

- **March 1st 5:45PM Blue & Gold Banquet**
- **March 6th Northern Lights District Pinewood Derby**
- **March 7th Parent Meeting 7PM MGCC**
- **March 14th Scout Ski Day at Trollhaugen**
- **March 15th Pack Meeting 7PM Cake Bake**
- **April 23rd Scout Late Night 7-11PM MGJH**

Pack 484



Parent's Meeting

Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend these meetings. Please join us at the MGCC for our next meeting March 7th at 7PM.

The February meeting had an outstanding attendance and much was accomplished. The attendees were: Rick Wiethorn, Thalia Camp, Colleen Fisher, MaryLynn KenKnight, Jim Casey, Bob Hughes, Terri Hendrickson, Bill Scheig and Jack Baumer.

Upcoming Training

Cub Scout Roundtable will be held on Thursday, March 4th at 7:30 at the Brooklyn Park LDS Church at 86th and Noble.

Roundtables are held the first Thursday of each month at 7:30PM at this same location.

Cub Scout Leader Training will be on Saturday, April 3rd, 8:15AM to 1:30PM. It is held at Park Center HS. The cost is \$15, which the pack will pay. Partial position specific sessions are \$3.

Youth Protection Training will be on April 20th, TBA. This course is free. This course is STRONGLY encouraged for all leaders every 2 years.

Pinewood Derby

The Northern Lights District Pinewood Derby will be held March 6th at the Brookdale Mall. The first place winner from each level is eligible to race. Registration times are: Tigers 12:15-12:30, Wolf 1:00-1:15, Bears 1:45-2:00, Webelos I 2:30-2:45, Webelos II 3:15-3:30. There is a \$2.00 entry fee.

We had 50 scouts participating in our pack race. There were lots of great cars. See them on display in the case near the east entrance of WLE.

Nate Haines is our Pack Champ, congratulations Nate!!!!

Winners from each level (first, second, third) are:

TIGERS Ethan Hendricks, Branden Baumer, Cody Grierson. Most admired Ryan Spindler.

WOLF Nate Haines, Hunter Knoll, Elliot Britt. Most admired Jonathon Meyers.

BEAR Justin White, Harrison Smith, Dane Johnston. Most admired Trevor Bunce.

WEBELOS I Erik Hagfors, Abraham Humnick, Kirk Youngdahl. Most admired Nick Wilcox.

WEBELOS II David Burlet, Luke Lysdahl, Taren McCullough. Most admired Alec Wilson.

Blue & Gold Banquet

The Blue & Gold Banquet is tonight!! Our theme is BIRDS OF PREY.

Following the dinner, catered by the Lookout restaurant, there will be entertainment provided by a 3 Rivers Park Naturalist on Birds of Prey, specifically hawks. There will be 2 live birds.

Friends of Scouting will make a presentation during the Blue & Gold. They will be soliciting donations. Packs with 100% participation are eligible for a special Viking Council shoulder patch.

We welcome to our dinner this evening our WLE PST president Kim Miner, Mr. & Mrs. Nelson (WLE principal), FOS, and Boys Scouts.



Next Pack Meeting

Our next pack meeting will be on March 15th, 7PM. We will be having our annual Mary Student Memorial Cake Bake. Scouts are encouraged to participate by making and decorating a cake of their own creation. All decorative items must be edible. As an entrance fee, the Pack collects either \$5 or food donations, both of which are given to the C.R.O.S.S. food shelf.

Scout Ski Days

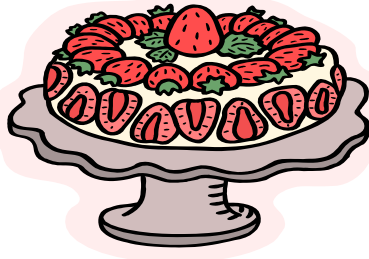
The Pack date for skiing will be Sunday, March 14th at Trollhaugen. Cost will be \$13 for lift, \$12 for rental and \$25 for snowboard. There are FREE beginner lessons for kids > 10 years old. Jim Casey will be organizing and collecting fees for this event. (494-9629) jcasey@electricmachinery.com

There are other dates available to receive the Scout pricing at Trollhaugen, Wild Mountain and Hyland. Please check our Pack web site for the details.



Pack Activities

The remaining assignments for Pack Activities are:
Late Night April 23 MGJH- Den 10
Cake Bake Mon. 3/15 - Den 7
Park Clean up Sat. May 8 - Den 4
Annual Picnic Mon. May 24 – Den 9.



Open Pack Positions

There is an opening for the coordinator of our Pack's participation in the Maple Grove Days parade in July. If interested contact Rick Wiethorn. (416-6070). richardw@fapw-cpa.com

Filled Pack Positions

Please welcome and give a huge thank you to Bob Hughes, who has accepted the position of Committee Chair. **THANK YOU BOB!!!**

Other positions that have been filled are:

- Treasurer Jack Baumer
- Blue & Gold Chair 2005 Thalia Camp
- Day Camp Coordinator Ann White
- Assistant Cubmaster Bill Scheig

We appreciate all the parent volunteers who have committed to making our Cub Scout Pack an enjoyable, educational and fun experience for our scouts.



Pack Web Site

Our Pack 484 web site is a great way to view past newsletters, access some great links like the Viking Council web site and the National BSA web site. Check it out!!!

<http://pack484scouts.tripod.com/>

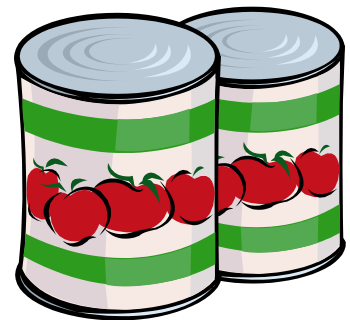
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Committee Chair, Bob Hughes
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Cross Food Shelf

Scouts are encouraged to bring non-perishable food and personal hygiene items to Pack meetings each month. Items especially needed are: Juice, SpagettiOs, ravioli, dry cereal, condiments (such as olives), sweet potatoes, gravy, instant mashed potatoes, Jell-O, pudding, stuffing, tomato products, baking supplies (flour, brown sugar, frosting mixes), canned chili, soap bars and facial tissues. C.R.O.S.S. would also like to receive empty, one dozen egg cartons.

