

Welcome to Cub Scout Pack #1855

Peter Amuso, Cubmaster

Gloria Di Lullo, Committee Chair

Joseph Leiss, District Executive / Northern District, Cradle of Liberty Council

1. Flag Ceremony Scout Prayer, Pledge of Allegiance, Scout Oath/Law.

2. Pack 1855 Dens and Den Leaders:

Grade 1= Tiger (Tom Devlin) Grade 2 = Wolf (Beth Hagovsky) Grade 3 = Bear (Kyle Morano)

Grade 4 = Webelos 1 (Liam Strain) Grade 5 = Arrow of Light (Peter Amuso)

3. **Important Dates:** We have a lot of great things planned for our second full year of scouting. Tentative List on next page.

Pack Meeting: October 4: Registration fee, Parent survey and Medical forms due.

FALL FEST November 4th- New Scouts go free!

4. **REGISTRATION:** Online applications at BeAScout.org or <https://my.bsa.us/525paa1855mb>

Must register by October 2nd in order for your son to receive his Scout handbook and be able to join us as Fall Fest. New Scouts get to go to Fall Fest for free!

5. **COSTS: Registration fee \$100** Includes Pack dues, the \$35 Council registration fee, the cost of Class B t-shirt, den/Pack #s, awards and handbook -which we will provide. Some activities may have fees, but also have free activities. Uniform cost is not included in Registration fee.

-Year Subscription to Boys Life Magazine- Additional \$12 (highly recommended!)

-Make Checks payable to "OMC CUB SCOUTS"

-There will be some opportunities for fundraising to help offset costs of activities.

-There is financial assistance available to families who may need it so that their sons can participate in Scouts. We will find a way to help you.

6. **UNIFORM** requirements. (<http://www.scoutstuff.org/>)

-Blue Shirt (\$25)- Comes with the following patches: purple "universal" symbol of international Scouting (fleur-de-leis in a circle), the American flag, as well as the Cradle of Liberty Council patch on left sleeve. *Pack numerals 1855 and den number will be given to you by the Pack.*

--Belt (approx. \$17)--Several Scout badges are belt loops, not just patches for shirt.

- Neckerchief and slide (\$16), Hat (\$15- *optional*), These change each year with the den.

- VF Scout Shop Special Offer: when you purchase a complete Cub Scout uniform between now and October 31, you'll save 25% on a pair of Cub Scout Switchbacks™ pants. These pants are optional. You can also purchase "Scout like" pants at Target, Old Navy, Children's Place.

Valley Forge Scout Shop

1485 Valley Forge Road

Wayne, PA 19087

(610) 989-9626

Mon, Wed, Thur, Fri 9:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Tue 9:00 a.m.-7:30 p.m.

Sat 9:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m.

Sun Closed

5. **MEETINGS: 1st Pack meeting will be on Wednesday, October 4th 7pm**

-Den meetings will be based on Den Leader preference/availability. Dens will meet weekly unless we have our Pack meeting that week; in which case will not have a den meeting that week.

-Pack meetings will be monthly on *first Wednesday of each month 7pm Parish Hall.*

-Wolves(grade 2) will meet on Wednesdays 6:30, Bears (grade 3) -Wed. 7pm,

Webelos (grade 4)- Sundays. Arrow of Light (grade 5)- Varies, Some Wed 7pm.

-Tigers (grade 1) Wednesdays 6:30, but not be every week

IMPORTANT DATES

9/20: New Scout/Parent Orientation meeting

9/29-10/1 Arrow of Light & Webelos Dens Camp Weekend at Musser

10/4 October Pack Meeting 7pm- Registration fee, Medical and survey forms due.

11/1: Pack Meeting- School Music Room 7pm

11/4 Fall Fest at Musser 8am-4:30pm (just day, not overnight)

11/11 Scouting for Food Bag Delivery

11/18 Scouting for Food Pick-up

12/6 December Pack Meeting 7pm

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1/3 January Pack Meeting 7pm

2/4 Scout Sunday- 9am Mass or all Masses?

2/7 February Pack Meeting 7pm

2/23-24 Pinewood Derby: set-up/weigh-in 6-8 pm on 2/23; Race 2/24 9-1pm

3/10 Valley Forge Pilgrimage Day for Scouts

3/14 March Pack Meeting 7pm

4/4 April Pack Meeting 7pm

4/6-4/8 Pack Camping Trip at Musser

4/21- Archdiocesan Religious Emblems Mass at Cathedral (*tentative*)

5/2 May Pack Meeting 7pm

5/5-5/6 Sell Camp Cards after all Masses, 9am Mass Religious Knots awarded

5/28 Memorial Day Parade- Wyndmoor

6/6 June Pack Meeting 7pm

6/10 Blue & Gold Banquet 1:30pm Parish Hall

No Den Meetings on: 11/22, 12/20, 12/27, 4/25, 6/13

Any questions, please contact: Gloria Di Lullo, Pack Committee Chair
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