



# Troop 23 – Hot News

## June 8, 2026

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### TROOP CALENDAR:

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

- 06/08 Monday, 7:00-8:30pm Troop Meeting
  - 06/15 Monday, 7:00-8:30pm Troop Meeting
  - 06/16 Tuesday, 7:00-9:00pm Committee Meeting, Adult Leaders and Parents
  - 06/18 Thursday, 6:30pm Trailer Loading for Summer Camp
  - 06/20 Saturday, 7:00am Advanced Crew to Summer Camp
  - 06/21-27 Sunday – Saturday Summer Camp
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### LIEUTENANT DAN BAND CONCERT - JUNE 11<sup>TH</sup>:

Cantigny is honored to host the West Suburban Foundation for Disabled Veterans' ROCKIN' FOR OUR VETS concert featuring Gary Sinise & The Lt. Dan Band on Saturday, July 11. This special event supports WSFDV's mission to provide housing and other living needs to disabled veterans and their families. See the attached flyer and link for tickets and information. <https://cantigny.org/event/lieutenant-dan-band-concert/>

### HEALTH FORMS NEEDED FOR SUMMER CAMP

All Scouts and adults attending Camp Tomahawk must submit current health forms and copies of both sides of their health insurance card to the Troop. Forms must be dated after June 1, 2025. Access the forms here: [https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-001\\_ABC.pdf](https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-001_ABC.pdf) Everyone needs parts, A, B1, and B1. Anyone staying three or more nights must complete Part C, which requires a physician's signature - please schedule appointments early. We ask that you submit three single-sided copies of the completed forms and three copies of both sides of the insurance card at a Monday night Troop Meeting as soon as possible. If you are unsure of the status of your Scout's forms or yours, please reach out to Ashley Young at [AshleyYoung.T23@troopmaster.email](mailto:AshleyYoung.T23@troopmaster.email).

### SAFEGUARDING YOUTH TRAINING FOR ADULT VOLUNTEERS:

All adults volunteering/participating in any Scouting activities must complete the Safeguarding Youth Training (formerly known as Youth Protection Training), or SYT. Most adults training certification expires May 31<sup>st</sup> (after National shortened the applicable period to shift to the new, improved SYT). SYT must be completed and current in order to participate in any Scouting activities. Subsequent annual recertification should be shorter in following years. See <https://my.scouting.org/tools/my-training/requirements>.

### 2026 NATIONAL JAMBOREE:

There are two openings available for Scouts interested in attending the 2026 National Jamboree. Scouts who are interested should contact Marty Broderick at 224-339-0562 for more information.

### ADULT VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES:

Troop 23 has the Adult Leader opportunities open for all looking to get more involved in Troop 23.

**WREATH SALES COORDINATOR** - We need a volunteer to be our Wreath Sales 2026 Coordinator. This is a fun, and festive, opportunity to help the Troop manage its biggest annual fundraising project. Tasks include updating and printing the sales flyer and order forms, collecting orders, ordering wreaths from the suppliers, and distributing the wreaths to Scouts. Our prior coordinator, Carrie Olsen, will be available to help get you started and outline all that's required.

### HOT NEWS INFO:

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

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

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