



Boy Scout Troop 845

Midlothian, Virginia

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What's it like being a Boy Scout? Well how does high adventure, having fun outdoors, making new friends, and becoming a leader sound? What about white-water rafting? Caving? Fire building? Or Boat Races? Well, that's what Scouts is all about!

The Boy Scouts is a boy-lead organization, which means that the boys themselves lead the meetings and run events. It also means that our calendar is full of exciting trips and activities which are sure to be action packed! Boy Scout Troop 845 is based out of Redeemer Lutheran Church on Arch Road, and is for boys ages 11 to 18. We meet Tuesday nights from 7:00pm - 8:30pm to work on rank advancement and plan our next adventure.

Summer Camp. Instead of wasting away our summer vacations, the troop heads off to Virginia's Blue Ridge Mountains to spend the week canoeing, doing shooting sports, riding the zip line, and learning all sorts of outdoor skills. High-adventure programs for the older scouts include a week long backpacking trip, a mountain-man program, or a canoeing expedition.

Wilderness Weekend. Every year the troop spends Memorial Day weekend at Lake Gaston competing in a boat building and racing competition! Our troop is proud to boast 4 first place trophies in just the last five years and everyone has a blast designing and crafting the boat, selecting the crew, and preparing for a very exciting weekend.

Skiing. There's nothing like going flying down a double black diamond, and the troop makes sure to hit the slopes every year at our favorite ski resort in West Virginia. The surprisingly affordable trip is a blast for everyone!

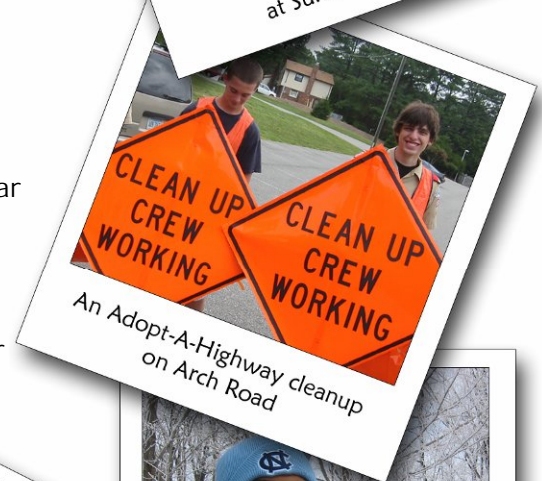
Caving. In what has become practically tradition, the troop makes sure to find time to go "spelunking" (the fancy word for cave exploring) every year. With lighted helmets and a trusty guide, caving is a blast!

And More! Other activities have included backpacking, camping at the beach, bike rides around historic Yorktown, and tubing on the James River. We have a new adventure every month!

Annual troop dues are \$75, which covers troop supplies, equipment, and operating costs. Trips often cost \$10 - \$15. No one will be turned away because of financial need. Come join us and see what having fun is all about!



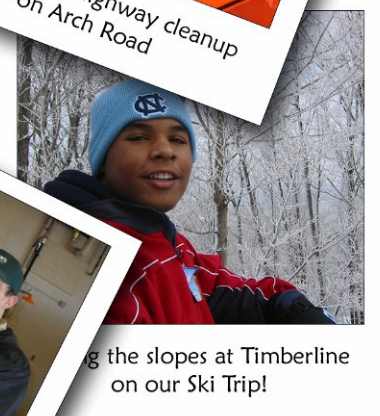
Learning Archery
at Summer Camp



An Adopt-A-Highway cleanup
on Arch Road



First hand experience with the
"Jaws of Life" at Langley AFB.



g the slopes at Timberline
on our Ski Trip!