



PARENT NEWSLETTER 8 JAN 2019

Happy new year to all cub parents and families. Here is info and activities for the upcoming cub year. A calendar is attached...here are some highlights:

1. Cub cars will be provided on Jan 6 ...please read the instructions and schedule..
2. The parent youth banquet is on a Tuesday night Feb 19. This is during Scout week celebrating our founder Lord Baden-Powell's birthday. The annual church parade will be on 17 Jan (date needs to be confirmed).
3. Winter camp permission forms are now available, please return asap.If you wish to attend overnight **you now have a couple of pre requisites you must complete.** See Akela or Bagheera for details.
4. Please note our upcoming outings ie 15 Jan at city hall for skating and 29 Jan for the long delayed hike at Starkey Hill (date a function of weather and trail conditions). We are also planning a trip to Laser Quest on Sunday 3 Feb to which we invite you to participate. Look for permission forms soon.
5. We are asking all parents to review your cub's Journey Binder for what your cub is working on and to encourage them doing Personal Achievement Badges...we need your involvement to make this work.
6. In order to encourage our Howlers (and other cubs when they reach 10 years of age) to do the requirement for the Seonee Award, we will be assigning the honour of a special "wolf" name to each of them if **they submit an outline of their award choice within the next 2 weeks.** There will be a special ceremony to infer the names to which you are invited. Details soon.If you want to discuss what is required for an award please speak with Akela.

7. In closing the second installment of \$45 cub dues is now due!!!

That's all for now folks!!!!!!