

Pack 109 Scouter

*Potawatomi Council - Glacier Hills District - Pack 109 - Ben Franklin Elementary
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Welcome Back!

Our monthly newsletter has a new look! Welcome new scouts and all veterans. We had a short summer and if you're anything like me, you saw it whiz right by! It's going to be a great year for scouting! We have new leaders, new events scheduled and as always, lots of scout fun!

Remember the rules of our Pack meetings as we enter our new year:

- o No running, horseplay, or screaming in the cafeteria.
- o Only one scout allowed in the bathroom at a time.
- o Parent helpers are needed to watch the doorways during meetings.
- o Please observe silence when leaders are speaking.
- o Giving them your attention shows you care!

If you have information for the newsletter, please contact me.

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Meet & Greet

Say hello to your Pack Cubmaster, Mr. Lyle Friesenhahn (pronounced: freeze-hahn). Every month, we will spotlight one leader from our Pack so you can get to know him or her!

So, Lyle, were you a cub scout yourself?

"I was a cub scout in Lawton, Oklahoma. My favorite memory is when I received a 2nd Best Paint for my pinewood derby car."

What made you want to become a leader?

"I am too old to be a Webelo, so I have to be a leader! Actually, I am a leader for my kids, Alex and Adam. I hope to set a good example for them as they grow up to be leaders in their community."

What is the most rewarding thing about being a leader?

"The most rewarding thing is seeing the smiles on the cub scouts' faces. This is what it is all about!"

What is the biggest challenge about being a leader?

"Finding the time to be the best leader I can be. Not only are our adult leaders leading the pack, but they are mothers, fathers, employees, coaches and they all have to make these things fit into their schedules."

What do you hope the boys gain by being a cub scout?

"As I grew up, a scout was always well respected for their good deeds and projects they completed in the community. I hope that our cubs will gain respect and knowledge while having fun with their fellow cubs and grow up to be the good leaders we all look up to today."



Dates to Remember

*Sept. 21-23
Swamp Fox
(Alternate dates:
Oct. 5-7 &
Oct. 12-14)*

*Sept. 28-29
Devil's Lake
Anniversary
Hike*

*Oct. 3
District
Roundtable
Meeting*

*Oct. 4
Leaders'
Meeting at AMF*

*Oct. 5-22
Popcorn Sales*

*Oct. 16
Pack Meeting
(Harvest Fest)*



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McDonald's Nights

Support the Pack by eating at McDonald's on Silver Spring Drive on our specified nights. A portion of all profits will be given right to our pack. The dates available are this fall: Tuesday, September 18; Tuesday, October 16; and Tuesday, November 13.

Meetings

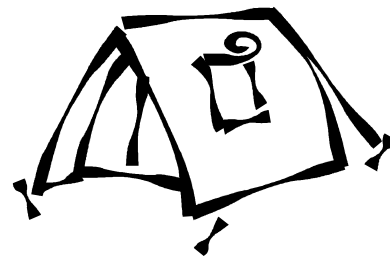
Have a say in what the Pack does! The next **LEADER MEETING** will be held Thursday, October 4 at AMF Lanes on Appleton Avenue. The meeting will begin at 7 p.m. **One leader from each den should attend** and all parents are encouraged to come.

Join in the next **ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION** on Wednesday, October 3 at 7pm. The meeting is held at Maple Avenue School, W240 N6059 Maple Ave., Sussex. Roundtable is full of program ideas, training opportunities, up-to-date information and much more!

Camping Corner (Coordinator: Sadhna Jain)

SWAMP FOX

Pack 109 has reserved Sept. 21-23 for Swamp Fox at Camp Long Lake. If you have not signed up, but still want to go, space is still available for the October 5-7 and October 12-14 sessions. Sign up soon, spaces fill quickly! Cost is \$60 Cub and Parent; \$20 each additional youth or parent; \$50 single cub scout attending with other family.



CREEP-O-REE

November 2-4, Camp Long Lake. Calling all actors, directors, producers...It's Saturday Night at the Movies and Halloween all rolled into one! Cost is \$14 each before October 12 or \$16.50 each after October 12. Cost includes a meal on Saturday night. Registration is open to 400 participants, so register today!

RIVER RATS

Sign up for the 2008 River Rats campout is now! We will either be camping as a pack on May 16-18 or June 6-8. Dates are not yet confirmed, but registration is necessary. Please tell your leader now if you're interested. Registration forms will be out soon.

CUB-O-REE

This one-day adventure will be held on January 12, 2008 at Sussex Hamilton High School. Details are to come, but registration begins soon! See your leader for information.

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Show your pride!

Wear your uniform to school on Pack meeting days – every third Tuesday of the month. You can show your Cub Scout pride and perhaps inspire someone else to become a cub scout. (Please check with your principal if you attend a parochial school.)



Scout Events (Coordinator: Jim Miller)

24th Annual Salute To Scouts with the Milwaukee Bucks! Saturday, November 3 vs. Chicago Bulls at 7:30pm at the Bradley Center. Or Wednesday, November 21 vs. the Los Angeles Lakers at 7pm at the Bradley Center. Tickets are \$16 and \$13 each for scouts and their family members. All scouts receive a 24th Annual Commemorative Scout Patch for attending. Checks payable to Pack 109 can be given to Events Coordinator Jim Miller by October 16.

Chair Positions Available

The following volunteer positions are available with Pack 109:

- Pinewood Derby Coordinator
- Advancement Chair
- Scouting for Food Coordinator

If anyone is interested in giving back to the pack with a little time and organization, please see Cubmaster Lyle Friesenhahn for more information about these positions.

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