



# The **FLINTLOCKS** POWDERHORN

An Association of Retired Scouters Providing Service & Support to Scouting in Patriots' Path Council, BSA

## A Message from Our President

Spring 2018

2017 was a very productive year for the Flintlocks. Our work took us to all three of the Patriots' path Council camps. We built changing room cabanas for the waterfronts at camps Winnebago and Somers, built lots of tent platforms, picnic tables, did cabin renovations, and we added more benches to the council ring. We are looking forward to attending these programs again in 2018.

In the fall of 2018 we want to bring back the Cub Scout Wood Tools program, where we will spend a morning at camp doing woodworking requirements with Cubs.

In 2017, the Flintlocks put in 5819 man hours working on projects at the camps. Our goals are to maintain this type of dedication to help improve and maintain the camp facilities. In 2018 we hope to keep up this dedication.



Building New Archery Range Deck

John Koneski  
President

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Flintlocks BSA

Patriots Path Council at:  
[ppcbsa.org/camping/flintlocks](http://ppcbsa.org/camping/flintlocks)



Joe Schott & John Kazazis Assembling Picnic Tables

## 30 Years & Counting

The Flintlocks BSA are planning their thirteenth anniversary luncheon for members and loyal supporters.

How time flies when you're having fun. I am in my twenty-second year as a Flintlock.

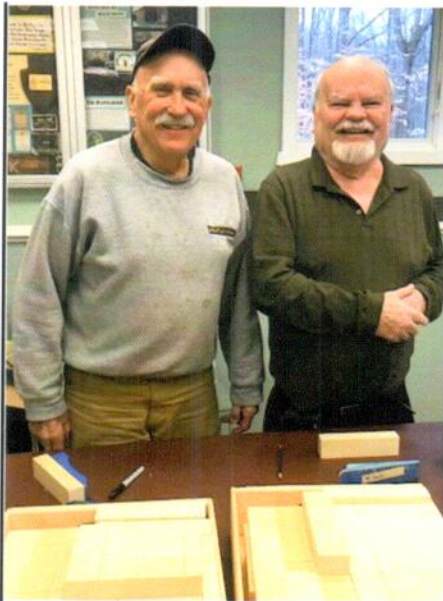
Looking back, we have come a long way since the beginning in 1988.

The founding fathers are all gone, but they have left a legacy of service to Scouting and to the council that we strive to uphold.

"Is everybody having fun?" as our VP George Van Dyke would often say, and yes it is fun.

The opportunity to work with all the Flintlocks who believe in Scouting and to realize at the end of the day how much has been accomplished to support the council and the young adults of tomorrow.

### Bob Germinder



*Bob Carlsen & Bob Benson  
parts for Pinewood Derby cars  
for Jockey Hollow District*



*Some of our members with our new flag*



*D Michael Hart & John Kazazis  
making parts for craft Kits*

### Thanks to our donors

We would like to thank our sponsoring organizations whose donations in 2017 to the Flintlocks made some of our projects possible:

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