

Scout Chief's Banquet Marks Closing of Camp Wauwepex

Camp Wauwepex, Aug. 27—The annual Chief's banquet tonight marked the official closing of the Summer season of Camp Wauwepex, when the camp staff and the camping committee gathered for a "last supper" before departing for their Nassau County homes.

Chief Howard Covey and other members of the camping committee addressed the staff, commending them on the fine manner in which they had handled their respective duties throughout the season.

The Scouts held their last council fire of the season last night and many of them were given their awards for rising another step in Scout ranking.

They left this morning full of pleasant memories of the past camp season.

Throughout the season the Scouts have worked on their tests and many of them have risen another step up the Scouting ladder. They have gone home full of pleasant memories of swimming in the lake, working in the craft lodge, the hikes, eating and singing at mess and seeing the weekly camp show. This afternoon there was only a handful left to "put away the camp."

This season has been judged one of the best in the history of the camp. Five hundred and forty-four boys attended Wauwepex during the season. They came from all parts of Nassau County.