
THE PACK RAG

A NEWSLETTER FOR EDINA CUB SCOUT PACK 168

FEBRUARY 2010

Calendar:

February

- 7th Roundtable, CPC, 7:00
14th Leaders' Meeting, Good Sam, 7:30 p.m.
25th *Blue and Gold Banquet*, CPC, 6:00 p.m.
28th *Polar Cubs Scout Camp*

March

- 4th Roundtable, CPC, 7:00
11th Leaders' Meeting, Good Sam, 7:30 p.m.
25th BINGO night

April

- 1st Roundtable, CPC, 7:00
8th Leaders' Meeting, Good Sam, 7:30 p.m.
22nd *Arrow of Light*, Good Sam, 7:00 p.m.

May

- 6th Roundtable, CPC, 7:00
8th Clean Up Day, Good Sam
13th Leaders' Meeting, Good Sam, 7:30 p.m.
27th *Raingutter Regatta*, Good Sam, 7:00 p.m.

Pinewood Derby



Thank You!

Thanks to Ed Lutgen and Dan Kraft, for organizing and coordinating a great Pinewood Derby held on Race Day.

Thanks also to the many other volunteers for your fine efforts to support Ed, Dan and the Scouts. The race changes provided a truly superior result. I also would like to thank the scouts for their fine behavior. Every den had great cars. Congratulations to each of our Scouts who participated.

The Blue & Gold Banquet

The Cub Scouts of America organization was initially formed began on February 8th, 1910. In celebration of its 100th birthday, the Blue & Gold Banquet will be held during our February Pack meeting at Christ Presbyterian Church (CPC) on **6:00 PM February 25, 2010**. All family members for each scout are invited! In addition to a meal, there will be the "Scout Baked Cake" Auction, Charitable Auction of donated items, Advancements, and skits.

The last day to sign up for this event is Sunday, February 21. If you still wish to attend and have not signed up, please contact Michelle Swanson or Gary Holmquist to give a headcount for your attendees. Checks can be given to us the night of the event.

Scout Baked Cake Silent Auction

All Scouts are asked to **donate a creative cake delight** to be sold to the highest bidding Scout.

Scout Made Cake Bake: Tie on those aprons, boys! It's time to Bake Your Favorite Cake! At the B&G Banquet, Scouts have an opportunity to show off their kitchen skills by baking and decorating a birthday cake for the silent auction.

The Bake Your Favorite Cake rules are simple:

- The cake must be entirely edible.
- The Scout must help in baking and decorating the cake.
- The cake needs to be on a disposable tray or plate. (Hint: Aluminum foil on cardboard works great!)

Express yourself with cake mix, frosting, and your imagination! This can be an individual

Scout activity or a den activity and is entirely optional. Proceeds from the auction are used to help cover the costs of Pack 168's activities. We're always delighted by the creativity we see in these cakes!

How do I bid on my favorite cake or donated item?

A number will be assigned to each item. Each item will have an auction form for names and bid amount.

Charitable Silent Auction

We will once again hold a charitable auction at the B&G Banquet. **Please bring items you or your employer are willing to donate.** You will see professional sports tickets and other prizes!

Polar Cub Scout Camp!!!!!!!!!!

Plan to attend the day-long winter camp outing called Polar Cubs. This is a must attend Pack-wide outing for those of you who enjoy snow-tubing, broomball, obstacle courses, and many other snow activities. We are planning to have this event on February 28. The camp is held at Phillippo Scout Camp near Cannon Falls, MN. Please register with your den leader. We will meet at the Edina City Hall at 7 AM and carpool to the camp that morning.

March Pack Meeting

New this year!! **The March Pack meeting will be BINGO!!!** Come for prizes and family fun! This will be on Thursday, March 25 at Good Sam.

Website

Our Pack has a website you will want to check out:

www.edinapack168.com.

Adult Leadership

The Leadership Roster for Edina Cub Scout Pack 168 of the 2009 – 2009 season is:

Tiger Den 2– Stephan Dunning

Wolf Den 1 – Michael Sebek, Ed Lutgan, Dan Kraft, Jim Castle

Bear Den 4 – Tony Pellegrin

Webelos I – Richard Jensen, John Will, Barb Owens, Doug Seim

Webelos II – Mark Fuller, Jim Wohlford

Cubmaster – Kevin Swanson

Asst. Cubmaster –

Co-Committee Chairs – Caroline Carlin, Karl Winter

Treasurer –Tony Zeuli

Websitemaster – Dan Kraft

Advancements – Jim Castle

Popcorn Colonel – Jennifer Doyle

Scouting for Food – Greg Kuznecoff

Good Samaritan liaison – Caroline Carlin

Blue & Gold Dinner – Gary and Laurie Holmquist, Michelle Swanson

Rocket Day–Tony Zeuli