



Pack 256 NEWS



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December 2011



Cub Scout Family Christmas

Cub Scouts, Webelos and all their family members are invited to attend:

Cub Scout Christmas Party

Tuesday, December 13, 2011

6:00 – 8:00 pm

BUMC – Student Center, 323 N. Montgomery

★ Dinner ★ Awards ★ Games ★

Carry-In Dinner (Ham & Table Service Provided by Pack)

Each Scout should contribute based on the following list:

- **Tigers: Deserts**
- **Wolves: Deserts**
- **Bears: Hot Side Dish**
- **Webelos I & II: Salad / Cold Side Dish**

- **Also remember to bring an unwrapped toy(s) to place under the Christmas Tree for the Fireman's Toy Drive.**

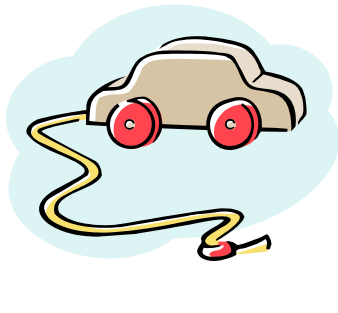
Please make every effort to be on time.



TOY DRIVE

Cub Scout Pack 256 will be partnering with the Bremen Fire Department again this Christmas Season, donating toys for families-in-need within our community.

Each year at the Pack Christmas Party in December, the Cub Scouts bring new, unwrapped toys to place under the tree as a gift to be given to other boys and girls. Scout families should not feel obligated by this, rather contribute only as they are financially able. These toys will then be distributed by the Bremen Fire Department around the community where needed. Toys are distributed to all ages: from young babies and toddlers to school-age children, up to young teens. It has been a great source of joy to our organization to be part of this loving gesture to our neighbors. Keep this giving opportunity in mind as you do your shopping over the next few weeks.



Cub Scouts & Webelos will receive their Pinewood Derby Car Kits at the **December 5th** Den Meeting!

A "Rules" sheet will accompany each Car-Kit. Scouts: Ask an adult to help you shape/cut-out your car over Christmas Break! Then you can sand and paint it too and be ready to race!

Monday, December 19

PINEWOOD DERBY CAR CUTTING WORKSHOP

BUMC-SC, 6:45-8PM.

Bring your block of wood and get help with cutting!

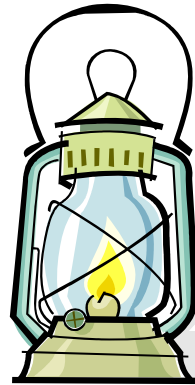
Pinewood Derby takes place

Saturday, January 14, 2012

CAMPING

December 10

@ Camp Topenebee
Shawnee Lodge.



THERE ARE STILL 5 MORE SPOTS OPEN FOR THIS CAMPING TRIP!
CALL LEN FISH@ 546-3359 IF YOUR SCOUT HAS NOT SIGNED UP AND WANTS TO GO! THERE IS NO COST INVOLVED! IT WILL BE FUN!!!

POPCORN

IF YOU ARE STILL DELIVERING POPCORN AND COLLECTING \$\$\$, PLEASE MAKE SURE TO GET THE POPCORN TO YOUR CUSTOMERS SOON!!! PLEASE TURN IN \$\$\$ AS SOON AS POSSIBLE! THANKS!!!



BOWL -A- RAMA 2012

Pack 256 will participate in the Algonquian District Bowl-A-Rama again this year. Mark your calendars; the date is **January 28, 2012**. We will be bowling during the 1:10 – 3:10 time slot. This is a family-friendly event, so parents and siblings can join in the fun! It costs **\$7.25 per person** to bowl. Price includes shoe rental, 2 hours of bowling, and a really cool patch (yes, everyone who pays gets a patch – not just the scouts).

To participate, your reservation form must be turned in and pre-paid by January 16, 2012. (Reservation form on next page.)

On day of the event, we will meet AT the bowling alley:

**Chippewa Bowl
225 W. Chippewa Avenue
South Bend**

Being a bit early will help to ensure you can get shoes in your size. Bowling shoes are available on a first come first served basis.

NOTE: Lane bumpers are not permitted at the Bowl-A-Rama. ♣



Pack Planning-Committee Meeting

Join us as we plan the upcoming month in
Cub Scouting:

@ the

Bremen McDonald's

All parents are ALWAYS welcome to attend!

Tuesday, December 6, 7:00 PM



DON'T GET BORED OVER CHRISTMAS BREAK!!! ROLLER SKATING PARTY

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 28, 4:30 – 6:30PM

All Scouts skate FREE, family & friends \$2 each.

Skates are included. There is no limit on people!

Invite your friends to come too!!!

We have the whole rink reserved for our group!

Galaxy Skating Rink, Niles, MI

1120 Ontario Rd, Niles, MI 49120 · [Get Directions](#)

The rink allows us to bring in our own food & drink, as long as we clean up before we leave.

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UPCOMING DATES:

- Dec 05 (Mon) DEN MEETING 8, BUMC-SC, 6:45-8PM
- Dec 06 (Tue) Pack Planning Meeting, Bremen McDonalds, 7PM
- Dec 10 (Sat) CAMPING Overnighter, Camp Topenebee, Shawnee Lodge, Michigan City, IN (TIMES TBA)
- Dec 13 (Tue) Pack Christmas Party / Family Night, BUMC-SC, **6:00-8PM**
- Dec 19 (Mon) PINWOOD DERBY-CAR CUTTING WORKSHOP, BUMC-SC, 6:45-8PM
- Dec 28 (Wed) ROLLER SKATING PARTY!!! Galaxy Roller Rink, Niles, MI, 4:30 – 6:30PM
- Jan 09 (Mon) DEN MEETING 9, BUMC-SC, 6:45-8PM
- Jan 10 (Tue) Pack Planning Meeting, Bremen McDonalds, 7pm
- Jan 14 (Sat) Pinewood Derby, BHS Girls Gym, 1:30PM Weigh-in, 2:00 Start
- Jan 16 (Mon) DEN MEETING 10, BUMC-SC, 6:45-8PM
- Jan 28 (Sat) Bowl-A-Rama, Chippewa Bowling Lanes, South Bend, IN (TIMES TBA)
- Jan 30 (Mon) DEN MEETING 11, BUMC-SC, 6:45-8PM
- Feb 06 (Mon) DEN MEETING 12, BUMC-SC, 6:45-8PM
- Feb 07 (Tue) Pack Planning Meeting, Bremen McDonalds, 7pm
- Feb 11 (Sat) WINTER FUN DAY, (TIMES & DETAILS TBA)
- Feb 13 (Mon) DEN MEETING 13, BUMC-SC, 6:45-8PM
- Feb 27 (Mon) Blue & Gold Banquet / Family Night, BUMC-SC, **6:00-8PM**
- Mar 05 (Mon) DEN MEETING 14, BUMC-SC, 6:45-8PM
- Mar 10 (Sat) SCOUTING FOR FOOD DRIVE, (TIMES & DETAILS TBA)
- Mar 12 (Mon) DEN MEETING 15, BUMC-SC, 6:45-8PM
- Mar 24 (Sat) Algonquian District-Level Pinewood Derby
- Mar _____ FINAL AWARDS & OVERNIGHTER / LOCK-IN, (DETAILS TBA)



*May God bless
each of you greatly
this Christmas
and throughout the
2012 year!*

PACK HAPPENINGS

Be Informed!

Make sure we have your E-Mail
Send a message to the Pack Secretary
at cubscoutpack256@live.com

And refer to the website for Pack 256
news:

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at

Bowl-A-Rama 2012

Algonquian District, LaSalle Council BSA

Saturday, January 28, 2012

1:10 - 3:10

Chippewa Bowl 225 W. Chippewa Ave., South Bend.

- Bowl for 2 hours
- low cost of \$7.25 (price includes shoes, patch, and 2 hours of bowling with 4-6 persons per lane.)
- Bowling shoes are available free on a first come first served basis.

Your reservation must be pre-paid by **January 16, 2012**

Return completed registration form with your Cash or Check Payment (payable to: **Cub Scout Pack 256.**)

Algonquian Bowl-a-Rama

Number of People attending _____ x \$7.25= _____ amount paid

Scout Name _____

Contact person _____ Phone _____

E-mail address: _____