



Members of Pack 1, Den 7, of St. Mary's school are shown here working on part of a window display for Boy Scout week. The boys are (left to right) Paul Adams, Michael Naumes (seated), Jeffrey Randolph, Stanley Duda, Paul Barber, Donald Zeleznik, Donald Davy, Michael Ford and Donald Valentine. Donald Davy is the Boy Scout assigned to the group as den chief and Mrs. E. E. Ford is the den mother. Boys 8 to 11 years of age are Cub Scouts, usually meet once a week in home of den mothers.



The John Schroeders of 413 North Columbus avenue are a "scout" family. Mr. Schroeder, a former cubmaster of Pack 8, Jackson school, is now institutional representative for the pack and a committeeman for Troop 16. Mrs. Schroeder has served as a den mother and all three of their sons are in scouting. Grant (at left) is a member of Cub Pack 8, Gordon (center) is a member of Troop 16 sponsored by Knights of Pythias, and Bryant, junior in Medford High school and an Eagle Scout, belongs to Air Explorer Squadron 14.



Indian lore, crafts and dances are studied by boys in the Order of the Arrow. Larry Hammond (at left) of Explorer Post 8 was chief of Mazama lodge last year and Dick Clark (center), Squadron 14, is 1956 lodge chief. Bob Glover and Charles Rowan are members of Post 8. Membership in the Order of the Arrow, honor group in scouting, is based on special service to other boys in scouting, and the order's symbol is the thunderbird, pictured on the loin cloth which Chief Dick Clark wears. Because of their experience in the Indian dancing, these boys have served on ceremonial teams.

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## Boy Scout Week

By Olive Starcher

Boy Scouts of America will observe the annual Boy Scout week February 5-12 using the theme "Onward for God and My Country."

This theme is the same adopted for a new four-year program for Boy Scouts and is being emphasized on eight points: Be prepared in body, prepared in skill, prepared in spirit, prepared as a member of a team; physical fitness, self-reliance and obligation to God and country.

Since its incorporation February 8, 1910, more than 24,500,000 boys and leaders have been members of the Boy Scouts of America. Today there are 4,100,000 Boy Scouts and leaders in 104,000 Cub packs, Scout troops and Explorer posts.

Activities planned in Crater Lake Area council include dinners and suppers for Cubs, Scouts and their families, and honor courts. Scout Sunday, February 12, will be observed by most churches throughout the council and many packs, troops and posts will attend church in groups. Window displays will tell the story of Scouting.

Cubs and Scouts are to wear their uniforms to church and school during the week. (Brainerd photos)



Troop 2, sponsored by Medford Kiwanis club at Lincoln school, has been learning about maps this winter. Shown here (standing, left to right) are Leland Johnson, Mike Reich, Dewey Gail, Ronnie Miller, David Dunn, Allan Bowman, Assistant Scoutmaster Dick Schlachter and Eugene McFadden. Seated at table is Scoutmaster Dick Swan with Kelly Sommers and Billy Richardson at right. Billy holds the Scout "advancement axe" which the Lincoln troop won for two years. Boating scene shows Sea Explorer Scouts, Ship 21, Grants Pass, on water cruise down Rogue river.



Members of Crater Lake Area council, Boy Scouts of America, met recently at the home of the council president, George Flanagan, to plan the year's program. Pictured above are (left to right) H. D. Christensen, past council president and organization extension chairman; Martin Webb, Yreka, Calif., council advancement chairman; Richard W. Lamb, assistant executive for Josephine and Siskiyou counties; John J. Patton, council training chairman, and R. D. Church, Big Pines district chairman. The four volunteers all have been given the Silver Beaver award for outstanding service to scouting.



Shown with Council President George Flanagan (at left) during the meeting are Clifford Hanson, executive for Crater Lake area; George Schrader, Mt. Shasta, Calif., a past council president and now the vice-president; J. A. McDougall, council commissioner, and Roger Bales, Portland, deputy regional executive. Mr. Flanagan, Mr. Schrader and Mr. McDougall also have been awarded the Silver Beaver for special service in the Boy Scout movement. Mr. Flanagan was recently named new president of the council, and these key men met with him to plan the coming year's activities and policies.