



# PACK 102 NEWS - February 2009

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Joe Bertrand, Brian Bush

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Treasurer – Ellen Bertrand 235-2474

Webmaster – Brad Vandrasik 427-0470, Trainee Needed

Tiger Coordinator – Sandra Graham 235-2588

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Ken Skoczen 235-7777, Bob Sturm 235-1949

Pinewood Derby Chair – Seth Tomasch 427-1747

Wolf Leaders – John Campbell 427-0828, Stacia Kiss 427-9116,  
Cynthia Tomasch 427-1747, Karen Walsh 427-0103

Hospitality Chair – Eileen Naughton 236-6230, Karen Walsh,  
Mary Shafer 427-0029

Bear Leaders – Joe Bertrand 235-2474, Brian Bush 427-0148,  
Mike & Sharon Knaggs 816-0372

Crafts Chairs – Wendy Broski, Cynthia Tomasch  
Advancements Chair – Brad Vandrasik 427-0470, Seth

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Webelos I Leaders – Seth Tomasch 427-1747, Wendy Broski  
235-3632

Pack Photographer – Sandra Graham 235-2588

Training Chair – Seth Tomasch

Webelos II Leaders - Debbie Illig 235-3508, Ann Stricklen 235-1268

Newsletter – Sharon Knaggs ([mknaggs92@sbcglobal.net](mailto:mknaggs92@sbcglobal.net))

Camping Chair – Sandra Graham & Sharon Knaggs

### Pack Meeting and Event Calendar

Fri. 2/20	6-8 pm	Pinewood Derby set up and weigh-in	OFMS Cafetorium
Sat. 2/21	9am-1pm	Pack Meeting/Pinewood Derby	OFMS Cafetorium
Mon. 3/16	6-9 pm	Pack Meeting/Blue & Gold Banquet & Rank Advancements	OFMS Cafetorium
Mon. 4/20	7-8:15 pm	Pack Meeting/TBA	OFMS Cafetorium
Mon. 5/11	7-8:15 pm	Pack Meeting/Crossover	Harding Mem. Covered
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### Registration for the 2009/2010 Scouting Year

It is time to sign your son up for Scouting again. The scouting year actually begins in April; thus, for your son to cross over to the next rank and participate in summer activities, he must rejoin the Pack this spring. Moreover, our Pack must "recharter," or rejoin Boy Scouts of America in order to remain an officially recognized BSA unit. Please pick up your forms tonight and look over the information for your Scout. Mark any corrections in the spaces provided and return at or before the Blue & Gold Banquet on March 16<sup>th</sup>.

The cost is \$45 for your first Cub Scout, plus \$35 for each additional Cub Scout in your family. The extra \$10 for the first scout represents a \$10/family charge for room rental for our pack meetings and events. As you know, the Olmsted Falls school levy failed and it is likely that we will need to pay rental to use a meeting spot next year.

If your son would like a subscription to *Boys' Life*, there is an additional \$12 charge. Please pay membership dues by check made payable to Pack 102. If you can't make the meeting, submit your registration to your Den Leader.

### Blue & Gold Banquet and Rank Advancements

The Blue & Gold Banquet will take place on Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup> from 6:00 – 9:00 pm at the Olmsted Falls

Middle School Cafeteria. This banquet is held every year to celebrate the anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America. It's also a chance to applaud the boys who are crossing over from Webelos II to Boy Scouts, as well as to recognize the other boys who have achieved their current ranks. A very special crossover ceremony is held for the Webelos IIs on Banquet night. The other boys will receive their rank badges. There will be a slide show of photos of our boys as well. This is a pack sponsored event and all pack members and their families are invited to attend.

The pack provides a main dish, beverages, and a dessert. All you have to do is bring a dish to share as follows: **Families whose last names start with letters N-Z, please bring a warm side dish (potatoes, vegetables, beans, wings etc.); A-M families, please bring a cold side dish (salads, fruit, veggie tray, jello etc.). Please make sure that you bring a hearty dish, rather than just a bag of chips, so that there is food for all.**

### Open Positions

As you can see from the masthead, we've filled many of our open positions. Thanks to Mike and Sharon Knaggs for agreeing to be Cubmaster & Committee for one more year. Thanks to Seth Tomasch for agreeing to tackle Membership, Training, and Advancements, in addition to leading a

den, running the Pinewood, and serving as an Assistant Cubmaster. Does he realize how many hats he is wearing?? Thanks to Karen Walsh and Mary Shafer for agreeing to co-chair Hospitality.

You may notice that several people are holding more than one position in the Pack. We sure would welcome more parents to become involved with either chairing or co-chairing a committee, serving on the Pack Committee, or just helping out on events. You'll note that we need a Webmaster Trainee. We also need Cubmaster and Committee Chair trainees – Mike and Sharon will be transitioning out of those positions at the May crossover next year

**Please remember that "Akela helps the Pack go," and consider whether YOUR skills and talents could benefit your son and his friends by helping to make OUR Pack go.**

### Day Camp

Summer is just around the corner and it's time to start making plans for your summer vacation. Quarrylands' Day Camp needs **YOU** the week of **June 15-19 at Bonnie Park!** Calling all **Scouts, Parents, Grandparents and Siblings** – we have a place for everyone at Camp. We need five day volunteers, as well as people who are able to spend just a day or two at camp that week. It is an excellent way to spend time with your kids and to feel



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great about doing something special for the community. The theme will be exploring. Watch your mail for sign-up sheets. Again this year, we will sign up as a pack. Contact Sandra Graham with any questions.