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Cub Scout News

CUB SCOUT PACK 791 – CELEBRATING 52 YEARS IN SCOUTING

February 2007

Will Meyers, *Cubmaster*
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Paul D'Agati, *Asst. Cubmaster*
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Klondike 2007 Recap

Pack 791 has a lot to be proud of for their performance at the Klondike Derby.

Den 8 won 1st place for the Wolves

Den 6 won 3rd place for the Bears

Cobras won 2nd place for the Webelos II (they were competing on the Boy Scout course)

Cubmaster Will Meyers won 1st place in the Scoutmaster Dutch Oven Cook-Off with his baked ziti (he won a new Dutch oven, now he can cook twice as much.)

Dens 1 and 2 had a great day and demonstrated great sportsmanship and scout spirit.

For all of those who participated, the Klondike committee would like your feedback. You may send your comments to roundtable, or e-mail any district member.

Klondike Attendees:

Den 1: Devon Freeman, Stephen Meyers, Christopher Smith

Den 2: Timothy Bowersox, Harrison Boyle, Ben Caples, Ben Chase, Tyler D'Agati, Gunnar Eichler, Thomas Medairy, Danny Schenning, Bradley Stitcher

Den 6: Noah Maenner, Matthew Stern, Brian Victor

Den 8: Matthew Eddy, Andrew Meyers

Cobras: Jack Bitzel, Sean Floto, Blaine O'Brien, David Ruby

Great job to all of the scouts that challenged themselves at Klondike!



Pinewood Derby

The Pinewood Derby Pack Race will be on Friday, February 9, 2007.

Congratulations to all of the scouts that built and raced Pinewood Derby cars. Thank you to Kevin Stitcher and Gary Floto for all of their hard work and time that went into making the Pinewood Derby a success.

Pinewood Derby Den Winners

Tigers

Den 4: Benjamin Kane

Wolves

Den 1: Jack Purcell

Den 8: Andrew Meyers

Bears

Den 6: Matthew Stern and Brian Victor

Webelos I

Dragons (Den 2): Ben Caples

Webelos II

Cobras (Den 5): Sean Floto and David Ruby

Don't forget Blue and Gold Dinner on Sunday, February 25, 2007 from 3-7 at the Best western in Westminster. If you haven't turned in your reservation yet, please see Reba Floto.



MARK THIS DATE

Tuesday, February 13, 2007 District Roundtable

This is our local connection to Baltimore Area Council, you can also learn about district activities and exchange ideas with other packs. Roundtable is held at Carroll County Agricultural Center at 7pm. The pack with the highest attendance will receive 50 Pinewood Derby cars, so don't forget to sign in when you go.

Sunday, February 25, 2007 Blue and Gold Banquet Held at Best Western in Westminster. The money is due no later than February 9.

Wednesday, February 28, 2007 Pack 791 Committee Meeting at 7:00 at North Carroll Library. We request leaders attend and encourage parents to attend. This meeting is where pack planning occurs, including policy, trips, fundraisers, etc. Pack 791 is always looking for new ideas. For more information see Will Meyers, Kristine Maenner, Paul D'Agati, or Gary Floto.

March 3, 10, 31, 2007 Webelos Aquanaut Activity Pin 3:30-5:30 McDaniel College Most Webelos will complete Aquanaut requirements in one session. The cost is \$3/scout per session. Scouts must be prepaid and pre-registered by February 16. For more info, call Hank Reinhardt at 410-876-2937.

Sunday, March 4, 2007 Baltimore Archdiocese Annual Scout Mass This will be held at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Assumption of the Virgin Mary at 2:00pm. The main celebrant will be Cardinal Keeler. Special patches are available for \$3 and must be preordered, flyers with the order forms will be available at roundtable. For more info, see Paula Smith or contact Marilyn Potter at 410-795-7508.

Sunday, March 4, 2007 Harlem Globetrotters Scouts will receive a special ticket price of \$11.50 and \$13.50 for the 1:00 game, \$13.50 for the 6:00 game. The ticket price includes admission to the Globetrotter University which is held one and a half hours before the

game time. Special patches are also included in the ticket price.

Saturday, March 11, 2007 Tiger Fun Day at Gamber Hall, 12-4:00 This event is open to all Tiger Cubs and their friends or siblings at a cost of \$4/each. There will be about 12 stations to challenge their skills while having fun. Info will be mailed to all registered Tiger Cubs at the end of January. There is also a need for adult and Boy Scout volunteers, please call Theresa Swain 410-795-7687 for more info.

April 14, 2007 District Pinewood Derby This will be held at the National Guard Armory in Westminster. More details will follow as they become available. For more info, contact Brian Betz at manymice@gmail.com or Scott Buckley at sbuckley93@msn.com.

April 21, 2007 Pack Skate This will be held at Magic Elm Skating Rink in Hanover, PA from 4-7. This is a joint event with Pack 790. The proposed cost is \$10/family. Scouts have the opportunity to earn the skating belt loop. Please see Kristine Maenner for more info.

May 18-20, 2007 Webelos Woods Camporee held at Freedom Park in Sykesville. More info will be coming soon.

July 6-8, 2007 Wild, Wild West Adventure Don't miss out on Camp Oest this year. They are busy planning a great summer program for cubs. Look for some familiar faces as Boy Scouts AJ Chase and Tony Smith are serving on the camp staff this summer. Internet registration will be available this year. Please see Paul D'Agati for more info.

July 16-20, 2007 Go to Ancient Egypt (without leaving Carroll County) It's time to plan for another exciting year of **day camp!** There will be more information next month and registration will be due at the Blue and Gold Banquet. We also need a coordinator to collect fees and registration. Please see Carol Chase for more info.

July or August 2007 Family Camping This event is currently in the planning stages. More information will be provided as it becomes available. If you have any questions please see Kelly Meyers.

Tiger Badge

Tiger Cubs earn the



Tiger Cub Totem when he learns the Tiger Cub motto, Cub Scout sign, and Cub Scout salute. This is a plastic tiger paw with space for four strands for totem beads that he wears on his right pocket. A boy earns totem beads by working on the five Tiger Cub achievements. Each achievement has three parts. The boy earns a white bead for each required family activity; an orange bead for each required den activity; and a black bead for each required Go See It activity. The boy then earns the Tiger Cub Badge when he has completed all 15 parts of the five achievements. After earning his Tiger Badge, a Tiger Cub may start receiving his **Tiger Track Beads**. For every 10 electives that are completed the Tiger Cub earns 1 Tiger Track Bead.

Bobcat Badge

Before earning any other



Badge every Scout must earn his Bobcat Badge. There are eight things that a Scout must learn to earn his Bobcat Badge. These items are Cub

Scout Promise, Law of the Pack, Tell What Webelos Mean, Cub Scout Sign, Cub Scout Handshake, Cub Scout Motto, Cub Scout Salute, and the Bobcat Requirements in the front of the book with a Parent. The following scouts have this award:

Wolf Badge

Scouts earn their Wolf Badge after completing 49 items in 12 different sections of their book. For each 4 requirements that are completed, the boys earn a yellow bead to be worn on their "Progress Toward Rank" emblem. They also earn gold and silver arrow points as they complete additional items in the elective section of their book.



Den 1

Devon Freeman: 4th yellow bead

Stephen Meyers: 4th yellow bead

Jack Purcell: 4th yellow bead

Christopher Smith: 4th yellow bead

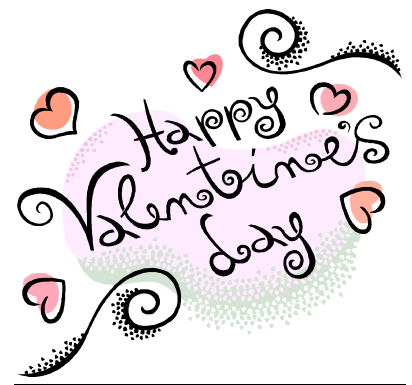
Bear Badge



The Bear Badge is earned after a Bear Scout completes the requirements in 12 achievements. For each 4 requirements that are completed, the boys earn a red bead to be worn on their "Progress Toward Rank" emblem. The achievements are centered on the themes of God, Country, Self and Family. After completing the requirements for the Bear Badge, Bear Scouts can earn gold and silver arrow points by completing additional requirements.

Den 6

Noah Maenner: Roller Skating Belt Loop, Ice Skating Pin



Webelos

Badge

Webelos earn Activity Pins by completing a certain number of requirements in a particular category such as artist or naturalist. Webelos must earn certain activity badges in order to earn their Webelos Badge, Compass Points and the Arrow of Light. When Webelos are presented with their first activity badge, they also receive their Webelos Colors. The colors are the red, yellow, and green ribbons worn on the right shoulder of the Webelos uniform.



Dragons (Den 2)

Timothy Bowersox:

Aquanaut Activity Pin

Harrison Boyle: Fitness Activity Pin

Danny Schenning: Fitness Activity Pin

Cobras (Den 5)

Jack Bitzel: Artist Activity Pin, Engineer Activity Pin, Family Member Activity Pin, Showman Activity Pin

Bryan Burrows: Engineer Activity Pin, Family Member Activity Pin, Scientist Activity Pin

Sean Floto: Engineer Activity Pin, Family Member Activity Pin

Blaine O'Brien: Engineer Activity Pin, Family Member Activity Pin, Traveler Activity Pin

David Ruby: Engineer Activity Pin, Family Member Activity Pin

Cobras (Den 5)

Jack Bitzel: Chess Belt Loop and Pin

Bryan Burrows: Map and Compass Pin, Science Pin

Webelos Compass & Points

The Webelos Compass Emblem is earned upon the completion of an additional 4 Webelos Activity Pins (for a total of 7). The Compass points are then awarded for each additional 4 Activity Pins. The following Scouts were presented these awards.



Cobras (Den 5)

Jack Bitzel: 3rd Compass Point

Bryan Burrows: 3rd Compass Point

Sean Floto: 3rd Compass Point

Blaine O'Brien: 3rd Compass Point

David Ruby: 3rd Compass Point

Great job Scouts!! Your advancements are proof of your hard work and success as Scouts.

Any leader that needs to take Youth Protection or renew it, you can now do it over the Internet. Go to www.baltimorebsa.org and click on the Youth Protection link. Check your card (it is good for three years). Remember to go on any trip someone needs to have Youth Protection training. It only takes 15 minutes and you need to have your membership card number available.

If there are any omissions, corrections, submissions or suggestions, please contact Paula Smith at Ldycheez@aol.com