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HELP WANTED!

There are several positions that need to be filled in order to make our year a success.

We need **Party Planners, Helpers** and monthly meeting **Attendants**.

For more details, see Beverly Wilgor before or after pack meetings or call 323-1455.

WELCOME BACK CUB SCOUTS!

I hope you enjoyed the summer break. As you get settled in to your new school year, there are several exciting events on the horizon.

BOY TALK: Scout recruiting night is scheduled on September 14 at 6:00 p.m. in Carrabine Hall. This is a great opportunity to find out more about scouting. If you have a friend or neighbor that's interested in joining our pack, please pass along the meeting time.

ROCKET LAUNCH: At the Pack Meeting on September 16 (Rain date: Sept. 30) after 10:30 AM mass. Rocket kits will be distributed to scouts via St. Jude School. If your scout doesn't attend St. Jude School, then contact your Den Leader and make arrangements to

pick up your scout's rocket kit.

POPCORN SALE (TBA): A special meeting will be held to kick off this years Popcorn fund-raiser. It is important for all scouts and one parent to attend this meeting. Trail's End has added a new feature-the Show-and-Sell. This promises to simplify the popcorn sales process. Plus, may great prizes for scouts to receive.

Please remember that ALL of our funding for the year is based on the success of the Popcorn and Pie sales. In order to continue to allow scouts to participate for FREE, it's important that our group sales goal is met.

SUMMER SUMMARY

It was a rainy Saturday morning as the cub scouts of Den 1 helped the VFW plant flags at Ridgelawn cemetery. The task only took one-hour but the cub scouts enjoyed the adventure of hunting for veterans grave sites.

Summer officially kicked off with the annual Memorial Day Parade through downtown Elyria. It was a beautiful day and our pack tossed 15 pounds of candy to the crowd that lined the parade route.

It was another beautiful, sunny day for washing cars in June. A BIG THANKS to all cub scouts and their parents and siblings who help out washing and drying cars. After expenses, we cleaned up with almost \$96 that will be used to buy rocket kits and engines.



Nick Pagenstecker (holding frog) catches one of the many frogs that live in the water around "Frog Island" to the delight of his fellow scouts.

On the last Saturday in June, 10 cub scouts and their families made camp on "Frog Island" at the Fathers of St. Joseph retreat in Avon. A fun day of games and activities ended with songs and smores around the bonfire. Every-

one was serenaded to sleep by the resident frogs. The following morning, several nocturnal singers were captured and released during the "leave-no-trace" clean-up.

LEADER TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES!

Mark your calendar and plan to attend the "New Leader Essentials" and "Cub Scout Leader Position Specific" in October. This training is for all Den Leaders and Assistant Den Leaders. This is a great opportunity to meet other new leaders and gain wisdom from seasoned veterans. Compile a list of questions and prepare to have them all answered. Contact Bill Kirkpatrick or Beverly Wilgor for registration information.

Also, parents interested in helping with re-charting or group, a FREE training session is available! Registration is required. Contact Bill or Beverly.

ROCKET KIT DISTRIBUTION

Rocket kits for the Rocket Launch at the Pack Meeting on Sept. 16 will be sent home with scouts who attend St. Jude School. All others will be given to Den Leaders for distribution. Contact your Den Leader to make pick-up arrangements.

LOOKING AHEAD

IMPORTANT DATES/NOTES:

AUG. 17-18-19

East Harbor Family Camp out

AUG. 26

Mens Club Pancake Breakfast in Carribine Hall. Scouts needed to clean-up and wait tables. Wear Class "B" uniforms.

AUG. 30

Rocket kits will be sent home with scouts via St. Jude School.

SEPT. 2

Parish Festival: Scouts needed at Raingutter Regatta Booth. Run races, hand out prizes.

SEPT. 14

Boy Talk: Scout recruiting night. 6 PM in Carribine hall.

SEPT. 16

Scout Mass 10:30 AM. Pack meeting to follow in Carribine Hall. Bring completed Rocket to Launch!

TBA

POPCORN BLITZ. Let's get a jump on Popcorn fund-raiser. Meeting at St. Jude for instructions. Scouts will canvas neighborhood around St. Jude following meeting.

OCT. 20

Leader Training Opportunity. Session meets from 8:30 AM-3:30 PM in St. Jude Family Center. Registration required.

OCT. 21

Scout Mass 10:30 AM. Pack meeting to follow in Carribine Hall. Bring completed Boat for Raingutter Regatta Race!

AUGUST 2007

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17 EAST HARBOR CAMP OUT 3 PM Meet at St. Jude parking lot.	18 EAST HARBOR CAMP OUT	19 EAST HARBOR CAMP OUT 1 PM CHECKOUT
20	21	22	23 FIRST DAY OF SCHOOL AT ST. JUDE	24	25	26 MENS CLUB PAN- CAKE BREAKFAST SCOUTS needed to help wait tables
27	28	29	30 ROCKET KITS sent home with scouts via school	31		

SEPTEMBER 2007

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
					1	2 PARISH FESTIVAL SCOUTS needed run Raingutter Regatta Booth
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11 DEN 5 MEETING	12 ROUNDTABLE MEETING	13	14 BOY TALK 6 PM Carribine Hall: Scout recruiting night	15	16 PACK MEETING After 10:30 Mass Rocket Launch!
17	18	19	20	21 DEN 5 MEETING	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29 DEN 5 GO-SEE-IT	30

OCTOBER 2007

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
1	2	3	4	5 DEN 5 MEETING	6	7
8	9	10 ROUNDTABLE MEETING	11	12	13 POPCORN SALE NOON-4PM at DrugMart	14 POPCORN SALE NOON-4PM at DrugMart
15	16 DEN 5 MEETING	17 LEADER TRAIING 6:30-9 PM Lorain County JVS	18	19	20 LEADER TRAIING 8:30-3:30 St. Jude Family Center	21 PACK MEETING After 10:30 Mass Raingutter Re- gatta/POPCORN
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