



Pack 85 Newsletter

September 2011

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Join us for Obstacle course and info night Tuesday, September 20, 2011 6:30 p.m. – Prairie Gym

A new school year means new Scouting fun! Pack 85 will kick-off the 2011-12 Scouting Season on **Tuesday, September 20, at 6:30 p.m. in Prairie's gym.** While our Scouts, their school-age siblings and YOU – our VIPS (Very Important Potential Scouts) experience the excitement of our obstacle course, parents and guardians will also have a chance to find out more about what the Pack has planned for the year ahead, particularly our Popcorn

Fundraiser which starts Friday, September 23rd.

This is a great opportunity to get to know Pack members and their families and to get information on upcoming events and activities. We hope to see lots of new faces this September, so if you or any of your friends from our area might enjoy scouting – including students attending private, parochial or home school – please be sure you join us on the 20th!

Or ... come see us in October!

If you can't make the September meeting, you are welcome to join us at IMR Safe Halloween in Oconomowoc. To add to the fun this year, the boys will start the afternoon with some outdoor cooking activities before taking part in an evening of Halloween themed fun and games. It will be a great opportunity to learn more about the Pack while your family takes part in some great fall fun! *Watch the October Newsletter for more information about this exciting fall Packet.*

PACK 85 HAS AN UPGRADED WEBSITE !!!

Do you ever wish information could be easily found? We have worked all summer to make our website filled with more than you could expect.

There are several areas including a calendar, forms, Contact info and more. Don't feel obligated to wait for a newsletter, jump online and be ahead of the PACK !!!

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Upcoming Deadlines in the Pack 85 Schedule:



September

- 15 **Market day Helpers -**
(Den 5) 5-6 p.m. in prairie gym.
- 20 **Pack Meeting –** Obstacle course /
Info. Night
6:30 p.m. Prairie Gym.
- 20 **Registration Fees (\$35)** due at Pack
Meeting. (Health forms are also due)
(Sign up for River Rats 2012)
(\$\$Cub Scout safe Halloween Due)
- 23 **Popcorn Pick-up** (4-7 p.m.) at Prairie.

October

- 7th - 9th **Swamp Fox** Camp Long Lake
- 13 **Market Day Helpers (Den 10)**
5-6 p.m. at Prairie Gym
- 15 **Pack Meeting - IMR Safe
Halloween - 5p**
- 14 **Popcorn orders and \$ due** 12-8p
- 15 **Popcorn orders and \$ due** 12-5p
- 16 **Popcorn orders and \$ due** 12-5p
At B&K Mennenoh's house
- 17 **Deadline for River Rats sign-up and
payment** (May 4-6): Cost is \$80 per
Scout/parent pair. Registration and full
payment due at Oct. 15th. *Sign-up flyer
at end of newsletter.*

If you have questions or are interested in joining Pack 85, please contact:

Cubmaster:
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Committee Chair:
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Email the webmaster:
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What: 2011 CUB SCOUT SAFE HALLOWEEN - An event for all Cub Scouts, Webelos, and their families! Traditional Halloween fun in a safe, wholesome atmosphere!

When: Saturday, October 15 - Pack 85 will meet from 5-8 p.m.
The event is open from 1-9 p.m. if you need to attend at another time.

Where: Indian Mound Scout Reservation, Oconomowoc, WI

Cost:

- Pack 85 will cover the cost for each Scout and one parent/guardian. The cost will be \$2 per Scout and \$2 for one accompanying adult. If you are a family with 2 Scouts, you will get a discount for two adults.
- The cost for additional adult and youth attendees is \$7 per person.
- Children under 5 years of age are FREE.

Activities Include: Hayrides, haunted house, games and a luminary trail. Pumpkin and gourd decorating are available at an additional cost.

- Food will be available for purchase in the dining hall at mealtime.
- The Trading Post will be open and have treats including popcorn and hot cider.
- Pumpkins can be pre-ordered for \$3.50.
- A special Patch is available for \$2.00 while supplies last.
- Everyone should come dressed in costume.
- Parents and family members are invited to participate too!
- Adults must accompany all Cub Scouts, Webelos, and youth family members. No children will be allowed to participate who are not supervised by a parent, guardian, or enough adult leadership at the ratio of five youth to one adult.

Cub Scout Safe Halloween Reservation

Saturday, October 15, 2011 (5-8 p.m.)

Scout Name: _____ Parent/Guardian Name: _____

_____ # of Scouts x \$2.00 = _____

_____ # of Leader/Parent x \$2.00 = _____

_____ # of Leader/Parent x \$7.00 = _____

_____ # of Siblings x \$7.00 = _____

_____ # of Children under 5 yrs. old = FREE

_____ # of Pumpkins x \$3.50 = _____

_____ # of Patches x \$2.00 = _____

Total = _____

Please indicate your intentions:

We will attend with the Pack from 5-8 p.m.: _____

We will attend at an alternate time: _____

Payment:

Please remove \$ _____ from my son's Scout Account to cover the cost of this activity.

I am paying with check # _____ in the amount of \$ _____.

Please make checks out to Pack 85.