

Boy Scout News

Scout Leaders Get-Together
Eighty scout leaders of the North Shore Area council spent last Monday evening at the St. James hall in Highwood drafting plans for the fall and winter months program. Representatives from practically all 13 districts were present. The discussion followed a spaghetti supper. Schedules for district and inter-district rallies will be announced soon. These meets will be held on Saturday afternoons at which time scouts will have an opportunity to demonstrate their skill in scout craft.

Several training courses for scout leaders and cub leaders were decided upon. Full announcement concerning these courses will be made at an early date.

Mr. Wm. E. Webster the commissioner of the North Shore Area council was present and made contributions to the discussions. Mr. Henry Foster was also present. It is a plan of the scout leaders to get together several times throughout the year.

Budget Committee Meets
At the regular meeting of the executive board of the North Shore Area council the following budget committee was named: T. A. Connors of Lake Forest, chairman; Albert P. Snite of Highland Park; Robert F. Doepel of Winnetka; Otto F. Fischer of Highwood, and Walter C. Gaede of Waukegan.

This committee met on last Monday noon at the Medinah Athletic club to do the work assigned to them. Their report will be made at the next executive board meeting.

Jamboree Scoutmaster Reports
The spirit of the jamboree in Washington last July was lived over again last Thursday evening.

At the executive board meeting of the council the jamboree scoutmaster (who is also the scoutmaster of Troop 2 sponsored by the Congregational church in Wilmette) Harold "Bud" Spinney, gave a vivid report of our North Shore scouts in this largest scout gathering ever held in America. He told of the participation of these scouts in many events at the jamboree and of how these scouts were an honor to the North Shore Area council. George Simon, Eagle scout and Senior Patrol leader of the Jamboree troop made a short report from the viewpoint of a scout in this great ten day pageant involving 27,000 scouts. George Simon

is a member of Troop 13 in Kenilworth.

Scouts Usher at Dyche Stadium
For the five home games at Northwestern university at Dyche Stadium the following scouts of the North Shore Area council will usher in the east stands:

Wilmette: Troop 1—John Brandt; Troop 2—Duke Lynch, Bob Steitz; Troop 4—Dave Walworth, Charles McCandlish, Paul Stade, Ralph Johnson; Troop 5—Edward Monahan, Wayne Stoerk.

Kenilworth: Troop 13—Fred Killner, Jack Cosner, Michael Montanaro, John Connley, Dick Jones, Wm. Wright, Benton Baker, Dewitt Stillman, James Crowley, Stephen Chase, Jack Novascone, Donald Raggio, Albert Korte, Walter Boyle, Graham Burnside.

Glencoe: Troop 22—Roger Cushman, Allen Matthews, Clark VanHorne, James Bertel, Ronald McGraw, Ross Williams, Wallace Peterson, Eugene Sittig; Troop 23—George Conn, Donald Wilson, Peter Reece, Stewart Purdy, Jim Barrie, Bill Kahn, Stewart Drum, George Rue, Jim Schwietert, Charles Wells, Guilford Peters, Wm. Steif, Roy Edwards, George Schumacker, Bill Walters, Volney Parker, Burton Sears, Bill Webster.

Highland Park: Troop 30—Jim Siljestrom, Channon Boves; Troop 33—Malcolm McPhee, Billy Mann, Martin Baum, Robert Puzin, Bill Roush, Anthony Pantelis, Bill Carnahan, John Emery, Chandler Webster, Bob Souther, Eugene Detmer, Peter Weber, James Mout, Harry Pertz, Bruce VanGuilder, Dick Nelson; Troop 35—Boy Bryant, Douglas Smith, Monroe Smith; Troop 324—Bert Beers, Arthur Swanson, Dick VanArsdale, Leslie Rankin, Jim Rankin, Lewis Hutchison, Bob Clark, Bob Wolters, Frank Krohn, Bob Hutchison, Don Porter.

Highwood: Troop 36—Robert Muzik, Wayne Jahnigan, Raymond Garrity, Jack Rettig, John McLeran; Troop 37—Evan Dever, Delver Dever.

Deerfield: Troop 52—Charles Piper, Jirah Cole, Robert Piper.

Libertyville: Troop 72—John McGuffin, Ken Lovell, Chas. Swaney, Wm. Decker.

Waukegan: Troop 104—Bryan Husted, Norman Schwartz, Wm. Wentworth, Roy VanSickel, Willis Alford, Pontus Johnson, James Dunne, Bryan Creswell, Bob Bickham; Troop 105—Laverne Johnson, Howard Schroeder; Troop 115—George Fucik; Troop 122—Ray Bickham.

Girl Scout News

The Highland Park Girl Scout council announces the following officers, members and committees for the year 1937-38.

Commissioner, Mrs. Roy O. Nereim; deputy commissioner and publicity chairman, Mrs. C. Eugene Pfister; recording secretary, Mrs. Robert Wire; corresponding secretary, Mrs. John Pickett; training and personnel committee, Mrs. Julius Laegeler, chairman, Mrs. Charles Mason, assistant; badges and awards committee, Mrs. John Brent, chairman, Mrs. Barton Pope, assistant; finance chairman, Mrs. Kenneth Ives; Community Chest representative, Mrs. Benedict Goodman; Leaders' representative, Mrs. Arthur Mason; camp committee, Mrs. Bernard Newman, chairman, Mrs. William Salem, assistant.

A welcome tea is to be given by the Highland Park Council of Girl Scouts in honor of Miss Mary Longley, at the home of Mrs. Roy N. Nereim, on Wednesday, Oct. 6, at 3 p.m. Tea will follow the regular monthly meeting of the council, which will be held at 1:30 p. m. Miss Longley was on the Massachusetts Girl Scout staff for three years; Girl Scout trainer in Ohio, Kentucky, and West Virginia for two years; and Girl Scout director of Albany, N. Y. for three years. She was also on the staff of the National Training Camp for Girl Scout leaders, Camp Edith Macy, which is just outside of New York City, for the summer of 1936 and 1937. This charming and capable young woman has augmented her experience by camping for two summers with the Girl Guides in Scotland. The volunteer workers in the council, the leaders, and the Girl Scouts are indeed fortunate to have secured Miss Longley as the local director.

Troop 23 had its first meeting at the home of the leader, Mrs. Edward Harrington, on Wednesday, Sept. 15, with cookies and cocoa for refreshments. Hereafter the troop will meet at Braeside school on Wednesday of each week. Mrs. Raymond Watts has resumed her fascinating instruction on nature study. Members of the troop are Barbara Lynn, Babs Christoph, Lillian Dinelli, Jane Straub, Hallie Harrington, Delora Scheemeacker, Nancy Watts, Erica Watts, Caroline Buckley, Jacqueline Day, Suzanne Olmsted, Barbara Wire, Margaret Schmid, Dorothy Salem.

Troop 25 will have its first meeting on Monday, Oct. 4, at Ravinia school. Mrs. William Goodreds and Mrs. Wm. Holt, leaders, are hoping for a 100 per cent return of last year's troop members.

Troop 32 and Mrs. John E. Long, and Mrs. Arthur Mason, leaders, met at the Ravinia school on Monday, Sept. 27, but held their meeting at the home of Mary Louise Dyer so that Mary Louise, who had a broken arm, could also be present at the meeting.

The answers to these questions will appear in next week's Girl Scout news.

1. What are the names of two birds that cannot fly?
2. Which bear lives chiefly on meat?
3. How many neck-bones does a cat have?

Troops are planning exciting events. New girls wishing to join should call Mrs. Julius Laegler, H. P. 905, to find what troop is near them, as the troops are filling up rapidly. Girls must be between ten and eighteen years of age to join.

There will be a training course for new Girl Scout leaders, beginning on Tuesday, Oct. 5, at 9:15, at the Y.W.C.A. This course will continue on Tuesday and Thursday mornings, at the same time and place. Anyone interested in joining the class is welcome. An advanced course for the experienced leaders will start at a time and place to be arranged and announced later.

Highland Park Public Library
The Highland Park Public library has opened a school station at Braeside school, providing books for the children of the third through the seventh grades. Every week on Tuesday morning, the children's librarian, Mrs. Inger Boye, will go to the school, to help the children in the selection of books. The books are to provide help for the children in their studies, and for recreational reading.



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Norse Discovery of America to Be Observed Oct. 9th

The presentation of a cantata and a prologue will be the highlights of a program to be given at the Naval Armory, Leif Erikson drive and Randolph street, Saturday evening, October 9, commemorating the discovery of America by Leif Erikson. The cantata and the prologue may also be presented on a nation-wide broadcast planned for October 9.

October 9 has officially been designated Leif Erikson Day by a state law enacted this year; hence the Norse discovery of the New World in the year 1000 will be recalled in appropriate programs in schools, broadcasts, and community gatherings throughout the state.

In Chicago, the observance will be part of the closing festivities of the city's charter jubilee celebration. The plans call for broadcasts and a huge community festival at the Naval Armory, sponsored by the Norwegian National League of Chicago, a charitable and educational alliance of more than 50 Norwegian-American organizations. Captain Frank Larson, 2519 Wightman avenue, is president of the league,

and Sivert Klefstad, 5701 Newport avenue, is chairman of the committee on arrangements. The league sponsored the erection of the Leif Erikson monument in Humboldt park and the naming of the Leif Erikson drive. The Leif Erikson programs have been an annual feature for many years.

The "Leif Erikson Cantata," composed by Oscar Borg, is a great musical work depicting in a dramatic way the discovery of America by Leif Erikson. This cantata, which requires half an hour to perform, will be rendered by the Norwegian Glee club, a male chorus of sixty voices directed by Knut Hansen.

The prologue will be selected from manuscripts submitted in an open contest. Entries must not exceed 300 words, and the closing lines must depict the landing of Leif Erikson in America. The first prize is \$25.00, and all manuscripts must reach the Norwegian National League, 2414 N. Kedzie boulevard, by September 30.

In the schools, a half an hour commemorative program will be given on Friday, October 8, in accordance with a clause in the law calling for a Leif Erikson program on the nearest school day. Flags will be displayed on all state and

municipal buildings on October 9. Similar observances will take place in Wisconsin, Minnesota, and North Dakota.

It is expected that Congress will call for national observance of Leif Erikson Day at its next session.

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