



JANUARY 2024

THE SCOUT SCOOP

Newsletter of Cub Pack 652
St. Basil the Great, Brecksville, Ohio

Caroling at The Oakes of Brecksville

On the Wednesday prior to Christmas, approximately 20 Cub Scouts visited The Oakes at Brecksville to sing Christmas carols, engaging in a wonderful community outreach activity. To add to the excitement, we had several Scouts join us from Troops 652 and G652.

Bringing joy to those who are often confined to their room is a great example of being CHEERFUL and FRIENDLY, two attributes from our Scout Law.

We sang to residents in the dining hall and also sang from the corridors to those in their rooms. Many residents sang along and there were lots of smiles.

Annual Pack Dues

Please be reminded that annual Pack dues are due. If you have not yet paid, please visit Scoutbook at your earliest convenience. Dues indicated include any applicable credit gained from your Scout's popcorn sales this fall.

Questions? Email
cubpack652@gmail.com



Pack Events

Pack Bowling Event

Sunday, January 13, 2024
3:00 PM - 4:30 PM
Spins Bowl, Independence
\$25/person - pay at event

Please RSVP via [this link](#).

Pack 652 Committee Mtg

Sunday, January 21, 2024
6:30 - 8:00 PM
Panera, Brecksville
(all parents welcome)

Pack Meeting

Wed., January 24, 2024
6:00 - 7:00 PM
St. Basil Parish Center

DATE CHANGE

Spring Pack Campout

(cabin camping for all dens)
is now
April 5-7, 2024
Camp Butler, Peninsula



Volunteers Needed

Cub Scouts and Pack 652 would not be possible without the time and dedication of its volunteers. To be successful we need volunteers with a variety of skills, interests and time.

Please consider signing up for one of these positions by completing the sign-up sheet at the January Pack Meeting or sending email to cubpack652@gmail.com.

Open positions:

Pinewood Derby Volunteers (2-4 hours on March 9th) - includes: set-up crew, clean up crew, time keeper, records keeper, pit crew

Fundraising Chair - oversees popcorn sales, advertising and other fundraising opportunities; leads other fundraising volunteers.

Advertising Coordinator (under Fundraising) - procuring newsletter advertisements

Popcorn Kernel (under Fundraising) - leads communication and books store front sales dates & space

Recruitment Coordinator - coordinates recruitment efforts and communication to potential, new and existing families.

A Scout is... TRUSTWORTHY.

This is the first point in the Scout Law. Being trustworthy means telling the truth and keeping your promises. People should be able to depend on you and know that you will do what you say you will.

A Scout is trustworthy not because he/she is forced to be that way, but because they choose to be. A Scout's honor leads to his/her trustworthiness and is a key part of being an outstanding friend, student, and community member.

Den Meetings

Lions

Wed., Jan 10
Wed., Feb 14

Tigers

Sun., Jan. 28
Sun., Feb., 11 & 25

Wolves

Wed., Jan. 10 & 17
Wed., Feb. 7 & 21

Bears

Wed., Jan. 10 & 17
Wed., Feb. 7 & 21

Webelos

Wed., Jan. 10 & 17
Wed., Feb. 7 & 21

Arrows of Light

Sun., Jan. 21
Sun., Feb 4



Photo Releases



We would love to include your Scout's photo in our future newsletters. Before doing so, we do need to have a signed photo release on file. Please be sure to grab a release form at the next pack meeting.