Troop 51 Lexington

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TROOP 51!!

A Tale of Two Eagles!



Eagle Jack Boehle

with His Father Scoutmaster Pete Boehle.

Only 4% of Scouts ever earn the rank of Eagle Scout, It is an achievement that will impact their lives in ways that they have not even considered yet.

Tim Joynt and Jack Boehle have joined the 4% and earned their Eagle Rank.

In order to earn the Eagle Rank you must earn all the 13 Eagle Required Merit Badges plus an additional 8! That is 21 Merit Badges in all. Tim Has 33 Merit Badges and Jack has 36 Merit Badges. That is a lot of Merit Badge work!

Over the years in scouting Jack and Tim worked on the requirements one by one crossing off Eagle requirements as they progressed up the ranks. Each new rank completes important Eagle work! Start Early and Finish Strong.

What is the Easiest way to Eagle Scout?

- 1. Wait until you are 17 and work like heck.
- 2. Attack the needed Merit Badges and Go for it.
- 3. Work the Scout Program and Keep advancing.

Answer: Keep advancing, it's true, Eagle is for YOU!!

Two Eagles Cont.

The Eagle project crowns the process of earning the rank, projects must benefit the community or organization for which it is done. Jack led a project to build and place Owl Boxes along Memory Lane Route 66, benefiting local agriculture and the village by assisting in rodent control and provide some viewing opportunities for those who stroll on Memory Lane, Good Job!

Tim led a project that restored a nature walk at East Bay Camp in Hudson. The updated signs and kiosks providing interesting nature information on forests of Illinois for all who visit.

Take a family walk and See both projects!



Eagle Tim Joynt with His Parents, Lauri Joynt and Tim Joynt Sr.

Sept 28 Court of Honor 7 PM, Oct 5th, 12th, 19th Troop Meetings 7 PM Working on advancement For 2d class, 1st class, T-Foot. Oct 13 -15 Fall Camporee at Evergreen Lake (Camping) Nov 3-5 Humiston Woods (Camping)

Fun Fun Fun....

We have some Great Things Coming up, Fall is my favorite campouts! Fall Camporee is a Council wide event with many troops and so much to do! Nov3-5 at Humiston Woods is our Annual Flag Ceremony and Weblos Overnight! An Awesome Time parents are encouraged to attend even stay overnight!!! There will be a Fantastic Campfire to fill the night sky! He who stokes the fire is the Indian Name of our Campfire master. Don't Be shy come on By! We have lots of room.

To Join Scouting in Troop 51

- Attend any Scout Meeting applications always available.
- Contact Pete Boehle At 309-433-6764

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Awards For Court of Honor

Court Of Honor Rank Advancements: Life Rank – Trevor Renfro. Tenderfoot – Mathew Muir. Scout Rank – Foxx Beasly. Scout Rank – John McGlasson. Scout Rank - Caden Isaac Arteman.

Merit Badges: 26 Merit Badges!! 26 Merit Badges to Five Scouts, Nathan Rice, Jack Boehle, Trevor Renfro, Sam Gustafson, Tim Joynt.

Wood Badge Beads: Asst. Scoutmaster Tim Joynt

All Parents and Grandparents and Family Members are encouraged to attend the Court of Honor, Please come and support Your Scouts!

Come on By and Join us and Join Scouting. 2,740,458 Boys can't be wrong. Find out for yourself! (Number is from 2015 Statistics – Scout Youth Membership) The only thing missing from this Picture is YOU!



Scoutmaster Minute!!

10 years ago they sold me on who was going to be an influence on my son. It was I that needed to step up. At First "I" thought that they are just hooking me into extra work, who knew I would love this time spent with My Boy, and with Your Boys. I have a sneaky suspicion that the council knew it and I certainly learned that it was true. So I am asking you, who will be an influence on Your Son? Now is your time. We need our Parents involved in the Scout Program, We have open positions waiting for you! It is a wonderful thing to be there while they learn new skills, First Aid, Camping, Cooking to name but a few. Ever see your son clean up after himself? We teach that Too! LOL. So please consider signing up, Asst. Scoutmasters, Committee Members and other positions. These are some great years in your son's life, Don't' miss out, when they gone they gone!

Scout Outings This Summer. Well we started with Cache Lake Ontario. A great high adventure outing across the Border in our Great Friend to the North, Canada! We followed that up with a week at Ingersoll here in illinois. We then had some time to reconect with Home life, Only to head out to Jump Zone in Springfield, where we had a bouncing good time. It was great to jump and play and climb! Awesome! Then we went back to Ingersoll for some shooting sports and Climbing Tower activities. I am glad school is in session I was getting worn out! Well upcoming we have some great Campouts, Parents, Consider an overnight with the troop. We have access to gear if needed, Join in on the fun! You might find an oppurtunity to serve and support the Scouts and Make Memories with Your Scout! TKJOYNT



We had a Super Time on the Walls and the Obstacles at Jump Zone



I OWN this wall, Let's get started!



Jump Throw Spin Catch, I'm Out!



At Ingersoll



This Smile Says it All, Good Times, Good Friends. Bon Temps!

