

BSA TROOP 609 & 609G -- 2023-2024 CALENDAR

Regular troop meetings are Mondays, 7-8:30pm. All events are held at MPUMC unless otherwise noted

SEPTEMBER 2023

Mon, 11: SOFTBALL KICKOFF AT KENNEDY PARK *6pm
Sat, 16: Hike: Indiana Dunes (10 miles)
Mon, 18: Regular Meeting
Sun, 24: Hike: CCFPD – Sandridge, S. Holland
Mon, 25: Regular Meeting: Cyberchip / Parent Meeting
Fri, 29-Sun, Oct 1: Camp/Hike: Herbert Hoover Trail, West Branch, Iowa

OCTOBER 2023

Mon, 2: Regular Meeting
Fri, 6-Sun, 8: Iron Horse District Fall Camporee
Mon, 9: No meeting (**All advancements and merit badges submitted for Fall Awards Night)
Sun, Oct 15: Disc Golf, 9am, Evergreen Park
Mon, 16: Regular Meeting
Mon, 23: FALL AWARDS NIGHT
Fri, 21 – Sun, 22: Possible Camp/Canoe/Hike
Sun, 29: Hike: CCFPD – Crabtree, Barrington Hills
Mon, 30: No meeting

NOVEMBER 2023

Fri, 3 – Sun, 5: Camp/Hike, Starved Rock. Sat Hike: W.D. Boyce Trail (16 miles)
Mon, 6: Regular Meeting
Sat, Nov 11: Leaf Rally, MPUMC
Mon, 13: Regular Meeting
Sat, 18-Weds, 22: Possible Camp/Hike
Mon, 20: No troop meeting
Sat, 25, 10am: Food Drive Bag Distribution, 10am
Mon, 27: Regular Meeting

DECEMBER 2023

Sat, 2: Food Drive Pick Up, 10am
Mon, 4: Regular Meeting
Fri, 8-Sun 10: Possible camping trip
Mon, 11: Holiday Pizza Party
Sat, Dec 16: (Tentative) Eagle Scout ceremony Aislinn and Hana
Sun, 17: Hike: CCFPD – Trailside, River Forest
Mon, 18: No Meeting; Winter Break.
Scouts resumes Mon, Jan 8

JANUARY 2024

Mon, 8: Scouts resumes
Fri, 12-Sun, 14: Possible camping trip
Mon, 15 – No meeting
Sun, 21: Hike: CCFPD – Pilcher Park, Joliet
Mon, 22: Regular Meeting
Fri, 26: Family Fun Night, Chili cook off, 6-9pm
Mon, 29: No meeting

FEBRUARY 2024

Sun, 4 – Scout Sunday (Mandatory; Class A)
Mon, 5 – Regular Meeting
Fri, 9-Sat, 10: Iron Horse KLONDIKE DERBY?? Only Fri night camping; no details available yet
Mon, 12: Regular meeting
Mon, 19: No meeting
Sun, 25: Hike: CCFPD – River Trail, Northbrook
Mon, 26: Regular Meeting

MARCH 2024 ---- Easter is March 31st

Mon, 4: Regular Meeting
Mon, 11: Regular meeting; Pancake Breakfast Training
Sat, 16: PANCAKE BREAKFAST (Mandatory; Class A)
Sun, 17: Parade (S. Side Irish Parade; Optional; Class A)
Mon, 18: No Regular Meeting
Fri, 22-Sun, 24: Possible camp/hike
Mon, 25: Regular Meeting

APRIL 2024 -

Mon, 1: No meeting
Mon, 8: Regular Meeting (**All advancements and merit badges submitted for Spring Awards Night)
Fri, 12-Sat, 13: Iron Horse Spring Camporee – no details available yet
Sun, 14: Hike: CCFPD – Little Red Schoolhouse
Mon, 15: No Meeting
Mon, 22: Spring Awards Night
Mon, 29: Regular meeting -- Softball

MAY 2024

Mon, May 6: Regular Meeting – Softball
Fri, 10-Sun, 12: Possible camp/hike
Mon, 13: Regular Meeting - Softball
Mon, 20: Regular Meeting - Softball
Mon, 27: No meeting. Parade. (Memorial Day; Optional; Class A)

JUNE 2024

Mon, 3 – Softball and CAMP MEETING. Camp meeting is mandatory for at least one parent and for those adults attending summer camp. Owasippe is July 20 or 21 through 27 (Most likely will do July 20th, Saturday check-in again)

JULY 2024

July 20-27: Summer camp at Owasippe. Optional early check-in on Saturday, July 20th.

AUGUST 2024

Tentative District events:

- Iron Horse East Race Whitewater Day
- Iron Horse Annual Fishing Derby