

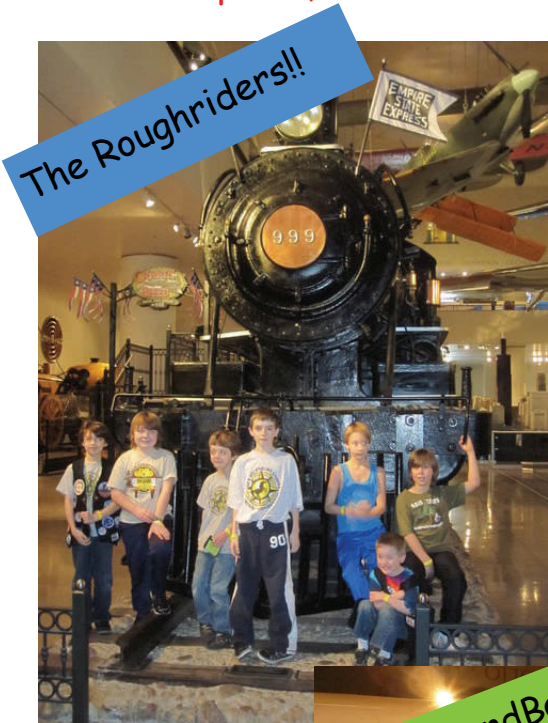
Stargazer Newsletter

CAMPANELLI YMCA MUSTANG EXPEDITION

WASHDAY TO THE HAWKS FOR AN AWESOME WINTER CAMPOUT!!

What a great night at the museum that saw the dads drop after an exhausting 6 hours exploring the Science and Industry Building. Among the vast educational sites the guide saw was the 747 airplane, the coalmine, and everyone's favorite—

THE U-505 Submarine!



The man that organized the campout
Hawks Circle Leader Jim Kveton

Some of the DiamondBacks



March Issue

2009-10 Season

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Upcoming Events

- March 13 Pinewood Derby at YMCA 5:30
- April 10 Rocket Launch location TBD
- May 14-15 Spring Campout
- May Longhouse: Election of new officers
- June 13 Trip to Cantigny
- 2010 Save the Date: feed my starving Children event — Nov 20, 2010
- 2010-11 September-Fest parade and Pizza sell

Support Riccardos Pizza on Roselle Road. They provide contributions and deals to the guides all year long!!

Check Out the New Web Site!!
www.campanellymca-adventureguides.org
Thanks New web spinner, Carlo Reyes

Coming up This Month—Pinewood Derby Races



Alfred Campanelli
YMCA Adventure Guides

Mustang Expedition - Schaumburg, IL

We build strong kids, strong families, strong communities.



So what's with the points everyone talks about???

The Points are here see how you stand on attached sheet

For each event a guide attends, they receive points. It is usually 75 points per event and they are aiming toward a point total of 500 or 750 points by the end of the year to earn either noble explorer or GOLDEN Explorer. Both earn you a patch and a Golden Explorer award earns a medal to wear proudly for you dedication to the Nation. The Navigator, Rick Soban tracks the points and we will hopefully have them as part of this newsletter in the future. **Dads—Earn 25 bonus points for your guide by attending the Longhouse meeting!**

***** AIMS *****

Learn the principles of what the program stands for and earn another patch. Memorize the AIMS below and recite them to Trail Master Dave Luzwick or another officer at any event to earn the distinguished award.

** To be clean in body and pure in heart

** To be friends forever with my Father

** To love the sacred circle of my family

** To listen while others speak

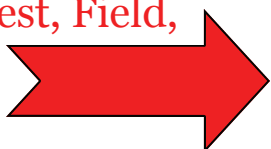
** To love my neighbor as myself

** To respect the traditions and beliefs of people

** To seek and preserve the beauty of the Creator's work in forest, Field, and stream



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Looking for more fun activities to do with your son?

The first Saturday of every month there is a FREE mini Project you can do at the Home Depot on Meacham Rd in Elk Grove starting at 9:00 am

The next one should be April 3

Coming April 10—Rocket Launch!!

Important Date
Change: The Spring
campout will now be
May 14-15!

**Adventure Guides
Mustang Expedition**

- Hawks
- Mighty Phoenix
- D-backs
- Rough Riders

More Photos from the Museum!



**Next Longhouse Meeting
at Riccardos March 18—7:30**

Come share your ideas and support the program for the kids!

Event Payment and confirmation Information:

Now confirmation to an event is easier than ever! Just respond to the meeting wizard email from the Trail Master and you're In!

Then just get payment to your circle leader ASAP by the deadline

March Pinewood Derby Money due to Circle Leaders ASAP

\$ 20.00 Per son and Dad \$10.00 per extra Son