

Troop 1094's Aerie



Spring 2006

Bottle Rocket Campout

By Scott M.

One of my favorite campouts was the "Bottle Rocket Campout". It was really cool because we shot bottle rockets into the air. To make a bottle rocket, you take a one to two liter pop bottle. You can decorate it if you want to. You can put a pointy cone on top, but mine got wet and soggy so I took it off and the rocket still flew.

You fill the bottle up half way with water for extra boost. Or you can shoot it off with just air. We

have a launcher that we put extra air into the bottles with a tube hooked to a compressor. You choose the amount of PSI you want and then you pull the pin and it flies.

The rockets go pretty high. Some of them fly so high that they get caught in the trees on the way down. Thank goodness the wind got some of them down out of the trees. We all got to launch them a lot, all daylong. We had extra bottles for those kids whose rockets did not come out of the trees. Of course we did other camping stuff, but the rockets were the main deal and they were completely awesome.

Upcoming Events

May 19 th	CO: Mountain Biking
June 9 th	CO: Canoe Trip or WWR
July 30 th	SC: Ransburg Scout Reservation, Indiana
August 5 th	SC: Activity after Summer Camp
August ??	CO: High Adventurer–Tahquamenon Falls or Wilderness State Park

Laser Quest Christmas Party

By Andrew C.



Troop 1094 2006 Christmas Party

This year our Christmas party was held at "Laser Quest". There were a lot of Scouts and family members at the party. We played a total of three games, two individual games and one team game. Tommy T. won both the individual games and the red team won the team round.

We had a whole lot of fun. The pizza and salad came from "Dolly's Pizza" and it was paid through the troop. Thank You Scout Masters! All families brought a dessert and there were many yummy choices. Thank You Ms. Barch for planning this event for us.

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