



## Boy Scout Troop 282

Chartered by Mary Queen of the Holy Rosary

### Troop 282 Activities

#### CAMPING & HIKING AT CAMP MCKEE

On January 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016 the troop did a winter campout at Camp McKee outside Mount Sterling, Kentucky. Of course they cooking delicious meals and they hiked part of the Pioneer Mountain Trail. Attending Scouts were Michael Burkholder, Ryan Carpenter, Isaac Downs, Trevor Mott, Asa Thomas, Andrew Vogel and Daniel Whitaker. Adults attending were Assistant Scoutmasters Chris Boots, Robert Burkholder, John Eggum and Scoutmaster John Rotramel.



Above: Trevor Mott, Ryan Carpenter and Michael Burkholder cooking grilled cheese sandwiches



Above: Ryan Carpenter, Michael Burkholder, Isaac Downs, Daniel Whitaker and Andrew Vogel enjoying the evening.

#### OTTER CREEK CAMPOUT AND FISHING

On the weekend of March 18, 2016 the Troop traveled to Otter Creek outdoor recreation area near Louisville Kentucky. Camping and fishing was the highlight of the outing. Attending Scouts were Ryan Carpenter, Trevor Mott and Dominic Sympson. Attending Adults were Lea Mott, Assistant Scoutmasters, Jim Eggum, John Eggum and Scoutmaster John Rotramel. Poor Trever was the only one who did not catch a fish,,,don't give up Trevor, you'll get'em next time.



#### EASTER VIGIL

The Troop did the yearly Easter Vigil fire on Good Friday, March 25, 2016 for the ceremony outside Mary Queen Church. The Scouts get credit for service time are Ryan Carpenter, Jacob Roberts and Jeremy Terhune. Attending adult was Assistant Scoutmaster Phil Roberts.

## **RED RIVER GORGE BACKPACKING TRIP**

Troop traveled to the Red River Gorge to backpack and camp. Those Scouts attending were Daniel Balko, John Buckles, Ryan Carpenter, Isaac Downs, Jeremy Terhune, Asa Thomas and Daniel Whitaker. Attending Leaders were Assistant Scoutmaster Dave Buckles and Scoutmaster John Rotramel.



Gorgeous sunrise in the Gorge



Above L to R top row: Dave Buckles, Daniel Balko, John Buckles. L to R bottom row: Daniel Whitaker, Isaac Downs, Asa Thomas, Ryan Carpenter and Jeremy Terhune. Scoutmaster John Rotramel is taking the picture.

## **TROOP ADVANCEMENTS**

On May 3, 2016 the Troop had a regular Court of Honor (COH). A COH is when we recognize the Scouts for their achievements and their rank advancements.

### **Earning Achievements and Advancements were:**

- **Daniel Balko**: Earned the rank of Star
- **John Buckles**: Earned Camping and Family Life Merit badges
- **Michael Burkholder**: Camping merit badge
- **Nathan Carpenter**: Earned the rank of First Class
- **Ryan Carpenter**: Earned the rank of Tenderfoot
- **Isaac Downs**: received his Totn' Chip
- **Alex Klement**: Earned the ranks of 2<sup>nd</sup> Class and First Class
- **Trevor Mott**: Earned the rank of Tenderfoot
- **Noah Sprout**: received his Totn' Chip
- **Dominic Sympson**: Earned the rank of 2<sup>nd</sup> Class
- **Asa Thomas**: received his Totn' Chip
- **Andrew Vogel**: Earned the rank of 2<sup>nd</sup> Class
- **Daniel Whitaker**: received his Totn' Chip and earned Citizenship in the World and First Aid merit badge.

## **TROOP UPCOMING EVENTS**

- May — White Water Rafting
- June – Camping
- July – Summer Camp

See more about Troop 282 on our website  
[www.t282.org](http://www.t282.org)

**If you are interested in Boy Scouting, either as a boy or as an adult, please contact Scoutmaster, John Rotramel at (859) 223-4235 or Committee Chair, John Tomecek at 859-296-5803.**