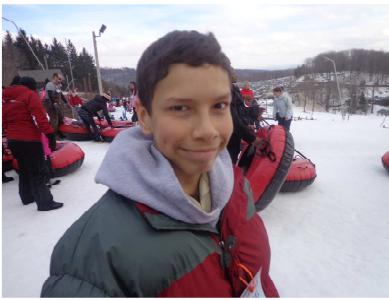


Twin Echo Campout

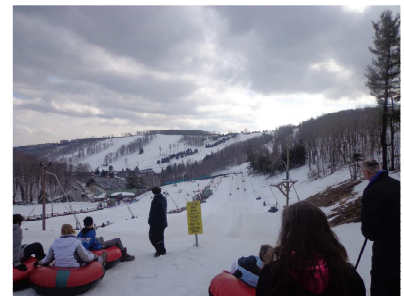
On February 22nd through the 24th, Troop 777 went on a campout to Twin Echo, PA. Arriving between 10:00 and 11:00, they settled in for the night in Adirondacks. Early the next morning, the scouts woke up and cooked breakfast. For convenience, there was only one patrol instead of three. Breakfast



consisted of eggs and sausage. After breakfast, the scouts divided up to work on both merit badges and advancement. The camp offered the Leather Working merit badge, which the majority of the scouts attended. The others stayed back to work on advancement. After a very productive morning, lunch was started. Cooked by the scouts, everyone enjoyed Chili and Corn Bread. Lunch was devoured and the scouts quickly loaded up to go to Seven Springs.



Seven Springs was located about an hour away, but the drive was worth every minute. Everyone was filled with excitement and eager to hit the slopes. At first, everyone went on their own, or in small groups. Later on



though, Mr. York was able to talk the staff running the hills to allow the whole troop to go down together. Connecting the tubes together, we sent down a total of nineteen tubes together. Surprisingly, not many people fell off of their tubes. When it came time to go, everyone was exhausted, but had had a great time.

On the way back, they made a stop at a pizza shop. And as you could have guessed, dinner was pizza. Back at camp, the scouts sat around a campfire, and relaxed, while a few others completed their Scout Master Conference and Board of Review. Tumbling into bed, the scouts got a good nights rest after a fun, amazing and highly enjoyable campout. Returning on Sunday back to Hudson, they all have great experiences to share from this past weekend.