

Next Meeting: 6:30 pm Thursday Oct 9th, 2008

Preview of Next Meeting:

We are going to start this year with a build project that will harness the power of wind. (not breaking wind but blowing wind). We will be learning about wind power, and building a wind machine that will power a wind driven vehicle... It will blow your mind. Our next meeting will be full of hot air...



Service Awards Available:

If you would like to earn a service patch and make someone feel better, volunteer at your school, church or other local service organization. If you volunteer and serve the community for 2 hours you will be eligible for a service patch and bar.

- **Fall Cleanup Event** (Rock Cut State Park) Help clean up the trails and the lake shore. Bring work gloves and close you can get dirty in. **When:** Saturday Sept 27th 9am to 11am **Where:** Rock Cut State Park at the Lion's Picnic area
- **Keep Northern Illinois Beautiful Fall Metals and Electronics Drive** Volunteers welcomed. Accepting all metals for recycling including steel, copper, brass and aluminum. For information about accepted items or volunteering, call 815-637-1343 or see www.knib.org.

Upcoming Scout / Community Related Events:

- **World War II Days:** The weekend features more than 700 re-enactors with tanks and other vintage military equipment. There will be two battles Saturday, one battle Sunday, and numerous skirmishes in the village throughout the weekend. **When:** Sept 27-28 11am-4pm **Where:** Midway Museum Center.
- **EarthFest2008:** An event showcasing environmental issues. Activities for the whole family. Call 815-965-3433 or visit www.burpee.org for more info. **When:** Sept. 27-28 **Where:** Burpee Museum of Natural History

Future Meeting Dates:

Mark your calendars, we can confirm Pack Meetings on the following dates: Oct. 9, Oct. 23, Nov. 6, Nov. 20, Dec. 11, Jan. 8, Jan. 22, Feb. 12, Feb. 26, Mar. 12, Mar. 26, Apr. 9, Apr. 23, May 7, May 21.