

# CUB SCOUT PACK 801

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## CUBMASTER'S

### Column

This time of year is perfect for gathering with friends and family and spending good, quality time together. This winter holiday season really reinforced for our family how important it is to make time to spend together. Time slips away too quickly and weeks and months fly by. Make sure that you set aside time to spend with your loved ones. Tonight we gather as a group of friends, one large scouting family. We will play games and enjoy spending time that we are lucky enough to have together. We can recognize how lucky we each are for the things and opportunities that we have, and project that gratitude out to the world. As Lady Gaga said, "We spread love. It's how we heal the world."

This Saturday is our Pinewood Derby, one of the most anticipated events of the year. I want to remind everyone that this event is for fun and skill building. Although competition is healthy, good sportsmanship and cheering on your fellow racers is also very important. I wish you all good luck and can not wait to see the cars you have designed.

See you on Saturday!

— *Alicia Sibley*,  
Cubmaster



WHAT  
we've been  
up to



## Upcoming Pack Events

**January 18:** Pinewood Derby at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 5701 Raymond Rd, Madison. Please bring non-perishable food donations for the food pantry.

To volunteer, please contact Tim Ziegler at [zig2321@charter.net](mailto:zig2321@charter.net).

**February 9:** Cascade Mountain Ski/Tubing trip Meeting time TBD by Derek Hellenbrand. Please turn in waiver forms and checks to Derek this week.

**February 21:** Blue and Gold banquet, a dinner to celebrate the birth of scouting and to say farewell to our Arrow of Light den. Also held at Good Shepard Lutheran Church. Starts at 6pm. Sign-up and pay at Pinewood Derby (\$5/person, \$20 max per family).

**March 7 & 14:** For Scouting for Food, Scouts will gather to distribute door hangers on March 7 and pick up food donations on March 14. More details to come.

**March 14-15:** Our Pack Overnight Trip to Lambeau Field begins 6:30 pm Saturday. Sign-up sheet including details available tonight. Please bring checks to our Pinewood Derby or Blue & Gold Banquet.





The Lions have been enjoying winter break and are looking forward to completing the Animal Kingdom loop.

Richelle Ladwig,  
Lion Den Leader



**LION**



In November, the Tiger Cubs worked on understanding the differences between fruits and vegetables, healthy and unhealthy food choices, and manners. They identified fruits and vegetables by texture only (top left) and really enjoyed a manners relay race.

In December we focused on learning about different teams we all participate on, and how to work as a group. They had fun learning how to work together while doing a shrinking circle activity (picture bottom left). We also did a diversity scavenger hunt. Looking forward to a new year and new adventures!

Mark Pingel,  
Tiger Den Leader



**TIGER**



**BEAR**



The Bears met up at Fire Station #12 to wrap up the Bear Claw adventure that includes the Whittling Chip. Too bad the boys aren't excited about being able to use knives! The boys carved on bars of soap and then tried a bit of wood at the end.

Jenn Pingel, Bears Den Leader



**ARROW**  
*of light*



The Arrow of Light scouts have been putting the finishing touches on their requirements, including learning about the rule of law, civic duties, and civil rights. They have also been working on den projects, including this one involving Oreos.

Mike Duchek, Arrow of Light Den Leader

