



## EaglesQuill Feb. 2019

Welcome Jonathan Greene! Jonathan resides in Middletown with his family and officially started on Friday February 1. He will be a District Executive here in Golden Eagle District. Please take time to stop by the office and introduce yourself!

February District Committee meeting 2/7 – 6:30pm at the Muncie Scout office. Come help plan the upcoming year and make our district stronger! We could use fresh blood, fresh thinking, and fresh bodies! If you have ideas or a desire to make things happen here, please join us.

March (Roundtable) – Leader Recognition Dinner 3/14 at KOC Please join us for a night of fellowship, good food, and hard earned recognition at the Knights Of Columbus (3600 W Purdue Ave, Muncie IN 47304). If you would like to nominate an outstanding Scouting adult from your unit, please download the nomination form and turn it back in to the Muncie Scout Office no later than Feb. 28, 2019). Doors open at 6pm, food at 6:30, program at 7pm. We are asking for \$7.00 per person this year to help defray food costs.

Friends of Scouting – Please make sure your unit has scheduled it's Friends of Scouting presentation and then make sure you go that night! This is the primary way we are able to continue to provide programming for all of our scouts and is very important.

Summer Camp sign up – now! Online sign ups are up and running for summer camp now! Cub Scout units need to pay a \$50.00 fee per pack at registration, then a \$50.00 fee per youth attending by March 1 with the balance of fees due by May 1. Camp scholarships will be available for up to half of the full camp fee. Cubs - <http://www.crossroadsbsa.org/174>, Scouts BSA <http://www.crossroadsbsa.org/175>.

Popcorn Sale 2019 – Sign up now to sell popcorn this coming fall! The sale will start again in August so you want to make sure that you get all of the current information. The big popcorn kickoff event for families will be held on August 18<sup>th</sup> at Camp Belzer. The district popcorn training will be in mid July (17<sup>th</sup> or 24<sup>th</sup>). Even if you are not certain who your popcorn kernel will be, it pays to sign up now as we can always change the contacts. Plan to pay for your entire year of Scouting with popcorn! [Register to sell here.](#)

Anyone planning to do spring recruiting? Let us know – we would love to help!

Merit Badge Fair – anyone interested in helping someone plan? Our Advancement Chair is willing to help get a Merit Badge day going for the district in early fall but she needs around 2 or 3 folks to help her plan and organize. Please call the Muncie Scout office if this sounds like it is right up your alley!

Upcoming dates:

Female Troops – new Troop 19 at Riverside UMC is holding an open house on Monday Feb. 11, 7pm. Open to all girls ages 11 – 17 who are interested in joining!

Muncie Luncheon for Scouting April 3, 2019 12noon – 1pm at the Cornerstone Center for the Arts. Would your employers be interested in attending and/or sponsoring a table?

April Roundtable – April 11 – Ideal Year of Scouting – Riverside United Methodist Church (1201 Wheeling Ave, Muncie IN 47303) 7pm

April 26-28 Spring Camporee at Camp Red Wing. Search & Rescue with the Civil Air Patrol! Learn how to do it the right way! Scouts can earn most of the Emergency Preparedness Merit Badge this weekend if they participate.

