

Boy Scout Pizz-A-Thon



Develop leadership

Earn Awards



Troop Fun, Earning Badges, Advancing in Rank, Providing Service to Community

Star or Eagle: Coordinate the planning and implementing of the Pizz-A-Thon

EARN BADGES with individual and team competition:

1. Using the Pizz-A-Thon website www.pizz-a-thon.com as a guide, select one or more badge activities in your advancement – **Tenderfoot, Second Class, First Class, Star, Life and Eagle.** Post your notes on the web site blog page. Eldon Weber will respond to special postings of interest or to answer questions. Or email him at e1935w@aol.com for program planning and generating funds to support the cost of materials and awards.

(See ordering page to order materials and awards for participants and winners.)

Boy Scout Merit Badges that could apply in carrying out a troop Pizz-A-Thon

American Business (pizzeria mock business)

Animal Science (research the meat that goes into your newly created team pizza)

Art (use it in visuals to market your teams newly created pizza)

Communications (use oral and written in your marketing report)

Computers (assist in further adaptation of the web site to support your troop)

Entrepreneurship (establish your mock pizzeria business and try selling your team's pizza)

Environmental Science (trace your pizza ingredients back to the soil and conduct soil experiment)

Gardening (plan a troop Pizza Garden to provide fresh ingredients for team pizzas)

Inventing (explore, discover and create a new pizza)

Journalism (be creative in marketing your pizza using visual, written and oral communications)

Photography (serve as your team's photographer and use photos in marketing your pizza)

Public Speaking (use your communication skills in your team's 5 minute marketing report)

Reading (research and read about jobs, careers and processes tracing ingredients to the origin)

Safety (ensure safe activities associated with the soil experiment and baking team pizzas)

Salesmanship (use effective marketing techniques and communications in marketing team pizzas)

Soil and Water Conservation (experiment, explore and discover the importance of conservation)

Transportation (follow the ingredients from your pizza to the soil)

Proposal
Boys Scout Leadership Development
Philanthropy Project “plant a seed and nurture it to grow”

Goal: The project will help develop troop members to become leaders and positive role models while in their youth, involving them in leadership opportunities (featuring development of skills in communications, team building, motivation, delegating, creativity, responsibility, sustainability and commitment).

As a part of the leadership experience, Boy Scouts, in their communities, are encouraged to seek donors/sponsors to cover the cost of t shirts, medallions, ribbons, Plexiglas soil experiment boxes and a stipend for the Boy Scout Troop. To provide teams an opportunity to develop a project that will help the community in a charitable or benevolent way, youth assist in the following:

- Seek needed resources (teams would earn 20% of the donation and sponsorship fee they generate)- once the check for the total fee is received by the Pizz-A-Thon Partnership, the stipend will be sent to the troop.
- Develop a philanthropy project that will serve as “planting of a seed in fertile top soil” where the money they generate is multiplied (leveraged) in helping youth in their community.
- Teams present their ideas to the Boy Scout Troop resulting in a “Boy Scout Team Plan”.
- The sponsorship stipend could be presented to the troop at the Pizz-A-Thon Awards Ceremony.
- Boys who were interested in the social media technology would assist Eldon Weber design a project page on the www.pizz-a-thon.com web site and take leadership in maintaining a blog.

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Sponsor/Donor Application

\$_____ Sponsor Amount, _____
Name _____ Tel. # _____

_____ Address _____
Email Address Contact _____

Send check to: **Pizz-A-Thon Partnership**
P.O. Box 1932
Ames, IA 50010

***Anchor Sponsor (highest donor) featured on the Billboard www.pizz-a-thon.com**
Range of Sponsorship Fees to over 16 year period to date:
__\$100, __\$250, __\$500, __\$1,000, __\$2,000