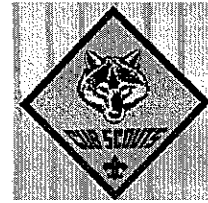




Cub Scout Pack #247



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PINEWOOD DERBY WORKSHOP

Sat., Feb. 25 from 1—5 pm at the Perry Hall Presbyterian Church, 8848 Belair Road, can use Joppa Road entrance across from Weis behind where Mike's Golf used to be. We need power tools and hand tools (i.e., table saw; table mounted router; sander; scroll saw; extension cords; paints.) See Keith or John if you can lend any of these. Also, bring your own weights, the Pack will not be supplying these as it is too costly to do so. The movie "Down & Derby" will be shown continuously starting at 1:00.

PINEWOOD DERBY

Sat., March 18. The format will be different this year. Car check-in will be from 12 noon and 1:30. **NOTE:** to speed up this process we'll be having a "weigh in" of your car at the meeting on 3/16 at school from 6:30-7:00 (those scouts who have meetings outside of school can hopefully stop by before their meeting starts)—you may add your weights at this time and re-weigh it, or take it home to do so—not having your weights added really slows down the check-in process the day of the race. Lunch can be purchased from 12 to 1:30—hot dogs and pizza as well as snacks and beverages will be available. We are also going to have a Bake Sale table—please sign up on the sheet if you can make a donation. All food sale proceeds benefit the Pack. We are still in need of volunteers—please see John Mudd if you can help in any way. Thank you.

SUMMER DAY CAMP

The deadline for applications to be turned in is 3/16 (next Pack meeting) or you can give it to your den leader before then. Keep in mind that an adult volunteer is needed for every 4 scouts—please consider being a volunteer—it is a very rewarding experience. Camp weeks are 6/19-23 and 7/17-21. Rob Rybczynski has the applications and they will be distributed shortly.

NEW TREASURER

A great big thank you goes out to Kim Schuster who has graciously accepted the position of Treasurer for the Pack.

SCOUTING FOR FOOD

We will be collecting food for "Victor's Vittles." You can either drop off the bags at neighbors and return to pick them up on 3/4 or you can go door-to-door and request donations that way. Please have your scout in uniform and supervised. Amy Turowski will be at Seven Oaks Elementary between 9—10:00 a.m. on 3/4 to collect donations.

FRIENDS OF SCOUTING

Donations are encouraged — we need to send the right message to our scouts — maybe they can donate a portion of their allowance. See John Mudd for more details.

AUCTION & 50/50 PROFITS

On a positive note—the Pack made \$672 on the Chinese auction and \$157 on the 50/50 raffle. WAY TO GO!

CHECK OUT THE BACK FOR MORE IMPORTANT INFO . . .

Upcoming Events

Sign up on the sign up sheets tonight, if you are interested in any of the following events. Details can be found on the back.

- X 2/25 Pinewood Derby Workshop
- X 3/3-5 Oest Cabin Trip
- X 3/4 Scouting for Food Bag Pick-up at School
- X 3/16 Den Meeting @ Seven Oaks weigh-in of Derby cars
- X 3/18 Pinewood Derby
- X 3/30 Pack Meeting

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Visit our Website at <http://pack247perryhallmd.tripod.com>

CUB SCOUT PACK #247 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

THE SCOUT SHOP IS OPEN
Mon., Tues., Wed., & Fri. 9-5 PM
Thurs. 9-9 PM Sat. 10-3 PM
410-338-0144 800 WYMAN PARK DR.

February 2006

25 Pinewood Derby Workshop

March 2006

3-5 Oest Cabin Trip — details below
4 9:00—10:00 — Bag Pick-up Scouting for Food
12 Leader's Meeting (Debbie Smith's House @ 6:30)
14 Dulaney District Roundtable (Leaders & Parents welcome, no Scouts)
16 6:30—7:00 — Den Meeting @ Seven oaks (Pre-Derby car weigh-in)
18 Pinewood Derby
30 Pack Meeting

April 2006

11 Dulaney District Roundtable (Leader's & Parents welcome, no Scouts)
27 Pack Meeting

May 2006

12-13 Family Camp-Out Graduation (tentative date) at Northwind Fish & Game

August 2006

Ironbirds game sometime in August — date to be announced

REMINDER

Please use the Gazette, , our official calendar and our web site: <http://pack247perryhallmd.tripod.com> and your den leaders to keep you informed. You can also visit www.dulaneybsa.org and check area *Scouter* for info.

“Blue and Gold Rocked!”

As Reported by Webelos I:

On February 5th, Pack 247 held their annual Blue and Gold Banquet. At the Blue and Gold Banquet, there were lots of raffles and you could win lots of prizes. We entered cakes in different categories. We received our badges on a wiffle ball. There was ham, turkey, green beans, potatoes and soda. Our den had fun making the space food favors and Alka Seltzer rockets for the banquet. There were really cool robot centerpieces that we got to take home. The Webelos II's bridged over into Boy Scouts. They did a great job!

**GOOD LUCK - FAREWELL
GOD BLESS YOU!**