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Hello! How is everybody this hot, sunny, sticky, humid day? It feels as if it is really going to be a "super" hot one today, so relax--take things easy--and, if you can--"Go Jump In The Lake"!!!! I'm sure that the waterfronts are going to be crowded today, so better get out there early, and enjoy, enjoy.

FROM WEST CAMP--Hey, West Camp! You may not know it yet, but tomorrow is the 25th, and that means Christmas in West Camp. Dinner will be the traditional turkey and trimmin's, and Santa may appear along with the Christmas Tree.

Tonight is movie night in West Camp. The flick for tonight is "Mysterious Island", a really thrilling adventure movie. It will start at about 8:30, and all are invited to come on down and sail away in a hot air balloon to all sorts of excitement and adventures.

Eco-Con--If Botany or Forestry people need notebooks to mount their collections in, see Stephan this afternoon!

Botany hike tomorrow morning - 9:00.

T.P.--Get an empty soda can out of the machine, and win a free mug. Falsifiers will suffer. Find an orange triangle in the field or pine forest and redeem for a candy bar. Last, but not least, ice cream and back patches are in. (One patch per person) Rosey

ORDER OF THE ARROW--I would like to personally thank all O/A members, Scoutmasters, and staff from West & East Camp, that aided in the cheerful service project last night. The personal satisfaction that we get when we watch that first year Scout's face as he sees that "big fire" in full flame, makes all that hard work more than worthwhile. Ken Beauvais - Lodge Chief.

FROM EAST CAMP--Shawnee has shower clean up today.

Camelot--How 'bout it--The Keep (Tower) is in need of young and older dragon-fighters to help save the princess from death. Be at Camelot today, tomorrow--

One more day until Christmas.

Waterfront--Early morning fishing from rowboats at 6:30 AM. Make sure you sign up to get working on your waterfront merit badges.

(Read On-Please?)

Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday are East Camps days for horseback riding. Get your tickets from John in the Office after meals. Times are 2-3- or 4:00 and the cost is \$3.00 for a one hour ride.

T.P.-Music Trivia Day-Come on up and test your knowledge and save some time.

Eco-Con-Environmental Science class today at 2:00 for Scouts J. Garret, D. Twomey, P. Khin, B. Reinhold and M. Kruk. A Soil & Water Conservation meeting will be held for Brian Davis, Jeff Davis, David Jaworek and John Message at 3:00 today. Tonight at 7:00, Chad Borg, Van Cybulski, Scott Otterson-begin work on Bird Study. Wednesday AM at 9:00, there will be an Env. Study Hike for Doug Becker, Jim Barr, Jim Anderson and Judd Curry. Reptile Study is open all hours.

Attention! Signups begin today for the Eco/Con Skid's Creek Canoe Voyage and other special activities. Ask Dave or Ken about this voyage which begins at 2:00 Wednesday. Also, ask about the sensory awareness activity coming soon. There will be a great aardvark meeting today at 1:00 in the usual location.

FAMILY CAMP-There will be a movie tonight in West Camp Dining Hall at 8:30. Everyone is invited.

Well, Troops, that's it for this time. Try and keep your cool today-both physically and emotionally, and while you're doing that, try smiling, too. It takes less muscles to smile than it does to frown, and on such a hot day, don't do anything that you don't really have too. See ya'.....

