

# 75th Anniversary of Cub Scouting

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## Action Plan for Den and Pack Leaders

From September 2004 through December 2005, Cub Scouting celebrates its 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary—75 years of doing our best and still having fun! The Cub Scouts, families, and leaders in your dens and pack will want to be a part of this once-in-a-lifetime celebration.

Here are some things you may want to do in the next 16 months:

- ▼ Ensure that all members of your pack, including Tiger Cubs, Cub Scouts, Webelos Scouts, families, and leaders, know about this event.
- ▼ Promote the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary awards by ensuring that all members of your pack, including Tiger Cubs, Cub Scouts, Webelos Scouts, families, and leaders, have copies of the requirements (available in this packet and on the national BSA Web site: [www.scouting.org](http://www.scouting.org)).
- ▼ Plan a celebration commemorating the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Cub Scouting by making the anniversary the theme for your blue and gold banquet.
- ▼ Conduct a service project for your chartered organization or the community. If possible, post a sign telling the public about your project.
- ▼ Find out about typical games of the 1930s and play one or more at pack or den meetings during the year.
- ▼ Have your pack historian (appoint one if you don't have one) start or update your den or pack scrapbook.
- ▼ Look for former leaders in your pack and invite them to a special event, possibly your blue and gold banquet. You might place notices in



your chartered organization's newsletter, local newspapers, and school newsletters and with local radio and television stations asking former leaders to contact someone in your pack. (Be sure to provide contact information—e-mail, phone, or address.)

- ▼ Promote the Cub Scout Outdoor Program Award.
- ▼ Promote day camp and resident camp attendance by your pack and dens.
- ▼ Hold a pack overnight campout. You might play games or make a craft from the 1930s as part of your activities.
- ▼ Check out *Program Helps* for other ideas to celebrate this event. Also watch your council newsletter and/or your council Web site for additional suggestions.