

BSA TROOP 890 YEAR AT A GLANCE

August

- **CAPS** – rides continue
- **Fall Field Day** - for First Years
- **Conferences and Boards of Review** - all rank advancements
- **Troop Meetings** - meetings begin and Welcome Back Event

September

- **Iron Eagle Triathlon** - Labor Day
- **Fall Court of Honor** - advancements from summer camp
- **Merit Badge Session A** - Troop merit badge instruction begins
- **Campout** - as planned by PLC

October

- **Oak Leaf** - youth leader training course offered
- **Adult leader basic training** - course for all levels of Troop leadership
- **Waco Wild West** - 50 mile bike ride for CAPS
- **Campout** - as planned by PLC

November

- **Merit Badge Session A** - finishes
- **Merit Badge Session B** - Troop merit badge instruction begins
- **Olympics Campout** - weekend before Thanksgiving at Mr. Noble's ranch

December

- **Winter Overnighter** - First Years campout
- **Conferences and Boards of Review** - for all rank advancements
- **Leadership Elections** - Senior Patrol Leader and Patrol Leaders
- **Holiday Parties** - Troop service project
- **Holiday Lights Hike** - training for 50 miler hike
- **Fertilizer and Trash Bag Sales** – starts
- **PLC Planning** - for spring semester

January

- **Court of Honor** - advancements
- **District Dinner** - to recognize adult accomplishments
- **War Games Campout** - late January at Mr. Alspaw's ranch
- **Fertilizer and trash bags** - keep selling!
- **Training hikes** - for 50 Mile hike in March

February

- **Scout Sunday**
- **Scouting for Food** - service project
- **Fertilizer and Trash Bags** - finish fundraising sales and delivery day
- **No campout**
- **Training hikes** - for 50 Mile hike
- **Camp Card** - sales begin
- **Crossover** – new Scouts begin
- **Merit Badge Session B** - finishes
- **Merit Badge Session C** - Troop merit badge instruction session begins

March

- **50 Miler** - hike in Ouachita Mountains for Second Years and older during RISD spring break
- **District Camporee** - late March
- **Order of the Arrow elections**
- **Camp Card** - keep selling!

April

- **March Madness** - 890 basketball tourney
- **Oak Leaf** - youth leader training course offered
- **Campout** - as planned by PLC
- **Summer Camp** - merit badge signups and payments
- **Merit Badge Session C** - finishes
- **Camp Card Sales** - concludes

May

- **Conferences and Boards of Review** - for rank advancements
- **Spring Field Day or overnighter** - First Year activity
- **Court of Honor** - heavy on recognitions and end-of-year awards

June

- **SUMMER CAMP** - at Camp Constantin, always the third week in June
- **Leadership elections** - Senior Patrol Leader and Patrol leaders during summer camp

July

- **Lake Highlands 4th of July Parade**
- **High Adventure Trek** - different each year
- **CAPS** - training and rides start for First Years' 50-mile bike ride
- **PLC Planning** – for fall semester

