



NORTH STAR NEWS OCTOBER 2004

OA NEWS - The Annual Shawnee Winter Fellowship Banquet will be held Monday, December 20th at the Machinists Hall in Bridgeton, MO, Information will be mailed to all registered lodge members.

UP COMING MERIT BADGES - **Pets** Merit Badge will be held Saturday, December 4th from 9am to noon at the Humane Society of Missouri Headquarters Classroom (lower level), 1201 Macklin Ave. St. Louis, MO Cost is \$3 for material. **Genealogy** Merit Badge Center November 6th 8:30am - 1:00pm. Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 6386 Howdershell, Hazelwood, MO. Reservation deadline is Oct. 4th. **Stamp Collecting** Merit Badge Center, Saturday, February 26th at the Renaissance St. Louis Hotel, 9801 Natural Bridge Rd. from 9am to 1pm. A \$5 registration fee will cover admission to the Stamp Expo and the Souvenir Expo. Lunch is not included. Any questions on these merit badge centers see the Duffle bag or log onto www.stlbsa.org.

FALL ENCAMPMENT - The fall encampment will be held October 15-17.

LOTTERY - Scout Camp lottery will be held Saturday, October 15th beginning at 10:00am. Scoutmasters will receive a letter and registration form to sign up for the lottery.

SCOUTING FOR FOOD - The Big Event will be held on November 13th and 20th. If your unit has not signed up, please do so. Bags and Territory maps will be distributed at Roundtable meetings.

SWIMMING SKILL CENTER - Classes do fill early and are limited so be sure to get your units registration forms in as soon as possible.(by early October at the latest). Course 1: October 23, 30; Nov. 6; Dec. 4, 11, and 18. Course 2i Jan. 8, 15, 22,29, Feb. 12 and 19.

**HAVE A GREAT TIME AT THE CAMPOREE
SEE YOU NEXT MONTH NOVEMBER 4H**