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## NORTH STAR NEWS                      JANUARY 2006

**DISTRICT RECOGNITION DINNER** – The Recognition dinner will be held on Friday, January 20<sup>th</sup> 2006. Make plans to attend. Cost is \$17 per person if received by January 9<sup>th</sup> after that date the cost is \$19 per person, any questions see Sue Lindstrom or Georgia Schaijo.

**OA NEWS** – Congratulations to North Star's latest Vigil candidates, Scout Michael Swank and Scouter Kurt Kestermeier. Notice the change in the location of the O.A. Chapter Banquet, The banquet will be held on February 12<sup>th</sup> at Christ the King U.C.C.

**KLONDIKE DERBY** – The theme will be "Revolutionary War – Valley Forge for the Klondike Derby which will be held on January 14<sup>th</sup> at Beaumont in the Lane Area. Activities will be based on the events that occurred during the battle of Valley Forge from both the Colonial American and British perspective.

**SPRING CAMPOREE** – Plan now to attend the Spring Camporee March 31 – April 2. Watch for more info in the March/April Duffle Bag or check the district's page at [w.w.w.stlbsa.org](http://w.w.w.stlbsa.org).

**MERIT BADGES** – Please check the Duffle and the Council Website for information on the following merit badge opportunities: Dog Care – Sat. Feb. 25<sup>th</sup>, Truck Transportation – Jan. 21<sup>st</sup>, Radio – Feb 4<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup>, Stamp Collecting – Feb 25<sup>th</sup>, Railroading – see the Duffel Bag for dates.

**SWIMMING SKILL CENTER** – North Star Swimming Skill center – The second Session is about to start – January 7<sup>th</sup>. For more info see Kel Ward tonight.

**TRAINING GRADUATES!** - The next Boy Scout training starts March 27, 2006 at First Presbyterian Church of Ferguson. Basic Unit Commissioner training will be held on November 5<sup>th</sup> and lets not forget University of Scouting on Saturday, January 21, 2006! Any Questions or comments call Paul Charney at 314-838-7535