

Information for Cubs and Parents 2009-2010

1. Meeting Time

Every Saturday from 2:15 pm to 4:30 pm at St. Matthias Church on 49th Avenue and Tisdale.

There will be Sixer Council where the Sixers and Seconds will meet once a month from 1:15 pm to 2:15 pm to discuss their Sixes' progress, and to participate in planning their activities for future months.

Refer to the 2009-2010 calendar on the web site for specific events.

2. Uniform

The uniform shall consist of the brown shirt, navy blue pants, dark blue or black socks, black shoes (no running shoes), yellow belt and buckle, navy blue shorts (for June to August), beret, neckerchief and woggle. Uniforms are worn at all Cub scouting events; exceptions can only be made by the leaders.

3. Badges

Badge testing time is from 1:30 pm to 2:15 pm every Saturday. To ensure a spot, Cub must sign up for testing a week prior.

Make sure all necessary materials/documents to complete the badge requirement are available for the leaders to review.

Earned badges will be presented at the end of the meeting or the following meeting. The ultimate goal for the Cubs is to earn all the Stars.

4. Dues

Dues are \$5.00 per month, due at registration time. The Cub's dues pay for badges, supplies, materials, equipment and some activities.

5. Cub Book

The Cub program is based on badge work and it is important that each Cub has a Cub Handbook as the program is based on that book. Cubs should bring their books to every meeting. Cub book is available at Scout House located on 664 W. Broadway, Vancouver.

6. Items to Bring to Weekly Meetings

Cub Handbook, log book (minimum size: 6 inches x 9 inches or 15cm x 23cm), pen or pencil, 10 foot rope, filled water bottle and compass.

7. Cub Rules

Our Pack operates by the Cub Law and Promise. The Cub must at all times be Friendly, Courteous, Kind, Obedient, Cheerful, and Clean.

Each week by Thursday, Cub is to contact the Sixer or Second for specific instructions for the upcoming meeting.

8. Activities

Our Pack schedules a number of activities each year, including hikes, and camping. Times, meeting places and uniforms will be announced in advance of each activity.

9. Attendance

In order to have a successful experience in the Pack, **all Cubs are expected to have at least 90% attendance record. Where a Cub does not achieve this, s/he may not be invited back next year.**

10. Pack Organization

Our Pack is currently run by ten leaders (5 adult and 4 junior leaders). They meet annually to plan the yearly calendar, and monthly to make detailed plans for the following month's meetings.

The Cubs are divided into Sixes of 5-6 members. Each Six is appointed a Sixer and a Second to run the Six.

11. Fundraisers

In order to supplement the cost of the camps to keep them affordable, buy/repair camp equipment, the Group has many fundraising events planned. We must ask that all parents and Cubs participate in the fundraisers.

12. Parent Resources

We need your help in numerous ways, badge testing, car pools, transportation to and from camp, cooking at the camp, or if you have any special hobbies, skills (such as fishing, woodworking, etc.) or an interesting occupation where tours are encouraged, please let us know. Any assistance, no matter how small is always needed and appreciated.

13. Website

Check our website for any program change from www.scout33.org

14. Email Contact

General group email: info@scout33.org
Pack section leader email: akela@scout33.org
Pack leaders email: pack@scout33.org
Group jacket order: groupjacket@scout33.org
Beret order: beretpin@scout33.org

ANY QUESTIONS, CONTACT THE FOLLOWING LEADERS:

Cub Section Leader: Jeff Kondo
Cub Leader: Eleanor Chow, Miriam Halim
Cub Assistant Leader: Lisa Hong, Patty Ngai
Junior Leader: Andrew Cham, Christopher Lim, Kevin Ao, Nelson Fu
Group Commissioner: Martin Kwok