

Pack 616 Parents Meeting
7 Sept 2004
Minutes

Our first Parents Gathering (formerly the Pack Committee) for Pack 616 was held on 7 Sept 04. The meeting focused on the first Pack Show on 21 Sept, leadership needs for the upcoming year, and the annual calendar.

*** Den Leaders, please send names of all scouts who attended at least 3 summer scouting events and earned the summer fun award. Summer events include: the June graduation, Padres games, Balboa or other day camps (each DAY counts as one activity!), July 4th parade, and the swim party.

Our first Pack Show will be on 21 Sept at Dingeman. The theme will be "Fin Fun".

- Each Den should be ready with a short Fin Fun skit/stunt with their awards. Remember, KISSSMIF (Keep It Short, Simple, Safe, Make it Fun!) .
- Den 2 will help with setup, Den 1 will conduct the opening flag ceremony, and the Webelos will help with cleanup.
- Plan to start promptly at 7 PM!
- Looking ahead to the Oct Pack Show, nasty clowns would be allowed! The theme for October will be "Circus of Star's."
- Sept 18 (11AM- 3 PM): Black Mtn. District "Scout Expo" at Los Penasquitos Canyon Preserve (Adobe Ranch House). Most appropriate for Webelos. Free. Come for any length of time.
- Leaders: Sept 23rd, Thursday, at Dingeman (7 PM) → Please come if you can (and you kids can help, too!) to the Roundup.
- Training: see calendar below for Sept. And Oct. dates. Check the council website for other dates (www.bsadpc.org) under "Training".
- Webelos Woods is the weekend of Oct 15th. Please let Bryon know ASAP of parents/sons planning on going, so he can turn in the registration. If someone cannot come up and camp, it is still a very fund ay on Sat. (and campfire if they can stay that late).
- New leaders/volunteers needed for this year:
 - Tiger Den Leaders. We will distribute Cub Scout flyer's to each 1st and 2nd grader at Dingeman and expect to form 2-4 (Bryon says: .Yikes...four?) new Tiger Dens this year. We will need new Den Leaders for each Tiger Den. Bryon and Mike will recruit new Tiger Den Leaders at the Roundup on 23 Sept and the Organizational Meeting on 7 Oct.
 - We already have one new Tiger leader: PLEASE WELCOME WES BARNES! Wes has already completed ALL 3 PARTS OF HIS TRAININGII! (YPG, NLE, and Cub Specific!!) Yay! (Bryon: "I am not

worthy!").

- Pinewood Derby Leader (a.k.a the Duke or Duchess of the Derby): Kelly Peters “retired”, but left us with a great cookbook on how to run this great event!
 - UPDATE: Jennifer Madsen and Sharon Greener (they have sons in Den 4 and 1) have agreed to run this great event!
 - BTW: this running in 2005 will be the 50th anniversary of this event in Cub Scouting!
 - The preferred derby date will be 27 Feb; Feb 6 will be the alternative date. Mike will contact the Rec. Center to reserve it.
- Advancement Chair. Need a volunteer to help our den leaders prepare advancement forms, pick up awards from the scout store and distribute the awards to Den Leaders before each Pack meeting.
- Cub Scout Shop Keeper. We are looking for a volunteer or group of volunteers sell Pack 616 shirts, hats and "35th anniversary 616 patches" during the Pack meetings.
- Webmaster. Need a volunteer to create and manage a Pack 616 website.
- Cub Scout Olympics Chairman. We need someone to take charge of our Spring Olympics (scheduled for May).

Mike Blumenburg will visit each Den to discuss volunteer opportunities with parents, and try to fill the above positions.

Other key leadership spots are already filled;

- Blue & Gold. Barbara Amling will coordinate the Blue and Gold again this year with help from Nicole Badamo. We discussed options for the Blue & Gold and decided that we don't want a formal sit-down dinner nor a visit to Boomers.
Other potential locations were discussed, but no decision was made.
- Campout. Mark Fisher will coordinate the spring campout at William Heise Park.
- No Popcorn Kernel will be needed this year since the Pack leadership/families agreed not to sell popcorn. Instead of selling popcorn we agreed to raise dues to \$90 for each returning scout, and \$95 for each new scout.

Dues should be collected by the Den Leaders by 31 Oct 04 (Halloween).

Please submit them to Bryon by 3 Nov, so we can get our final roster submitted before mid November. Checks for dues should be made payable to "Pack 616".

- Bob Vildibil will look into Aztec Baseball games for the Pack to attend.
- The possibility of a summer campout to Carlsbad, Camp Pendleton, and/or Indian Hills was raised.

A draft Pack 616 2004-2005 calendar was distributed and discussed. No significant changes were noted, so the official "DRAFT" calendar is below.

Pack 616 2004-2005 Calendar (Draft)

Sept. 7: Pack Parents gathering, 7 PM at the Solberg's (11775 Angelique) Mike and Bryon at Dingeman in the AM.

Sept. 10-12: Councilwide "Fun With Son" (Camp Balboa). Forms should be available online. www.bsadpc.org For questions: contact Sue Beagle at Council Hdqts. 619-298-6121 ext. 246.)

Sept. 18 (11AM- 3 PM): Black Mtn. District "Scout Expo." At Penasquitos Canyon Preserve (Adobe Ranch House).

Sept. 21: PACK SHOW - "Fin Fun" (7 PM at Dingeman Elem.)

**Sept. 23rd: 7PM ROUNDUP at Dingeman!

**Sept. 28: Cub Specific Training, 6:15-9:45 PM, Penasquitos Lutheran Church (14184 Penasquitos Drive).

Oct. 1-3: Councilwide "Fun With Son" (Mataguay). See details of registration above.

Oct. 5: Pack parents gathering, 7 PM at Dingeman.

**Oct. 7: 7 PM. NEW SCOUTS ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING (Parents) Dingeman.

**Oct. 9: 8:15 AM-Noon, Cub Scout Specific Training. Mira Mesa LDS Building. 11023 Pegasus Ave.

Oct. 15-17th: Webelos Woods at Mataguay.

Oct. 19: PACK SHOW (7 PM at Dingeman Elem.)

Oct. 31: Dues due to Den Leaders for 2005 (\$90 for returning Cubs, \$95 for new Cubs).

Nov. 2: Pack parents gathering, 7 PM at Dingeman.

Nov. 6: Tiger Safari at Lake Poway.

Nov. 16: PACK SHOW (7 PM at Dingeman Elem.)

Dec. 4: District Fishing Derby (Lake Poway).

Dec. 7: Pack parents gathering, 7 PM at Dingeman.

Dec. 14: PACK CARNIVAL/UNIFORM INSPECTION (7 PM at Dingeman.).

2005 Jan. 4: Pack parents gathering, 7 PM at Dingeman.

Jan. 18: PACK SHOW (7 PM, Dingeman).

** Pinewood Derby Workshop(s), weigh-in. TBA.

Feb. TBA: Padres Ticket and Day Camp Sign-ups!

Feb. 1: Pack parents gathering, 7 PM at Dingeman.

Feb. 6th: Scout Sunday.

** Pinewood Derby Weigh-in. (Jan. or Feb.)- TBA.

**Feb. 15 or 22?/6 or 13 or 27? Pinewood Derby (Dingeman?/Rec. Center?). NOT Feb. 18-21: School holiday).

March 1: Pack parents gathering, 7 PM at Dingeman.

March (not March 19-27: Spring Break): Blue and Gold Dinner vs. Celebrations (Park? Slide Park?).

March TBA: Scout Fair Ticket Sales.

April 5: Pack parents gathering, 7 PM at Dingeman.

April 19: Pack Show, 7 PM at Dingeman.

?Annual April "Fun With Son" (Mataguay).

?April Scout Fair?-TBA.

May 3: Pack parents gathering, 7 PM at Dingeman.

**May Campout (April 30-May 1?/May 13-15/20-22?). NOT May 8th (Mothers Day?)

?Annual May Countrywide "Fun With Son" at Camp Balboa?

May 17: Cub-olympics. (EBS?).

May 28 (Sat.): Early AM/Fort Rosecrans Cemetery Flag Placement.

May 28-30: Councilwide camp at Mataguay? (See contact info above).

June: TBA- The last Black Mountain District Dinner.

June 7: Pack parents gathering, 7 PM at Dingeman.

June 12: PACK GRADUATION (5 PM Potluck, Jerabek PARK).

TBA-District Day Camp.

Webelos Resident Camp (June and/or August) -Mataguay.

July 4th: Scripps Ranch Parade

**July and August: Padres games fly/picnic, Pack campout?

Day Camps, Resident Camp, Hike/picnic at Miramar Lake or a playground.

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Sept. 6 Pack parents gathering.

Sept. 20: PACK SHOW (Dingeman).

Sept. 22?-ROUNDUP!

Oct. 62?-New Parents Organizational Meeting.

Trainings: TBA.