

SALE

Dear Parents & Scouts:

Troop 90's Annual **RUMMAGE SALE** is being planned right now!!

What: TROOP 90 RUMMAGE SALE

WHEN: SATURDAY, March 24, 2012
7:00 AM until 1:00 PM

WHERE: BROOK PARK SCHOOL

Now for some details: We will need the help and cooperation of every one of our Scouts and parents if we are to have a successful sale. Last year we made almost \$2,000! We can do better than that this year! I KNOW WE CAN!!

DONATIONS: Your junk is someone else's treasure! Help us raise funds for equipment, awards, operating expenses, etc. It is all profit, so the more you donate, the more money we can raise for Scouting. Especially desirable are clothing (especially children's), toys, tools, sporting goods, baby items, kitchenware, knickknacks, collectibles, furniture, jewelry, electronics, etc.

Due to conflicts at the school, we cannot get into the gym until 7:30 PM. You can bring your items to the school on FRIDAY NIGHT, MARCH 23, 2012 anytime after 6:30 PM. We will pre-stage the items in the hall. We will need a lot of help at 7:30 PM to move tables and pre-staged merchandise into the gym and get everything ready for the next day.

Please make sure all donations you give us are in good resalable shape. Clean and polish items as best you can. Please make sure clothing is clean and free of rips and tears. We want to sell as much we can, and generate as little garbage as possible.

If you have any large bulky items (Furniture, etc.) that you cannot get to the school, let us know. We will arrange to pick it up on Friday night.

Please advise your friends, neighbors, and relatives to help us save rummage. Also, help publicize the sale by telling everyone to shop with us on March 24th.

We will also need you to save any bags (paper and plastic) for us to use at the sale. Please bring them with you on Friday night.

The items we cannot sell are mattresses, box springs, and pets. We would prefer not to have any Christmas trees or bicycles. *The only computer monitors we will accept are flat screens or monitors with a complete computer system.* **THIS YEAR WE WOULD PREFER NOT TO HAVE ANY TELEVISION SETS DONATED.**

If you have any large, expensive items (cars, RVs, boats) that you would like to sell, we will put them on sale for you on consignment, with the troop taking 25% of the sale price. The troop reserves the right to refuse any items for consignment. Consignment items not sold must be picked up by 1:00 PM on the day of the sale.

All other items will be sold or discarded at the end of the sale.

REFRESHMENTS: Refreshments will be available for workers throughout the day. We will not be selling any refreshments.

PUBLICITY: We will publicize the sale in our local newspapers, flyers, ads, etc. Of course word of mouth is the best publicity. TELL YOUR FRIENDS!

WORKERS: We will need your assistance on the day of the sale. We will need cashiers, floor workers, supervisors, carryouts, etc. You will be called by one of our Committee members who will assign you a shift on the day of the sale. Please do your share when called on. We will also need your help on Friday night in setting up for the sale, pricing and arranging the merchandise. When you drop off your donations, plan to spend an hour or so helping with the setup. It will be MANDATORY that all Scouts work a shift at the sale. SCOUTS MUST BE IN UNIFORM.

SPECIAL AWARD: Which family will win the coveted Unique Item Award? Can The Snyders repeat as the winner? Do YOU want the honor? We have a prize for the family who brings in the oddest, craziest, weirdest item. You will receive possession of our special traveling trophy! I know you will want this high honor!!

QUESTIONS: If you have any questions, comments, suggestions, please call either Dale Machacek (354-9334) or Donna Knight (387-7262).

LET'S ALL WORK TOGETHER AND HAVE A RECORD BREAKING SALE!!

I KNOW WE CAN DO IT!!