

# Graphic Arts Merit Badge Workshop



**Monday, March 13, 2017 – 6 to 9pm**

**Monday, April 10, 2017 – 6 to 9pm**

**Monday, May 8, 2017 – 6 to 9pm**

**Monday, September 18, 2017 – 6 to 9pm**

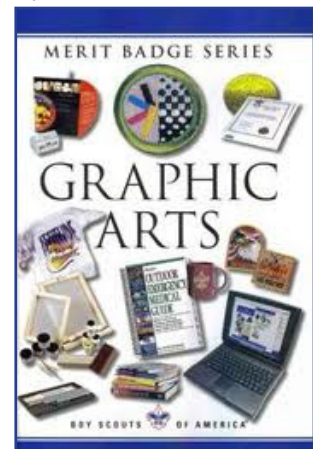
**Monday, October 16, 2017 – 6 to 9pm**

You are invited to a once-in-a-lifetime chance to earn the Graphic Arts merit badge using almost 100-year-old printing presses. The requirements for the merit badge will be met using the 600-year-old letterpress printing process. With minimal advanced preparation, Scouts will be able to leave at the end of the night with the merit badge completed.

The workshop will begin promptly at 6:00 pm in The Steinman Center Graphic Communications and Printing Technology Lab located in the Clark Street Branch Building of Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology, 60 Parkside Avenue, Lancaster, PA.

Everything a Scout needs to know to complete the requirements for this merit badge is in the merit badge pamphlet available at the Scout Shop, 630 Janet Avenue, Lancaster.

Upon receipt of your paid registration, Scouts will be sent a merit badge workbook in which to complete requirements #2, #5 and #7 before the workshop. These requirements need to be completed ahead of time in order to complete the merit badge at the workshop. For #5b requirement, Scouts **need to bring a sample** of the five types of binding with each one marked with the binding type and Scout's name & troop number on a post-it note. For requirement #7, type the information (hand written reports will **NOT** be accepted) called for in exploring career opportunities in the graphic arts. **You will also need a completed merit badge form signed by your Scoutmaster.**



This workshop fills up fast so register as soon as possible by contacting Ken Kulakowsky at [kkulakowsky@netzero.com](mailto:kkulakowsky@netzero.com) to reserve your spot. Go to [www.918club.org/events](http://www.918club.org/events) and download the registration form. Fill out the form and send it and a check for \$15 to the address on the form. The \$15 covers all materials necessary to complete the badge, including a t-shirt and postage for the return of your printed project & merit badge card. The workshop is sponsored by members of The .918 Club of the Heritage Press Museum, Lancaster, PA and Thaddeus Stevens College of Technology's Graphic Communications Technology Department.