



TROOP 314 NEWS

July 2018 AD

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*BSA Troop 314 - Orange Frontier District
Westminster, (Midway City) California*

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Events Completed In June

- **Troop Elections**

The new youth leaders are:

SPL: Michael

ASPL: Timothy

Scribe: Christian

Quartermaster: Trumen

Troop Guide: Owen

- **Map and compass at Bosa Chica Park**
- **Court of Honor /Home Work Burn and cookout at Beach**
- **Trumen served on staff at Gold Camp, the weekend of June 22-24th**

Homework burn and Court of Honor

Troop 314 held its annual beach homework burn on Saturday, June 30, at Bolsa Chica State Beach.

Martin and Christian were our heroes this time, getting there precisely when the beach opened -- at 6:00 AM! They staked out a good fire ring for us, then Christian went back to sleep on the sand.

The rest of us showed up between 3:00 and 6:30. Timothy and his family and some friends of his family were there, and the kids went right to work helping Ian dig up sand crabs. Michael and his Dad, and Trumen and his Mom, were also there.

I managed to start the fire with no matches (I used embers found from the previous night). We cooked hot dogs for dinner, and toasted marshmallows for dessert. We had plenty of firewood, and in fact I stayed past closing time just trying to use it up (that's always fun).

After dinner we had our most informal Court of Honor ever, with me presiding in my swimming trunks. Timothy and Michael were both presented with rank advancements, and Michael was sworn in as the new Senior Patrol Leader. Then Michael swore in the rest of the new scout leaders.

After everyone else went home, Ian and I went over to Sunset Beach to try and see some grunion. We were there past midnight, but only saw one.

So everyone had fun, no one got burned (by the sun or by the fire), and no one drowned, so it was a successful outing! See you there next year!

- Richard Marubayashi, Scoutmaster



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The BSA's brand new version of Youth Protection Training rolled out March 1, 2018. This new program, known as YPT-2, is mandatory for all registered BSA volunteers and employees.

Because of the changes to this training, even those who have completed YPT in the past two years must still complete this new version. All must complete their training by October 1, 2018

Link to Troop 314 Annual Plan on Google Sheets

The link for the troop's annual plan:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1UYqcBeU59PhVVqcIyJgS8fghPJAnra1dIPkXyZ8UBak/edit?usp=sharing>

Contact Information Link

Please update your contact information as needed.

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1ALgJqX-ijwYHBrTZ8xf7AuGKqIJv6FxyLLXZP3NjuVFk/edit?usp=sharing>

Activities Sign Up Link

Please use this shared document to sign up for upcoming activities.

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/176b23wuQdDTa2E1A_38IzljnT7WvTg0HjSre9dla1e8/edit?usp=sharing

Scout in Charge/Scout Leader Planning Sheet

This is the link to the planning document.

http://troopleader.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/03/512-505_16_Wksht_WEB.pdf

Please plan to use it when you are the assigned Scout in Charge of an Activity.

TROOP 314 WEBSITE URL is:

www.troop314ocbsa.scoutlander.com

Boy Scout Troop 314 (Midway City, California) Homepage
www.troop314ocbsa.scoutlander.com/
You have found the home page of. Troop 314 of. Midway City, California. Sponsored by. American Legion Albert E. Schwab Post 555. 14582 Beach Blvd.

Orange Frontier District Website Link

<http://orangefrontier.ocbsa.org/>

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Troop 314 Leadership

- Senior Patrol Leader: Michael
- Assistant Senior Patrol Leader: Timothy
- Quartermaster: Trumen
- Scribe: Christian
- Troop Guide Owen



12th Orange Frontier District Scouters' Roundtable

7 PM at LDS

Church 4000 Orange Ave., Anaheim
(2nd Thursday each month)



**Get Your Calendars
and mark these dates!**

T314 EVENTS FOR July 2018

3rd PLC



DONE!

10th Troop 314 Meeting American Legion Post 555 Starting at 6:30PM

Expecting a visitor. Original plan was to assemble "the cave" (homemade enclosed canopy), which we may still do, but the backup plan is to do First Aid stuff: Blanket stretcher race, ankle wrap, arm sling, arm splint.

Sandra will make an announcement about a Personal Management MB class. She will also make announcement about Cub Twilight Camp.

Tentative - Owen to present his Eagle Project Proposal to the Troop Committee.

15th - 21st – Summer Camp
(Mr. M, Michael, Timothy, Trumen, and Troop 4).

17th No Troop Meeting on
Summer Camp week.

19th OA Meeting



21st Year 1969 Buzz Aldrin and Neil Armstrong, are first men to walk on moon.

24th Troop 314 Meeting at American Legion Post 555. Starting at 6:30PM

Review Scout Rank basics for Ryan, our new scout. Things like Scout Oath/Law/Motto/Slogan/Outdoor Code, sign/salute/handshake, knots. Our Troop Guide (Owen) will direct. Finalize plans for backpacking this weekend.

28th (Saturday) Backpacking to
Henninger Flats. Timothy is Scout in Charge. Michael to serve as grubmaster

**31st Troop 314 Meeting at
American Legion Post 555.
Starting at 6:30PM**
The older scouts will teach knots to the
younger ones.

COMING IN AUGUST:

**August 4 (Saturday) – ILST to be held at
Bolsa Chica Park, 1 - 4 PM.**

**The theme for August will be CAMPING.
Michael will solicit ideas and feedback
on this.**



Troop 314 Meeting Notes

- First meeting of Month is time for Committee Chair Parents Meeting.
- The Second Tuesday is usual time for Scoutmaster Conferences.
- The Third Tuesday meeting includes Board of Reviews for Rank Advancement when not a COH.
- Fourth Tuesday could be for Patrol meetings if you are able to get the Scoutmaster to come early or close late.
- ** No meetings are usually held on 5th Tuesday. These are saved for Fundraisers, or special meetings at interesting locations.

Court of Honor is held 4 times a year, every 3 months – usually the last Scout meeting of month (except December). In **March** and **September** COH Scouts are honored for their rank advancements with a candle lighting ceremony and parents are given pins.

In **June** and **December**, our COH does not have candles and rank advancement pins for parents, but we add a potluck dinner in June – (Optional potluck in Dec.).

The Outdoor Code

*As an American, I will do my
best to -*

Be clean in my outdoor manners.

Be careful with fire.

Be considerate in the outdoors.

and

Be conservation minded

Scout Oath

*On my honor, I will do my best
To do my duty to God and my
country and to obey the Scout
Law;*

To help other people at all times;

*To keep myself physically strong,
mentally awake and morally
straight.*

Personal Mess kits: Troop 314 is Camping Green!

Personal Mess kits are used on 99.889 % of Troop campouts – If in doubt, buy one and bring yours!



The Troop can help you do something you always wanted to do!

**Scouts – You have the Power to
make some serious fun happen!**

Just talk to Scoutmaster or your SPL to
get the ball rolling on one of these
great activities, and while you are at it -
step up to be Scout in Charge. The
Troop Committee will hook you up with
the adults and resources to make it
happen!


***Troop Activities are only
limited by your imagination:***

Archery
Fishing – Pier / boat
Beach party / Homework Burn
Bowling
Go Cart Racing (Family)
Hiking Trips
Backpacking - Hike in camp.
Sled / Mountain Snow Day.
Ski / Snowboard Trip
Laser Tag (Family)
Air Soft Games (Family)
Paint Ball / Airsoft
(Family)
Shooting Range (Famiy)
Shooting BLM land
Calico Ghost Town
Desert Rock climbing
Pro Baseball Game
Gold Prospecting / Gold Camp
Swim – Pool / Beach
Scuba Instruction
Snorkeling / Beach Trip
White water rafting



Canoe River Trip
Annual Mistletoe Trip
Kayaking
Picnic / BBQ
Museums of interest

Order of the Arrow Wiatava Lodge (#39) Santee Chapter

A Santee Chapter Meeting is held every
3rd Thursday of the month at 7:00pm at Holy
Cross Lutheran Church .

Chaplain's Wisdom of the month

A Scout is Friendly.

**Some companions are good for only
idle talk only but a friend may
stick closer than a brother.**

(Proverbs 18: 24)

Jokes Jokes Jokes Jokes Jokes

A man went to visit a friend and was amazed to find
him playing chess with his dog. He watched the game
in astonishment for a while. "I can hardly believe my
eyes!" he exclaimed. "That's the smartest dog I've
ever seen."

"He's not so smart," the friend replied, "I've beaten him
three games out of five."

There was a man who entered a local paper's pun
contest. He sent in ten different puns, in the hope that
at least one of the puns would win.
Unfortunately, no pun in ten did.

TROOP 314:

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