



## TROOP 1792& PACK 1962

***“We Get it Done!!”***

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Chartered by the Charlotte Graduate Chapter of  
Groove Phi Groove Social Fellowship, Inc.

Meeting Place

Bette Rae Thomas Center 2921 Tuckasegee Rd.  
Charlotte, NC 28208

Greetings Future Scouts and Parents,

As Scoutmaster I would like to thank you for enrolling your son into a great experience and a life changing endeavor that will change him forever. I come to you with over 20+ years of experience from being a Scout to being a Scoutmaster. I myself am from Chicago and was a member of troops 1732, 783 and 1792. I obtained my Eagle Scout w/ bronze palm back in 1991 and have been an active Brotherhood Honor member of the Order of the Arrow since 1987.

But enough about me, in it's 3<sup>rd</sup> year the boys will continue to be introduced to camping, fishing, hiking, field trips and a year ending weeklong campout at Camp Grimes. They will have opportunities for advancement and will be challenged not only mentally but also physically. This year we are expanding the program to include Cub Scouts and Fred Staton will serve as Cubmaster.

Our Troop is operated under the guidelines of the Scoutreach program which helps the boys have a great Scouting Experience without curtailing all of the cost to the parents as I like you am a single father and can understand that Scouting can have cost that can sometimes be unbearable to the average single mother/father. Here is a description of the costs associated with Our Troop:

Signup Fee: No charge  
Uniform Pants and Shirt: No charge after rank of Tenderfoot or  
Scout Book: No Charge (If lost 2<sup>nd</sup> is available at a discount)  
Camp at Camp Grimes: \$100 for the entire week (scholarships are available)  
Cub scout Day Camp: \$10 for 2 days  
Dues per meeting w/ Class A Uniform: \$1  
Class B(Shirt Only): \$1.50  
No Uniform: \$2  
Boys Life: \$5 per year

We are still in the process of finalizing meeting dates but the meetings will take place on Saturday Mornings from 10:00am – 12:30pm. The Cub scouts will meet at 10-11 and the Boy Scouts will meet from 11-12:30pm. We will have a min. of 3 meetings per month and we will cumulate the year with not only a Troop Dinner but a District Dinner.

All boys are expected to maintain a 2.0-C average at all times to participate in any offsite activities. Behavior will be maintained at all times and anyone causing severe bodily harm to another will not be tolerated as they can/ will be expelled from the Troop or Pack.

**FUN IS MANDATORY** as this is a Boy-led Organization as the #1 thing that we are here to do is live, learn and to teach leadership.

## Troop Notes

1. Meet age requirements: Be a boy who has completed the fifth grade and be at least 10 years old, or be 11 years old, or have earned the Arrow of Light Award and be at least 10 years old, and be under 18 years old.
2. Complete a Boy Scout application and health history signed by your parent or guardian.
3. Repeat the Pledge of Allegiance
4. Demonstrate the Scout sign, salute, and handshake.
5. Understand and agree to live by the [Scout Oath or Promise](#), [Law](#), [motto](#), and [slogan](#), and the [Outdoor Code](#).
6. Describe the Scout badge.
7. Participate in a Scoutmaster conference. Turn in your Boy Scout application and health history form signed by your parent or guardian, then participate in a Scoutmaster conference.

## Pack Notes

*See Attachment*

***A Scout is Reverent:*** We will visit one Church every other month in order to expose the Scouts to the atmosphere of worship and fellowship. ***This is entirely Optional as if visiting another church is something you don't want him to participate in we truly understand.***

We will also have a twice a year minimum requirement of community service which will teach the young men about giving back and helping those in need.

We will eventually be creating a Venture Crew that will let the older kids in the community become active with different mentors and college visits to help them possibly look at different career paths.

We will have several fundraisers to help obtain things for the boys such as trips, supplies, and awards.

Several sites to go to: <http://www.mccscouting.org/>  
<http://www.campgrimes.org/>

### **Our Leadership Committee:**

**Scoutmaster- Michael P. Gleaves**

**Cubmaster- Fred Stanton**

**Troop Committee Chairman- Darryl K. Jones**

**Chartered Organization Rep – Clyde Grant**

**Assistant Scoutmaster- Brandon Bradford**

**Troop Chaplain – Bishop Kevin Long , Temple Church International**

**Troop/ Pack Committee Rep- YOU!**

We gladly welcome all parents to participate and contribute ideas to make Our troop a success and to help these boys become contributing men in society.

**District Director – Monroe Rhodes (704) 342-9342**

