



# Pack 735 Gazette

No. 2

All the news that's fit to print...

February 2007

## Uniforms

Our uniform drive was a great success! As of the January Pack Fest, all our boys in Pack 735 should have uniforms!! We are going to be the sharpest pack in the district.

Next Pack Fun Fest:  
**Wednesday, February 28, 2007**  
**6:30pm, Community Center**  
This will be our pack's Blue and Gold party. Be ready to have fun!!

## Scouting for Food

Next weekend is the start of our Council's Scouting for Food drive. We will be participating by placing door hangers in various neighborhoods in our community this Saturday (2/3/07).

The following Saturday (2/10/07), we will be going back to the same neighborhoods and collecting the food that has been placed outside. This food will be donated to the Fallbrook Food Pantry.

We will meet at the parking lot next to the Community Center at 8:30 am this Saturday to pass out the door hangers. The following weekend, we will meet in the same location at 12:30 pm to collect the food. It should only take a couple of hours each time.

We will carpool to the neighborhoods and will be looking for volunteer drivers. Any parent that drives will need to fill out a short form Saturday morning to make sure we have your driver's license and insurance information (a BSA requirement).

badge. We would like to present the remaining Bobcat badges at next month's Blue and Gold party. We hereby challenge all families whose Cub Scout has not yet received his badge to complete the requirements in February. Remember to report the completion of the requirements to your Den Leader so that we can have a badge ready at the next Fun Fest.

## Dens

We have found a new Tiger Cub Leader and have created our second Tiger Cub den (Den 2). In splitting the Tiger Cubs into the two dens, we used the slips that were collected during the January den meetings to keep friends together.

We are still looking for a second Wolf Den Leader and hope to have two Wolf dens by the next Pack Fest.

Our Dens are:

<b>Den</b>	<b>Rank</b>	<b>Leader</b>
1	Tiger Cubs	Jeff Davis
2	Tiger Cubs	Joe Lopez
4	Wolf	Laura Bridgeman
5	Wolf	Unknown
7	Bear	Hunter Farrell
10	Webelos	Hunter Farrell



## Bobcats All!

We want to encourage every boy to complete the requirements for their Bobcat

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## Blue & Gold

A blue and gold banquet is a birthday dinner for the Cub Scouting program. It is usually held in place of the February Pack Fest. February is the anniversary month of the Boy Scouts of America, which was organized in February 1910. The Cub Scouts was organized 20 years later in 1930. So this February is the Cub Scouts 77<sup>th</sup> birthday!

Many packs have a dinner; this is usually a potluck affair, with each family bringing food. Since we are just getting started and have not had a chance to organize anything, we are going to have a "Birthday Party for Scouting" rather than a meal.

This is an opportunity to bring the whole family! Feel free to invite guests too. The more, the merrier!! Come prepared to have fun!!!

Next year we hope to have a traditional Blue & Gold Banquet. You will hear more about that towards the end of the year.

### Den Gatherings this month...

#### Den 4 – Wolves – Comm. Center

Tuesday, Feb 6<sup>th</sup>, 3:30pm

Tuesday, Feb 13<sup>th</sup>, no meeting

Tuesday, Feb 20<sup>th</sup>, Field trip

Hiking - **Los Jilgueros Preserve**

#### All Other Dens – Comm. Center

Wednesday, Feb 7<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm

Wednesday, Feb 14<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm

Third week of Feb – Possible field trip (more info in Den mtgs – all ideas welcomed)

### Joke of the Month

What does a slice of toast wear to bed?

Jam-mies!

### Pinewood Derby

All the boys should have kits to build a Pinewood Derby race car. Parents, remember, this is meant to be done by the boy with the HELP of the parent(s).

For those Dads out there that just have to create a computer-designed and CNC-milled custom car, we will have an unlimited category race that you can compete in!

The race will be held during the March Pack Fest and the winner from our pack will go on to race at the Scout Fair in April against the winners from all the packs in the San Diego – Imperial district!

### Upcoming Events...

- Food Drive – 2/3/07 – 8:30 am
- Food Drive – 2/10/07 – 12:30 pm
- Blue & Gold – Feb Pack Fest
- Pinewood Derby – March Pack Fest
- Scout Fair in San Diego – April 21
- Family Campout – May 25 - 27

Please add these to your calendar. More details will follow.

### Important Phone Numbers...

- Cubmaster – Dirk Thayer  
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- San Diego – Imperial Council Office  
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