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Four Scout Troops Are Taking Part In Weekend Camp

Four of Birmingham's Boy Scout troops will take part in the District One camping trip at Kensington Metropolitan Park June 5, 6 and 7. Troops leaders and sponsors are B-4, Stanley R. Mattson, Birmingham Lions Club; B-5, Philip J. Austin, Christ Church Granbrook Men's Club; B-7, Eric W. Jacobson, Pierce PTA and B-17, Donald J. Walter, Kirk-in-the-Hills Presbyterian church.

More than 1,000 Scouts and leaders will take part in the program, which will include religious services for all denominations Sunday morning.

IN ADDITION to campcraft, advancement work, hiking, fishing and boating, there will be competitive events calling for Scouting skills. This will include fire making and water boiling, following a compass course while "blindfolded," first aid relay, knot tying, and a flap jack cooking event.

One of the highlights of the three-day affair will be the Saturday night program of songs by the Explorer Scout choras, pantomimes, a Zulu Warriot game and the special number by members of the Order of the Arrow.

This group will canoe to the site of the huge beaver, land, and in full Indian regalia, stage impressive Indian dances.

Commission Asked For Extension

A request for a six-month extension in time to solve sewage disposal problems has been sent to the Michigan Water Resources Commission by the Southfield township board.

The commission has ordered Southfield and Bloomfield townships and Bloomfield Hills to have a plan to abate pollution of the Rouge river, in operation by December 1, 1954. Bloomfield and Bloomfield Hills have sent similar resolutions to the commission.

Northland Center-Northland Village

The area surrounding the J. L. Hudson Northland Center shopping development in Southfield township is to be known as Northland Village.

Southfield board members have approved the request of Hudson officials to identify the area as an unincorporated village for action by the Michigan Banking Commission to approve the location of a bank in the center.

The area is bounded by Nine Mile, Greenfield, Eight Mile, Northwest-ern and Rutland.

Plastic Belt Desires Share \$225 Cash Awards

Designs for the most practical and attractive belts made of plastic have won awards totaling \$225 for three designers at Cranbrook academy of art.

First prize of \$100 went to Kenneth Leaker, 1904 Main, Ferndale, second of \$75 to Alan Donahue, 655 W. Woodward, Ferndale, and a third award of \$50 to Nels Delfrentz, 216 Hawthorne road, Birmingham.

All three of the winners are students of Theodore Luderowski, design instructor at the academy. The competition was sponsored by the Delano Plastics and Engineering Company, of Detroit.

New Rating Attained By Baldwin Graduate Serving in U.S. Navy

William R. Humphries, USN, has attained the rank of storekeeper, third class petty officer. Humphries, a Baldwin high school graduate, entered the navy in October, 1951, and was assigned to the USS Howard W. Gilmer, submarine stationed off Key West, Fla., after completing storekeeper's school.

Humphries is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Humphries, 28 Maywood road, and the husband of Joan Kramer Humphries, currently making her home at Key West.

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Price for City Lots Has Not Advanced

Three city lots on the north side of Derby road are worth a total of \$4,500, according to the only bidder for the property.

A. A. Neelman, the bidder, developed the offer he made several months ago. He proposes to develop the property in connection with a new subdivision immediately north of Derby road.

City commissioners postponed acceptance of the bid until Neelman was consulted about street access into the development.

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