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January

- 1 Advance Candy Sale Begins
- 2 New Year's Holiday - Office Closed
- 6 Candy Kick-Off Dinner
- 10 ... Volunteers' Meeting
- 10 ... Candy Captain Training
- 13 ... Salute to Veterans Cards Due
- 16 ... MLK, Jr. Day - Office Closed
- 21 ... Candy Advance Sale Ends
- 27 ... Candy Fundraiser Begins

February

- 20 ... Presidents' Day - Office Closed
- 20 ... Candy Fundraiser Ends

Camp Fire New Year's Resolutions

- 1) Invite at least one friend to a Camp Fire meeting or event this year.
- 2) Earn a new emblem on your own.
- 3) Do community service at a different facility.
- 4) Sing up for a leadership position somewhere (at school, at your place of worship, in Camp Fire). Even a short-term or seemingly insignificant position will enhance your leadership skills for the future.
- 5) Try a new sport or activity.
- 6) Find a person in another Camp Fire group and become e-mail (or instant message) pen pals.
- 7) Set a higher candy fundraising goal and think of a creative marketing idea to reach it.
- 8) Enter a personal creation in the Puyallup Fair for judging.
- 9) Read one book in a genre that's not your favorite. For example, if you love mysteries, try a science fiction book.
- 10) Invite at least one more friend to a Camp Fire meeting or event this year.



Volunteer Service Award

Don't forget to schedule in your service hours if you are striving for the President's Award. The deadline is March 31st. You still have lots of time to finish up your hours and turn in your application.

Now is a good time to figure out how many hours you have completed so you can see how many more you need to earn the award.



FISH Youth Programs

The Friends of the Issaquah Salmon Hatchery (FISH) Youth Programs are offered from January through June. FISH is now offering a program for youth to come to the hatchery and participate in several activities designed for all ages.

Participants will receive a patch for their uniform!

Ages 4-5: 1 hour, \$5 per child

- short slide show presentation
- feed the fish
- smelling game
- craft activity

Ages 6-8: 1 1/2 hours, \$8 per child

- slide show presentation
- behind the scenes hatchery tour
- salmon lifecycle keychain
- find your home stream activity

Ages 9-11: 2 hours, \$11 per child

- slide show presentation
- microscope study of salmon scales, skin and muscle tissue
- water quality study and sampling of Issaquah Creek

They would also be happy to work with your group on meeting requirements for a project badge!

For more information call 425 427 0259 or e-mail fish_karen@msn.com. Check out FISH's website at



Day Camp 2006

It's not too early to start planning for East Branch Day Camps. Watch for the flyers for camp – usually early March – and sign your kids up early for a week of fun at Day Camp this summer.

The camps, sponsored by Camp Fire USA, are ACA accredited and are run by hardworking volunteers who donate one or more weeks of their time to making sure kids have a great outdoor experience.

Participants enjoy lots of arts and crafts, fun activities, and outdoor cooking. Register your child/children early as space is limited, and some camps fill up quickly. Stay tuned for registration forms and more information.

Any adults interested in helping at camp, in any capacity, should contact the East Branch Office at 425 885 0477 for more information.

Calling All Writers

Do you write poetry? Is there a fun event or opportunity in your community that you would like to share? Has your group done any special activities or gone on an exciting field trip?

We would love to publish an article about your group activities and achievement in future issues of the *Wohelo*.

Please refer to the new *Wohelo* newsletter schedule and deadlines in the White Pages and get your articles in to laura-l@campfire-usa.org.

Na Mi Ha U Camp Fire Group
Susannah Arnhart, Jessica Eaton, Lillian Furlong, Fiona Gleason, Reilly Loveland and Hillary U
Invite You and Your Dads (or substitute Dads) to Join Us at the



26th Annual Dad/Kid Weekend
A Spring Tradition
March 11th and 12th, 2006



Who: Camp Fire USA Kids and their Dads (or substitute Dads)
Why: To spend some special time together
Where: Camp Sealth on Vashon Island
Cost: \$35 per person (includes lodging, dinner, brunch and five fun shops)
Questions: E-mail dad-kid-wknd@excite.com or you can leave a message at 206 660 6096. No calls until February 20th.

To Register, send this completed form, including a check payable to **Camp Fire USA** and a legal size, self-addressed, stamped envelope for your confirmation letter to:

Dad/Kid Weekend
 6810 17th Avenue NE
 Seattle, WA 98115



Registration Deadline is Saturday, February 25th, 2006. This event fills quickly – only 230 spaces! A confirmation letter will be mailed after March 3rd. Please understand that canceled reservations cannot be refunded.

Dad/Kid Weekend - A Spring Tradition

Dad's Name: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ E-mail: _____

Child's Name(s)	Leader	Age	Gender

Cabin Mate Request: 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

Medical Concerns or Dietary Needs: _____

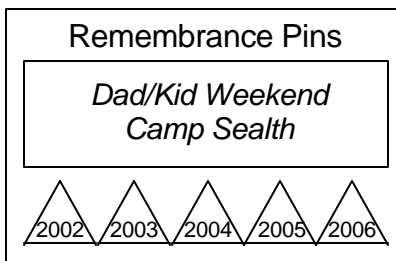
Fun Shop Choices - Select 6, you will have time for 5:

- Free Time Outdoor Cooking Nature Hike Jacobs Ladders Lummi Sticks & Songs
 Sign Language Sand Candles Metal Rubbings Bead Creations Outdoor Games

Dad/Kid Remembrance Pins - \$6 each

Year Dangles - \$1 each (Indicate which year/s needed)

2000 2001 2002 2003 2004 2005 2006 Previous Years



Ferry Tickets

Car & Driver x \$11.25 = _____
 Passenger x \$ 3.25 = _____
 Number of Remembrance Pins x \$ 6.00 = _____
 Number of Year Dangles for Pins x \$ 1.00 = _____
 Number of Participants Registering x \$35.00= _____
TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED (registration, ferry, pin fees) = _____

All Volunteers' Meeting

Come ring in the New Year with us at the All-Volunteers' Meeting on Tuesday, January 10th at the EBO in the Rainier Room from 6:30-8:30 p.m.

This will also be our Candy Fundraiser Kick-Off and Candy Rally, so bring the kids along, too! We'll talk about selling safely and setting sales goals.



Afterwards, we'll sing songs and get excited. Wait until you see the incentives - you'll want them all!

Attention: All Leaders and Candy Captains!

Candy Captain training will be held at the East Branch Office in the Rainier Room on January 10th from 6-6:30 p.m.

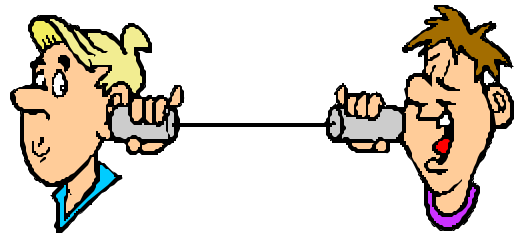
Please encourage your volunteers to come to the training and stay for the All Volunteers' Meeting immediately following.

Training for Candy Captains is required. Jeannette Borges has graciously agreed to be our trainer this year. Many thanks to Jeannette!

Advance Candy Sale

Don't like standing out in the cold at site sales? Why not take advantage of the Candy Fundraiser Pre-Sale! The advance sale runs January 1st - January 21st. It's so easy!

E-mail or call your customers from the warmth of your home and mark down the number of boxes they want. You don't even have to collect the money now. Just sit back, relax and wait to deliver the candy and collect the money. Sometimes we forget to take advantage of this opportunity.




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