



# Troop 23 – Hot News

## December 9, 2024

### TROOP CALENDAR:

For the full calendar, visit <http://troop23wheaton.org/>

- 12/09- Monday, 7:00-8:30 Troop Meeting, Christmas Sharing set up
- 12/16- Monday, 7:00-8:30 Troop Meeting & Christmas Party
- 12/23 & 30 NO Troop Meetings
- 01/06- Monday, 7:00-8:30 Troop Meeting

### WREATH SALES UPDATE:

It's not too late to sell, or purchase for yourself, some holiday greenery. Please take a look at the updated inventory below – make sure to share with family and friends, there's still plenty of time to enjoy these for the holiday season!

Qty	Item	Price
4	Itasca wreath	\$52
1	Noble Fir wreath	\$35
10	Cranberry Splash swag	\$30
2	Victorian swag	\$30
8	50 ft Garland (can be cut to 15 ft or 25 ft)	\$75 50ft; \$45 25ft; \$30 15 ft
13	Holiday Balls	\$35
10	Spruce Tops	\$25
1	32 inch Planter	\$54

Please use this form to submit your orders, once submitted Carrie Olson will reach out to you for pickup arrangements.  
<https://forms.gle/ev4YcLWUTiDPf4oo6>

### TROOP CHRISTMAS PARTY:

Troop 23's Christmas party will be held at the 12/16 meeting. A \$5 per person fee will be charged to cover the cost of the celebration.

### DECEMBER SERVICE PROJECT:

We will once again be partnering with First Presbyterian Church to support their Christmas Sharing Program. Each patrol will be putting together sundry boxes. See details below for the items that are in each box. Please ask your scout how they are contributing to their patrol as each patrol has already decided how they will organize contributions.

- Toilet Paper-4 rolls
- Paper Towel-2 rolls
- Kleenex-2 boxes
- Bath Soap-4 bars
- Shampoo/Conditioner-1 large bottle
- Deodorant-2
- Toothpaste-2
- Toothbrush-4
- Band Aids-30 count
- Cleaner-1 bottle

Scouts will be staying after the meeting on Monday, December 9th to set up the gym for the Christmas Sharing Program

### JANUARY SERVICE PROJECT:

Mark your calendars for Monday, January 27th from 7:15-8:45 PM. In lieu of our regular Scout meeting we will be volunteering at Feed My Starving Children in Aurora. Please use the join code below to register. This will be a Class A event and is a wonderful opportunity for Scouts and parents to serve together.

<http://www.fmsc.org/join-group?joincode=L62KXD>

### HOT NEWS INFO:

Got some information for the weekly Hot News? Please forward the details of your news item to [ruthlange@yahoo.com](mailto:ruthlange@yahoo.com) by Noon on Sundays and it will be included in that week's issue.

### IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS AND/OR FEEDBACK, PLEASE CONTACT:

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