

**BSA TROOP 474**  
**Home of the WOOD DUCKS**  
**Agenda & Announcements April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2008**

**A. Pledge of Allegiance, Oath, and Law – Spartan Patrol**

**B. ANNOUNCEMENTS**

1. *Visit [www.troop474.org](http://www.troop474.org) for information and pictures (you might be in some)*
2. *Strawberry Social Tickets are available – make some money for your Scout Account - buy cool Scout stuff like backpacks and chapstick. Sign up and sell!*
3. *April 19<sup>th</sup> + 26<sup>th</sup> (cancelled)- 9AM, Nut Plains Field – Deer fence construction to protect Guilford's new chestnut plantings. 474 get'n it done – report needed!*
4. *April 26<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> - Combination Trail Maintenance Workshop and Advancement Campout at Cockaponset State Forest. See Mr. Slattery's email for detail. And now...a short song by Mr. Slattery*
5. *May Troop Meetings - Will be used for the construction of towers made from nothing more than wood and ropes - amazing!*
6. *May 3<sup>rd</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> – Camping at Benton Property, Guilford CT. One of the last remaining remnants of farmland directly on Long Island Sound (see what Guilford was like when Mr. Dudley was a boy). Even more advancement opportunities... More info. coming up.*
7. *May 10<sup>th</sup> – Guilford Food Bank Spring Food Drive.*
8. *May 17<sup>th</sup> - Paintball - Connecticut Sportsplex, a non-BSA event. Shoot your friends - fun!*
9. *June 1<sup>st</sup> – the 43<sup>rd</sup> Annual Strawberry Social.*
10. *June 7<sup>th</sup> - First Annual Troop 474 Golf Open. Hit or throw your ball into the water.*
11. *Have Merit Badge books at home you are finished with? Bring them in and get \$1 each deposited into your Scout Account. Not bad since your parents paid for them originally. (Give them to Librarian Matt T.)*
12. *Do you often wear pants? Order Scout Pants – see sign-up sheet?*
13. *Return all Troop equipment to the Troop Room – clean and dry – report damage to the Quartermaster.*

*\*\*\*Need help completing a specific requirement to advance? Ask a Senior Scout or Assistant Scoutmaster for a little hand.*

**C. TONIGHT'S AGENDA**

1. Announcements
2. Trail mix competition
3. Merit Badge work by Patrol
4. Campout food/tenting planning
5. Dismissed

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ARE YOU A LEADER?**

**Tell Your Mother That You Love Her**

**WE ARE 474**

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