

ST MARK THE EVANGELIST BOY SCOUT TROOP 236



THE SCRIBE'S PEN

NOVEMBER 1993

NOVEMBER MEETINGS

Troop meetings:

11/1- Scouting for Food
doorhangers distributed.

11/6- Advancement, etc.

11/15-Jockey Hollow
Campout planning.

11/29-Advancement, etc.

11/11-Green Bar Meeting

Mr. Armstrong's house

11/17-Committee Meeting

SWIM NIGHT

Friday Dec. 3rd 7-9PM at
Raritan Valley Community
College. Bring \$3 entrance
fee and towel. Meet at OLM
parking lot at 6:15 sharp.
You'll be returned home by
the leaders about 9:45PM.

VENTURE CREW

The Venture Crew will be
taking a guided mountain
bike trek on November 13th
& 14th through picturesque
Pennsylvania woodlands,
up a 200 year-old logging
road to a 1000 ft. high
vantage point upon the rim
of the Lehigh River Gorge.
We will be camping in
lean-tos at Minzi Trails
Boyscout Camp. The cost is
\$32/person and is payable
at the first troop meeting
in November. For further
details contact Mr.
Anderson.

NOVEMBER CAMPOUT

On November 20 we
campout at Lewis Morris
Park and hike the recently
revised Jockey Hollow
Historic Trail. There will be
compass activity to
complete all 2nd and 1st
class hiking and compass
requirements. We leave
OLM on Sat. 11/20 at 7AM
sharp; eat a good breakfast
at home. Greenbar will
decide if scouts need to pack
a lunch that morning at
camp. Cost is \$8/ boy, \$4/
adult leader. You will be
returned home before noon
Sunday 11/21.

THIS IS COLD WEATHER

CANDY SALE

The troop's annual candy
sale fund raiser will begin
on November 15th. The
rules for this year's sale
will be changed which will,
hopefully, make the sale
more favorable to the
scouts. Some of the
changes will be a reduction
of the minimum amount of
candy each scout must sell
and an increase in the
commissions paid for each
case sold over the
minimum. Details of this
year's rules will be
provided prior to the sale.
The sale will run through
January 3, 1994.

CAMPING!! Be prepared!!

Cold weather camping
requires extra thought and
extra gear to combat the
cold. This is especially
true of TENT cold weather
camping like Jockey
Hollow. We remind all
scouts to switch to cold
weather preparation this
time of year.

ATTENTION TENDERFOOT AND
2ND CLASS SCOUTS.

Come to the Jockey
Hollow Campout and Swim
Night Dec. 3rd. You can
easily complete 2nd and 1st
class hiking, compass, and
swim requirements at
these outings. DON'T MISS
THESE OPPORTUNITIES!!

UPCOMING EVENTS

11/6-7 - Philmont Crew 1st
Shakedown Hike-CANCELLED
11/13-15 - Venture Crew
Pocono Bike Trip.
11/19-21 - Jockey Hollow
Campout.
November/December-Troop
Candy Sale/Fund Raiser
Blitz-Rockaway Mall.