



## Pumpkin Carving with Boy Scout Troop 1004

You're invited to join us at our annual Pumpkin Carving contest on **Thursday**, **October 25**<sup>th</sup> **2018** at the American Legion Ray Stone Post, 2 School Street (across from Dean Park) from 7-8:30pm.

We'll supply the pumpkins and treats including cider, donuts, goodie bags for every visitor, and prizes for the pumpkin carving winners.

RSVP at our website using the 'Contact Us' link: www.shrewsbury.mytroop.us.

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**Leadership**, **Citizenship**, **Fitness**, and **Adventure**: these are the benefits of Scouting. If you would like your son to develop these traits, join us on October 25<sup>th</sup> to learn more about our program.

Open to boys who are 11 years old or have finished 5th grade, we take a trip every month of the year whether hiking, canoeing, biking, fishing, white-water rafting, and even ice climbing! Scouts are trained to camp safely in all four seasons and learn to cook their own meals over an open fire and on camp stoves. As your boys achieve rank advancement, they'll learn life-saving outdoor skills & first-aid. Our Troop also teaches the value and importance of Community Service by volunteering at various events in town.

Scouts learn important skills and about potential careers by earning Merit Badges such as Automotive Maintenance, Cooking, Disabilities Awareness, Engineering, First Aid, Home Repairs, Journalism, Law, Medicine, Public Speaking, Robotics, Snow Sports, & Wilderness Survival, just to name a few!

We are a group of 35-40 boys with a strong tradition of producing Eagle Scouts. Since 1965, the Troop has helped 132 boys achieve the rank of Eagle.

We are proud to be sponsored by the American Legion at the Ray Stone Post and we share their values of patriotism, honor, and duty to country. Every year, two of our 11<sup>th</sup> grade Scouts attend the prestigious *Massachusetts Boys State*, a national summer leadership program run by the American Legion. Troop 1004 Scouts are also eligible to apply for the *American Legion Eagle Scout of the Year College Scholarship* of \$10,000.00.

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RSVP and find more information on our website: www.shrewsbury4.mytroop.us.