



# PACK 102 NEWS - January 2007

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Day Camp Chair - Caroline Arendec 427-9443  
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**TRAINEE NEEDED**  
 Webmaster – Dave Stricklen – 235-1268  
 Pinewood Derby Chair – Seth Tomasch 427-1747  
 Hospitality Chair – Eileen Naughton 236-6230  
 Advancements Chair - **NEEDED**  
 Pack Photographer – Sandra Graham 235-2588  
 Training Chair - **NEEDED**  
 Newsletter – Sharon Knaggs 816-0372

## Pack Meeting and Event Calendar

01/08	7-8:15 pm	Pack Meeting/Pie Eating Contest	OFMS Cafetorium
01/19	6-8 pm	Pinewood Derby set up and weigh-in	OFMS Cafetorium
01/20	9am-1pm	Pinewood Derby	OFMS Cafetorium
02/12	6-9 pm	Pack Meeting/Blue & Gold Banquet	OFMS Cafetorium
03/12	7-8:15 pm	Pack Meeting/Rank Advancement	OFMS Cafetorium
04/16	7-8:15 pm	Pack Meeting/Theater Skills	OFMS Cafetorium
05/21	7-8:15 pm	Pack Meeting/Crossover	Harding Memorial Covered Bridge

### Pinewood Derby Weigh-In

The **MANDATORY** Weigh-in is Friday, January 19<sup>th</sup> at the Olmsted Falls Middle School cafeteria from 6:00-8:00 p.m. You may have to adjust the weight of your car, so please arrive no later than 7:45 p.m. Please note that cars will be impounded after the weigh-in. **If you don't weigh-in on Friday, you MAY NOT race on Saturday.**

### Pinewood Derby Adults' and Siblings' Race

We will have an unlimited class adults' race on the night of setup; siblings are welcome to participate. There is a \$5.00 registration fee. The Pack will keep 50% of the entrance fees, and the top three winners will split the other 50% as follows: 1<sup>st</sup> place – 25%, 2<sup>nd</sup> place =15%, and 3<sup>rd</sup> place – 10%. Sign up tonight or contact Seth Tomasch if interested. You may purchase a car from him for \$4.00. Adult Race entrants must use BSA wheels and axles. The car must not exceed 7" in length or 5 oz in weight, be able to race on the track, and have "102" somewhere on it. **ALL MODIFICATIONS TO BODY, WHEELS, and AXLES ARE LEGAL!**

### Pinewood Derby

The race is on Saturday, January 21 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Olmsted Falls Middle School cafeteria. Judging for the most awesome cars will begin at 9:15 a.m., and the race

will begin at 9:30 a.m. Awards will be handed out immediately following the race. **GOOD LUCK!**

### Help Wanted

Please sign up tonight to help at the Pinewood Derby and at the Blue & Gold Dinner. Thanks!

### Santa's Secret Shop

A great big Pack 102 thank you to everyone involved in Santa's Secret Shop. We appreciate the businesses who donated raffle prizes; the Olmsted Falls Key Club members, Boy Scouts, Webelos, siblings and parents who served as elves; all the parents who helped man the raffle table, snack bar, gift table, and front table; Santa Claus; Rudolph; our wonderful story teller; and everyone else, including the shoppers, who made this event successful once again!

### January Pack Meeting

The annual pie-eating contest will occur at our January Pack Meeting. Awards will be given for the fastest eaters for Tigers, Wolves, Bears, and Webelos. A boy may wear a plastic bag with a hole for his head to go through to protect his Scout uniform. Please alert your Den Leader if your son is allergic to chocolate or vanilla.

### Welcome

Brad Vandrasiak will be stepping in as Assistant Webelos I Den Leader. He will be replacing David Kaschak, who

has left the pack. We wish both gentlemen the best of luck.

### Upcoming District & Council Events

See [www.gcoba.org](http://www.gcoba.org) for details.

- CUB SCOUT FREEZEOUT – 2/3
- TRAILBLAZER ADVENTURE DAY AT BEAUMONT – 4/28
- SCOUTING 360 – 5/4-6

### Blue & Gold Banquet

The Blue & Gold Banquet will take place on Monday, Feb. 12th 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. A very special crossover ceremony is held for them on Banquet night. There will be entertainment at well. This is a pack sponsored event and all pack members and their families are invited to attend. The pack provides pizza, pasta, antipasto salad and 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.).**