

Iron Horse District B. S. A. Klondike Derby



Over the weekend of Feb. 18th, members of the Iron Horse District of the Pathway to Adventure Council held their annual Klondike Derby and overnight camping event at Goodenow Nature Preserve, Beecher. The Patrol to Patrol Winter skills competitions, started with morning drag sled races followed by Troop site challenges: Knot Identification, Ice Safety, Mat lava team building, Patrol relay and Stretcher construction and uses. The afternoon brought Winter skills events such as, Fire building races, Pancake cook off, Lash it together, Why are my teeth chattering, Clovis Maximus knots and more, Orienteering and Ice berg shuffle. The Winning Patrol will be presented the Klondike Derby traveling trophy. St. Mary Star of the Sea Boy Troop 1441 entered their Patrol, named "Blue Monsters". Front row: Adan Moreno, Lucas Kozel, Alexei Ayala, Luis Burgos, Raul Burgos and Lulu Rodriguez (Troop Secretary). Back row: Ed Melkonian (Asst. Scout Master), Lorena Sanchez (Troop Advancement Chairman), Marnee Burgos (Committee Member), Pedro Moreno (Committee Member), Eloy Corral Jr. (Asst. Scout Master) and John Massura (Scout Master). Any boys from any school ages 11 to 17 who are interested in Scouting can have a parent contact Ed Melkonian at (312) 316-5825 for further information.