 AM – Meal pickup
8:00–9:30 AM – Grinder open
9:00 AM – Program areas open
11:00 AM–2:00 PM – Lunch at kiosk
4:00 PM – Program areas close
4:30–5:30 PM – Meal pickup
6:30–8:30 PM – Grinder open
7:00 PM – Geocaching seminar
7:15 PM – Chaplain's daily devotional
7:30 PM – Flag Lowering

Wednesday

5:30 AM – Base gates open for contingent vehicles
11:00 AM – Troops departure deadline

Today's Highlights

- Breakfast: Denver scrambled eggs
- Kiosk: Roast beef sandwich
- Dinner: Hot dogs and baked beans
- Bus Schedule:
7–8 AM – Staff Only
8 AM–6 PM – Everyone
6–10 PM – Staff Only

Duty Roster for 8/3

Raise/lower colors – **T317/T338**
East/West facilities – **T318/T340**
East/West litter pickup – **T324/T314**

9/11 Flag Comes to the Jamboree

by Jon Ingram, Troop 303, Suffolk County Council, Long Island, NY

At the Saturday night Arena show, an American flag was presented as part of the event. This isn't any ordinary flag. This flag is a 20 × 30 ft American flag that flew at 90 West Street in New York City, just across from World Trade Center Tower 2. It came down with the towers on September 11, 2001 and was retired by the head of construction, Mr. Charlie Vitchers, during the clean up of the Ground-zero area.

Mr. Vitchers presented the flag in 2004 to the *New York says Thank-you* foundation. The foundation is a group of FDNY fire fighters and volunteers who aim to complete service projects for those in need. Every year the group grows larger, as do the number of projects completed. The restoration of this 9/11 flag is just one of those projects, which will begin following the 2010 Jamboree.

The 9/11 flag travels by FDNY escort, and will soon travel to each of the 50 states where local service heroes will help to stitch the 9/11 flag back to its original form. Local BSA councils will provide new parts for the flag; this quest for service will continue in Mena,



Kansas this September commemorating the anniversary of 9/11.

The flag stitching ceremony in Mena, Kansas will occur where the foundation will be building three homes and a community center to help tornado victims from that town. Fifteen hundred people will be at this project to help New York say "Thank-you" for the aid received on 9/11 and to keep "paying it forward."



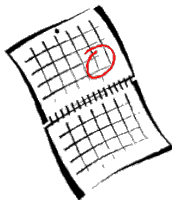
Chaplain's Corner

“ Lighten up. Don't you have games to play, people to hug, beauty to gaze upon? Someday you're going to retire—I don't mean go into retirement, just retire from your attitude. Has complaining ever made the day better? Let someone else run the world for awhile. Let go and let God. ”

—Pastor Robert “P-Rob” Lewis

Today's Historical Events

- 1492 Christopher Columbus set sail from Spain on the voyage where he would discover America
- 1949 The National Basketball Association was formed
- 1958 Nuclear-powered submarine Nautilus became the first ship to cross the North Pole underwater
- 2003 Golfer Annika Sorenstam won the British Open, completing a career Grand Slam



News Headlines

- A lobsterman in Rhode Island's Narragansett Bay caught a very rare yellow lobster (probability 1 in 30 million) and intends to keep it on display.
- Supporters of community gardens in New York City are using unusual tactics, such as a ride modeled after Paul Revere proclaiming “The bulldozers are coming,” to persuade City Hall to prevent the sale of the gardens to developers
- Golfer Stuart Appleby became the second player ever to score a low 59 in the final round of a tournament and win.
- Ford completed the sale of its Volvo unit to Chinese automaker Zhejiang Geely

Reminders

- The Jamboree-wide Lost and Found at Heth will be open from 9–4 today, your last chance to find anything you're missing.
- If you had your troop picture taken in front of the subcamp gateway, don't forget to pick up your CD at the program tent.
- Tonight is the last night to learn about geocaching and GPSes with Colin at the program tent at 7:00.
- Stop by the chaplain's tent to finish the requirements for your Duty to God segment.
- Pick up any medication you left at the medical tent
- The subcamp website will be available until the end of the year so you can look at photo galleries, archived newsletters and other news posted there.

Duty Hours

Shower Monitor - Eastern Showers

- 5:00 – 7:00 PM **T322/T333**
- 7:00 – 9:00 PM **T323/T324**
- 9:00 – 11:00 PM **T304/T314**

Shower Monitor - Western Showers

- 5:00 – 7:00 PM **T128/T326**
- 7:00 – 9:00 PM **T328/T331**
- 9:00 – 11:00 PM **T341/T345**

We're counting on you to help keep our facilities clean and usable.

Thanks for doing your share!

Departure Information

TODAY

Program areas will be open most of the day today, closing by 4:00 PM. (Some action centers may stop admitting Scouts before that so they can finish the course by 4:00.)

Equipment trucks are allowed in camp today between 4:00 PM and dusk. After dusk, they need to be moved to Archer camp or off-base.

TOMORROW

Transportation. The base gates will open at 5:30 AM and Third Assistant Scoutmasters will be transported out

to the gate to meet arriving buses. Your Commissioner will coordinate.

All of your contingent's vehicles need to arrive together at the gate. All troops should be out by 11:00 AM.

Shuttles from the subcamp will also provide transportation for staff to Archer to pick up personal vehicles. Look for more information.

Food. Troops will receive kiosk-style breakfasts to go tomorrow morning. Staff will also get breakfast.

Trash. Follow the “Leave No Trace” philosophy of “if you brought it with you, pack it out.” The dumpsters are for trash only. You must remove any gateways, tables and other “non trash” items that you brought in.

If the rear dumpster is full, use the dumpsters in the front of the subcamp instead of leaving trash on the ground next to the dumpster.

The commissioners will coordinate a large-scale policing of the common areas in the subcamp. Thank you in advance for your support.