



# PACK 7 CUB NEWS

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Voyageurs Area Council  
Northern Trails District

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## Dates to Remember

**January 26<sup>th</sup>, Thursday** - Pack Meeting and Cross Over (Homecroft) – (*Glossy Collection*)

**February 16<sup>th</sup>, Thursday** - Pinewood Derby (Homecroft)

**March 3rd, Saturday** – BSA Council Ice Fishing Derby – Pike Lake  
10:00AM – 12:00PM

**March 25th, Sunday** – Pack Blue/Gold Banquet (Gnesen Community Center)

March / April – Pack Activity (Bowling or Vertical Endeavors – TBD)

April 14th - BSA Council District-wide Pinewood Derby (location TBD)

April 26th - Pack Meeting (Homecroft) – (*Glossy Collection*)

May 17th- Pack Fishing Contest (TBD)

June 5th - Pack Meeting Advancements (FOG Church)

June – BSA Council Cub Scout Day Camp & Scout Day at Valleyfair

July – BSA Council Scout Night with the Huskies

## Information

PACK 7 CUB NEWS is distributed at each Pack meeting and via email. If you have additional questions regarding Pack activities, please contact anyone on the list at the top of the newsletter.

Check out the Pack-7 website (<http://www.pack-7.org>) and the Voyageurs Area Council website (<http://www.vac-bsa.org/>) for information on Scouting and Scouting events in our area.

**Thank you for participating in Scouts!!!!**

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## News and Notes

### January Pack Meeting

**Thursday, January 26<sup>th</sup> - 6:00PM – Homecroft**

Come and join us for the Arrow of Light Ceremony and Cross-Over as the Webelos II Scouts cross over to the Boy Scout Troop. To help celebrate the Webelos II achievement, we will be entertained by skits from each den.

We will also have a presentation from the BSA Council regarding *Friends of Scouting* – (from the BSA website) “Each year, as part of the overall fund raising effort of the Council, we enroll as Friends of Scouting our alumni, Scout families, volunteers and other Scouting friends in the communities we serve. These friends make a financial investment in the Scouting program to help ensure its continued success. Local volunteers in each of the communities we serve conduct this effort as a campaign. FOS monies are used to supplement other funds received by the Council, such as United Way support, activity and camping revenue, and other self-generated funds. FOS makes up almost one-fifth of the total income of the Voyageurs Area Council”

Please consider a financial gift to help support the Voyageurs Area Council.

*Don't forget to bring your glossy paper since it will be a collection night. Bags can be left in one of the trucks parked in front of the school as you arrive for the meeting.*

### February Pack Meeting – PINEWOOD DERBY

**Thursday, February 16<sup>th</sup> 5:30PM – Homecroft**

#### Registration starts at 5:30 and racing starts promptly at 6:00

For those who have participated before you know that time is needed to adjust your car for maximum performance so please plan on arriving as close to 5:30 as possible. Car specifications are listed on the instruction sheet attached to this email. Please pay attention to the rules as your boys construct their pinewood derby cars. Parents and siblings may race in the open category. Oils and silicone sprays are NOT permitted.

There will be pizza provided with a freewill donation (suggested \$3/person or \$10/family) to help defray the cost. We are still looking for volunteers to help with setup, judging, and takedown. Please contact your den leader if you are interested in helping make this another successful race.

#### Special notes and thank-you's:

- Thank you to Sheree Heizler for coordinating the bingo prizes
- Thank you to the families that brought the fantastic cookies
- Thank you to Santa for bringing the boys their Pinewood Derby cars