

DECEMBER 2011



ADVENTURE PRINCESSES

RUNNING WATERS



Neither snow nor rain nor heat nor gloom will keep us from marching in a Parade

Upcoming events: AP Christmas Party (12/11), Festival of Fluffs (12/16), Induction Ceremony (1/8/12)



Trail Boss Letter:

Yetta Hey Princess Dads and Daughters, its **December.....HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!!!!!!!!!!!**

Thanks for a Wonderful Year!

The year is almost over!!!! Rah – Rah – Ruda (Mark Ruda) will be starting as the 2012 Trail Boss after the January 8th Induction Ceremony – I will be moving to the “Elder” position.

December Frontier Meeting is coming up: We will be voting of the 2012 Officer Corps and starting registration for Winter Camp! – *first camp for the NEW SKY TERRITORY.*

Christmas Party: Our annual Christmas Party will be SUNDAY, December 11th @ Tri – C West. The price of admission will be “ONE JAR” of Peanut Butter or a “Toy for Tots” toy. *Your choice of donation:* With the cost of peanut butter rising - we are helping the Parma Area hungry centers and the toys will be donated to the “Toys for Tots” Program.

Induction Ceremony – January 8th: Remember NEW SKY your two sticks “Patience” and “Obedience”. The sticks will be gathered and put into your first Winter Camp Council Fire in February. *It’s an old joke – but I think our new (former) Firemaker would like some very large sticks – logs! To haul home.*

Thank you 2011 OFFICERS! , Trail hands & Mom’s – Senior Princesses:

Everyone did a wonderful job handling all of this year’s events! I know the work that it takes to make these events happen, the sacrifice of not being able to spend time with your daughter and the “Family Commitment” when Mom’s – Siblings take part. I would like to say THANK YOU to everyone for a terrific year.

FYI: Last week’s cover for both the “Running Waters” and The Senior Princess “Spotlight” showed the picture of our (Former) Assistant Trail Boss In-Character “Dress-up Reunion”. One of the first ever gatherings of all the former “Assistant Trail Boss’s” in their ghost march costumes. Thanks guys – it was great fun and the girls enjoyed the memories.

Fourth Year Council Fire DVD’s – For Sale:

We are selling DVD copies of the ceremony for \$5.00 at the Christmas Party – Winter Fluff Raid and Induction Ceremony. They are available from me personally or from the Asst. Trail Boss at his clothing sales table.

***Fa dot and Chew!* Greta, Marlena and Greg Noeth – 2011 Trail Boss**

OUTPOST EVENT SIGN-UPS

3/24/2011

EVENT	DATE	OIC	Outpost #1	Outpost #2	Outpost #3
Car Race	Apr 3	DiCola [Food] & Pat Perchacs	SQUIRRELS	CHEY FLY EXPRESS	DIAMONDBAC KS
Easter Party Food Registration	Apr 17	Elbows	CHEY FLY EXPRESS	CHIPPEQUOIS	SUN ANGELS
Memorial Day Parade	May 30	Thrasher	<i>NONE</i>		
Spring Camp Crooked River	Jun 3	Noeth	ROCK'IN COWGIRLS		
Fishing Derby Registration	Jun 12	Tim Organiscak & Scott Smith	POWHATAN	<i>ONE OUTPOST REQUIRED</i>	
Father's Day Drive-In	Jun 18	Rick (ELBOWS) Buzinski	<i>NONE</i>		
July 4 th Parade	July 4	Thrasher	<i>NONE</i>		
Boat Race Food Registration	Jul 17	Doug Payne & Phil Thorman	FIRELFIES	CHIPPEQUOIS	SUN ANGLES & WILDFIRES
Putt Putt	Jul 24	Scott Mordaunt	<i>NONE</i>		
Breakfast in the Park Food	Aug 27	Scout Mordaunt	TIGERLILLIE S	POWHATAN	DIAMONDBAC KS
Car Rally Food Registration	Sep 25	Organiscak Nelson Tischer	RISING DRAGONS	SQUIRRELS FIREFLIES	TOMAHAWKS ROCK'N COWGIRLS
Overnighter Food Registration	Nov 19	Mark Nelson & Tim Organiscak	RISING DRAGONS & <i>BUCKEYE BUNNIES</i>	TIGERLILLIES	TOMAHAWKS
Christmas Party Food Crafts	Dec 11	Todd Althouse	NORTHERN LIGHTS	SANDSTORMS BANDITS	REDHAWKS



Ridgewood YMCA Adventure Princesses 2011/2012 Events

(DD) = Dad & Daughter
 (F) = Family
 (AP/AG) = Adventure Programs Event
 (MD) = Mom & Dad Only Event

The dates shown below are tentative. Always check the latest issue of the *Running Waters* or www.thebigcreekfrontier.org for updated information.

January 2012	February 2012	March 2012
05: Frontier Meeting (D) 08: Induction Ceremony (F) 13: Sled-fest I (DD) 20: Sled-fest II (DD) 26: Officer Meeting (D)	02: Frontier Meeting (D) 04: Mardi Gras (MD) (Annual Fundraiser) 17-19: Winter Camp (DD) 23: Officer Meeting (D)	01: Frontier Meeting (D) 11: Father/Daughter Dinner (DD) 22: Officer Meeting (D) 25: Bowling (DD)
April 2012	May 2012	June 2012
01: Easter Egg Hunt/Party (F) 05: Frontier Meeting (D) 22: Car Race & Fair (F) 26: Officer Meeting (D)	03: Frontier Meeting (D) 24: Officer Meeting (D) 28: Memorial Day Parade (DD)	1-3: Spring Camp (DD) 07: Frontier Meeting (D) 10: Fishing Derby (DD) 16: Father's Day (drive-in) (F) 28: Officer Meeting (D)
July 2012	August 2012	September 2012
04: 4 th July Parade (DD) 05: Frontier Meeting (D) 08: Putt-Putt (DD) 22: Boat Race & Picnic (F) 26: Officer Meeting (D)	02: Frontier Meeting (D) 10: Mid-Summer Fluff Raid (DD) 18: Breakfast in the Park (DD) 19: Royalton Home Days Parade (DD) 23: Officer Meeting (D)	06: Frontier Meeting (D) 09: Recruiting Rally (AP/AG) 16: Recruiting Rally (AP/AG) 27: Officer Meeting (D) 30: Car Rally (F)
October 2011	November 2011	December 2011
01: Buffalo Overnighter (AP/AG) 06: Frontier Meeting (D) 7-9: Fall Camp I (DD) 14-16: Fall Camp II (DD) 14: Ghost March Tour – Sky (DD) 27: Officer Meeting (D)	03: Frontier Meeting (D) 12: Overnighter (DD) 13: New Member Skate (F) 16: Officer Meeting (D) 18-19: Kalahari (F) 27: North Royalton Christmas Parade (DD)	01: Frontier Meeting (D) 11: Christmas Party (F) 16: Festival of Fluffs (DD) 22: Officer Meeting (D)

FIRE TERRITORY REPORT

RISING DRAGONS

Question - Do Rising Dragons need sleep? Answer - YES! As was discovered at the overnighter. Next time, everyone bring a small ziplock of chlorine (but don't go through customs). Not sure if any dragons made it to family skate. We were pretty whipped. While some of us slipped and slid away at Kalahari, most were prepping their walking shoes in anticipation for the NR parade.

And now without further delay, and in the spirit of Thanksgiving, I present to you, in no particular order, the **TOP-10 Things Rising Dragons A Thankful For...**

- # 10) The AP Program - Simply Stupendous!
- # 9) NEVER - having to be subjected to Ruda in a skirt - AGAIN
- # 8) Screaming girls on the Camp Cheerful swing.
- # 7) The Rising Dragon Outpost - Genuinely great people
- # 6) Coffee - Requirement at overnighters & camps
- # 5) The Northern Lights Castle
- # 4) Officers - Way to keep things going!
- # 3) No moms, no rules at camps = Major FUN!
- # 2) Bacon - Mmmmmmm
- # 1) Friends Always - No explanation needed

Dragon Breath - Out 'til December

TOMAHAWKS

Yetta Hey!!!

The Tomahawks attended the overnighter and turn out from all outposts new and old was great. The girls played basketball til it was time to swim and some stayed in for hours. The food was endless and the movies ran all night into the early morning hours. We had the coats for kids bin out and collected 11 coats. Thank you to those who donated. The next evening we attended the princess skate and had a wonderful time with the girls, but of course it wouldn't be skating without falling at least once. Christmas and the joy of the season is just around the corner and we look forward to seeing all of you at the christmas party.

friends always -The Tomahawks

WILDFIRES

The Girls had a great time at the Overnighter. That water was cold.

A few of us made it to Kalahari – another great time.

Happy Holidays from the WILDFIRES.

FIREFLIES

Yetta Hey fellow Princesses,

The **Mighty Fireflies** have enjoyed our first year in the organization. We have met many fine dads, daughters and families! The Overnighter was a blast and we had fun running around the new venue. Didn't think our little sweethearts could stay up so long, but @ 4am they were still playing, running and creating lasting memories with each other. We are looking forward to the upcoming Parade, Christmas Party and Induction Ceremony. We would like to welcome in our newest Sky members to

the AP family. We want to extend a heartfelt thank you to all the current officers for the past 12 months of memorable and adventure filled events. Without your dedication and behind the scene efforts we would not have had such a great fun-filled year. We look forward to another strong year from our outpost and look forward to providing even more leadership while promoting the AP program. We would like to thank all the members of the organization for making our 1st year a memorable one. We'd like to bid a fond and bittersweet farewell to the outgoing Sky Territory, your territory set great examples for us to follow. You showed us how to have fun, build bonds, and play pranks on one another in a way that promotes tom foolery and the spirit of the organization. We will do our best to uphold those traditions and make a few new ones as well. Lastly, we would like to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving and a Blessed Holiday Season.

Friends Always! The Mighty Fireflies.



Mark and Ashley Ruda
Fire Territory Scouts

SKY TERRITORY

The past four years were really fun, but there was a few times I cried . The memories we made were unforgettable . I had fun learning how to shoot a gun and bow & arrows I loved riding horses . I don't want to leave . I am definitely not GOING tell you that my Dad & I didn't argue . At the first camp I was scared but I would not do it any different . I really really am going to miss the fun . just to tell you I was crying so so so mush at the last council fire . IM NOT SPOILING THE LAST CAMP YOU HAVE TO GO TO EXPERIENCE THE FUN . Written by: Holly Thorne of **The Northern Lights**. Friends Always

Yetta Hey! The **Mighty Sandstorm Bandits** had a FUN time at the Swim Overnighter. We had an Outpost Lazer Tag Party on a Friday night. The dads & daughters played 2 games to work off all the Pizza & Cupcakes we ate. This is our last Outpost/Tribe report. The last 4 years have been a BLAST! The Adventure Princesses is a GREAT organization and we are so THANKFULL to be a part of it. It has been a pleasure to be the Outpost Scout for the last 3 years. I'd like to THANK Marlana & Greg, Sarah & Ron, Megan & Darrin, Julia & Bob, Jenna & John, Sammy & Dave, Megan & Craig, Anne & Rob, Kayla & Tim for an AWESOME 4 years. To Summer, this past 4 years have been very special spending time together at all the Camps, Buffalo/Niagra Falls trips and all the GREAT events. I will always cherish the memories. Friends Always

Contrary to popular belief, **The Diamondbacks** are VERY much still an active and functioning outpost. Apparently we used invisible ink for our last 2 months reports or this is sabotage by the rest of the Sky Territory to hold down arguably, the strongest outpost. Anyway...to catch you up, the DBacks worked and had a great time at the Breakfast in the Park. We especially loved running the bike hike and officiating the kickball tournament - wait, what? The Car Rally was once again a great day even though our participation was a little below our norm. Probably the most fun we had this year was creating and performing our first and last Ghost March skit. Even though it took the place of our beloved Mess Hall, we found it to be quite "Thrilling" and it will go down as one of the best times we had at a camp. Speaking of that, our 4th year camp was bittersweet. It made us think back to all the great times we've had over the years and times that created a lot of laughs sprinkled in with a few tears knowing it is all over soon. We put away our torches for the last time and focused on the last couple events of the year beginning with the Overnighter. A new venue gave us some uncertainty but did not take away from a great time had by all who attended. Some of us were fortunate enough to welcome in younger sisters and attend an event together as Princesses and not just family members. It was a great way of "passing the proverbial torch" to the next Sky members. Most of us managed to make it until after 3:30AM and the longer drive didn't bother any of the dads. We're looking forward to the upcoming parades, Christmas Party and lastly, the "Induction Ceremony" where we'll officially say goodbye and leave our mark on the Ridgewood AP program. We'd collectively like to thank all the dads, daughters and families whom we've had the chance to become friends with over the years. We'd also like to thank all the officers (including our own Mr. Ezinski, Mr. Hollo, Mr. Pierce and Mr. Bentley) who devoted countless hours to make this one of the best organizations to be a part of - a tip of the red hats to you all! In closing, it has been a real joy for us to get to know all of you and develop friendships over the years. We're proud to say that with some departures, additions and very little bravado, we upheld integrity and maintained dignity by selectively dominating for four years - even earning an Outpost of the Year designation in 2010 - and we remained the strongest outpost in the Sky and are proud of the legacy we're leaving. Like the twinkle in our dad's eyes, we will forever be the brightest in the Sky from 2008-2011. Yetta Hey and Friends Always!



**Thank you, Tim and Hailey Organiscak,
Sky Territory Scout**



Forest Territory Scout:



NO Report this Month – Look for a combined report next month



Your Forest Scout 2011
Rick AKA (ELBOWS) and MIA

SUN TERRITORY REPORT:

The Mighty RedHawks had a FUN time at the Swim Overnighter. We're all looking forward to the Christmas Party & Winter Fluff Raid. Happy Birthday to **Noelle Blaha** on December 2 & **Karlie Messer** on December 9. Merry Christmas. Friends Always.

The Chey-Fli Express enjoyed the overnighter in Avon. Looking forward to the North Royalton Parade. Can't wait for the Winter Fluff raid and the Christmas party.

The Sun Angels have been staying up late in Avon. We can't wait for the winter fluff fest. Thanks to all the officers of 2011 that made this past year fun for all of us. Good luck to those who have won the elections of 2012

The Mighty Powhatan's had a good time at the overnighter. Getting ready for the winter fluff raid. Looking forward to NR Christmas Parade as well as the Christmas Party. Thanks to all the helpers/officers putting together another awesome Christmas Party. We are excited about the incoming new officers and Induction ceremony.



Thanks
Scott N Maddee
Friends Always



Adventure Princesses Mexican Christmas Party!

Feliz Navidad!!!



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Date: Sunday, December 11th, 2011

Time: 12:30-4:30pm

Place: Tri-C West

Parking: Park in rear lot D and use rear entrance

Admission: Jar of Peanut Butter or a New Toy

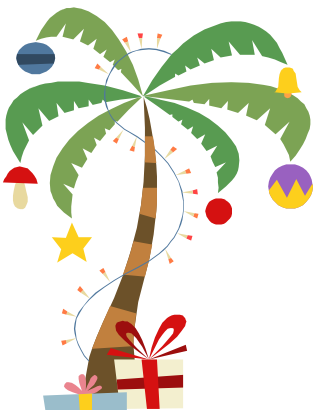
Donations benefit "Parma Area Hunger Centers" and "Toys for Tots"

Christmas Fun for the Whole Family At the Biggest Event of the Year!

Baking Contest (2 categories - best taste and best decorated)

Note: Please do something Mexican themed and you must indicate category when you enter

**Food, Entertainment, Games, Crafts, Santa Pictures
And a Good Time for ALL**





2011 Festival of Fluffs



What: Festival of Fluffs

Your big chance to do a great deal of fluffing with your outpost and maybe even sing a few songs along the way.

When: Friday, December 16, 2011

Start Time: Any time between 6:30 pm and 8:30 pm

Start Location: Tim Organiscak
8960 Tiffany Dr.
North Royalton, 44133

- Notes:**
- Your outpost will want to plan “Fluffing Song*”
 - You will need a bag to collect your fluffs
 - A sharp mind and a strong stomach are always very handy to bring along

OIC: Roger Bundy – 216-375-3679

A “Fluffing Song” is an old song with new words about fluffing or Adventure Princesses

The Big Creek Frontier would like to welcome the New Sky Territory and say goodbye to the Outgoing Sky Territory

Come join us for the 2012 Induction Ceremony

Wear your Princess vests and headdresses

Sunday, January 8th 2012

Where: Valley Forge

Starts promptly at 1 pm.

High School Auditorium

New Sky Territory members:

“PATIENCE” and one marked

Bring 2 sticks, one marked

“OBEDIENCE”.

Bring Mom and Dad, bring

Grandma and Grandpa!

*Fire, Sun, and Forest will
4th year patches.*

*New Sky will receive their
patches*

receive their 2nd, 3rd, and

headbands and YMCA



2012 Officers will be inducted too!

Come see the slide show and some Great performances!!!!

Please bring some goodies to share





LOCATION:

Memphis & Tiedeman Sledding Hill, Brooklyn

Next to Memphis Kiddie Park

Sleedfest

January 13, 2011

Cost: FREE

Time: 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm

A Dad & Daughter Event

Hot Chocolate and Donut Holes will be served

MAKE-UP DATE: January 20, 2011
(Same Time & Location)

Gregory Noeth —O.I.C.

*Make-up date will be used if no snow or windchill is low.
(Windchill cancellation will be based on Parma Schools
Being closed for the day.)*

Mike Arraj and Family Benefit

January 15, 2012

Time 1PM -5PM

St. Elias Church Hall
8023 Memphis Ave
Cleveland, Ohio

Chicken parmesan dinner with spaghetti,
salad, rolls, beverages and Desserts



Dine In and Carry out available

Donation adults \$20.00

Children 12 and younger \$10.00

Basket Raffles

Live Auction at 3:00

**** Bring the whole family and show your support**

for Mike's treatment and recovery **



Penguins have taken over Camp Y-Noah!!!!!



Come join other Penguin Princesses and Emperor Penguin Dads February 17-19 at Camp Y-Noah for a weekend of winter fun. Activities include crafts, horse riding, archery, bb gun range, and council fire and (weather permitting.... SLED RIDING!!!!!!!!!!!!)

Camp registration begins at the December Frontier meeting
Thursday, Dec 1, 2011 7:45 Busch Funeral Home
New Sky Dads, make sure you have your torches

Camping Fees: \$118 Dad & Daughter
Extra Princess Daughter \$40

Pony Rides \$5 – Trail Rides \$15

OIC : Mark Ruda 440-821-2418

trailboss@thebigcreekfrontier.org

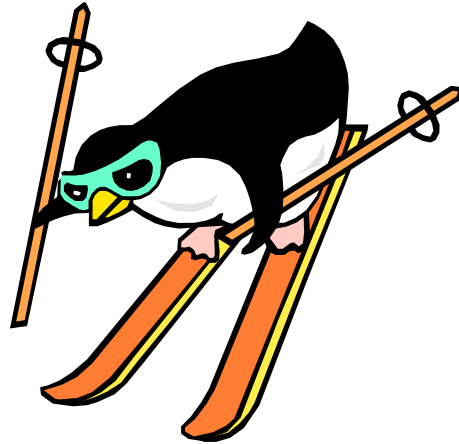


Dad's Name _____ Territory _____

Daughter's Name _____ Outpost _____

Xtra Daughter's Name _____ Outpost _____

Make Checks Payable to: The Adventure Princesses



Who, What, Where ???,.....

T-Shirt Transfer Contest for Winter Campout !!

When: January Frontier Meeting
(Officers will be judging after the meeting)

Date: January 5th, 2012

Who: All Adventure Princesses Girls
(Except last camp's winner.)

Please bring your artwork to the meeting or send to:

Mike Norwalk - Asst. Running Waters Editor
13021 Old Mill Rd
Spencer, Ohio 44275 or Email:
asstrweditor@thecreekfrontier.org

WINTER CAMP LODGE CONTEST

This year we will be raffling off the lodge at Camp Y-Noah at the January Frontier Meeting on Thursday Jan 5th at Busch Funeral Home

To earn an entry, all your outpost has to do is sell Mardi Gras raffle tickets of program ads.

The rules are simple:

1. If your outpost is in the Forest, Sun or Fire Territories, you will get 1 entry per \$100 worth of tickets and/or ads you turn in by Dec 31st
2. If your outpost is in the New Sky, you will get 1 entry per \$75 worth of tickets and/or ads you turn in by Dec 31st
3. The more you turn in, the more entries you get. See... Simple
4. Now, why do you want to win it? That's easy. It's sweet. Plus it has bathrooms inside and a fireplace. Need I say more?

This drawing will also help determine horseback riding sign ups and other "lodges" if your outpost wins them.

So sell your tickets and ads fast, turn them into your scout and hope you're the winning outpost come January



**Adventure Princesses
Annual Mardi Gras
Fund Raiser Party**



*Moms and Dads get a sitter for the kids and come join us.
While you're at it bring your friends too!*

WHEN: February 4th 2012 – 6:30pm to 12:30am

Where: U.A.W. Hall Chevrolet Blvd. Parma Ohio

Why: To help support the Adventure Princesses Program

**There will be a Dj, Dancing, Fun games,
side boards, raffles, and door prizes.**

**The Adventure Princesses will supply
Beer, Wash and Finger Foods, you supply the fun!**

**Bring your own liquor
& friends.**

21 and over please, this is an adult only event.

**Tickets are \$20 Ea or 2 for \$35
See any Adventure Princesses Officer for tickets
or additional information.**



RIDGEWOOD YMCA ADVENTURE PRINCESSES

THE BIG CREEK FRONTIER

Business Owners, Outposts, and Friends of the Adventure Princesses,

This is your opportunity to show your support of the Adventure Princess program at the Ridgewood YMCA.

The Adventure Princesses organization is a non-profit group consisting of over 350 families that are generally distributed in the Parma, Parma Hts., North Royalton, Seven Hills, Strongsville, and Middleburg Heights communities. We are a father & daughter program that has been sponsored by the YMCA since 1977. Our goal is to build a foundation of friendship and understanding between parent and child that can be built upon as the child grows and matures into adulthood.

Our organization sponsors over 33 low cost events during the year for dads and daughters to attend and share quality time together. The YMCA does not provide this program with funding for the events held throughout the year. The funding to keep our program operating and events at a low cost to our members comes from the community itself: people just like you who see the benefits of an organization like this to build and keep a strong bond between dads and their daughters. In order to continue our success in accomplishing our goal we need your financial support to keep us operating and serving our membership.

Our 34th Annual Princess Fundraiser Dance will be held on February 4th, 2012 at the UAW Hall in Parma. Your advertisement in the dance program will show the nearly 400 people attending that night that you believe in our goals and are committed to helping Adventure Princess program at the Ridgewood YMCA.

Fundraiser Dance Program Advertisement Prices:

	<u>Photo Ready</u>	<u>Editing Required</u>	<u>Size of Ad</u>
Full page (Front inside, or back cover)	\$100.00	\$115.00	8" x 5"
Full page (Center staple, left or right)	\$100.00	\$115.00	8" x 5"
Full Page	\$50.00	\$65.00	8" x 5"
Half Page	\$25.00	\$30.00	4" x 5"
Quarter Page	\$15.00	\$20.00	2" x 5"
Business Card	\$10.00	\$15.00	1.5" x 2.5"

Advertisement Requirements:

- Photo ready pages should be no larger than 8 1/2 " x 11", the pages will be reduced or enlarged to as close as possible to the sizes noted above.
- Checks should be made payable to the "Ridgewood YMCA Adventure Princesses"
- Deadline for submitting ads is January 15th, 2012
- Mailing address: Ridgewood YMCA Adventure Princesses, c/o August Tischer, 7220 Lakeview Drive, Parma, Ohio 44129
- Email address: August Tischer asstlegendmaker@thebigcreekfrontier.org

Contact Name: _____		Phone Number: _____	
Company: _____			
Address: _____		City: _____	Zip Code: _____
Ad Size:	Full Page: _____	Half Page: _____	Quarter Page: _____ Business Card: _____
Options:	Photo Ready: _____ Editing required (Copy Attached): _____		
Special Instructions: _____			

Date: _____ **Princess Contact Name:** _____ **Outpost:** _____

Amount Received \$ _____ **Notes:** _____

Questions? Contact: August Tischer (440) 941-6747 asstlegendmaker@thebigcreekfrontier.org

Mardi Gras Fundraiser

Program Book Patron Ad Request



*Support the Adventure Princess
organization with a program book message
(\$2 for 20 Words)*

Example:

*"Little Feather – Thanks for the great 4 years together.
Love you always! Big Feather (Dad)"*

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Outpost: _____ Fee Paid: _____ Date: _____



The **4 Territory Scouts** & the Outpost Scouts will be assisting the **Membership Tracker** in the Raffle Ticket Process.

- 1) Each Outpost Scout will take responsibility for getting tickets from their Territory Scouts. He will receive a specific number of tickets for their Outpost, and they will be asked to sign for them. He will then distribute them to all members of their Outpost.
- 2) It is also recommended that the Outpost Scouts make periodic contact with all Outpost members to encourage active participation, get sales updates.
- 3) At each Frontier meeting and at the beginning of all Officer Meetings the Territory Scout will be available to collect money and sold tickets stubs, he will then give you a receipt. We encourage getting all funds in on an going manner. This helps us track our fund raising progress.
- 4) As the sale draws to a close it is the responsibility of the Outpost Scout to be sure that all sold tickets, outstanding money, and all unsold tickets are turned in.
- 5) Following each collection, the Territory Scout will turn all collected money into the Membership Tracker and he will turn it in to the Treasure Keeper. They will also need to provide a sales total update for each of their Outpost to the Membership Tracker.
- 6) The Membership Tracker will compile all sales update info into a Frontier sales tracking document, which he will provide to the Trail Boss.
- 7) Please keep the ticket stubs stapled together. Do not separate the tickets off the books of 10. Fill out all the information on the tickets.
- 8) **Every Dad from Old Sky, Forest, Fire and Sun Territories is required to sell \$40.00 in raffle tickets and/or Mardi Gras ads. New Sky members will be required to sell \$30.00 in raffle tickets and/or Mardi Gras ads.**
- 9) If your Outpost sells more than 200 %, you will get money back! Example-200%-\$3 per \$30 tickets/ads sold.300%-\$4 per \$30 & so on...The % Incentive is based on Paid Membership as of December 31. For your Outpost to receive credit, tickets must be turned in no later than the Frontier meeting on Thursday February 2nd @ 7:30 p.m.



Father Daughter Dinner

St. Michael's Woodside Banquet Hall
5025 East Mill Road Broadview Heights (by I-77 & Wallings)



\$40 per couple -- \$20 for additional daughter

Dinner – Sun/Forest/Sky/Fire

When: Sunday, March 11th, 2012

Time: 1-5 PM

Registration deadline 2-27-2012

Girls wear dresses. Dads wear coat and tie. Dinner with Prime Rib for the dads, Chicken for the Princesses, flower corsages for the girls, picture of the couple, bingo, prizes for girls, door prizes and dancing.

The cost is \$40 per couple, additional daughters are \$20 each.

Formal 5 x 7 photographs will be taken for \$5.

Registration must be received by the due dates. No refunds after the due dates.

OIC: Mike Norwalk

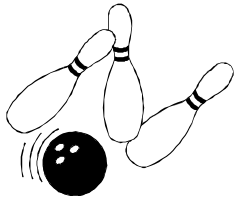
Dad: _____ Daughter: _____

Territory: _____ Outpost: _____

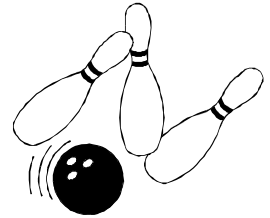
\$ Enclosed: _____ Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

Make checks payable to: Ridgewood Adventure Princesses



BOWLING!



Sunday March 25th

Bowling I - Sky and Fire Registration: 11:30 A.M. Off Lanes 2:30 PM SHARP!	Bowling II - Sun and Forest Registration: 2:30 PM Off Lanes 5:30 PM SHARP!
Yorktown Lanes 6218 Pearl Road (440) 886-5300	
Includes: Bowling, Shoe Rental, DJ, Pizza, Hot Dog, Chips and Pop Tour of the Pinsetters and Prizes !	
LAST DAY to REGISTER for lowest price: March 16 th 2012-No registrations after March 23 rd	

Bumpers YES NO	No Trophies awarded for Bumpers
Princess Name:	Number Attending _____ X \$6.50 = _____
Outpost:	After March 16 th - March 23 rd Number Attending _____ X \$10.00 = _____
Territory: Circle Bowling # 1 or # 2	

Bumpers YES NO	No Trophies awarded for Bumpers
Princess Name:	Send Cash or Check payable to: Ridgewood YMCA Adventure Princesses
Outpost:	Doug Payne 9749 Silverleaf Dr. North Royalton, Ohio 44133
Territory: Circle Bowling # 1 or # 2	
Dad's Name:	Phone:
OIC: Doug Payne (440) 230-2958	

Dads who have daughters bowling in the 1st and 2nd half must pay twice. If all daughters are bowling in one half then dad pays once.

See all the photos taken throughout the year at our **Shutterfly account.**

The latest additions are from the North Royalton Christmas Parade.

The password is "**adventure**"

Follow the link below.

<http://thebigcreekfrontier2.shutterfly.com>



Overnighter



Family Skate



North Royaltan Christmas Parade



December 2011



Princess Birthdays



12/01	Alyssa Barbeck	Rising Dragons	Fire
12/01	Maya Sted	Night Owls	New Sky
12/02	Noelle Blaha	RedHawks	Sun
12/03	Maria Snyder	Chey Fly Express	Sun
12/03	Mailie Galgas	Wild Fires	Fire
12/05	Leah Amato	Northern Lights	Sky
12/06	Mariel Drost	Chepi	New Sky
12/09	Lauren Buchholz	Powhatan	Sun
12/09	Karlie Messer	RedHawks	Sun
12/09	Leah Hargreaves	Tomahawks	Fire
12/10	Mallory Demattie	Chepi	New Sky
12/12	Karlie Cmich	Shooting Stars	New Sky
12/12	Holly Thorne	Northern Lights	Sky
12/12	Isabelle Weingart	Diamondbacks	Sky
12/14	Ann Kolosionek	Rockin' Cowgirls	Sky
12/15	Julia Rouge'	Sun Angels	Sun
12/17	Sierra Schuster	Squirrels	Forest
12/18	Lillian Greene	Wild Fires	Fire
12/18	Lizzy Camera	Chepi	New Sky
12/22	Angelina Ricci	Northern Lights	Sky
12/23	Laila Moye	Sky Fliers	New Sky
12/28	Alexis Bitzan	Night Owls	New Sky
12/29	Julia Kanzig	Sandstorm/Bandits	Sky
12/30	Madeline Brubeck	Cloud Walkers	New Sky
12/31	Ava Marton	Shooting Stars	New Sky
12/31	Marissa Morales	Shooting Stars	New Sky

The Running Waters is available at the Adventure Princesses' website:

<http://www.thebigcreekfrontier.org>

Click on Member Login and then select Running Waters

If you have moved, changed e-mail or are not receiving Running Waters, please contact Assistant Membership Tracker Phil Thorman at 440-582-1656 or e-mail the information to assistantmembershiptacker@thebigcreekfrontier.org



Adventure Princesses
Out-Going SKY Territory Shirts
Pre-Order Form

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Outpost: _____

Youth	Price	Adult:	Price
Med	\$10	Small	\$10
Large	\$10	Medium	\$10
		Large	\$10
		XL	\$10
		2XL	\$11
		3XL	\$11

INCLUDES Your Years in the program 2008-2011

Send Forms to Mark Ruda

2820 Somia Dr

Parma, Ohio 44134

Or email Name, Size and Outpost to:

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****PLEASE INCLUDE PICTURE OF DAD & DAUGHTER****

Your Name: Alexis Smith	Dad's Name: Mike
Your Princess Name:	
Territory: Fire	Outpost: tomahawks
School: Kenwood	
Grade: 2nd	Your Age: 7
What do you like about school: gym	
Favorite TV Show: billy the exterminator/ dog	
Favorite Book: where the side walk ends	
Favorite Song: Leave it all to shine	
Favorite Food: chicken legs	Favorite Desert: Ice cream
What activities are you involved in (other than Adventure Princesses): art class	
Favorite Princess Event: ghost march haunted house	
Favorite Princess Craft: tie dyed shirt	
Best Thing you ever did as an Outpost: when we totally dominated at spring camp	
What new event would you like to see be part of the Princesses: the jump yard	
Funniest thing your dad ever did: Farted while sleeping at all camps	
Length of your trail of fluffs: 40" inches	
Number of patches on your vest: 49	Number of beads on your Necklace: 44





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Your Name: Holly Thorne	Dad's Name: Phil Thorne
Your Princess Name: Pop star	
Territory: SKY	Outpost: NORTHERN LIGHTS
School: Pleasant Valley	
Grade: 5	Your Age: 10
What do you like about school: Being with friends	
Favorite TV Show: Jesse	
Favorite Book: Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone	
Favorite Song: Butterfly fly away	
Favorite Food: MACARONI cheese	Favorite Desert: Pudding
What activities are you involved in (other than Adventure Princesses): DANCE, SOCCER KAYAKING, PIANO	
Favorite Princess Event: winter camp	
Favorite Princess Craft: TYE die SHIRTS	
Best Thing you ever did as an Outpost: go sleding down a gravel path	
What new event would you like to see be part of the Princesses: sling shot	
Funniest thing your dad ever did: dress up like Princess Bear	
Length of your trail of fluffs: 4'	
Number of patches on your vest: 135	Number of beads on your Necklace: 91





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Grade:		Your Age:	
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Favorite Food:		Favorite Desert:	
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Favorite Princess Craft:			
Best Thing you ever did as an Outpost:			
What new event would you like to see be part of the Princesses:			
Funniest thing your dad ever did:			
Length of your trail of fluffs:			
Number of patches on your vest:		Number of beads on your Necklace:	

**REMEMBER TO INCLUDE A PICTURE OF YOU AND YOUR DAD.
 SEND INTERVIEW TO
 Todd Althouse
 8077 Thornhurst Dr.
 North Royalton, OH 44133**

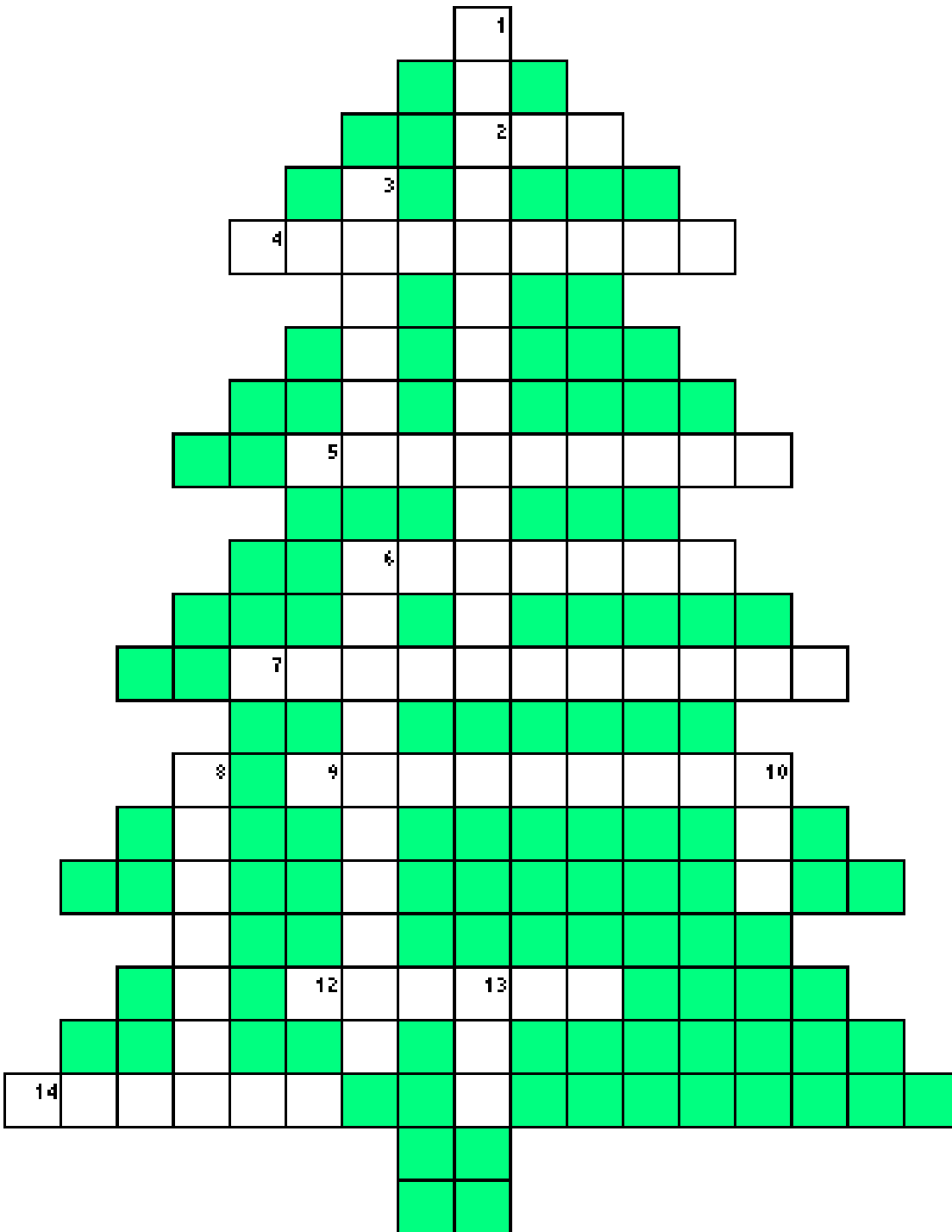
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FLUFF RAIDER'S LOG: 2011

There will be a patch given to Princesses that Fluff Raid the officers at their homes. The first part of this 2-part patch will be awarded to any Princess who "raids" 14 officers at their home. The second part is for Princesses who "raid" 5 officers after midnight. Use this Fluff Raiders Log to collect signatures from the officers. When you get the 14 regular raids and/or 5 midnight raids, then "Raid" the Awards Maker for the patch(es).

OFFICER:	NAME:	FLUFF COLOR:	REGULAR RAID:	MIDNIGHT RAID:
1. Trail Boss	Greg Noeth	Multi		
2. Asst. Trail Boss	Mark Ruda	Multi		
3. Elder	Bob Tupa	White		
4. Fire Maker	Pat Perhacs	Black		
5. Treasurer Keeper	Doug Payne	Gold		
6. Tally Keeper	Scott Mordaunt	Orange		
7. Awards Maker	Rob Ezinksi	Pink		
8. Running Waters Editor	Todd Althouse	Lt. Orange		
9. Asst. RW Editor	Mike Norwalk	Rust		
10. Legend Maker	Robert Thrasher	Lt. Pink		
11. Asst. Legend Maker	August Tischer	Aqua		
12. Membership Tracker	Jorge Perez	Teal		
13. Asst. Membership Tracker	Phil Thorman	Brown		
14. Outfitter	Mark Nelson	Purple		
15. Storyteller	Roger Bundy	Dark Pink		
16. Sky Territory Scout	Tim Organiscak	Royal Blue		
17. Forest Territory Scout	Rick Buzinski	Green		
18. Sun Territory Scout	Scott Smith	Yellow		
19. Fire Territory Scout	Rick DiCola	Red		

Christmas Tree Crossword

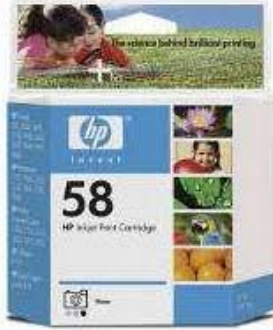


ACROSS

- 2. A Christmas Color.
- 4. December 25th
- 5. "_____ roasting on an open fire"...
- 6. He had visits from the Ghost of Christmas Past, Present & Future.
- 7. Spicy cookie used to make little houses & people, all covered with frosting and candies.
- 9. Striped candy
- 12. Ebenezer Scrooge said "Bah, _____!"
- 14. Creamy holiday drink.

DOWN

- 1. An evergreen you decorate with lights and tinsel.
- 3. He 'stole' Christmas
- 6. Jolly fat man in a red suit.
- 8. A fellow made of snow.
- 10. Santa's helpers.
- 13. The finishing touch on presents.



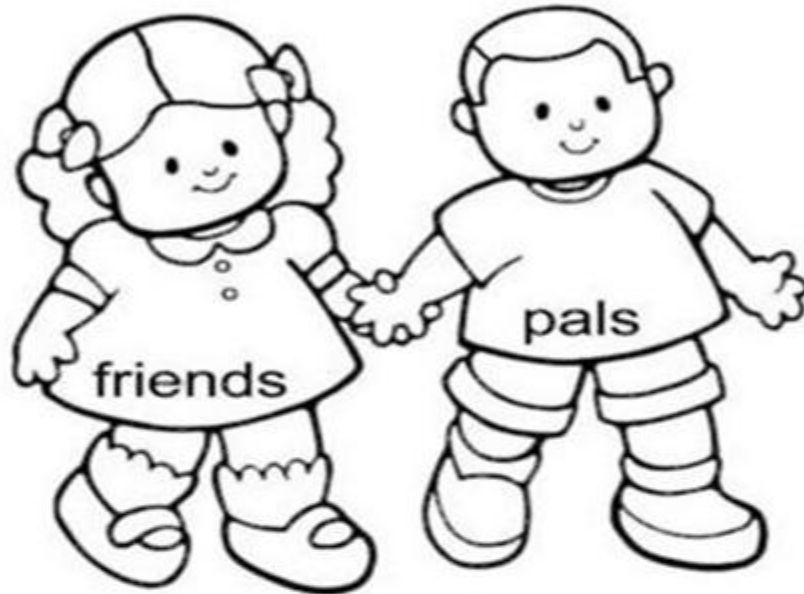
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**Recycle your Inkjet cartridges,
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By dropping them off with the ELDER Bob Tupa at any Princess Event Meeting or stop by his home and do some fluffing at the same time.



ADVENTURE PIONEERS



FRIENDS FOREVER

Join the Junior Program to the Princesses & Guides.

The Pioneers Program is designed for families with children 3 years of age to 1st grade. All events are family events!






Two Campouts, Fishing Derby, Memphis Kiddie Park, Sled Fest, Chuck E Cheeses, Cook Outs, Fire Fly's Miniature Golf, Ice Cream Social, Strongsville Rec Center, Holiday Parties, Hay ride, Bowling

Doug Buczak
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D e c e m b e r

2011

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1  Frontier Meeting: 7:45pm @ Busch Funeral Home	2 Y Open Swim 8-9:30	3
4	5	6	7	8	9 Y Open Swim 8-9:30	10
11  Christmas Party	12	13	14	15	16  Festival of Fluffs Y Open Swim 8-9:30	17
18	19	20	21	22  Officers' Meeting: at 7:00pm @ Busch Funeral Home	23 Y Open Swim 8-9:30	24
25  Merry Christmas!	26	27	28	29	30	31

YMCA of Greater Cleveland
 Ridgewood YMCA
 6840 Ridge Rd.
 Parma, OH 44129
 Adventure Princesses
 The Big Creek Frontier



December 2011

To the Cabin of:

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