

# This Week in Troop 508

## News

2016 Summer Camp Survey is on the [IrvingTroop508.org](http://IrvingTroop508.org) website. All Troop youth are invited to vote!

PICTURES! I need pictures for the upcoming Court of Honor slideshow. Send any pictures you have from any Troop activities from the last six months (since the last COH) to [dbolton@gmail.com](mailto:dbolton@gmail.com)

Troop Movie Night - August 4 Troop Meeting.

Grand Prairie AirHogs Scout Camp Out - At the Ballpark in Grand Prairie. August 8.

Game ticket & camp out \$10, game ticket only \$7.

\$10 ticket includes game ticket, patch, camp out on the field, breakfast (morning after event).

Events are: drive-in style movies on the scoreboard, swimming in the pool all night long, baseball, basketball, flag football, orienteering, flag retirement, archery, BB's, and more. Scouts can earn merit badges.

Sign up at the next Troop meeting.

Annual Burger's Lake Family Picnic - We would like to see as many scouts as possible attend this event as this is the Troop's only recruiting event of the year. Please make an effort to attend.

\$10/person 7yrs & up, \$3 kids 1-6yrs. 8/15 10am to 4pm come & go at your pleasure. Burger's Lake features a one-acre spring fed lake, 2 sandy beaches, 6 diving boards, 20ft slide, 25ft trapeze. The Troop is providing lunch.

Sign up at the next Troop meeting.

There are still boxes of chocolate to sell. Please turn in any outstanding money from boxes you have already sold. See Sharon Redding for more information.

## Upcoming Events

8/4	PLC / Troop Meeting / Troop Movie Night / ScoutBook info session for parents
8/8-8/9	AirHogs Game / Campout
8/15	Burgers Lake Family Picnic
8/22	Troop Meeting
8/29	Troop Meeting

## **Merit Badge Opportunities**

### Scouting Museum:

(August) - Electronics, Soil & Water, Energy, Chess, Mammal Study, Indian Lore, Scouting Heritage, Digital Technology, Signs Signals & Codes, Traffic Safety, Cooking

(September) - Nuclear Science, Sustainability, Movie Making, Radio, Public Speaking, Soil and Water, Law

### Perot Museum:

(August) - Citizenship in the Community, Digital Technology

(September) - Citizenship in the Community

### Dallas Zoo:

(October) - Mammal Study

### Great American Truck Show, Dallas:

(August 29) - Truck Transportation, Traffic Safety

### Medieval Times:

(September) - Animal Science

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