

Sea Scout Ship 25 July 2023

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Activities:

July was a busy month for Ship 25 as many have been abroad on the summer trip to Europe to visit the Kandersteg International Scout Centre. While abroad the group visited seven countries: Iceland, Switzerland, France, Italy, Luxembourg, Liechtenstein, and Germany. We participated in several activities while at the Scout Centre; most were hikes but playing volleyball and doing laundry were the fan favorites from our group. Since our group was there for two weeks and hiking almost everyday having clean laundry was a celebrated thing. Besides attending KISC we went sightseeing in Thun, Bern, Zurich, Interlaken, Blausee, Kandersteg, Grindelwald, Iceland, Paris, Feldkirch, Strasbourg, Trier, Stresa and many other places too!

Meetings:

Meetings have not been held this month due to the trip to Switzerland and adult advisors being away. But on our normal schedule, meetings are held in-person at the Coast Guard Auxiliary Base in Ithaca and via zoom.

Upcoming:

August will be a relatively chill month for activities. Ship activities will begin on the 5th.

Fundraising:

Our Bottle and Can fundraiser has moved to IthaCAN and Bottle Return, 614 Elmira Rd., Rt. 13 South in Ithaca. You can still contact your local Sea Scout or Jim Graney to arrange a donation location; or you can bring your donation there and just be sure to say they are for us and mark the bag please.

Contact:

Sea Scouts is a co-ed program for young men and women ages 13 to 20. Sea Scout Ship 25 meets at 6:30pm most Friday nights at the Coast Guard Auxiliary in Ithaca, NY and also offers a Zoom link for those who can't attend in person. For more details and a full calendar, contact Committee Chairman Jim Graney at [\(607\)-327-1226](tel:607-327-1226) (work / cell) or email jgraney@twcny.rr.com. Additional information is available at www.ithacaseascouts.org

