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During the November **Court of Honor**, the following boy achieved rank advancement recognition:

Steven	<u>Second</u>
	<u>Class</u>



The Great Dutch Cookout! In November, the Boy Scouts and leaders hosted a Dutch oven smorgasbord for St. Matthew Cub Scout Pack 92. What great tasting wholesome meals can be made in a Dutch! The Troop had about 14 Dutch ovens going to create the meal and dessert selections. Ummmm.

Wow, is that Scout room ORGANIZED! The Committee meetings now take place within the Scout room, as there is room for two long tables. Thanks go to Committee members: Douglas Pittas, Treasurer; Bob Mann, Chairman; and Julie Jennings, Quarter-master, for their efforts, as well as the Scoutmaster himself, Mr. Mark Freshour! The Scouts also assisted during this multi-year project. Several wooden lockers were built around the perimeter from floor to ceiling and all the gear was arranged within them. Plumbing and a sink were added. Not only was hard work involved, Douglas Pittas, Mark Freshour, Dan Peterson and others also donated materials. Everyone is enjoying their new open space, however, there is still much to do. . . additional plans call for a wrap around counter top to allow room to complete projects, possibly a small desk and a user friendly Scout Library. A windowed display case to replace the bulletin board is also in the works.

PRESS RELEASE

Troop 92 Thanks Area Villages for their Support

Troop 92 had the distinction of presenting plaques to two area village boards in honor and in celebration of the Northwest Suburban Council's (NWSC) 90th anniversary of Scouting.

St. Matthew's Troop 92 is the oldest consecutively chartered Boy Scout Troop in the Lake Zurich area, and is celebrating its 47th year in Scouting. Committee Chairman and an Eagle scout himself, Mr. Bob Mann of Hawthorn Woods, was pleased to lead the boys in the presentation of plaques over the last few weeks at both the Hawthorn Woods and Lake Zurich village meetings. "The boys were thrilled, too", said Mann, "it was an honor for all of us to celebrate the NWSC's anniversary by thanking and recognizing the villages who have graciously sponsored the Boy Scout organizations and supported us over the years. Being the oldest Troop in the Lake Zurich area, we were asked to present the plaques", said Mann.

Pancake Breakfast

The breakfast was a success! Thanks to everyone who came and enjoyed the award winning pancake cooking of Troop 92. The French toast and sausage were awesome as well.

Upcoming events:

- November 22** - Backpacking Weekend - Kettle Moraine
- January 24** - Klondike Derby
- December 13** - Cave Campout Weekend
- February 14** - Winter Survival Campout
- January 17** - Ski/Winter Campout - Galena, Chestnut Mountain Weekend - Camp Lakota

