TROOP HISTORY

BSA Troop 98 was chartered by Rosemont Baptist Church on July 31, 1952. We have our own Scout House with over 3,200 sf located behind the Church at 599 Mitchell Avenue. With this we are able to hold our meetings, lock-ins, merit badge classes, etc. whenever we need. We have dedicated storage for all of our Scout equipment: woodworking, leather working, camping equipment, hiking/caving/climbing equipment, canoes, kayaks, sailboats, merit badge books and supplies. Everything to help make your Scout advance, succeed, make lifelong friends, and HAVE fun!

TROOP STRUCTURE

Troop 98 is an active Scout-led troop. We have Scouts from Clays Mill, Picadome, Jessie Clark, Beaumont, EJ Hays, Leestown, Lafayette, Dunbar, Bryan Station and Homeschooled. The Scouts plan and run each meeting and outing. The Boys of Troop 98 hold elections twice per year to select Troop and Patrol Leaders and other Positions. Patrol Leadership Committee meets each month to plan each meeting for the upcoming month. They are supported by an Adult Troop Committee and Charter Organization. Our trained Adult leaders consists of former Eagle Scouts, members of Order of the Arrow, parents of past and current scouts, and former Scouts.

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.

SCOUT LAW

A Scout Is:
Trustworthy
Loyal
Helpful
Friendly
Courteous
Kind
Obedient
Cheerful
Thrifty
Brave
Clean
Reverent

SCOUT MOTTO

Be Prepared!

SCOUT SLOGAN

Do a Good Turn Daily!









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TROOP MEETS EVERY MONDAY 7:00 PM

CREW MEETS 1ST & 3RD TUESDAYS 7:30 PM

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ADVANCEMENT

When a Webelo crosses over into Boy Scout Troop 98 they have the full support of the troop, adult leaders, and parents to advance from Scout rank to the top level of Eagle Scout. Typically, Troop 98 will have two to three Scouts working on their Eagle rank at any given time. We have the experience, with adult leaders with over 35 years in Scouts, to current parents, to former Scouts that are now on staff at Camp McKee. We also have the materials from workbooks to equipment to help each Scout advance at their own pace on any of the 137 different Merit Badges. Troop 98 Scouts also can earn merit badges during Troop Lock-In's, during summer camp at McKee, or at different Merit Badge Fairs held throughout the region during the year.



TROOP 98 ADVENTURES

The troop normally meets in December to plan the next year's calendar of events. We try to have some type of camping/hiking/outdoor weekend event and at least a one-day event each month. Our troop normally attends Camp McKee summer camp during the first camp session, which is typically the third week of June. Every other year we try to plan a High Adventure summer trip. Past trips have included BSA Sea Base in the Florida Keys, Philmont Scout Ranch in New Mexico, and during June 2018 a two-week hiking trip that included the Petrified Forest, the Grand Canyon, Zion NP, Bryce NP, Capitol Reef NP, Arches NP/Moab, and Vail and Denver CO. We have had Scouts attend the National Jamboree in 2017 and the World Jamboree this year. We are already planning for an Alaska Adventure in the summer of 2020. Closer by we kayak and canoe the North Elkhorn, hike and rappel the Gorge and the Big South Fork, go spelunking in wild caves, Zipline, mountain bike, and many other adventures the Scouts can think of! Best of all, we already have most of the equipment and supplies for you Scout to use if needed.



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We use the GROUPME Texting App to communicate within the Troop on a daily basis. You can also check out our monthly calendar on our website: www.troop98lexington.weebly.com.

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