

## Boy Troop 58 – 8/14/2022 Weekly Update

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Topics:

1) From Your SPL

- Schedule, Tuesday 8/16, 6:30pm Meeting Start:
  - **Opening**
  - **Uncommon Knots** (*A presentation on some knots that aren't the taut-line for once, but are still very important*)
  - **Meal Planning in Patrols/Rank Advancement** (*This weekend is our CAVING TRIP so we're going to have some time in patrols for planning meals! If you are a patrol leader, make sure your meals follow this guideline from Mr. Zangara:*
    - Friday: Bagged dinner for the drive up
    - Sat Breakfast: Cooked Meal
    - Sat Lunch: No Cook packed lunch (we will have coolers)
    - Sat Dinner: Cooked Meal
    - Sun Breakfast: Cooked Meal
    - *If it says "cooked meal", it HAS to be a cooked meal! Yes, that means you're cleaning Sunday morning, but it's important that we get out of the habit of eating muffins for breakfast so we can in theory leave "at nine" and into the habit of cooking and cleaning breakfast efficiently. I'm so old I remember when we used to do this every trip.*
    - *ALSO this time will be used for rank advancement if your patrol has finished preparing meals for caving (or if you aren't going) because lots of scouts have been doing lots of scouting things over the summer — so you'll have time to turn in your blue cards and get things signed off.*
    - *ALSO ramen is not a full meal.*
  - **Closing**
- *Thank you, Elias*

2) GT58 Eagle Court of Honor

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- GT58 is about to celebrate their first two Eagles!
- If you can attend, it will be held on August 21st at 4:00pm at the DCPC Congregation House
- Congrats to our fellow Unit 58 for this milestone!

### 3) Upcoming PLC Elections

- PLC Elections are coming up on September 13th
- If you plan on running for SPL, you *MUST* declare your candidacy to me by August 30th
- If you plan on running for ASPL or Patrol Leader, you *MUST* declare your candidacy to me by September 6th

### 4) New Year Expectations Reminder

- No long message on expectations for the upcoming year...just a few reminders:
- Unless you are new to the Troop, you have all signed the Behavior Contract posted on our home page at [www.mytroop58.com](http://www.mytroop58.com)
- NO phones at meeting
- NO foul language
- YES to following the Scout Law
- If you have questions please ask now as there will be very little tolerance for intentional noncompliance with the Scout Law and Behavior Contract
- The goal of this is to meet reasonable expectations of a Scout and to maintain a pleasant scouting experience for all involved

### 5) Upcoming Schedule

- August 16: Troop Meeting
- August 19 - 21: Caving Trip
- August 23: Troop Meeting
- August 30: Troop Meeting
- Full Troop Calendar: [www.mytroop58.com/calendar](http://www.mytroop58.com/calendar)

As always, please reach out to me or any adult leader with any questions.

Mr. Zangara