

Desert District Merit Badge Fair – Ridgecrest

January 31, 2009

James Monroe Middle School

(Signup at 7:30 AM) 8:00 AM – 11:45 AM (Morning session)
12:30 PM - 4:15 PM (Afternoon session)

Various merit badges will be offered in the spring fair. Most merit badges will be offered in two sessions – one in the morning and another offering in the afternoon. The list below is the merit badges offered, when, what pre-work is necessary, and the counselor offering it. If a merit badge is not completed during this fair, work can continue on it and hopefully it can be completed and signed off by next Merit Badge Fair to be held tentatively in the May timeframe (further details TBD).

You may signup for one AM and one PM – unless the merit badge you want is designated as an all-day merit badge (ALL DAY), in which case you can signup for just that one merit badge. There will be a 15-minute break in the middle of the morning and afternoon sessions.

Lunch will be available for \$5 (includes deli sandwich, chips, and drink).

Signups will start at 7:30 AM or call and leave a message with Del Kellogg at 384-4068 or 371-5040 for early signup. Please state your name, unit #, and which merit badges and sessions you request.

Check-in will be at 7:30 AM on January 31. Drinks and donuts will be provided at check-in (for adult leaders too).

Merit Badge	Time	Pre-work	Contact Info
Auto Mechanics	ALL DAY	None	Keith Weisz 375-9114
Communication	AM or PM	None (Additional work required for completion)	Ellie Higa 446-2867
Electronics	AM or PM	Read requirements	Ian Mendoza
Emergency Preparedness	PM	Read requirements (Additional work required for completion)	Vince Burns 375-0799
Family Life	AM	Read requirements (3-month requirement necessary for completion)	Vince Burns 375-0799
Gardening	AM	None	Roxann Gibbs 375-2142
Photography	AM or PM	None (Additional work necessary for completion)	Jerry Smith 384-1170
Space Exploration	AM or PM	Rocket kit (contact counselor for specifics)	Paul Barney, 375-2350

Note: You must bring a blue card signed by your unit leader to the merit badge session.

Signups:

Name: _____
AM Merit Badge _____

Unit # _____
PM Merit Badge _____

Lunch (\$5): Yes No

If you have any questions, please call Del Kellogg 384-4068 or 371-5040.