

Boy Scout Troop 282

Chartered by Mary Queen of the Holy Rosary

Troop Website – www.t282.org
We now have a Facebook page!

Each year the Troop does a planning overnight Lockin in the MQ gym. Friday, January 3 was no different. The troop lead by the Senior Patrol Leader, Ryan Carpenter, organized flip chart paper and scouts decided the activities for the year. Dinner was homemade pizzas that the scouts rolling out and decorated with whatever topping they wanted. Movies and games were played. The results were full stomachs and activities planned for the entire 2020 and very little sleep.



Senior Patrol Leader, Ryan Carpenter, adds acvtivity for the year on flip chart. I to r – Andrew Vogel, Jackson Pierce, Julieann Eggum, Dominic Sympson, Jeremy Terhune, Alex Klement and Francis Cox help with decisions of the activites.



Enjoying homemade pizzas Top-l to r Mike Carpenter, Jim Eggum, Molly Eggum, Julieann Eggum and Jan Eggum. Bottom left-Francis Cox, Bottom right-Ryan Carpenter, Jeremy Terhune and Dominic Sympson.

Scout Sunday is always held in February and all scouts, including Brownies, Girl Scouts, American Heritage, Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts from MQ celebrated at the 11:00 clock Mass with Father Dan on February 9, 2020.

On February 23 the Diocesan Scout Sunday was celebrated with Bishop Stowe at a special Mass at 1:30pm. Bishop Stowe also presented all the religious awards earned by scouts since last year.

Also, <u>A.J. Paris</u> Cubmaster of Pack 282 earned the adult religious award, the Bronze Pelican for his support of the religious environment in Scouting.



Top is picture from Mary Queen Scout Sunday Mass. Bottom is the Diocesan Scout Mass with Bishop Stowe.



On Saturday, February 15 was the Order of the Arrow (OA) bowling day. Order of the Arrow is a service organization within the Boy Scouts. Brady Hardman represented Troop 282 and he said he bowled a 300 game,,,,hmm. On February 22 the troop went to Camp Mckee for a winter campout. It didn't disappoint, it was cold. Scouts worked on advancement. Some cooking and compass work and a day hike around camp.



Top left Alex Klement standing next to the climbing tower at Camp McKee. Top left Leader Tom Musgrave and Scout Britton Sheldon work on compass reading. Bottom is Alex Klement and Scoutmaster John Rotramel getting organized.

Boy Scout Troop 282, Chartered by Mary Queen of the Holy Rosary Church, is looking for a new Scoutmaster. John Rotramel, our current Scoutmaster, will be stepping down. He has been Scoutmaster for the past four years and is still going to hang around, but would like to pass the torch to a new Scoutmaster. If you know of anyone that is interested, please contact John Tomecek, Troop 282 Committee Chair, at 859-433-5646.

Upcoming Activities

March – Camping in Casey County April – Campout & Horseback riding at Greenbrier Farm May – Campout at Otter Creek

See more about Troop 282 on www.t282.org. If you are interested in Scouts BSA, either as a Boy or Girl or adult leader, please contact

Scoutmaster John Rotramel at (859) 223-4235

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Troop 282 Committee Chair, John Tomecek at (859) 433-5646

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