

# MERIT BADGE OPPORTUNITIES SUMMER 2011

## Troop 230 Opportunities

### **•Work Ahead on Personal Fitness and Personal Management**

Some requirements take place over a few months, so make your summer count! We will offer Personal Fitness and Personal Management this fall, both of which are required for Eagle Scout. Look at the requirements found in the Merit Badge Handbooks and also see the helpful online resources listed below.

**Personal Fitness**—Contact Mr. Dial at [jhdial@comcast.net](mailto:jhdial@comcast.net) with questions and visit the link below or consult the Personal Fitness Merit Badge book for the requirements.

<http://www.usscouts.org/mb/worksheets/Personal-Fitness.pdf>

**Personal Management**—Contact Mr. Peters at [randy.r.peters@gmail.com](mailto:randy.r.peters@gmail.com) with questions or to let him know that you are interested in the class. Listen up for future announcements about the date and time of this class offering. Find the requirements in the Personal Management Merit Badge book and at the following link:

<http://usscouts.org/mb/worksheets/Personal-management.pdf>

## Summer Opportunities in the Houston Area

### **•Houston Museum of Natural Science—Great Classes for Merit Badges!**

For more information, contact [scouts@hmns.org](mailto:scouts@hmns.org), call 713-639-4655, or visit the following link for a list of classes offered at various locations:

[http://www.hmns.org/index.php?option=com\\_content&view=article&id=164&Itemid=174](http://www.hmns.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=164&Itemid=174).

### **•The Health Museum of Houston**

This summer, The Health Museum is offering a full slate of popular merit badge classes! The Summer 2011 schedule is available for viewing and online registration is underway. For more information, visit:

[http://www.thehealthmuseum.org/ManageDetail/Detail\\_Default.aspx?contentid=596](http://www.thehealthmuseum.org/ManageDetail/Detail_Default.aspx?contentid=596)

*June 6-10:* • Citizenship in the Community • Citizenship in the Nation • Communications • First Aid •  
Fingerprinting

*August 15-19:* • Citizenship in the Community • Citizenship in the Nation • Communications • Emergency  
Preparedness • Fingerprinting

### **•The Weather Museum of Houston—Boy Scout Weather Merit Badge Classes**

For more information, visit <http://www.wxresearch.org/wpmuseum/education/scout-page/>

Learn about the basics of weather (temperature, wind, moisture, and pressure) as well as severe weather, including thunderstorms, hurricanes, and tornadoes. Plus, learn how to keep you and your family safe in all types of weather. All the weather you ever wondered about covered in one class. Class are held the fourth Saturday of each month at 10 A.M. Limited to 10 scouts – no adults. \$25 per scout

For general Merit Badge Questions, contact Mrs. Carlyle at [ecarlyle@second.org](mailto:ecarlyle@second.org)