

## *Troop is ready to hike*



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Members of Boy Scout Troop 113 of Rockaway Township, sponsored by St. Clement Church, hiked 58 miles through Philmont Scout Ranch in New Mexico from July 9 to July 23. Preparing for their trek, the crew attended a weekend event at Mt. Allamuchy Scout Reservation in Stanhope sponsored by the Watchu Committee of Patriot's Path Council. Standing are: Sean Ponteliona, Gianluca Spataro, Gianluca Borrelli, Andy Seraphin, James Onorevole and William Weber. Kneeling are: John Hallman and Carlo Thompson.



**FROM ROCKAWAY TOWNSHIP TO NEW MEXICO** — Members of Boy Scout Troop 113, sponsored by St. Clement Parish, Rockaway Township, recently completed a 67-mile, nine-day trek at Philmont Scout Ranch, a 214-square mile high adventure camp in Cimarron, N.M. The scouts, accompanied by three adult leaders, flew in to Denver. The Scouts toured Colorado Springs for two days, which included a rafting trip down the Arkansas River, a hike through the Garden of the Gods, and a ride up Pikes Peak via cog train. While on the trek, Scouts participated black powder rifle shooting, blacksmithing, American homesteading, goat milking and horseback riding. Shown in front of Cathedral Rock are (front row): Andy Seraphin, John Hallman, Carlo Thompson Jr., Chaplains Aide William Weber, Michael Urwin. Back row: committee member Richard Suntag, Sean Ponteliona, James Onorevole, crew chief Gianluca Borrelli, Gianluca Spataro, Scoutmaster Richard Weber, assistant Scoutmaster Carlo Thompson Sr. *Submitted photo*