



# TROOP 314 NEWS

## June 2018 AD

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<http://www.troop314ocbsa.scoutlander.com>*

*BSA Troop 314 - Orange Frontier District  
Westminster, (Midway City) California*

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## Events Completed In May 2018

- **Scout O Rama Saturday 12<sup>th</sup>**
- **Mothers Day Sunday 13<sup>th</sup>**
- **Commanders Dinner Support and  
Flag Ceremony @ Post 716 26<sup>th</sup>**
- **Webelos Welcome Night 29<sup>th</sup>**

## Scout O Rama 2018

We had another successful showing at Scout-o-rama this year, on May 12. We built the tower on Friday afternoon and Saturday morning, then belayed Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts all day as they climbed the tower. We also had a fair number of girls climbing the tower, now that they can officially join Cub Scouts.

As with recent years, there was another tower present, though that one makes use of some metal parts to hold it together (in my opinion, ours is more authentic!). Between the two, there was a lot of climbing going on!

After the event was over and we had packed everything up, we had a little fun on the (now deserted) giant slide - youth and adults alike!

Thank you to all who participated and helped run the event. Special thanks to Mrs. Knighton and Mrs. M who coordinated check-ins and helped the girls don and doff the harnesses (required by Youth Protection).

-- Mr. Marubayashi, Scoutmaster









## Troop helps Post 716

On Saturday, May 26, Troop 314 gathered at American Legion Post 716 in Los Alamitos to help with their First Annual, Past Commanders Club Dinner.



Our boys, along with a group of youth from Sea Cadets, performed the opening flag ceremony, and then helped serve dinner to the guests.



They were also going to help with setup, but it was pretty much done by the time they got there at the appointed time.

Except for those who had to leave early, they spent 3 hours there. Thanks, guys!

-- Richard Marubayashi, Scoutmaster



## Join Other Scouters Who Make Youth Protection Matter

The BSA's brand new version of Youth Protection Training rolled out March 1, 2018. This new program, known as YPT-2, is mandatory for all registered BSA volunteers and employees.

Because of the changes to this training, even those who have completed YPT in the past two years must still complete this new version. All must complete their training by October 1, 2018

## Link to Troop 314 Annual Plan on Google Sheets

The link for the troop's annual plan:

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1UYqcBeU59PhVVqcIyJgS8fghPJAnra1dIPkXyZ8UBak/edit?usp=sharing>

## Contact Information Link

Please update your contact information as needed.

<https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1ALqJqX-iwYHBrTZ8xf7AuGKqIJv6FxyLLXZP3NjuVFk/edit?usp=sharing>

## Activities Sign Up Link

Please use this shared document to sign up for upcoming activities.

[https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/176b23wuQdDTa2E1A\\_38lzljnT7WvTg0HjSre9dla1e8/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/176b23wuQdDTa2E1A_38lzljnT7WvTg0HjSre9dla1e8/edit?usp=sharing)

## Troop Calendar Link

Use this link to see the Troop calendar.

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1Lls71fa5hxe2paPHrVYN13xQsnYCEsTVVDbOwvurMVo/edit?usp=sharing>

## Scout in Charge/Scout Leader Planning Sheet

This is the link to the planning document.

[http://troopleader.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/03/512-505\\_16\\_Wksht\\_WEB.pdf](http://troopleader.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/03/512-505_16_Wksht_WEB.pdf)

Please plan to use it when you are the assigned Scout in Charge of an Activity.

## TROOP 314 WEBSITE URL is:

[www.troop314ocbsa.scoutlander.com](http://www.troop314ocbsa.scoutlander.com)

Boy Scout Troop 314 (Midway City, California) Homepage

[www.troop314ocbsa.scoutlander.com/](http://www.troop314ocbsa.scoutlander.com/)

You have found the home page of. Troop 314 of. Midway City, California. Sponsored by. American Legion Albert E. Schwab Post 555. 14582 Beach Blvd.

## Orange Frontier District Website Link

<http://orangefrontier.ocbsa.org/>

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HELPFUL

FRIENDLY

COURTEOUS

KIND

# words to live by™

OBEDIENT

CHEERFUL

THRIFTY

BRAVE

CLEAN

REVERENT

## Troop 314 Leadership

- Senior Patrol Leader: Christian D.
- Assistant Senior Patrol Leader: Martin L.
- Quartermaster: Timothy D.
- Scribe: Michael B.
- Troop Guide Owen M.



**Get Your Calendars  
and mark these dates!**

## T314 EVENTS FOR June 2018

**5th PLC**



**DONE!**

**12<sup>th</sup> Troop 314 Meeting  
American Legion Post 555  
Starting at 6:30PM**

- Troop elections
- Finish emergency preparedness

**14<sup>th</sup> Orange  
Frontier District  
Scouters'  
Roundtable**

**7 PM at LDS**

**Church 4000 Orange Ave., Anaheim  
(2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday each month)**



## 14<sup>th</sup> Flag Day

Commemorates the adoption of the flag of the United States, on June 14, 1777, by resolution of the Second Continental Congress.



## 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday - Father's Day

**19<sup>th</sup> Troop 314 Meeting  
At Bolsa Chica Park – Set up a  
Map and Compass Course  
Starting at 6:30PM**

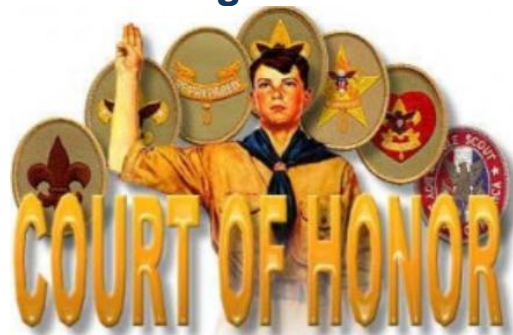


**21st OA Meeting  
...and the first day of summer!**

**22<sup>nd</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> Placer Pete's  
Gold Camp at Camp  
Williams -  
15<sup>th</sup> Anniversary!**



**26<sup>th</sup> Troop 314 Court of Honor  
American Legion Post 555  
Starting at 6:30PM**





# Troop 314 Meeting Notes Scout Oath

- First meeting of Month is time for Committee Chair Parents Meeting.
- The Second Tuesday is usual time for Scoutmaster Conferences.
- The Third Tuesday meeting includes Board of Reviews for Rank Advancement when not a COH.
- Fourth Tuesday could be for Patrol meetings if you are able to get the Scoutmaster to come early or close late.
- \*\* No meetings are usually held on 5<sup>th</sup> Tuesday. These are saved for Fundraisers, or special meetings at interesting locations.

**Court of Honor** is held 4 times a year, every 3 months – usually the last Scout meeting of month (except December). In **March** and **September** COH Scouts are honored for their rank advancements with a candle lighting ceremony and parents are given pins.

In **June** and **December**, our COH does not have candles and rank advancement pins for parents, but we add a potluck dinner in June – (Optional potluck in Dec.).

## The Outdoor Code

*As an American, I will do my best to -*

*Be clean in my outdoor manners.*

*Be careful with fire.*

*Be considerate in the outdoors.*

*and*

*Be conservation minded*

*On my honor, I will do my best  
To do my duty to God and my  
country and to obey the Scout  
Law;*

*To help other people at all times;*

*To keep myself physically strong,  
mentally awake and morally  
straight.*

## Personal Mess kits: Troop 314 is Camping Green!

Personal Mess kits are used on 99.889 % of Troop campouts – If in doubt, buy one and bring yours!



## The Troop can help you do something you always wanted to do!

**Scouts – You have the Power to  
make some serious fun happen!**

Just talk to Scoutmaster or your SPL to get the ball rolling on one of these great activities, and while you are at it - step up to be Scout in Charge. The Troop Committee will hook you up with the adults and resources to make it happen!

***Troop Activities are only  
limited by your imagination:***

**Archery**

**Fishing** – Pier / boat

**Beach party / Homework Burn**

**Bowling**

**Go Cart Racing (Family)**

**Hiking Trips**

**Backpacking** - Hike in camp.

**Sled / Mountain Snow Day.**

**Ski / Snowboard Trip**

**Laser Tag (Family)**

**Air Soft Games (Family)**

**Paint Ball / Airsoft  
(Family)**

**Shooting Range (Famiy)**

**Shooting BLM land**

**Calico Ghost Town**

**Desert Rock climbing**

**Pro Baseball Game**

**Gold Prospecting / Gold Camp**

**Swim – Pool / Beach**

**Scuba Instruction**

**Snorkeling / Beach Trip**

**White water rafting**

**Canoe River Trip**

**Annual Mistletoe Trip**

**Kayaking**

**Picnic / BBQ**

**Museums of interest**



**Order of the Arrow Wiatava Lodge  
(#39) Santee Chapter**

A Santee Chapter Meeting is held every  
3rd Thursday of the month at 7:00pm at Holy  
Cross Lutheran Church .

***Chaplain's  
Wisdom of the month***

**A Scout is Trustworthy**

I Corinthians 4:1-2

"Let a man regard us in this manner, as servants  
of Christ, and stewards of the mysteries of God.  
In this case, moreover, it is required of stewards  
that one be found trustworthy."

***Jokes Jokes Jokes Jokes Jokes***

Q: What does a pig use to write with?

A: An oink pen.

Q: What's the noisiest bone?

A: The trom-bone!

Q: What is a tornado's favorite game?

A: Twister!

Q: What color is a burp?

A: Burp-le

Q: How do you know dodos are smarter than  
chickens?

A: Because I've never heard of Kentucky fried dodos.

Q: What newspapers do dinosaurs read?

A: The *Prehistoric Times*.

Q: What kind of fish play poker?

A: Card Sharks.

# **TROOP 314: TOWER ABOVE THE REST!**

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