



Pack 24 Parent e-Letter

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CubMaster's Corner



Happy Holidays

It has been a great year!!! We have done so much in such a short time. 2007 will be even more exciting. I have really enjoyed being your Cub Master. Please give me any constructive criticism you may have about the program. We can't fix something if we don't know there is a problem. I would welcome all comments.

The scouts did a fantastic job at the "Scouting for Food" community service event. They collected 825 Lbs of food, which is over 100 lbs better than last year.



All Invited -
even sisters

Singing at Retirement Center – Tue. Dec 19th 7PM – Center Square - Class A Uniforms.

Our 3rd community service event of the year. Come out and sing carols to the residents of this retirement center. They always pack the room when we come. Bring 3 or more dozen cookies to hand out after the songs. This is a great event for around the holidays. Center Square is off of Broad St, next to the Intelligencer. **We need a pianist!!!!**



Scouts & Parents

January Pack Mtg – Hawaii – Tue. Jan 9th 7PM – Doyle - Class A Uniforms or Hawaiian Shirt (Parents too).

We will learn about Hawaii and volcanoes. Each den will get to build a model volcano with flowing lava. We will also have a **parent and scout Hawaiian shirt contest**. Awards for Coolest, Brightest, Most Floral, more as I come up with them or you suggest them.

Pine Wood derby cars will be distributed.



Scouts & Family

Overnighter– Battleship New Jersey – Sat-Sun Jan 20-21.

This date has been confirmed. The Fee is \$49.50 per person, 9 and under must have a parent. I will have directions and other info handouts at the January Pack meeting. **Any suggestions for Sat/Sun afternoon?** Check out their website - <http://www.battleshipnewjersey.org/overnights/>



Scouts & Family

February Blue and Gold – Fri. Feb 9th 6PM – Doylestown Presbyterian Church - Class A Uniforms.

Come celebrate the crossing over of our WEBELOS II to Boy Scouts. They have worked extremely hard to achieve their Arrow of Light, come out and celebrate their success. Dinner is included. Cost is \$5 per person with a \$20 family maximum. **A pack photo will be taken, so we need everyone to attend.**



Scout Families Only

Video Game Night – Fri. Feb 23rd 6-10PM – Doylestown Presbyterian Church - Class B T-Shirts.

Need a night out without the kid(s)? For \$5 per scout and \$10 for non scouts, you can have the evening for yourselves. All games will be provided and pre-screened by the leadership, do not bring your own games or equipment unless requested. The games will be projected on big screens. Games: Mario Kart Racing, Dance Dance Revolution, Super Smash Brothers, Lego Star Wars and more. **This will only be possible if I get 3 more adults to volunteer for this event. We must have "2 deep leadership".**



Future Dates

Here are some tentative events to start planning for:
Spring Campout – May 5-7 - Orienteering Race and weekend camping at French Creek State Park. Race Fee \$5, Camping and Meals \$20. Visit www.scoutorienteering.com for more info.
Camp Kirby – Aug 8 – Aug 11 (very tentative) - Jungle Theme, Camp Fees range depending on registration date, between \$155 (by March 18) to \$180 (after May 1). @\$15 for additional meals and snacks and activities. Photo @\$8, \$10 T-shirt. We will do a fundraiser to reduce!



Parents/Leaders Only

Free Training - Thanks for reading all the way to the bottom!!!

There are many training opportunities available for all parents. All leaders need to be trained in "Youth Protection" and "Leader Fast Start" which are both available on the web – go to <http://www.buckscountybsa.org/> and select the Training link on the left side. Leaders are also required to attend a Cub Scout Leader Specifics Class.



Pack Website- http://www.orgsites.com/pa/cub_scoutpack24/

Visit our pack website for pictures from the recent events, forms for outings, and a calendar of events for meetings/outings/activities.