



1st Bolton Scouts

TROOP BULLETIN #6

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Next Meeting: Monday October 21st @ Fairgrounds Duty Patrol: #1
Uniform Required: Activity uniform
Weekend Events: Apple Day and JOTA next weekend – Saturday October 19th

There's no meeting this week – enjoy your Thanksgiving holiday weekend!

However, there's lots coming up within the next week after that, with three great events:

- *Apple Day on Saturday October 19th*
- *Jamboree on the Air (JOTA) and Jamboree on the Internet (JOTI) also on the 19th*
- *Next regular meeting, Stove & Lantern Night, on October 21st at the Fairgrounds*

Apple Day is our second-biggest fund-raiser of the year. Everybody in 1st Bolton takes to the streets, neighbourhoods and shopping malls around Bolton, offering fresh, healthy apples to the general public in exchange for donations to our Scouting programme. *We are looking for 100% participation this year, and your efforts help keep our Scouting programme in Bolton well-funded and active!*

Also on that day is **Jamboree on the Air (JOTA)** and **Jamboree on the Internet (JOTI)** – an annual event where over half a million Scouting and Guiding youth around the world talk to each other using Amateur Radio and the Internet. It's the biggest annual event you will ever participate in, and it is free ... plan to attend right before or after your Apple Day shift.

Next week's bulletin will have specific times, but as it looks right now, we plan to have apple selling going on all day, and JOTA/JOTI will be running from around 10am to about 4pm if all goes well.

Please send me back an e-mail and let me know roughly what time of day you are planning to come, so we can make a schedule and be sure we're covered all day long!

Remembrance Parade

The annual Bolton Remembrance Parade will be held on Sunday November 10th starting from the Bolton Fire Hall on Ann Street. This is an important civic event – be there by 12:30pm looking your best in your full uniform, and we'll all march to the Cenotaph together and pay our respects to those who gave all that they could to safeguard the freedoms we all enjoy as Canadians.

Troop News – Patrols for this year

The news you've all been waiting for... the patrol leaders have met and have organized the patrols for the coming year. Barring any minor adjustments, these are the patrol assignments from now through until swim-up in April:

Patrol #1

Tyler Elliott (PL)
Christopher Quintal (APL)
Jack Dale
Amanda Ewaskiw
Nathan Mullan
Tyler Muller

Patrol #2

Zachary White (PL)
Tanner Krauter (APL)
Hunter Enns
Kyle Gunter
Stephen Lackowicz
Jeffrey Martin

Patrol #3

Jonathan Quintal (PL)
Matthew Dunn (APL)
Max Gunter
Daniel Marrelli
Ethan Mumford

Patrol names will be selected by the patrols at the next Troop meeting on October 21st.

Cub Scout Hallowe'en Party (October 28th) planning

Each year, the 1st Bolton Scout Troop helps by organizing the Cub Scout Hallowe'en Party. After Monday's hike, the Scouts in attendance came up with a number of activities. These are listed below, along with which Scout is in charge of each activity. Between now and our next meeting, think about what you'd like to help with, and we'll work out the final details at our meeting on the 21st of October.

Marshmallow Mansion - Nathan Mullan

Zombie Target Practice - Amanda Ewaskiw

Pillow Fight - Jonathan Quintal

Sock War - Hunter Enns

Snack Break - Christopher Quintal

Haunted House - Tanner Krauter

Pin the Tail on the Wolfman – Stephen Lackowicz

Scout Popcorn

I know there is a *lot* of popcorn selling going on – and that's an excellent start!

Keep up the good work, and remember that popcorn orders are due in on the last week of October – which is only two regular meetings away.

If you didn't get your popcorn selling kit, need extra forms, or have any questions... please ask!

Weekly Reminders

Don't forget **\$1 dues** are due each week, whether you attend the meeting or not (so if you miss, catch up next week). Also, for meetings in the gym, don't forget non-marking, clean indoor shoes. **Scouts should also remember to bring a pen or pencil and paper with them each week.**

Don't forget to check the Troop website at

<http://www.boltonscouts.ca>

Upcoming Meetings

Here is the schedule for the next few weekly meetings. Please note this is subject to change as external circumstances dictate, so please check the weekly handout and the website each week for any updates.

Date	Theme	Location
Monday October 14th	<i>No Meeting – have a happy Thanksgiving!</i>	
Monday October 21 st	Stove & Lantern Skills night	Fairgrounds
Monday October 28 th	Cub Scout Hallowe'en Party	BRYC Gym
Monday November 4 th	Camp Preparation	BRYC

Upcoming Events

Throughout the year we have many activities scheduled, including hikes, camps and special events. We'll post information on these as soon as we know the dates, but please check the handout and website weekly as sometimes circumstances force us to change a date or location. There will be more activities added throughout the year, but these are the ones already on the schedule:

Event	Date	Location
Apple Day, Jamboree on the Air	October 19 th	BRYC and around Bolton
Bolton Remembrance Parade	November 10 th	Downtown Bolton
Camp: Adirondack Adventure	November 15 th - 17 th	Everton Scout Camp
Yellow Briar Rain Gutter Regatta	November 23 rd	
Fun Active Scout Training (F.A.S.T.)	December 1 st	
Bolton Santa Claus Parade	December 7 th	Downtown Bolton
Winter Pre-Camp	December 14 th - 15 th	BRYC
Winter Camp – note change of date !	January 10th - 12th	Woodland Trails
Yellow Briar LaserQuest Lockdown	January 31 st	LaserQuest in Brampton
1 st Bolton Annual Scouting Banquet	February 8 th or 22 nd	Humberview S.S., Bolton
1 st Bolton KubKar/Scout Truck Rally	February 8 th or 22 nd	Humberview S.S., Bolton
Yellow Briar KubKar/Scout Truck	March 1 st	
Camp: D.I.B.C.	May 9 th - 11 th	Camp BEL, Dorchester
Yellow Briar HSR Composite Camp	July 26 th – August 2 nd	Haliburton Scout Reserve

Yours in Scouting,



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