PACK 102 NEWS - October 2007

Cubmaster – Mike Knaggs, 440-816-0372

Assistant Cubmasters – Sam Arendec, Sandra Graham. Seth Tomasch
Treasurer – Ann Stricklen 235-1268
Tiger Leaders – Cynthia Tomasch 427-1747, Karen Walsh 427-0103, Sam Lofton 243-6755, John Campbell 427-0828, Stacia Kiss 377-0299, Edward Gray 235-7339
Wolf Leaders –Joe Bertrand 235-2474, Brian Bush 427-0148, Mike & Sharon Knaggs 816-0372
Bear Leaders – Seth Tomasch 427-1747, Wendy Broski 235-3632
Webelos I Leaders – Debbie Illig 235-3508, Ann Stricklen 235-1268
Webelos II Leaders - Sam Arendec 427-9443, Brad Vandrasik 427-0470

Committee Chairperson – Sharon Knaggs 816-0372
Membership Chair – Darlene Stamper 235-6461, Sam Arendec
Webmaster – Dave Stricklen – 235-1268
Santa's Secret Shop Chairs – Mike & Sharon Knaggs 816-0372
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Hospitality Chair – Eileen Naughton 236-6230
Crafts Chairs – Wendy Broski, Cynthia Tomasch
Advancements Chair – Brad Vandrasik 427-0470
Pack Photographer – Sandra Graham 235-2588
Training Chair - **NEEDED**

Pack Meeting and Event Calendar

10/22	6:45-8:15 pm	Pack Meeting & Cake Auction	OFMS Cafetorium
10/27	10 am-2:30 pm	Make a Difference in Olmsted Falls Days – sign up at October meeting	Olmsted Falls & Township
11/10	7 am-?	Cleveland Yard Charge V – sign up at October meeting	Tower City Amphitheater
11/12	7-8:15 pm	Pack Meeting – Boy Scout invitational & Pinewood Derby car distribution	OFMS Cafetorium
11/30	TBA	Set up for Santa's Secret Shop	Falls Lenox
12/01	9am-1pm	Santa's Secret Shop	Falls Lenox Cafeteria
01/14	7-8:15 pm	Pack Meeting/Pie Eating Contest	OFMS Cafetorium
01/25	6-8 pm	Pinewood Derby set up and weigh-in	OFMS Cafetorium
01/26	9am-1pm	Pinewood Derby	OFMS Cafetorium
02/11	6-9 pm	Pack Meeting/Blue & Gold Banquet	OFMS Cafetorium
03/10	7-8:15 pm	Pack Meeting/Rank Advancement	OFMS Cafetorium
04/21	7-8:15 pm	Pack Meeting/Zap the Magician	OFMS Cafetorium
05/19	7-8:15 pm	Pack Meeting/Crossover	Harding Memorial Covered Bridge

Cake Auction

What wonderful cakes! Thanks in advance for supporting Pack 102 by being generous with your son's spending limit. As you know this and Santa's Secret Shop are our major fundraisers; they allow the Pack to provide awards, Pinewood Derby cars, neckerchiefs, books, and food for Pack events including the Blue & Gold. Thank you for your generosity!

Community Service

We have two opportunities to help out our community. Attend one or both service projects!

The Kiwanis Club of Olmsted Falls has asked us to Make a Difference by collecting donated canned goods for Christians in Action on Sat., Oct. 27th. We will meet the Olmsted Community Church at 9:30 a.m., split into teams, and go through our assigned areas collecting donations of canned goods from porches. After we are done, the Kiwanis will treat us to pizza & pop.

If you can't attend, please Make a Difference by putting a bag of nonperishables on your porch that day.

We can also Do a Good Turn for America by participating in the Greater Cleveland Council's Yard Charge V. We will meet in the Olmsted Falls High School parking lot at 7 am on Sat., Nov. 10th and carpool to the Tower City Amphitheater for Dunkin' Donuts and assignments. We will rake leaves for elderly and disabled citizens in Cleveland. All participating scouts will receive a patch and a coupon for a KFC meal.

See flier or call Mike Knaggs for details. Sign up by Oct. 25th.

November Pack Meeting

Boy Scout troops from our area will be giving demonstrations and an overview of their activities, outings, and projects at the November meeting. This will be a chance for the Cub Scouts to get a better understanding of what Boy Scout troops in the area have to offer.

We will also distribute Pinewood Derby cars, go over Pinewood Derby rules, and give some tips to the boys.

Pack 102 T-Shirts

See Mrs. Knaggs TONIGHT to order your official Pack 102 T-Shirt.

Webelos Readyman

Readyman will take place on Sat., Nov. 17, 9 am – 3 pm at the OFMS. See your Webelos leader for details.

2006-2007 Officers

A hearty Pack 102 thank you to all the parents who responded to our plea for new leaders and committee members. They are as follows: John Campbell, Edward Gray, Stacia Kiss, Sam Lofton, Cynthia Tomasch, and Karen Walsh, (Tiger Leaders); Debbie Illig (Webelos I Leader); Wendy Broski and Cynthia Tomasch (Craft Chairs); Deborah Stamper (Membership Chair); and Brad Vandrasik (Advancements Chair).

We are still looking for a Training Chair. Get involved! Contact Mike Knaggs for more information.

Voluntary Recall - Cub Scout Immediate Recognition Kit

Cub Scout Immediate Recognition Kits (totem beads) may contain excessive levels of lead. Although no injuries have been reported, the Boy Scouts of America is voluntarily recalling the kits and has directed all of its Scout Shops and all retailers who sell the product to remove it from their shelves immediately and return it to the manufacturer. Kahoot Products.

The Boy Scouts of America's highest priority is the safety of our youth members and their families. The BSA apologizes for any concern this matter causes parents. We are doing everything we can to ensure the health and safety of all those who participate in our programs.

Until recall details become available, parents should remove the Cub Scout Recognition totem badges from the children's possession and keep them in a safe place where only adults will have access to them. Detailed instructions for returning the product for replacement will be provided when the recall is announced.