

January 2005

# Troop 226 Gazette

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## **Congratulations!**

To the following scouts on earning rank advancements:

Justin B. – Tenderfoot  
Stephen M. – Star  
Glen D. – 1<sup>st</sup> Class  
Zac M. – 1<sup>st</sup> Class  
Chuck C. – 1<sup>st</sup> Class  
Sam D. – 1<sup>st</sup> Class  
Taylor D. – 2<sup>nd</sup> Class

Thanks to the Scoutmaster, Assistant Scoutmasters, and Committee Members who helped to get the conferences and boards of review done in time for our January Court of Honor!

## **Service Opportunitites:**

Scouting for food is Feb. 5<sup>th</sup>. We have a large area to cover. Meet at the church at 8:30 am. Please let Rebecca Dougherty know as soon as possible if you will be able to help. Please help if you can.

Scout Sunday is coming up (Feb. 13<sup>th</sup>), and we will need volunteers to help with the services. We will need scouts to be members of a color guard, alcolytes, ushers, and greeters. If you can help, please contact Rebecca Dougherty or Naomi Armstrong as soon as possible. Please help if you can.

**James W.'s eagle project has been postponed due to weather.** James is working to reschedule this workday. An announcement will go out at the troop meetings and via email once he has a new date.

**Thank you! Thank you!**

A **BIG** thank you to Mr. Chris & Mrs. Rebecca Dougherty for all their help on the Lexington trip. It's greatly appreciated.

Also, thank you to everyone that completed the troop, plc or committee surveys! It provided the troop leadership with some very helpful information, and in turn will help to strengthen our troop program.

## **Upcoming dates:**

1/31 – troop meeting – climbing merit badge.

2/5 – Scouting for Food

2/7 – troop meeting – climbing merit badge.

2/10 – Tonkawa Roundtable

2/12-13 – Troop JLT @ Hills & Hollows

2/13 – Scout Sunday @ FUMC

2/18-20 – Climbing campout at Hermit's Cave. Cost is \$30.

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2/21 – PLC meeting  
2/24 – Troop Committee Meeting  
2/25-26 – Brownsea  
3/5 - Spaghetti Dinner – FUMC  
3/7 – Troop Meeting – OA  
elections, Welcome Ceremony, 1<sup>st</sup>  
summer camp payment due  
(\$77.50)  
3/11-13 – New scout campout  
3/19-23 Wichita Mountains –  
Approximate cost including gas is  
\$45.00  
3/28 – PLC meeting  
3/31 – Troop Committee Meeting

**Upcoming Youth Training Opportunities:**

Brownsea Training is being offered Feb. 25-27, 2005 by the Tonkawa District.

Twin Arrows training is being offered at by the Longhorn Council at Sid Richardson Scout Ranch on these dates:

March 12-17, 2005  
July 3-8, 2005  
July 10-15, 2005

If you are interested in these courses, please contact Ronda Dausch, to let her know of your interest. Scouts must be recommended by the scoutmaster in order to attend either BrownSea or Twin Arrows.



Lexington Group inside the carrier.



James, Phillip & Glen in the mess hall.



The USS Lexington

**Quote for the month:**

“Hard work spotlights the character of people: some turn up their sleeves, some turn up their noses, and some don't turn up at all.” - [Sam Ewing](#)