

Pack Alert

October 2013



Summary

We have grown the ranks of the Pack, this year, with 36 registered Cubs. Last month, we covered the Pack's Code of Conduct and earned our gardener badge by planting tulips in the flower beds of Century Public School. Also, we prepared for our Fall Camp, which was a success.

During the camp, we had the chance of canoeing, learning to use a compass, learning our knots and we went on a hike. Besides the great food and wonderful camp fire, the Cubs played many games of "burning bridges" and "capture the flag".

Finally, we just participated to Apple Day, where 21 Cubs came to raise funds for our activities. Although some are shy at first, most quickly become comfortable to meet our community and ask for their help. It was a success.

Baloo's Urban Quest

On Saturday, October 26th, the Pack will participate in Baloo's Urban Quest, an event organized by the Area team. The quest is a 5-hour walking adventure through the city which includes an hour long tour of "Aboriginal Experiences" on Victoria Island.

The cost is \$12 per Cub and includes a crest. Registration takes place between 9:30AM and 10:00AM, in the cafeteria of the Ottawa Technical High School, located at 440 Albert Street. This is the same location as last year's Kub Kar race.

Cubs should be wearing their full uniform, including necker and woggle. Things to bring: a bag lunch and snacks for the road (no nuts, please); comfortable shoes; and a Cub Book, if you have one.

Please, let JP Fiset know if you are planning to come.

Halloween

This year, Halloween falls on a Thursday, which is our regular meeting night. Therefore, we will move the meeting to Monday, October 28th. Instead of meeting at our regular venue, the Pack will join their Beaver and Scout cousins, at City View United Church.

The meeting will take place from 7PM to 8PM. Note that this is only an hour long. Cubs are encouraged to wear their Halloween costume for the occasion.

Investiture

On October 24th, the Pack will invest our newest members, the Tenderpads that have joined us in September. The Tenderpads are working hard to learn their ways around the Pack, including their promise, law and motto.

Parents of Tenderpads are invited to stay for this special event. Bring your camera.

Popcorn

Forms for our Popcorn fundraiser are due back at our regular meeting on October 24th. Please, return filled forms by then. Thanks for your help in raising funds for our program.

Fall Hike

The Pack will go out for a fall hike, on Saturday, November 16th. Please, mark you calendar. More information to come.

Sixers and Seconders Leadership Course

On Sunday, November 24th, the Sixers and Seconders of our Pack are invited for a leadership course. Please, mark your calendar and reserve this date.

Volunteers

We are still looking for two parent volunteers. One to become Group registrar. Another to represent the parents of the Pack during Group Committee meetings. Please, consider volunteering.

Important Dates

Here are some dates of upcoming events:

- Apple Day: Oct 12th
- Baloo's Urban Quest: Saturday, Oct 26th
- Sixers and Seconders Workshop: Sunday, Nov 24th

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