

ROUNDTABLE NEWS FOR MOUNTAIN LAKE DISTRICT



# DEER TALES



APRIL 2008

## ***EVERY YOUTH DESERVES A TRAINED LEADER!***

Training shows new leaders how to do their jobs and allows for an interchange of ideas with more experienced leaders. Every Scout deserves qualified, trained leaders who will provide the best program possible, the way it is intended. Trained leaders ensure that the goals of Scouting are met. The leadership training program of the Boy Scouts of America provides this information and helps leaders become confident in carrying out their responsibilities.

## MOUNTAIN LAKE DISTRICT TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

### **New Leader Essentials**

For All New leaders  
Saturday, April 19th, 2008  
7:30 a.m. check-in  
Kennesaw United Methodist Church

### **Leader Specific Training**

For All New leaders or "Seasoned"  
Leaders Changing positions  
Saturday, April 19th, 2008

Breakouts offered are:

- Tiger (\$5)
- Cub Scout (\$5)
- Webelos (\$5)
- Cubmaster & Assistant (\$5)
- Pack Committee Members (\$5)
- Scoutmaster & Assistant (\$5)
- Troop Committee Members (\$5)
- Venturing Crew Advisors (\$10)
- Venturing Committee Members (\$10)

Breakout begins at 9:00 a.m.;  
Kennesaw United Methodist Church

### **BALOO (Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation) - 1 day only**

For Cub Scout Leaders  
Saturday, May 3, 7:30 a.m. check-in  
Cost is \$5  
Due West United Methodist Church  
(Troop 540 Scout Hut)

### **Introduction to Outdoor Leader Skills - ITOLS**

For WEBELOS and Boy Scout Leaders  
Friday, May 2, 6:00 p.m. through  
Sunday, May 4, 10:00am  
Cost is \$10  
Due West United Methodist Church  
(Troop 540 Scout Hut)

#### Location Addresses

Kennesaw United Methodist Church  
1801 Ben King Rd NW  
Kennesaw, GA 30144

Due West United Methodist Church  
3956 Due West Rd.  
Marietta, GA 30064

**Registration due no later than  
Monday, April 14.  
E-mail Mike Gulledge,  
mwgulledge@aol.com  
as soon as possible.**

See the district website for further  
details:  
[www.mountainlakedistrict.com](http://www.mountainlakedistrict.com)

#### **SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST:**

- *May Cub Scout Theme: Leaf it to Cubs*
- *Training Dates*
- *Day Camp & Twilight Camp*
- *Spring Camporee*

WE CANNOT  
HOLD A TORCH  
TO LIGHT  
ANOTHER'S PATH  
WITHOUT  
BRIGHTENING OUR  
OWN.

- BEN SWEETLAND

## COUNCIL TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES

**B.A.L.O.O.** (Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation) Training is scheduled for Saturday, April 19, 8:30 a.m., at the Allatoona Aquatics Base. Cost is \$10 per person and pre-registration is required. Contact the program center, 770/989-8821 x 2003, for further information.

**AAC Powder Horn**, a High Adventure Resource Management Training Course for Venturing Advisors and Boy Scout Leaders, will be held on August 15-17 and September 5-7, 2008 at Woodruff Scout Reservation. Cost is estimated at \$225 and final payment will be due by July 1, 2008. For further information visit [www.powderhorn-bsa.org](http://www.powderhorn-bsa.org).

**Venturing Leadership Skills Course** is October 4, 2008. Cost is \$15.00 and includes course materials, lunch, and VLSC patch. Course will be held at the Volunteer Service Center from 9:00 a.m.—4:30 p.m.

**Scouters Academy**—A full day of supplemental adult leader training for all scouting programs. Mark your calendar for Saturday, November 1, 2008. Full details to follow soon! Co-Directors are Donna Carr (770.633.6587) and Deborah Gibson (678.386.4447).



### ***Attention Units!!!***

If you haven't done so already, contact Mike Dennison to schedule your FOS presentation

We're doing well on family and want to stay on track!

## COUNCIL FUNDRAISING EVENTS



The 5th Annual **Metro Classic**, sponsored by AT&T will be held on May 1st at Château Élan. This will be the first year for the Boy Scouts to fill 3 courses! If you would like to join us for a day of golf, fellowship, and an auction, contact Andrew Hardin, Director of Financial Services at [AHardin@atlantabsa.org](mailto:AHardin@atlantabsa.org). Foursomes start at \$2,500.



The 35th Annual **Corporate Classic** Golf Tournament, sponsored by Coca-Cola, will take place at the Atlanta Athletic Club on September 22, 2008. Join us for a day of golf, fun, and for an evening reception and auction. Foursomes start at \$3,000 and all proceeds go to support Scouting in our 13 county area. Contact William Bryant, Finance Director, at [WBryant@atlantabsa.org](mailto:WBryant@atlantabsa.org) for more information.

# 2008 Mountain Lake District's Spring Camporee and OA Tap Out



## Lost in Space



- ⇒ April 25, 26, and 27
- ⇒ Bert Adams Scout Reservation
- ⇒ Cost \$15.00 per scout and \$10.00 per adult leader

Your spaceship has crash landed on a distant world. All your modern technology has been destroyed. Using only the scout's 10 essentials and scavenged items, you must traverse a dangerous planet to find the necessary parts and materials to repair your ship and return to space.

Every patrol is invited to dress up as their favorite space alien or character. Major prizes will be awarded to the best dressed patrols.

The registration form can be found at [www.mountainlakedistrict.com/Camporee.pdf](http://www.mountainlakedistrict.com/Camporee.pdf).

Contact Steve Helbling at [helblins@bellsouth.net](mailto:helblins@bellsouth.net) or 678-313-9467 for further information.



MOUNTAIN LAKE DISTRICT'S  
CUB SCOUT DAY CAMP

WILL BE HELD

JUNE 2-6, 2008

9:00 A.M.-3:30 P.M.

KENNESAW UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

***ATTENTION***

Adult Volunteers, Den Chiefs, and Teen Apprentices

**MANDATORY TRAINING**

Returning Adult Volunteers Only

Thursday, May 8, 7:30 p.m. (roundtable breakout)

Kennesaw United Methodist Church

New & Returning Adult Volunteers, Den Chiefs and Teen Apprentices

Saturday, May 3, 9:00 a.m.—Noon

Kennesaw United Methodist Church—CAC

**OR**

Saturday, May 17, 9:00 a.m.—Noon

Kennesaw United Methodist Church—CAC

***\*Be sure to bring a current year (2008) youth protection training card if you did not attach it with your application.\****

*Questions can be directed to [daycamp@mountainlakedistrict.com](mailto:daycamp@mountainlakedistrict.com).*

# Mountain Lake District's Twilight Camp

Come join us for Dinosaur World

June 23–28, 2008

Kennesaw United Methodist Church

\*\*Overnighter for all cubs and families  
attending camp.\*\*

Forms can be found on the website  
[www.mountainlakedistrict.com](http://www.mountainlakedistrict.com)

For further information, contact  
Sharon Kriss (770) 426-1234 / email [slkriss@yahoo.com](mailto:slkriss@yahoo.com)  
or Dave Tackett (770) 712-5881.



## UPCOMING EVENTS

### APRIL

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- ◆ **Spring Cub-O-Ree** is scheduled for April 12, 9:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m., at Bert Adams Scout Reservation. Cost is \$9 for scout/sibling; \$5 for adults. Patch available to those that register prior to March 24. Registration is by Pack. Flyer can be viewed at [www.mountainlakedistrict.com/CubORee.pdf](http://www.mountainlakedistrict.com/CubORee.pdf).
- ◆ **Scout Days & Nights** (visit [www.atlantabsa.org](http://www.atlantabsa.org) for further information):
  - Scout Days at the Renaissance Festival—Saturdays and Sundays, plus Memorial Day, April 12—June 1, 10:30 a.m.—6:00 p.m.
  - Kennesaw State vs. Mercer, Saturday, April 19, 1:00 p.m. (Doubleheader) - All Boy Scouts will receive free admission when they wear their scout uniform for this game only! [Www.ksuowls.com](http://www.ksuowls.com)
- ◆ **The 2nd Annual Allatoona Lake Earth Day Event** will be held on Saturday, April 19, 2008. Volunteers will help create a new nature trail in Cooper's Furnace Day Use Area as well as maintain another trail in Cooper Branch. Volunteers will also be participating in trash and debris pickup in the two areas. Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts are encouraged to participate. If you are interested in attending the event or have questions, please contact the volunteer coordinator at [web.allatonna@usace.army.mil](mailto:web.allatonna@usace.army.mil).
- ◆ **Spring Camporee and OA Tap Out** is scheduled for April 25, 26, 27, at Bert Adams Scout Reservation. Reservation form can be found at [www.mountainlakedistrict.com/Camporee.pdf](http://www.mountainlakedistrict.com/Camporee.pdf). Contact Steve Helbling for further information at [helblins@bellsouth.net](mailto:helblins@bellsouth.net) or 678-313-9467.

### MAY

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- ◆ **Roundtable**, Thursday, May 8, 7:30 p.m., Kennesaw United Methodist Church.
- ◆ **Scout Days & Nights** (visit [www.atlantabsa.org](http://www.atlantabsa.org) for further information):
  - Braves Game at Turner Field—May 18, 2008, 1:35 p.m. Wear your uniform and don't miss out on the Scout Parade around Turner Field prior to the game.
  - Soccer at its finest! Silverbacks vs. Carolina Railhawks on May 31.

### JUNE

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- ◆ Go for the Gold, Mountain Lake District!! **Cub Scout Day Camp** will be held June 2—6, 2008! Boy Scout volunteers needed to help as Den Chiefs! Great way to get those service hours. Application forms are now available at [www.mountainlakedistrict.com](http://www.mountainlakedistrict.com).
- ◆ **Roundtable**, Thursday, June 12, 7:30 p.m., Kennesaw United Methodist Church. Boy Scout Breakout will take place at the Covered Bridge Roundtable—this is a Cobb County-wide Boy Scout breakout.
- ◆ **Twilight Camp** is scheduled for June 23—28, 2008 at Kennesaw United Methodist Church. This year's theme is Dinosaur World. Registration is by Pack. Contact Sharon Kriss 770/426-1234 [slkriss@yahoo.com](mailto:slkriss@yahoo.com) or Dave Tackett 770/712-5881 for further information.
- ◆ **Venturing Extreme** is a Woodruff sponsored, off site High Adventure program for Venturers ages 14 – 20 years. The camp will be held at the Whitewater Express – Ocoee base camp June 29 – July 4, 2008. More information can be found at [www.atlantabsa.org](http://www.atlantabsa.org) under 'camping'.
- ◆ **Scout Days & Nights** (visit [www.atlantabsa.org](http://www.atlantabsa.org) for further information):
  - Atlanta's WBNA, Atlanta Dream, vs. Detroit Shock at Phillips Arena on June 22, 3:00 p.m. Tickets are \$10 and include a patch.

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## UPCOMING EVENTS

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**The Boy Scout Breakout for the month of June  
will be at the Cover Bridge Round Table.**

**Be on the lookout for further information.**

**Contact Trent Trees with any questions.**

**JULY**

- ◆ **Roundtable**, Thursday, July 10, 7:30 p.m., Kennesaw United Methodist church.
- ◆ **Cub Family Camp at Woodruff Scout Reservation** July 12—13. Cub Family Camping is for all Cub Scouts and their families to experience fun and adventure in the great outdoors as well as get a taste for Boy Scout Resident camping! Cubs get to experience sleeping in two man cabin tents with cots, just like the older guys! On Saturday evening, the families will enjoy a camp style dinner of hot dogs, chips and more! **Register early to guarantee a patch especially designed for this activity.** Cost is \$15.00 Individual/\$45 entire family if paid by July 3, 2008. After July 3 cost goes to \$25.00 Individual/\$60.00 entire family. Saturday dinner will be provided. Registration form can be found at [www.mountainlakedistrict.com/FamilyCamp.pdf](http://www.mountainlakedistrict.com/FamilyCamp.pdf).

**AUGUST**

- ◆ **Roundtable**, Thursday, August 14, 7:30 p.m., Kennesaw United Methodist Church

**SEPTEMBER**

- ◆ **Roundtable**, Thursday, September 11, 7:30 p.m. Kennesaw United Methodist Church
- ◆ **The Great Lake Allatoona Cleanup** will be Saturday, September 13, 2008. See website fore details and registration: [www.allatoonacleanup.org](http://www.allatoonacleanup.org).

**OCTOBER**

- ◆ **Huntsville Space Center Fall Boy Scout Day** will be October 4, 2008. Admission is \$18.00 per person and includes: Admission to the U.S. Space & Rocket Center Museum; One IMAX movie at the Spacedome Theater; hamburger box lunch; a Scout Day Patch for each Scout; a Scout Day Certificate for each Troop/Cub Pack; events and activities. For further information call 800/63-SPACE, ext. 200; or [www.spacecamp.com](http://www.spacecamp.com).
- ◆ **Roundtable**, Thursday, October 9, 7:30 p.m., Kennesaw United Methodist Church.
- ◆ **Fall Cub-O-Ree** is scheduled for October 24, 2008 at Bert Adams Scout Reservation.
- ◆ **Scout Days & Nights** (visit [www.atlantabsa.org](http://www.atlantabsa.org) for further information):  
Atlanta Motor Speedway—October 15

IN ALL THINGS OF NATURE THERE IS SOMETHING OF THE MARVELOUS.

- ARISTOTLE

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**VACANT (Help Wanted!)**

### Vice Chair for Membership

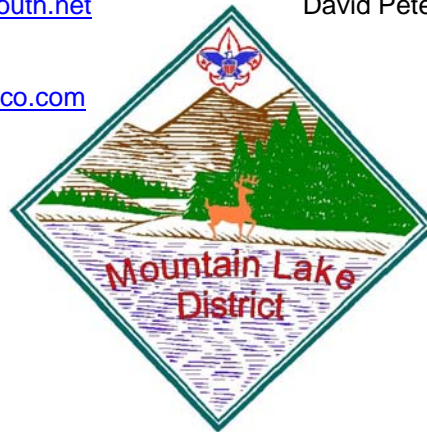
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### Cub Scout Breakout

**HELP WANTED!!**

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*Deadline for newsletter submissions is by midnight the Monday prior to Roundtable.*

*Please note, it is with the best of intentions to provide you with the most accurate and grammatically correct information; however, please keep in mind mistakes do happen. I will endeavor to DO MY BEST! Tracy Brock*