

Beaver Tales

January 2011

Colony Themes

From now on, the Colony meetings will follow themes that span a number of weeks. Except for scheduling constraints, meetings should reflect the themes at hand.

In January, the theme is "Community" when the Colony will meet with other organization in our Community. In February, we are planning to transition to "Home and Safety".

Cub Pack Link Up

On Thursday, January 13th, the whole Colony will visit the Cub Pack at Century Public School, from 7PM to 8:30PM. The format of the meeting is a camp fire, where Beavers and Cubs will share skits, songs and merry times. This is a great opportunity for new Beavers to see what cubs are all about.

This meeting is in addition to our regularly scheduled meeting on Monday, January 10th. Beavers are welcomed to attend one or both meetings during this week. Century Public School is located at 8 Redpine Drive.

Visit at Fire Station

On January 17th, the Colony will visit Fire Station 24, from 6:30 PM to 7:30 PM. The Fire Station is located at 230 Viewmount Drive. Beavers should be dropped off and picked up at the Fire Station.

With the number of members in the Colony, we can not accommodate parents and siblings during this visit.

Cooking Evening

On Monday, January 31st, the Colony will visit the Loblaws at College Square for an evening of cooking. Last year, this was a really successful evening. The cost per Beaver is \$9, payable at the time of drop off, at 6:30PM. Parents can stick around or take the opportunity to write off the grocery list. Beavers will be ready for pick up at 7:30PM.

The activity will not include nuts. However, Loblaw's can not guarantee a nut-free environment. There are no allergies reported other than nuts within the Colony's Beavers. However, if you are concerned about a particular allergy or intolerance, please contact us.

Skating Night

The Colony will go out for an evening of skating during the meeting on Monday, February 7th.

The Colony will meet at the outdoor rink at 76 Inverness Ave. (Inverness Park), from 6:30PM to 7:30PM.

Beavers should dress according to weather. Skates are optional. Helmets are favoured, but optional. We realize some Beavers are new to skating. This is an evening of outdoor fun where parents and siblings are welcomed to stay.

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