

TROOP 226 UPDATE



April 17, 2018

SUMMER CAMP PAYMENT SCHEDULE and REMINDERS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Payment</u>	<u>Total</u>
March 20, 2018	\$150.00	\$300.00
April 24, 2018	\$150.00	\$450.00
May 22, 2018	\$50.00	\$500.00

Troop 226 has to submit the final program payments to Cole Canoe Base by May 2nd. Please keep your summer camp payments current. Cole Canoe Base will assess a late fee for payments received after May 2nd.

New and first time scouts can register for summer camp without a late fee. Please see Mr. Apo or Mr. Buschman to register for summer camp otherwise the fish, canoes, the lake, scout craft, the fun and all that good food will pass you by.

All Scouts attending summer camp need a current health and medical form with a physical exam within the previous 12 months. This is an ongoing requirement. The BSA health and medical form is available on-line at <http://www.troop226ohio.org>

CONTACT US ELECTRONICALLY

We're happy to offer our e-mail address and web pages:

E-Mail us at scouts@troop226ohio.org

If you have multiple e-mail addresses in your house and wish to have reminders sent to everyone, please let us know all your addresses. We'd like to record an e-mail address for every boy who has one.

Browse our Web Site at <http://www.troop226ohio.org>

See your Scout records at <http://www.troopmasterweb.com/troop226ohio>



OUR NEXT CAMPS

Our Leader's Camp and a separate tent camp will be over weekend of April 27-29. The packing/information sheet for this camp will be available on our website mid-April.

Our Wright-Patterson Air Force Base Touring Camp will be May 18-20. The packing/information Sheet for this camp will be available on our website in early May. The camp fee for this touring camp will be announced at the April 24th meeting and is due by our meeting on May 15th.

CLASS 'A' UNIFORM REQUIREMENT

Our Scout Troop has a **Class 'A' Uniform requirement** for uniform meetings, touring camps, summer camp and certain other activities, but we've noticed that several of our Scouts do not always report properly dressed. In order to assure that our group dresses appropriately for our activities, we have a uniform exchange where old parts can be returned and new parts taken. If there is no availability in the Scout's clothing size, **he is expected to buy the uniform part.**

Please help us by providing a full Class 'A' uniform for your Scout.

Our specific uniform requirements are as follows:

- Class "A"**= Class "A" shirt, scout pants or shorts, scout socks and troop neckerchief.
- Class "B"**= Red troop t-shirt, scout pants or shorts, scout socks.
- Class "C"**= Appropriate civilian attire for the camp/activity.

AN IMPORTANT REMINDER

- Our regular meetings are held at the Strongsville United Methodist Church from 7:15 to 8:45 p.m. **Prompt pickup at 8:45** by parents is appreciated.

THE SPOTLIGHT'S ON . . .

Next year's scouting season will be here before you know it. Any scout who has ideas about new camping locations, themes or activities. Discuss your ideas with Pat Gallagher. Don't be afraid to suggest or try new things.

OUR SCHEDULE FOR THE NEXT FEW WEEKS

Occasionally amendments need to be made to the schedule. Please confirm dates and activities on the official calendar at www.troop226ohio.org

Class C	Tues – April 17 – Regular Troop Meeting –
Class B	Tues – April 24 – Regular Troop Meeting –
Camp	Fri-Sun – Apr 27-29 – Leader's Camp – FOP Lodge/Firelands Scout Reservation – Class A Uniform
Camp	Fri-Sun – April 27-29 – Tent Camp for scouts not going to Leader's Camp – Location TBD
Class A	Tues – May 1 – Uniform Advancement Meeting – PLC Meeting at 6:00pm
Class B	Tues – May 8 – Regular Troop Meeting –
Class A	Tues – May 15 – Uniform Troop Meeting – Guest Speaker
Camp	Fri-Sun – May 18-20 – Touring Camp – Wright-Patterson Air Force Base – Class A Uniform Required
Class A	Tues – May 22 – Uniform Advancement Meeting
Class B	Sat – May 26 – Troop Picnic and Bike Hike – Bonney Park 9:00am to 1:00pm Bring your Bike&Helmet
Class A	Tues – May 29 – Spring Court of Honor – 7:00 p.m. at the Church
Class B	Tues – June 5 – Pre-Summer Camp Meeting – 7:15 at the Church
Camp	Sun-Sat – June 17-23 – Summer Camp – Cole Canoe Base, Michigan – Class A Uniform Required