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In Cub Scouts, we strive to teach our boys to "Do Their Best". The best way to teach, is by example. We'd like to thank the adults listed below who are setting an example of doing their best while providing service to others. We need help in filling the open roles below, so if you are not a Den Leader, please let us know which role you can fill - or create! Also please let our Pack Data Administrator know if there are any errors in this information.

ROLE	OFFICER	<u>DEN</u>	<u>ROLE</u>	OFFICER	<u>DEN</u>
Charter Org. Rep.	Jim Smith	Alum	Blue & Gold	Allison Smith	1
Cubmaster	Charlie Smith	4	Blue & Gold Asst.	Vellachi Smith	8
Asst. Cubmaster, Activities	Allison smith	1	Blue & Gold Asst.	Diane Smith	8
Asst. Cubmaster, Spcl Proj.	Todd O'Smith	5	Scout-O-Rama	<u>OPEN</u>	
Asst. Cubmaster, Program	<u>OPEN</u>		FOS Chair	<u>OPEN</u>	
Pack Committee Chair	Paul Smith	4	Recruiting Chair	<u>OPEN</u>	
Asst. Pack Committee Chair	<u>OPEN</u>		Popcorn Chair	Dennis Jones	7
Pack Data Administrator	Alan Smith	8	Popcorn Asst.	Sucharita Smith	4
Treasurer	Phil Smith	9	Scouting For Food	<u>OPEN</u>	
Safety Officer	<u>OPEN</u>		Creek Cleanup Advisor	Kathryn Jones	1
Advancement Chair	Linda Smith	1	Creek Cleanup Chair	Dan Lee	7
Advancement Asst.	David Smith	7	*		1
Activities Chair	<u>OPEN</u>		Space Derby Chair	<u>OPEN</u>	
Den Coach/Trainer	J. D. Smith	Alum	Beach Barbecue Chair	Shari Jones	8
Webmaster	<u>OPEN</u>		Summer Camp Coord.	Rita Jones	7
		0	High Adventure Coord.	Mary Smith	8,9
Librarian	Shu-Fen Jones	8	High Adventure Coord.	Scott Jones	2,9
<u>Photographer</u>	<u>OPEN</u>				
Pinewood Derby Chair	Bob Smith	1	DISTRICT/COUNCIL		
Pinewood Derby Asst.	John Jones	1	Day Camp Director	Debbie Smith	7
Pinewood Derby Asst.	Alan Smith	8	Day Camp	Nick Jones	7
			Roundtable Staff	Charlie Smith	4

There are many ways to look at the Pack 411 Leadership Roster report. What everyone should know is that leaders from other Packs have told us that they are envious of the size of our leadership roster, and the number of parents that devote time to fulfilling our Pack's mission statement - to continually be one of the premiere Packs of our District and Council. The second way to look at this is with relief - with so many people helping out, each job stays small and manageable - as it should be. We can also be relieved that our Den Leaders, who do so much for our boys are not asked to help out with Pack offices. The bad news is that there is reason for concern - Den 1, who has done so much for our Pack for so many years will be graduating this spring. We need people to step up and take on the roles that they have held so that we can keep our program strong.

More Information on the Web

• Join our Yahoo groups! Signing up will get you the information you need. To subscribe, just send an Email to one of the addresses below:

XXXX-subscribe@yahoogroups.com (Substitute the "?" with your den number)

XXXX-subscribe@yahoogroups.com (Pack 411 Pack Committee)

SCCC_Polaris-RD-subscribe@yahoogroups.com (Polaris District Leaders Roundtable minutes)

Pack 411 - December 11, 2003

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"A Cub Scout Gives Goodwill"



"Do your Good Turn not only to your friends, but to strangers, and even to your enemies"

Lord Robert Baden-Powell Founder of the Scouting movement

Pack 411's Mission - To continually be one of the premiere Packs of our District and Council

"A Cub Scout Gives Goodwill"

Prep - Den 2

Gathering Activity - Den 7

Opening Ceremony Den 8

Pack Awards

Paul Smith Summertime Den Awards - Den 2, 4 and 7

Announcements

Raingutter Winners - Ned Jones, Pinewood Derby - Bob Smith, Activities

Advancements

Individual Awards

Entertainment

The Good Samaritan Starring Den 9

Rank Advancements

We would like to recognize EthanJones who was presented his Bobcat award last month, but was not included in the program.

Closing Ceremony
Den 8

Scout Benediction

Announcements/Calendar

- New Officers: Please join us in saying thank you to our newest Pack officers, Shu Fen Jones who has taken on the role of Librarian, and Dan Smith, who will be our new Creek Cleanup chair.
- Officers Needed: We are still in need of people to fill the following roles: Recruiting Chair, Pinewood Derby 3rd Asst., Space Derby Chair, Asst. Pack Committee Chair & Asst.

Cubmaster - please see the back page for info.

• Pinewood Derby Rules: Our Pack uses the same rules that the Polaris district uses for construction of Pinewood Derby cars. Any car in violation of these rules will not be allowed to race. You can find a copy of the rules at:

www.sccc-scouting.org/sccc/districts/polaris.asp Scroll to the bottom of the page and check under Pinewood Derby Rules & Tips

• Webelos Hike: Congratulations to our Webelos boys who completed a challenging 3 mile uphill hike from Sanborn Park to Castle Rock!

PACK 411 CUB SCOUT CALENDAR

1/8 - Pack Mtg. "Home Alone" - Den 3 Prep, Den 5 Gather, Den 9 Ceremony, Den 1 Entertain, Den 8 Kleanup.

1/10 - Pinewood Derby Weigh-in 10:00 - 4:00 at 7067 Golden Gate Drive - (408) 996-2140.

1/17 - Pinewood Derby Hyde Middle School, 6:00-8:00 PM.

1/24 - Pow-Wow for Parents Make sure that your son and your family get the most out of scouting! 1290 Ridder Park Drive, San Jose 2/8 - Scout Sunday Services: Tentative date for annual service at Bethel, other services will be announced

2/12 - Blue and Gold Banquet: We'll be celebrating the birthday of Cub Scouts with a Fiesta this year at **Hyde Middle School.** The banquet will take the place of the Pack Meeting for February, so be sure to note the location change.

3/27 - Overnight Outing on USS Hornet Save the date for this great event! 03/11 - Pack Mtg. "Walk in My Shoes" - Den 1 Snack, Den 2 Gather, Den 3 Kleanup, Den 6

Prep, Den 7 Entertain, Den 8 Ceremony,

Give!



Anne Frank, March 26, 1944

How wonderful it is that no one has to wait, but can start right now to gradually change the world! How wonderful it is that everyone, great and small, can immediately help bring about justice by giving of themselves!

As with so many things, most people seek justice in very different quarters, and grumble because they themselves receive so little of it.

Open your eyes. Be fair in your own dealings first! Give whatever there is to give! You can always - always - give something, even if it's a simple act of kindness! If everyone were to give in this way and didn't scrimp on kindly words. There would be much more love and justice in the world!

Clean-Up - Den 1

Anne died in the Nazi concentration camp Bergen-Belsen in March 1945. She was 15 years old.