

Appendix 124 to  
***THE HISTORY OF SCOUTING IN SOUTH GEORGIA***

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**Chehaw Council**  
***Drumbeats from 1981***  
*(Thanks to Rodney Hutchinson for these Drumbeats)*

# CHEHAW DRUMBEAT

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## FRAZER CHALLENGES ADULTS TO RECRUIT NEW MEMBERS

Each year the Boy Scouts of America, ask you, the unit leaders, to open the door of your unit to other youth in your community. This year is no different...We call it the Fall Roundup.

Your Council has an enviable record over the past five years of serving an ever increasing number of youth. We are Number One in the State of Georgia and Number Two in the Southeast Region. It is because of you that the record was made, we now ask that you help the Council maintain that record. Other volunteers and the professional staff are committed to assist you.

**Cubmasters:** We would like to work with you and hold a Cub Scout School Night in every school in the 17 county area to invite Cub age boys and their parents to join the fun of Cub Scouts. You will be contacted by your District Scout Executive shortly.

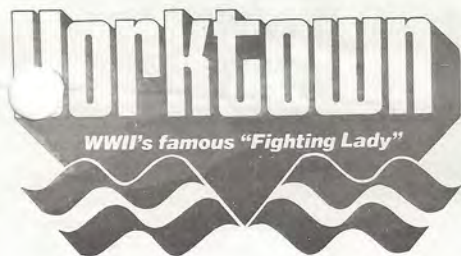
**Scoutmasters:** We would like to suggest that you have an Open House Troop meeting and invite Scout age boys and their parents to join your unit. Your District Executive will have surveys from schools showing which boys want to join Scouting.

**Explorer Advisors:** We would like for you and your officers to plan and schedule a "First Nighter" in your Post. Your District Executive can help you with this program.

The Council will recognize the adults and youth members who participate in the Roundup program by offering:

- A. A special Roundup mug for leaders (Scoutmasters, Cubmasters, Explorer Advisors, Den Leaders, Webelos Leaders and their assistants and Den Leader Coaches.)
  - B. A special Roundup patch for each new member.
  - C. A Roundup patch with a special segment for the recruiter of a new member.
- A. For Scoutmasters, Cubmasters, Explorer Advisors, their assistants and Den Leader Coaches to qualify for these recognitions they should:
    1. Fill out a commitment sheet on page 4 and it be received in the Council Service Center prior to September 15, 1981 stating a minimum number of new members who will be recruited by the unit.
    2. The unit reach it's goal prior to December 31, 1981.
  - B. For all Den Leaders, Webelos Leaders, and their assistants who recruit two or more new members into their den, qualify for a roundup mug.
  - C. For each youth member who recruit a new member they will receive a Roundup patch and a special segment.
  - D. All new members will receive a special Roundup patch.

Recognition for Den or Webelos Leaders and their assistants, and youth members must be requested by the unit leaders. Recognition of unit leaders who qualify will be done by District Scout Executive, and will be presented at Roundtables and the District Annual Banquet.



### CAMPING ON THE AIRCRAFT CARRIER "YORKTOWN" - CHARLESTON, SC

Travel from Albany to Savannah through Cordele, Vidalia to I-16 to Savannah. Savannah to Charleston, SC on US 17 about 6½ hours.

The Yorktown is docked at Patriots Point across the harbour of Charleston. It is 888 feet and displaces 27,100 tons during WW II. In the 60's she served in the Vietnam War and recovered the Apollo 8 astronauts, the first men to reach the vicinity of the moon in 1968.

For further information call the Council Service Center or write direct to Patriots Point, P.O. Box 986, Mt. Pleasant, SC 29464.







#### SCOUT CAMPAIGN HAS RAISED MORE THAN 50% OF GOAL

George B. Plummer, Campaign General Chairman for the Total Development Fund, Chehaw Council, Boy Scouts of America, has announced the campaign has raised \$531,000.00 in pledges to date. This represents more than 53% of the \$995,000.00 minimum goal.

This minimum goal is committed to building new structures and renovating existing buildings at Camp Osborn in Worth County and to developing Camp Potter in South Dougherty County into a wilderness camp for weekend and holiday camping. The campaign will also be used to establish a \$200,000. Trust Fund to aid in the ongoing maintenance of Council Capital property and to supplement operating income.

Work on the two camps is required because of the growth of Scouting in the Chehaw Council. The Council now serves 4,850 youth members up from 3,352 in 1975. Past growth and further projections for growth make it mandatory that Camp Osborn be developed to serve a capacity of 1,200 Scouts.

Special areas will be developed for Scouts who are physically and mentally handicapped and an outpost camping area will be developed for Explorers and older Scouts.

Cub Scouts will benefit from the campaign through the construction of a picnic area for Cubs as well as a Father and Son overnight camping facility for the older Cubs known as Webelos.

The Campaign is scheduled to be active until the goal is reached and will solicit 36 month pledges from individuals, companies, corporations and other organizations.

#### BOY SCOUTS RECEIVE GIFT

Dean Blackburn and Michael Rogerson managers of Hardee's Restaurants in Albany has presented the Chehaw Council's Scout Executive Bud Symmes a check for \$814.00 to apply to the overall sales of the 1981 Scout Fair held in Albany, Americus, Cordele and Tifton.

Local Scouts sold tickets to the Fair held this past April and for each ticket sold, Hardee's agreed to financially support the local Boy Scout Council with a gift. The Scouts sold over 16,000 tickets which was the largest number of tickets ever sold during a Hardee's promotion.

Pictured with Scout Executive Symmes are Second Class Scout Terrell Tuten and Webelos Scout Rodney Davis.

#### COUNCIL CALENDAR

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| Sept. 1     | Nomination for District Award of Merit and Silver Beaver may be submitted to the Council Service Center. |
| Sept. 7     | Labor Day-Service Center Closed  |
| Sept. 18-20 | National Pecan Festival Albany   |
| Sept. 19    | Area V Public Speaking Contest   |
| Sept. 19    | Pecan Festival Parade  |
| Sept. 20    | Explorer Presidents Association (EPA) Meeting, Cordele   |
| Sept. 22    | Council Commissioners Staff Meeting  |
| Sept. 24    | Executive Board of the Council Meeting   |

#### PACKS ENTER PHYSICAL FITNESS COMPETITION

The National Cub Scout Physical Fitness Championship is open to all Cub Scout Packs, and summer is the time to prepare.

Each pack selects its winning three boy teams to compete in the council physical fitness championship. Each pack can enter as many teams as the council elimination to be held Oct.-10, 1981 at the Albany Mall.

(Indicate deadline and whether the council will conduct the event or will select council winner from score-sheets.)

Rules for the physical fitness championship have been sent to every pack, and additional copies are available from the council service center.

The 8, 9, and 10 year old teams take part in five events--standing long jump, softball throw, push-ups, sit-ups, and 50-yard dash.





District Chairman, Bob Edwards  
District Commissioners, Dennis Holly  
District Executive, Steve Taylor

#### CALENDAR

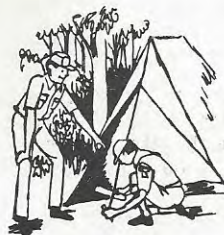
- Sept. 8 Cub & Scout Roundtables,  
7:30 P.M. Radium Springs  
Elementary School
- Sept. 15 District Committee  
Meeting, 7:30 P.M. Marine  
Corp Logistics Base.  
All Scouting Coordinators  
are expected to attend.
- Sept. 19 Pecan Festival Parade-  
Is your unit in the  
parade?
- Sept. 20 Explorer Presidents  
Association Meeting,  
6:30 P.M. Cordele. All  
Advisors & Post Presidents  
are expected to attend.
- Sept. 24 Executive Board Meeting

#### CAMPOREE DETAILS FORTHCOMING

Hey! Mr. Scout Leader. Here is another reason to attend the next roundtables. Details of the Fall Camporee will be given out at the September Roundtable. In order to arouse your curiosity, all Scouts and leaders who participate in the Fall Camporee will earn the SOAR patch. There will be several unique features such as service projects, competition and conservation all combined in such a way that you can decide how and when you participate all in a truly natural environment.

As in all our efforts, everything is planned for the benefit of our young people. We need your help to bring this experience to our kids. Please make your plans to attend the Sept. Roundtable on Sept. 8 at 7:30 PM at the Radium Springs Elementary School and the Fall Camporee on October 16-18.

As always, Webelos and leaders are invited to attend as a unit.



#### BOWLING TOURNAMENT ANNOUNCED FOR NOVEMBER

Now is the time to take to lanes and determine who has the best team of bowlers in the Pathfinder District. November 21st has been set as the date for our tournament. Tentative plans call for the competition to be held at the Bowling Alley at the Marine Corps Logistics Base in Albany. A cost has not been established but the cost will be kept to a minimum.

Two separate tournaments will be conducted on the 21st, one for the Boy Scout teams and one for the Cub Scouts. Each unit may field as many teams as they wish so long as each team is composed of five different boys. The average age of the Cub teams must be 9 years of age and Boy Scout teams must average 13 years old. This should enable younger boys to be able to compete.

The selection of your team or teams will be left up to your unit. Trophies will be awarded for top team, top series and top game in each division.

It is important for planning purposes that you help in early registration. Forms have been mailed to all Scoutmasters and Cubmasters and should be returned to Larry Pratt, tournament director.

For more information contact Larry Pratt at 435-4766 tournament director or one of the committeemen.

Fred Jenks 888-2774, Pat Hutchinson 776-7247 or Martha Unruh 883-6482. Reservations are on a first come basis.

# BOYS' LIFE

#### HOW DO WE KNOW WHAT YOU WANT?

That's a good question. It's not an easy question to answer but we have come up with two obvious answers.

First, the Scouting Coordinator needs to be at the monthly district committee meeting. A few reminders about the Scouting Coordinator. First, the Scouting Coordinator is not elected nor is it voluntary. The executive officer of the chartered organization has the privilege of appointing the Scouting Coordinator to represent their unit and organization to the district committee and council. We depend on your coordinator to express your views in the planning of the district activities.

Second, all leaders need to attend Roundtables. The sole purpose of roundtables is to supply you with the information to give your young people a quality program. Also valuable feedback on activities and programs is shared to make future programs even more successful. We need your attendance to make both these programs a success.

The answer to our question, come to the meetings and tell us.



Mr. Eley C. Frazer III  
President, Chehaw Council BSA  
930 W. Oglethorpe Blvd.  
Albany, GA 31701

Dear Eley,

Our unit Pack, Troop, Post # \_\_\_\_\_ will join you in the Council's effort to expand the Scouting program to youth.

We will exceed the total number of members we had on Dec. 31, 1981. We will recruit at least \_\_\_\_\_ new members in our unit before Dec. 31, 1981.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_ UNIT # \_\_\_\_\_

#### WHERE TO GO CAMPING

"Where to go camping" will be a new for Drumbeat starting with this issue. It is hope it will prove to be helpful to troops in planning new and different weekend camping trips. Troop leaders are invited to send in their favorite or unique camping site to "Drumbeat" c/o of the Council Service Center.

#### RUSTY UNRUH - A SPECIAL THANKS

On a very short notice Rusty Unruh and Troop 101 came to the Scouting aid by developing and putting together a great display for the United Way fair at the Albany Mall. Plans that had been developed fell through and a call to Rusty was all that was needed for a "let's go". Thanks! Rusty you are a great one and we sincerely appreciate yours and troop 101's support.

#### LIFE SCOUT ENABLES HOSTAGES TO ESCAPE

When James Vincent Lopez achieved the rank of Life Scout in Troop 4 of Holy Angel Catholic Church, Globe, Ariz., he didn't know that some years later the lives of five diplomats would depend on his Scout training.

On November 4, 1979, when Marine Corps Sergeant James Vincent Lopez stood guard duty alone at the United States embassy in Teheran, the embassy was attacked by a heavily armed mob.

Sergeant Lopez single-handedly held off the militants for 3 hours.

His action enabled the embassy staff to destroy secret documents and visa plates. His leadership permitted the escape of the five American diplomats who were secretly given protection by the Canadian embassy.

He as also credited with scrawling the slogan, "Viva la roja, blanca y azul" on the embassy walls. Since none of the militants knew Spanish, the slogan remained. The translation is "Long live the red, white, and blue."

#### COUNCIL LAUNCHES "SOAR" PROGRAM EMPHASIS

A year-long national program emphasis begins September 1 with the slogan, "Save Our American Resources (SOAR) . . . for the Better Life."

A guide for leaders of packs, troops, and posts have been distributed by mail in August.

By including SOAR in unit programs, Scouting members will be inspired to become aware of how decisions by individuals and society affect natural resources.

Two major events are on the schedule for the year--Scouting Energy Day on Saturday, October 3, and Scouting Environment Day, on Saturday, April 24, 1982.

With the suggestions in the unit leader's guide, packs, troops, and posts can make use of existing opportunities for conservation and environmental action through Scouting.

The Council's six districts also will include SOAR in their Scouting activities for the year.

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## A black and white line drawing of a young boy kneeling on the ground, facing left. He is wearing a headband with a feather, a short-sleeved shirt, and shorts. He is playing a large, round drum with both hands. The drum has a pattern of four diamonds on its face.

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WE SALUTE . . . OUR COMMISSIONERS

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| Oct. | 4     | Explorer Road Rally   |
| Oct. | 10    | Cub Physical Fitness<br>Contest, Albany Mall,<br>9:00 A.M. until. |
| Oct. | 16-18 | Camporees for Districts<br>1,2,4,6                                |
| Oct. | 23-25 | Camporee's for Districts<br>3 & 5                                 |
| Oct. | 27    | Council Commissioner<br>Staff Meeting                             |
| Oct. | 29    | Council Executive Board<br>Meeting                                |
| Oct. | 30    | Deadline for nominations<br>for the District Award<br>of Merit    |
| Oct. | 30-31 | O.A. Fall Fellowship  |



The rafters completed a four mile course across dead water. A covered dish supper was held after the race and was enjoyed by both parents and explorers.

Another real friend of a pack or troop is the district roundtable commissioner who provides monthly program oriented meetings for unit leaders and committees.

This service is part of the council operating budget which comes from United membership enrollment.

"SOAR" PROGRAM EMPHASIS

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Whether it's something to show to parents or to prospective Explorers, the following may be helpful and may be borrowed from the council service center:

What Is Exploring. Overall orientation program to acquaint adults with Exploring. Slides and cassette. Both may be checked out from the Council Service Center.

## CUB AND SCOUT LEADER TRAINING

In the Chehaw Council we will be offering for Cub leaders a series of training courses in the Pow Wow series. It will be on November 14, 1981 starting at 9:00 A.M., Albany, GA.

Mark your calendar and plan to be with us at one of these events.



## "Coming In '82"



1982 marks the 125th anniversary of the birth of Robert Baden-Powell. It also marks the 75th anniversary of the birth of the Scouting program. Watch for this logo in next month's Drumbeat announcing a special program for your pack, troop or post.





District Chairman, Greg Fullerton  
District Commissioner, Darrold Termunde  
District Executive, Gordon Davis

#### CALENDAR

Oct. 6 7:30 P.M. Commissioner Meeting, Golden Corral Restaurant  
Oct. 10 Cub Scout Physical Fitness Contest, Albany Mall  
Oct. 13 Cub and Scout Roundtable 7:30 P.M. St. Paul's  
Oct. 15 District Annual Business Meeting  
Oct. 16-18 District Camporee, Camp Potter  
Oct. 27 Council Commissioner Staff Meeting  
Oct. 30 Deadline for nominations for District Award of Merit  
Oct. 30-31 O.A. Fall Fellowship, Camp Osborn

#### FALL ROUNDUP

For each boy who recruits a new member they will receive a roundup patch and special segment.

All new members will receive a special roundup patch.

For all den leaders, webelos leaders, and their assistants who recruit two or more new boys into their den qualify for a roundup mug.

For Scoutmasters, Cubmasters, Explorer advisors, their assistants and den leader coaches to qualify for these recognitions they should fill out a commitment sheet and have it in the Council Office by September 15 and reach the unit goal by December 31.

#### DISTRICT CAMPOREE

The Flint District Camporee will be held October 16-18 at Camp Potter. The theme for the camporee will be "Cook Your Catch". The activities will be around pioneering and things that can be caught or trapped from the river. The guide will be mailed to Scoutmasters and Webelos Leaders soon.

#### CUB SCOUT PHYSICAL FITNESS CONTEST OCTOBER 10, ALBANY MALL

All packs should be holding their pack run offs and building teams of 8, 9, 10 year olds for the Council run off. A pack can't enter more than one team.



District Chairman, Wade Barr  
District Commissioner, Jim Floyd  
District Executive, Bob Weldy

#### CALENDAR

Sept. 26 O.A. Lodge Officers Training  
Oct. 4 Explorer Road Rally  
Oct. 8 Key-3  
Oct. 13 Cub Roundtable  
Oct. 13 Scout Roundtable  
Oct. 14 Unit Commissioners Meeting  
Oct. 19 District Annual Business Meeting  
Oct 30-Nov. 1 O.A. Fall Fellowship

#### DISTRICT FALL ACTIVITIES

Big things are taking place in the Kinchalee District this Fall. The first big activity will be the Boy Scout Fall Camporee.

The Camporee will take place during Oct. 16-18 at Dr. Frank Wilson's pond. It will be a Scout Craft Skill weekend with patrol competitions.

In November the District will hold the Annual Banquet. Each unit should plan to attend this event even if they don't attend any other event.

The other big activities are school nights. If your unit is in need of membership in youth or adults.

#### UNITS TO RECHARTER

During the month of September the only unit to recharter is Pack 201 sponsored by the L.D.S. Church in Americus. The October units are Troop 213 and 226; Pack 26, 226, 122 and 213.

As your units time comes to recharter, make sure it will be on time. The first step toward obtaining the "honor Units" award is to recharter on time.

#### TO ALL THE PEOPLE OF THE KINCHALEE DISTRICT

During the past 15 months, I have enjoyed working and getting to know everyone in the district. During this period, the Kinchalee District has climbed to the position of being one of the best in the Council. While I will be moving on, the Kinchalee District should keep moving to the top.

I would like to thank the following people who were helpful to a brand new District Executive: Bill Moncrief, Wade Barr, Joe Eason, Tom Crittenden, Dick Cloutier, Dr. Frank Wilson, Max Hardy, Larry Lynch, Jim Floyd, Robert Morgan and last but not least, John Rivers. While I will miss all of the Scouts and leaders in the district, I will only be "across the river". Good luck to all.

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District Chairman, Bill Miller  
District Commissioner, David Hege  
District Executive, Barney Philpot

#### CALENDAR

Oct. 1 Cub Roundtable  
Oct. 1 Scout Roundtable  
Oct. 5 Key-3, Shoney's 12:00 Noon  
Oct. 6 District Comm. Mtg.  
Oct. 10 Cub Scout Physical Fitness Contest  
Oct. 16-18 District Camporee

#### SCHOOL NIGHTS CUBS

We have already held school nights for Cubs in Ashburn and Omega. We need to have all school nights completed by the end of September. The cub program really looks good for the upcoming year. The cub program needs to really grow this year in the District and the months of September and November are the best months. Let's don't waste this valuable time.

#### SCHOOL NIGHTS SCOUTS

In the past years, we have really had some good school nights for Scouts. We seem to have the best success last year when we had all boys interested in joining Scouts meet with all the scoutmasters one night and join the troop of your choice. If we want to do this again this year we need to get busy.

#### SCOUT NEWS

October will be a busy month for Scouts in District 3. We have the county fair the week of the 12th. Don't forget to sign up for a booth at the fair, I know your troop can use \$50.00. We have the camporee and the sun belt expo. The Scouts have the aluminum can contest session. Also the Cub Scout Physical Fitness Contest in Albany is the 10th. I think just about every weekend in October is filled.

#### A SPECIAL THANKS

I want to take this opportunity to thank all of you volunteers for the help you have given me in this past year of Scouting. I have enjoyed working with each of you and will continue to work with and support you in anyway that I can in the future.





District Chairman, Bob Edwards  
District Commissioner, Dennis Holley  
District Executive, Steve Taylor



District Chairman, Roy Totten  
District Commissioner, Joel Haley  
District Executive, Barney Philpot



District Chairman, Ray Perkins  
District Commissioner, Vacant  
District Executive, Dale Baker

#### CALENDAR

Oct. 3 District Cub Leaders Training, 9 A.M. until 5 P.M., Camp Osborn  
Oct. 4 Explorer Road Rally, 9 A.M. begins at Council Service Center; ends at Camp Osborn  
Oct. 10 Cub Scout Physical Fitness, Albany Mall  
Oct. 13 Cub and Boy Scout Roundtable, 7:30 Eadison Springs Elem.  
Oct. 16-18 District Fall Camporee - ON P.M. Check-in Camp Osborn  
Oct. 19 District Committee & Council Business Meeting - 400 Marine Corp Logistics Base 3500 Building  
Oct. 19-20 Fall Fellowship

#### DISTRICT CAMPOREE

##### ALIFIES FOR SOAR PROGRAM

On Oct. 17, and 18 Participants District will hold their Fall Camporee at Camp Osborn. We will camp on the site and participate in the Save Our Endangered Resources Program. Any Scout or Scouter who participates in the Camporee receives the SOAR patch and conservation camporee segment. Competition will be conducted in a unique way with a conservation theme running through the events. Details are included in a brochure that has been delivered to each unit leader. The cost of the camporee is \$2.25 per participant which includes patch, segment, insurance and troop ribbons. Registration begins at 4 P.M. on Friday. All troops are urged to participate and Cub Scouts may participate as a patrol of a sponsoring troop.

#### CALENDAR

Oct. 6 District Comm. Mtg.  
Oct. 10 Cub Scout Physical Fitness Contest  
Oct. 13 Cub and Scout Roundtable 7:00 First Presby. Church  
Oct. 16-18 District Camporee  
Oct. 20 District Annual Business Meeting

#### RECHARTER

It's that time of year again, so let's get ready. Look at your troop charter and see if this is your troop recharter month. You will be contacted by your Scout Executive shortly and the process will begin. Let's not let it sneak up on us this year.

#### SCHOOL NIGHTS

We have already held some school nights, but need to do some more. We need to get the troops as large as we can, and get as many boys as possible involved in the program. If you need boys let us help you get them.

#### A SPECIAL THANKS

I want to take this opportunity to thank all of you volunteers for the help you have given me in this past year of Scouting. I have enjoyed working with each of you and will continue to work with and support you in anyway that I can in the future.

#### CALENDAR

Oct. 3 Scout Energy Day  
Oct. 11 O.A. Ex. Comm. Mtg.  
Oct. 16-18 District Camporee  
Oct. 24 Region Public Speaking Contest  
Oct. 29 Executive Board Meeting  
Oct. 30 Deadline for District Award of Merit Nom.

#### FALL ROUNDUP

Cubmasters will shortly be called upon to assist in promoting a Cub Scout school night in your area. We will be inviting Cub Scout age boys and their parents to meet with us at a school in their area and to join our program if they see fit. If you are asked to help in this effort, please don't hesitate to do so.

Scoutmasters can also participate by holding an open house troop meeting where boys of Scouting age can visit your troop meeting and be given the opportunity to join your troop. With the help of Cub and Scoutmasters, we can look toward a membership growth and a successful fall roundup.

#### CAMPOREE

The District Camporee will be held October 16-18. As of this publishing date, no site has been determined for the Camporee. By the time you read this, however, we will have nailed down a site and an agenda for the camporee. All scoutmasters are urged to bring their troops to the Camporee. The Fall Camporee is the big event of the season for Scouters and the last opportunity to get together as a District for a weekend of camping and fun.

#### T.D.F.

The Total Development Campaign is still going on in our District. We are slowly gaining momentum in our four counties. I urge all volunteers who have been asked to work in this campaign to continue to do an outstanding job so that we may make the campaign a success. It will be an investment in future Scouting to have an excellent camp, such as Camp Osborn will be when we conclude the campaign and finish construction on the camp.



FLINT DISTRICT CUB SCOUT  
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OPEN TO ALL FLINT DISTRICT CUB  
SCOUTS IN UNIFORM ONLY.

SAT., OCTOBER 24, 1981  
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\$1.50

TO INCLUDE 1 HOUR PRE-GAME PRACTICE,  
1-GAME PACK PLAYOFF, SUDDEN-DEATH  
HOLES (IF NECESSARY).

TROPHIES TO FIRST 3-PLACE  
FINISHERS IN EACH PACK.

FOR YOUR PACK'S RESERVATIONS AND STARTING  
TIME CALL BRUCE GAREY AT 439-0546.

CUB SCOUT ROUNDTABLE OCTOBER 13

The November theme: "Discover America" geologist activity badge for Webelos. The Roundtable staff are hard at work putting together a roundtable program for Cub leaders. This program for cub leaders. This promises to be one of the most fun filled roundtables in a long time.

The Roundtable staff is making materials for every pack in the district. We will phoning Cubmasters and Den Leaders to make sure we get someone from every pack. See you at the roundtable.

District 6 Continued

RECHARTER KITS

It is that time of the year when troops, packs and posts need to renew their charters with the Boy Scouts of America. Soon, a member of the professional staff of the Council will deliver to each unit leader a recharter kit. This will recharter your unit for another year. Please, when you receive your recharter kit, do the paper work and return it promptly in order to avoid problems and lapses in your unit status.

ROUNDTABLES

The Cub Scout Roundtable and Boy Scout Roundtable meeting is held the 2nd Tuesday night of each month at the First United Methodist Church in Americus. We have two Roundtable Commissioners who are well qualified. Wayne Sprouse is the Cub Roundtable Commissioner and has been involved in Cub Scouting for several years. He was a very successful leader in both Pack 122 and 26.

Jeff Scott is the Boy Scout Roundtable Commissioner, and comes with an equally impressive background. Jeff has held numerous Scouting positions ranging from ASM to unit commissioner.

If you do not know these two people you need to come to a Roundtable and get acquainted.

SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Troop 26 sponsored by the First Baptist Brotherhood in Americus, has perfect attendance at the Boy Scout Roundtable. Clark Brookins the Scoutmaster and Claude Speers his Assistant have not missed a Roundtable in 14 months. That is a good record some of the other troops could set their sights one.

A JOB WELL DONE

Jim Floyd, the District Commissioner is doing a super job. As of this printing, he has a commissioners staff to units ratio of 1 unit commissioner to 3.88 units. The idea is 1 to 3. Keep up the good work Jim.

CUB LEADER TRAINING AT OSBORN

We will conduct a day-long Cub Scout Leader Training course at Camp Osborn on October 3 from 9 A.M. until 5 P.M. The schedule is such that by days end, the new leader will have received the basic training except the Webelos Outdoor experience. This will be scheduled at a later date.

Our course is scheduled to accommodate those who have had partial training experience. Our schedule begins at 9 A.M. in the Administration Building of Camp Osborn. From 9 A.M. until 12 noon we will cover the Cub Scout Program and Program Planning. This course is of interest to all leaders. At 12 noon we will have a pack lunch (brought by you; we provide the drinks; bring 50¢ for the kitty). From 1 P.M. until 3 P.M. we will conduct Pack Administration and Pack Relations for the Pack Committee, Cubmasters and Assistants and is optioned for Webelos Leaders. Also from 1 P.M. to 3 P.M. we will conduct Den Activities and Den Administration for Den Leaders and Assistants, Den Leader Coaches and optional for Webelos Leaders. From 3 P.M. until 4 P.M. we will conduct the Webelos Den Program for Webelos Leaders and Assistants, Cubmasters and assistants and optional for Den Leaders.

Encourage all leaders to attend this valuable training experience to prepare them for the Cub Pow Wow and their positions in Cub Scouting. Their most valuable asset is the fully trained leader.



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## COUNCIL CALENDAR

- Oct. 30 Deadline for District Award of Merit Nominations
- Nov. 14 Cub Pow Wow, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Albany
- Nov. 14 Scout Show'N Do, Camp Osborn
- Nov. 19 Council Annual Business Meeting, Hereford Ranch, 2102 East Oglethorpe Blvd., Albany
- Nov. 24 Council Commissioner Staff Meeting
- Nov. 26-27 Thanksgiving, Council Office Closed



## BOY SCOUT TROOPS CAN EARN HONOR UNIT AWARD

By meeting certain standards at the time of charter renewal, Boy Scout troops can earn the Honor Unit Award.

An Honor Unit receives a streamer for the troop flag, its members are eligible for the individual recognition patch, and leaders receive a certificate.

The requirements are based on the "10 Tests of Successful Troops" and include reregistering on time, a membership inventory, one or more assistant Scoutmasters, Scoutmaster who has completed training, four boards of review and four courts of honor during the year, and attend summer camp.

In addition, the troop must complete at least two of five tests: At least 40 percent of the Scouts must have had 10 days and nights of camping during the year, 100 percent of troop families receive Boys' Life, use of the budget plan, regular meetings of adult leaders and committee, and one service project or community service program during the year.

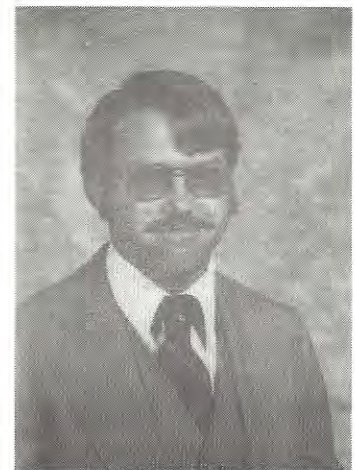
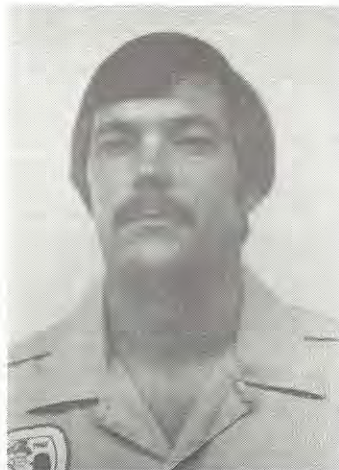
Complete details will be on the application which will be included in your troop's Charter Renewal Kit.

Packs and posts also can earn these recognitions.

## DISTRICT 4

### BOWLING TOURNAMENT LOCATION CHANGED

Due to circumstances beyond our control we have relocated our Nov. 21 Bowling Tournament. The new location will be at Bowl-A-Rama on Broad Avenue in Albany across from the Midtown Mall. The cost will be \$2.50 per person which includes 3 games, shoes and trophies. Team will consist of 5 members. The tournament is open to both Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts. Your unit may field as many teams as you can muster. If possible, you team age should average 9 for Cubs and 13 for Scouts. All teams should be registered by November 10. No teams will be allowed to participate if not Pre-registered. We need your help on this point. We must make a financial commitment on Nov. 10 to Bowl-A-Rama. The tournament will be held from 1 PM until 3 PM on Nov. 21. Team my register by calling Larry Pratt at 435-4766.



### WELDY PROMOTED - TWO JOIN STAFF

"Bob Weldy, District Executive in the Chehaw Council serving the Kinchalee District has been promoted to serving the East and Blackshear Trail Districts", said Bud Symmes, Council Scout Executive, "Bob has been with us since May 1980 and has been doing a very good job in serving the young people in the Kinchalee's four counties. We look forward to Bob continuing this fine work how that he has these new and bigger responsibilities.

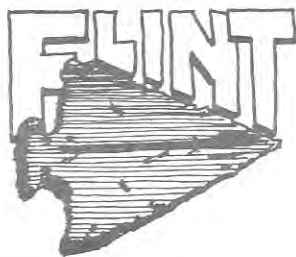
From South Carolina, the Council is fortunate in finding two very fine and qualified District Executives to serve the counties in the Kinchalee and Kolomoki Districts.

Ed Harvey from Myrtle Beach, SC has assumed the duties in the Kinchalee District on October 1st. Ed graduated from the University of Scout Carolina and has played two years of semi-professional football. He has served as a unit commissioner for the past year.

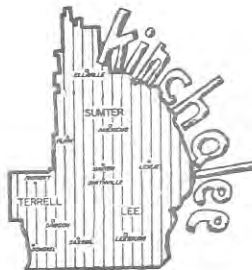
Tim Lee moved to the Kolomoki District in October and is serving as their District Executive. As Ed, Tim also graduated from the University of South Carolina and played semi-professional football. In fact, he once tried out for the Atlanta Falcons.

"We look forward to having these two fine professional Scouters working on our staff" said Bud Symmes, and we are looking forward to continuing the growth we have been enjoying these past few years.





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#### CALENDAR

- Nov. 3 7:30 P.M. District Commissioner Meeting, Golden Corral, Albany
- Nov. 9 5:30 P.M., Key Three
- Nov. 10 Cub Roundtable, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, 7:30 P.M.
- Nov. 12 Scout Roundtable, Lutheran Church, 7:30 P.M.
- Nov. 14 Cub Pow Wow Training, St. Paul's Church, 9 A.M.-4 P.M., Albany
- Nov. 14 Scout Show'N Do Training, Camp Osborn, 9 A.M. - 9 P.M.
- Nov. 19 District Committee Mtg. 7:30 P.M.
- Nov. 24 District Annual Banquet, Porterfield Church, 7:30 P.M.

#### DISTRICT ANNUAL BANQUET

The District Annual Banquet will be held November 17, 7:00 P.M. at Porterfield Methodist Church. We are asking each unit to select a unit banquet person from the mothers of the unit. Keith Pry Banquet Chairman will be having a meeting of all unit chairpersons early in October. This years banquet with the help of your unit can be the biggest and best ever held.

#### DISTRICT CAMPOREE A BIG SUCCESS

Pat O'Lear Camporee Chief did a great job in making this camporee one of the most enjoyable one ever. Nothing but praise from unit leaders and scouts.

"Cook Your Catch" was alot of fun as many different kings of traps and fishing devises were used from the Scout Handbook; Troop 9 Don Clegg Scoutmaster showed us all how its done with the only catch from the Flint River.

Over all winner was Troop 3 Carlton Ussery Scoutmaster.



#### FALL CAMPOREE

Six troops converged on Dr. Frank Wilson's Farm on the weekend of Oct. 16, 17, 18 to compete in an assortment of scout skills. In attendance were troops 21, 26, 27, 70, 226 and 229. Troop 27 walked away with top honors for the camporee.

Many thanks go out to Jim Floyd Camporee Chief, Richard Dennis Camporee Judge, Clark Brookins, Ed Fox, Tom Crittenden Jr. and Wade Barr for helping staff. The district staff also thanks the following for contributing to the camporee, Dr. Frank Wilson, Davison Rubber Co., Ted Turner of Shiver Lumber Co. and Mr. Don Curtis.

#### NEW EAGLES

Monday night, October 12, Scouts Ray Brookins Jr. and Kevin Underwood received their Eagle Scout awards. Thanks to Claude Speers, R. C. Brooksin, Henry Underwood and First Baptist Church for awards program.



The district welcomes Tom Crittenden as new assistant district commissioner for Terrell County area.

#### ED HARVEY, NEW DISTRICT EXECUTIVE

I was raised in Berkley Springs, W. VA, where I attended high school and lettered in football, wrestling, track and baseball. I attended West Virginia Tech, while there played on the schools football and golf team. I graduated from the University of South Carolina at Costal. I come to Americus from Myrtle Beach. After college I was involved in the family business at the beach. Also I am a former semi-professional football player and canoe and fishing guide. I am very involved in all out-door recreations.

Ed Harvey

#### CALENDAR

- Nov. 1 Scout Roundtable
- Nov. 14 Cub Pow Wow Training, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Albany
- Nov. 14 Scout Show'N Do, Camp Osborn
- Nov. 24 District Annual Banquet
- Nov. 26-27 Thanksgiving-Scout Office Closed
- Dec. 4 O.A. Banquet
- Dec. 6 Scout Roundtable

#### ANNUAL BANQUET

Mark your calendar for Nov.24. The East District will have their Annual Banquet at the American Legion Post 31 in Tifton. All adults in the Cub, Boy Scouts and Explorers are invited. It will a pot luck style and each unit should plan to attend.

Mary Hege is the Banquet Chairm and will be getting in touch with ea unit in the near future.

#### NEW UNIT

There is a new unit the East District. A group of citizens in Omega decided that they needed Cub Scouting so they organized a Cub Pack. Pack 301 is small but growing.

Bill Johnson, the cubmaster will be an asset to the unit as well as Kenneth Roberts, assistant cubmaster, Walter McFarlad, assistant cubmaster, Bob Kirkland, webelos leader, Cher Tilley, den leader and Carol Preston, den leader.

Pack 301 looks like they will be a Pack on the rise in the East District.

#### UNITED WAY

The Tift County United Way has began their annual campaign. I would like to encourage everyone in Tift County and support the United Way. By supporting the United Way, you support Scouting.

I would like to take this opportunity to say that being a new memk in the East District, I have been ma to feel welcome and at home. I look forward to working with each and everyone in this district.

Bob Weldy





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#### LAST CHANCE FOR DISTRICT AWARD OF MERIT NOMINATIONS

November 1, 1981 is the deadline for all district award of merit nominations. The district award of merit is given to those Scouters who have rendered exceptional service to Scouting on the district level in activities, finance, or service. Many deserving Scouters will go unrecognized due to the fact they were not nominated. Please take the time to send in the nomination for your deserving candidate.

#### NOVEMBER BANQUET SLATED FOR RADIUM SPRINGS

The Annual District Banquet is scheduled for November 17, 1981. The banquet will be held at the Radium Springs Elementary School at 7:30 P.M. The banquet will be a covered dish supper. Each unit should bring enough for your unit plus one. There will be a 75¢ per person fee to cover the drinks and accessories. Each unit will be responsible for a centerpiece for your table. The district will provide tea, coffee, table covering, plates, knives, forks and spoons. This banquet is for adults only, no Scouts. All leaders, committeemen, spouses and parents are urged to attend. The district banquet is a time when we recognize the accomplishments of units and volunteers. Such recognitions include honor units, summertime pack awards, national camping awards, eagle scouts, training awards, scouter's key, woodbadge and much more. The highlight of the night will be the presentation of the District Award of Merit, the highest award that can be presented by a district to a volunteer Scouter. Please make your units reservation to the Council Service Center by November 13, 1981 so we can have the appropriate number of tables set up.



#### CALENDAR

Nov.	10	District Annual Banquet
Nov.	14	Cub Pow Wow, St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Albany
Nov.	14	Scout Show'N Do, Camp Osborn
Nov.	26-27	Thanksgiving-Scout Office Closed
Dec.	8	Cub and Scout Roundtable

#### ROUNDTABLE

The Cub and Boy Scout Roundtable will be held at the First Presbyterian Church in Cordele. The church is located across the street from the First United Methodist Church. Make plans to attend because this is the only place you can get supplemental training and keep track of what's going on in the district.

#### THANKS

There have been some people who were very helpful to the district this past month. First, I would like to thank Carlton Farmer who has helped locate and identify people for Scouting. Harold Plerres, Dick Kitchens and Johnny Lighten have helped to promote Scouting. Finally, I would like to recognize Joel Haley and Jim Eidson for promoting Scouting by helping run a school night (which by the way, resulted in a new unit). Last but not least is Ben Turner. Mr. Turner has been helpful in making appointments and meetings with people in the Total Development Fund.

#### MEMBERSHIP

The Blackshear Trail district has 4 Cub Packs, 8 Troops and one Post for a total of 13 units. Our membership is as follows: 114 Cubs, 114 Scouts and 6 Explorers. As you can see, we have got a lot of room for growth in Dooley, Crisp and Wilcox Counties.

I would like to take this opportunity to say hello to everyone in the district. I feel there is great potential for this district and with the help of everyone, can make this one of the best districts in the council.

Bob Weldy

#### MEMBERSHIP

The Kolomoki District had a (+20) growth over September 1980. This is a good sign that the Fall Roundup is off to a good start in our district. We have shown a plus in every phase of Scouting except Boy Scouts and Explorers.

These two areas that need to show growth can be accomplished in the Fall Roundup.

#### TOTAL DEVELOPMENT FUND

The campaign to renovate Camp Osborn is still going strong. Congratulations and thanks to Calhoun County Chairman Tom Allen and the workers of Calhoun County for continuing to do an outstanding job for our drive to secure funds for the camp face lift. I urge all our workers in all counties in our district to make a major effort to help us achieve our goal and to dig deep when approached for help by workers or members of the Council staff. Again every effort you have or will make is certainly appreciated.

#### ADVANCEMENT

A good indicator of how solid a unit is, is the amount of advancement shown throughout the year. Thanks to excellent leadership, our district is showing a very large plus over last year. There is not enough space to let each unit, but suffice to our unit leaders are doing a good job in this area. It is essential for leaders to urge their members to advance and also set up programs and situations that stress this area of the Scouting program.

#### RECHARTER

As always, towards the end of the year, the Council Office is in the process of rechartering units in the Council. Unless you are a new unit, you will soon be receiving a recharter kit that will contain instructions on how to recharter your unit. We are making a special effort to deliver these kits early enough for leaders to have enough time without being rushed to recharter. I urge you, upon receiving your kit, to take the proper steps to recharter your unit without delay.





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# CHEHAW DRUMBEAT

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## A SPECIAL TRIBUTE TO MRS. EDDIE HUCKABY - DEPARTED BUT WILL NEVER BE FORGOTTEN

The span of life is short indeed. Most of our time is taken up with necessary trivialities. Yet all of us want to make our lives as significant and as meaningful as we can. Whatever our station, all of us strive "to impart to our fleeting days an abiding worth." How can we make life more than a passage of time. You have heard the slogan "first things first". What are the first things that make life worth while?

There are few wiser words of advice than those of Scripture which tell us to place on our list of primacies a devotion to God to bring meaning and purposefulness to our existence; a devotion to our life work as an instrument for creative fulfillment and redemption from the frustration of inferiority; a dedicated commitment to the ideal of peach among men. These are things which must come first.

Mrs. Huckaby, we'll all miss you very much but especially the hundreds of boys and girls who parted your doorway weekly for Cub Scout and Brownie meetings will miss you more. There never will be another who will take your place in their little lives.

In memorial to Mrs. Eddie Huckaby, contributions in lieu of flowers may be made to the Chehaw Council Memorial Fund, Boy Scouts of America.

### COUNCIL CALENDAR

Dec.	4	Order of the Arrow Banquet
Dec.	17	Executive Board Meeting
Dec.	24-28	Council Office Closed
Dec.	31	Roundup Ends

### FRAZER ELECTED PRESIDENT

At the Annual Business Meeting of the Chehaw Council, Eley Frazer was elected President of the Council for his third term. Other officers elected were: Bob Rackham, Council Commissioner; Frank Etheridge, Treasurer; Vice Presidents elected were Ray Brooks, Clyde Davis and David Blitch.

Reaching an even larger group of youth in our Council with a balance and only slightly larger financial budget are two of our goals for 1982 says Frazer. Our goal is to have over 5000 youth in our council which will be the largest number of Scouts ever registered in the history of the Chehaw Council by the end of 1981 and 5300 next year. We are growing and will continue to grow with the help of our many fine volunteers.

### HIGH ADVENTURE TRIPS IN THE CHEHAW COUNCIL



Fifty three Scouts and eight adults will be participating next summer in two High Adventure trips sponsored by our Council.

Charles Waters, L. H. Howard, Wesley Kaylor, and Mike Touchstone will be taken fourty Scouts to Philmont by way of the Air Force Academy, Grand Canyon and Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. They will spend twelve days hiking at Philmont and nine days sightseeing in the West.

Dr. Bill Coleman and Darrold Termunde are taking thirteen Scouts to the Boundary Waters of Canada to the Charles L. Sommers Canoe Base. Good fishing and the adventure of the North Country always attract Scouts to return year after year.

To promote both of these trips, a information flyer is being mailed to all registered Scouts. Additional copies will be available at the Scout Office. Also High Adventure Rallies in larger communities in the Council will be held on December 6 and 13, 1981.

### HERE'S HOW . . .

To protect the reputation of Scouting and all Cub Scout Packs, Boy Scout Troops, and Explorer Posts, a policy has been established to help Scouting units with money-earning projects.

The unit budget plan takes into account the needs to operate a unit which depends on youth members to earn their own way.

But when the unit needs funds for special purposes (for example, equipment), the "10-Guides to Unit Money-Earning Projects" will ensure that a project will help in the education of youth members.

The Unit Money-Earning Application must be approved by the council service center and chartered organization.

The guide (which are listed on the form) call for other approvals, no competition with other money-raising efforts, in harmony with local ordinances and no stigma of gambling, commercial products sold on their merits, and selling as individuals (except for Scouting events).

In addition, buyers must get their money's worth, there is respect for other Scouting units in the same neighborhood, others will not lose as a result of your plan, the name and goodwill of the Boy Scouts of America will be protected, and contracts are signed by an individual without reference to the Boy Scouts of America.

Uniforms may not be worn when selling a commercial product or service.

### WE SALUTE . . . UNITED WAY LEADERS

As a member agency of United Ways in this area, we are proud of the men and women in the Chehaw Council who also devote time to these federated campaigns.

The Chehaw Council is a member agency of Dougherty, Sumter and Tift Counties United Way.

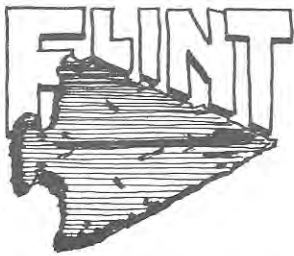
Scouting was one of the early supporters of federated campaigns and has always been in the forefront in providing people for key positions.

Among the many BSA people who are active in the United Ways are John Rivers, George Plummer, Milton Sterling and Bob Kennon.

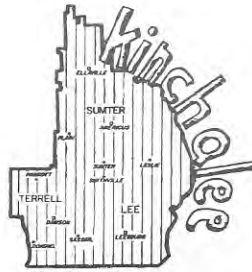
All BSA leaders are encouraged to assist with their United Way campaign since the council receives 40 percent of its operating budget through this cooperative effort.

The balance of the council budget comes from the sustaining membership enrollment among members, parents, and friends of Scouting which is conducted in the spring of each year.





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#### CALENDAR

- Dec. 1 7:30 P.M. Commissioner Staff Meeting
- Dec. 8 7:30 P.M. Cub Scout Roundtable, St. Paul's
- Dec. 12 9:00 A.M., Charter Renewal day, Lutheran Church, 1105 Second Ave.
- Dec. 17 7:30 P.M. District Committee Meeting
- Dec. 30 Roundup Ends

#### NEW EAGLE

On September 14, 1981, Jeff Brown-er was awarded his Eagle Scout Award. Jeff is a member of Troop 21 of Americus. At present Jeff is Jr. Asst. Scoutmaster of his troop. As a very dedicated Scout Jeff's many Scout achievements include O.A. member, Brown-Sea Training, Philmont, Camp Osborn Staff, and numerous troop awards. In conjunction with the members of Mago-lia Manor Jeff led the group on land-scape improvements. Congratulations Jeff on a job well done.

#### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to David Smith as being the newest Eagle Scout in the district. David was presented his Eagle at a Court of Honor held at the American Legion Post 21 in Tifton on November 9, 1981. David is a member of Troop 321, sponsored by the Legion and his Scoutmaster is Tim McRae.

Let's see if we can place some improvements on advancements this year and make this year the year the East District sored with the Eagles.

#### DISTRICT ANNUAL BANQUET

On November 24, 1981 the East Dis-trict held their District Annual Ban-quet. We had a great turn out and lots of fine food. The recipient of the District Award of Merit was Mr. Roy Touchstone.

Roy has been an adult member Troop 62 sponsored by First Methodist Church of Tifton. Roy is an 11 year veteran and a Woodbadger. He has 2 sons who are Eagle Scouts and another soon that is a life scout. He has been at every Court of Honor the Troop has had. Roy has taken an active part in Scouting activities within the Council and has promoted Scouting to the pub-lic.

#### MEMBERSHIP

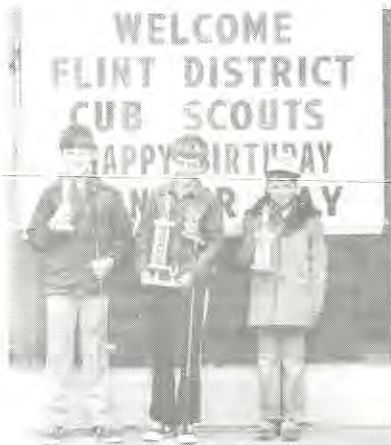
The East District is growing with membership in all areas. The present membership is 201 Cubs, 7 Packs, 216 Scouts, 10 Troops, 31 Explorers and 2 Post. There are many young people who would like to be involved in Scouting, but are not asked.

#### NEW UNITS

The Kiwanis Club of Tifton is the sponsor of a new Cub Pack. This is an E.M.R. Cub Pack and it is composed of students in the Special Ed program at G.O. Bailey Elementary School in Tifton. Pack 302 has 12 members and looks like they will be an active pack.

#### SPECIAL THANKS

Special thanks to Mary Jo Hege who took charge of the physical arrange-ments for the District Annual Banquet. Mary Jo did a fabulous job and without her help, the meeting would not have been near as good.



#### FLINT DISTRICT CUB PUTT-PUTT TOURNAMENT

Sixty Flint District Cub Scouts braved cold winds and rain to putt their way to victory on October 24 & 31. Packs 3, 6, 11, 99, 111, and 512 fielded teams of Cubs bent on victory. When the dust had settled this is how they fared: 1st place putter, flint district, Randall Tolbert, Pack 111 (pictured center above); 2nd place putter, flint district, Johnathan Doug-las, Pack 111 (pictured right above); 3rd place putter, flint district, Billy Piotrowski, Pack 3 (pictured left a-bove). Each contestant was awarded a special putt-putt neckerchief slide and certificate. First, second and third place finishers from each Pack also received trophies for their ef-forts. Congratulations to each boy who participated. We know you did your best!

#### WINTER CAMPOREE

All Boy Scout units have been in- vited to attend the Suwannee River Area Council Winter Camporee. This event is being hosted by International Paper Company and it is shaping up to an event not to miss. The dates are Dec. 4-6, 1981 in Bainbridge, GA and sev-eral units in our district have shown interest in attending. There will be many awards up for grabs and it would be a real plus for our district to make a good show. Hope to see several of our units there. For additional camporee information, contact Ed Har-vey at 924-1715.



#### THANKS

Many thanks to all the very nice folks throughout the Kinchalee Dis-trict that has made my move so enjoy-able. If I can be of any help in your units, please contact me. My address:  
Ed Harvey  
Park View Apts.  
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#### CALENDAR

Dec. 4 O.A. Banquet  
Dec. 4-6 International Paper  
Camporee-Bainbridge, GA  
Dec. 8 Cub & Scout Roundtable  
Fellowship-Radium Springs  
Elementary  
Dec. 12 Scoutmaster Training-  
Camp Osborn  
Dec. 15 District Committee Mtg.  
Dec. 17 Executive Board Meeting  
Dec. 20 Recharter Day  
Dec. 24-28 Christmas Holidays-Service  
Center Closed  
Dec. 31 Roundup Ends-Office Closed  
at Noon

#### DECEMBER ROUNDTABLE FOCUSED ON FUN AND FELLOWSHIP

Tuesday, December 8, should mark a new beginning of Roundtables in the Pathfinder District. The best thing to happen to us in some time happened by the volunteering of Martha Unruh as Cub Scout Roundtable Chairman. We want you to attend this Roundtable and tell us what you expect from Roundtables. December is also a time of sharing, giving and fellowship. Just for the fun of it Martha and I are throwing a Christmas party. We ask everyone to bring one dozen cookies, homemade or otherwise, to exchange. Also we want you to bring a small gift, not valued over \$2.00. We want to show you a unique way to give gifts. Be sure to bring a male gift if you're male or a female gift if you're a female and mark it accordingly.

As usual we will break into Cub Scout and Boy Scout groups for program help. Our roundtables are only as good as your attendance. Please come and share in our good times. We will discuss the division of Cub and Scout Roundtable. We need your input.

#### LARRY PRATT RECEIVES DISTRICT AWARD OF MERIT

On Tuesday, November 16, 1981 the Pathfinder District bestowed its most distinguished award, the Award of Merit to a most deserving Scouter, Larry Pratt. Larry is an active Scouter presently serving as an assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 101, committeeman of Pack 13 and district training Chairman. Larry has been a driving force behind our Webelos Camp program, serving as Webelos Camp Director for the past two years. He has assisted and co-ordinated many district activities and training sessions. Larry is a member of the Order of the Arrow. He has received the Den Leaders Training Award. We congratulate Larry on this achievement.

#### DISTRICT ANNUAL BANQUET

The Blackshear Trail District held their Annual Banquet on November 10 at the Crisp County High School cafeteria.

There were about 125 persons in attendance and most of the units in the district were represented.

Roy Totten was an excellent Master of Ceremonies and did a good job of organizing the overall banquet.

Those persons honored were: Floyd Greene of Troop 579, Pinecrest Baptist Church as the outstanding unit leader. Carlton Farmer of Troop and Post 522 was the 1981 recipient of the District Award of Merit. Carlton has been a main stay of Scouting in both the Blackshear Trail District as well as Dooly County for many years now.

There are always people who don't get recognized for doing an outstanding job, so we will recognize these people now. First, Joel Haley who has been the District Commissioner for the past year. Joel has done a great job and he took care of the physical arrangements at the banquet. Then there is Sam Irwin, who was the Advancement Chairman as well as Scout Fair Chairman. Ben Turner, who has helped in fund raising and just promoted Scouting in the District. Last, but not least, Roy Totten who served as District Chairman for 1980-81. Thanks to one and all for a job well done.

#### MEMBERSHIP

The youth membership for November was good and some of the units had large increases. Our membership is as follows: 149 Cubs, 5 Packs, 115 Scouts, 8 Troops, 6 Explorers and 1 Post. All in all, this is pretty good but remember, football season is over and there will be more young people who want to join Scouting.

#### FINANCE

There is a lot of work left to do and very little time to do it. We have run a good race, but the race is not over yet, so until we cross the finish line, we have to keep on racing. The key to success will be to make an appointment with a prospect and see him. There is no other way.

Here is a listing of funds raised by County:

Dooly - \$1,125.00  
Wilcox - \$360.00  
Crisp - \$12,745.00

#### HOW TO GET IN TOUCH

Tim Lee  
P.O. Box 741  
Blakely, GA 31723  
Phone: 723-6368

#### THANKS

Thank you, Roger Davis, President of the Lions of Blakely, and members of the Lions for sponsoring Troop 91. Also thanks to Robert Sheffield for graciously volunteering to be the new Scoutmaster of Troop 91. Another thanks to Mr. Paul and Mr. Oliver, principals of Arlington Elementary for the use of their schools, and Sara Causey for her help in this school night. Finally, thanks to you the voluntary for your money, time, and talents.

#### DISTRICT EXECUTIVE THOUGHTS

My goal for Kolomoki, District #6 is to be the best in the Chehaw Council. I believe that with each concern citizen and myself working as a team, we can make that goal become a reality. So team, let's get to work. It will be my privilege to work with each of you.

#### TOTAL DEVELOPMENT FUND

Please give so that our boys in the Chehaw Council will have a camping area that they so rightly deserve. They are the future of your community, so do it for them.

#### RECHARTERS

I am delivering your recharter kits please have them completed and returned before your deadline. This is important so that your Pack, Troop, or Post will continue the great work they have already started.

#### SPECIAL THANKS

A very special thanks to Mr. Guy Maddox of Blakely for his southern hospitality and the use of his guest house.

#### THOUGHT OF THE MONTH

Remember Scoutmasters and Scouts, God is Greater than any problem you have.



District 2 Continued

DISTRICT ANNUAL BANQUET

The District Annual Banquet will be held November 24, 7:00 P.M. at the First Methodist Church on S. Lee St. in Americus. This will be a covered dish dinner. We are asking unit leaders to contact Banquet Chairperson, Mrs. Linda Lynch at 924-2712 to reserve tables. Again, trophies will be given for best table decoration and for unit with most in attendance. All leaders, committeemen, spouses, and parents are urged to attend. The district will provide coffee and tea. The units are asked to provide their own table decorations, plates, knives, forks, and spoons. The District Banquet is a time when we recognize the accomplishment of units and volunteers. The highlight of the evening will be the presentation of the District Award of Merit, the highest Award that can be presented by a district to a volunteer Scouter. This year we are giving two. With your help we can have our biggest and best banquet ever. Please make reservations to Mrs. Lynch by November 20 so your unit will have tables waiting.

District 4 Continued

SCOUTMASTER TRAINING AVAILABLE

"Program Planning" and "How to run an effective Troop Meeting" are only two to the many subjects we will address on Saturday December 12 at Camp Osborn. Many new Scouters have recently joined our ranks and need the benefit of training. As we approach this course, we hope to draw from the experience of our veteran Scouters. We intend to use Scoutmasters as instructors. We will touch such subjects as handling finances, travel planning the outdoor program and summer camp. \$3.00 will be charged to cover the cost of lunch. The session will begin at 10:00 A.M. in the administration building. We will break at 12:00 for lunch and conclude at 3:00 P.M. Our objective is to provide the new Scout enough information to enable him to effectively conduct meetings and outings until he is able to attend more intense meetings. As always we welcome Scouters from the other districts in our Council. We ask that you pre-register by December 10.

District 6 Continued

OUTINGS

Troop 92 spent a weekend camping and learning about the outdoors. We to go, Troop 92, keepum going Ray. Anytime any Pack or Troop has an outing let me know, so I can put it in the Drumbeat.

District 5 Continued

UNITS

The following units will recharter in December: Pack 41, First Methodist Church, Cordele; Pack 526, Cordele Kiwanis Club; Troop 240, First Baptist Church, Cordele; and Troop 525, Rochelle Elementary School.

LOST AND FOUND

If anyone has found a knife, fork & spoon in a case at Camp Osborn, would you please notify the Council Office. It was lost on Saturday night, November 14, 1981. It was marked H.R.H.



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