



# Pack 100 Press

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## Pinewood Derby

Wow! I must say this was a great Pinewood Derby. Thank you to all of the volunteers for helping it run so smoothly. Great job to all of the scouts for some cool looking cars and congratulations to all of the winners. We also raised about \$150.00 profit from the concession stand. Remember if you placed 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, or won craftsmen you are eligible to go to the District Derby on April 9, 2005 at Mead Junior High School. Make sure to fill out the color form that was handed to you and send it in. You can also pay at the door.

## Cub Scout Camping

If anyone is interested in the camping please contact Bob Runchey 847-517-9003 and let him know the dates you would be available to go.

## Bowling



Don't forget to mark your calendars for the next family outing, Bowling. The date is March 12, 2:00 – 4:00 at the Elk Grove Bowl. If you haven't already please send payment of \$10.00 per person (unlimited bowling and shoe rental) to Tim Van Assche, 990 Aspen Street, Hoffman Estates, IL 60195. Checks payable to Pack 100.

## Cub Scouting 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

In 2005 Cub Scouting marks its 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. The official celebrations will continue throughout December 2005. The 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Cub Scouting provides us with the opportunities to:

- Use anniversary events as a recruiting tool to bring in new scouts.
- Identify former Cub Scouts who can be brought back into the program.
- Increase the awareness of Cub Scouting.

## Flower / Plant Fundraiser



The Flower Fund Raiser has begun. For those of you who are interested in raising money for your son to go camping please contact Chris Menini 847-839-4664 for brochures on the flowers. You have until the end of February to get your orders. Remember the money is due at the time of the order. Flowers will be delivered in May.

## Pack 100 Scrapbook

We are preparing a digital scrapbook DVD for Pack 100 for 2000-2005. Please email any photographs that you would like to share to [Mansoor@infosys-usa.com](mailto:Mansoor@infosys-usa.com). Let Mansoor know if the pictures are too large, he can use ftp to transfer the files.

The DVD will have movies too, if you would like to share your movie clip send Mansoor an email and he can edit your home movie and put it on the DVD. The DVD will be finalized one week after the Blue and Gold event. We currently have 480 pictures to date.

## Blue and Gold Banquet

Don't forget to dress your best for the Annual Blue and Gold Banquet. It is on Feb. 27<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 at The Prairie Rock Brewery. Boys should attend in their full uniform.

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## **Upcoming Events**

### **February, 2005**

27<sup>th</sup> – Blue and Gold Banquet

28<sup>th</sup> – Flower order form and money due to Chris Menini

### **March, 2005**

10<sup>th</sup> – Parent Meeting – Marty Nevel's 7pm

12<sup>th</sup> – Family Activity – Bowling

18<sup>th</sup> – Pack Meeting, 7:30 pm Fairview Gym

### **April, 2005**

14<sup>th</sup> – Parent Meeting – Marty Nevel's, 7pm

16<sup>th</sup> – Family Activity – Batting Cages, TBD

22<sup>nd</sup> – Pack Meeting, 7:30 pm Fairview Gym

than the dads... I think next time we'll have to invite both the cub and talent scouts!

## **Upcoming Council Events**

Scouter Swap Meet – 2/19 and 2/20

District Derby – 4/9

Scout Day at Great America - 5/7

## **What's Up With The Dens!**

### **Wolves:**

The Wolf Den has been busy working towards meeting its requirements and is almost near completion. Their field trip in January was a visit with Mayor Al Larson of Schaumburg and a tour of the municipal center to learn about local government. They got to personally thank the man who was responsible for the fun water fountain outside Oberwiess Dairy.

### **Bears:**

The Bears have been busy working on their Achievements. I would like to congratulate Christian Wilke for earning his Bear Rank. We worked on our centerpiece for the Blue and Gold banquet. We are planning our next two field trips to Uno's pizza and Amcore bank.

### **Webelos I:**

The Webelos scouts have been working on their "fitness" badge. We learned about the benefits of healthy eating and how to take care of our bodies and mind with the right kind of food intake and exercise. We also visited the batting cages at "Around the Horn". We started the night with an hour of basketball followed by smacking around a few "fast pitches". The boys did better