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Welcome to Pack 1110!



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What we'll cover tonight

- Financial Commitment
- What is Cub Scouting?
- What can you expect to do with our Pack?
- Parent / Family Expectations
- What's next?

Pack Contact Information

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Pack 1110 Webpage: <https://pack1110.com/>



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Expected Costs: Dues (May 2025 - May 2026)

	Collected by Scouts BSA	Collected by Pack 1110
Dues	Youth: \$91 Adults: \$71 (registered volunteers)	\$80 for Youth
<i>Optional</i>	<i>\$15 Scout Life Magazine</i>	-

Pack dues cover:

- Scout Awards (belt loops, next rank badge / neckerchief / slide)
- Pinewood Derby car kit
- A portion of Pack Administrative Expenses: Some Examples may include Pack Meeting facilities, Adult Volunteer dues, Pack storage unit, etc.

We will rely on fundraising activities, specifically Popcorn sales, to cover the rest of our costs and for offsetting additional costs to families for activities.





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Expected Costs: Other Expenses

- Rank Specific Handbook
 - Lions and Tigers (K-1st): \$13
 - Tigers thru Webelos (2nd-5th): \$24
- Uniform (more on this later)
 - Class A) Lions (K): \$30 for min required
 - Class A Tigers thru Bears (1st-3rd): \$92 for min required
 - Class A Webelos & AOL (4th-5th) : \$100 for min required
 - Class B Shirt (all ranks): \$25
- Campouts, Overnights, and other Activities
 - Price varies by activity type
 - We offset costs w/ fundraising, depending on fundraising success
- Adventure Supplies & Snacks (Den managed)
 - Suggest buying a den tote of supplies (crayons/pencils/paper/etc)
 - Snack rotation



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Scouting: Aims & Methods

The mission of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law.

THE SCOUT OATH

On my honor I will do my best

To do my duty to God and my country and to obey the Scout Law;

To help other people at all times;

To keep myself physically strong, mentally awake, and morally straight.

THE SCOUT LAW

A Scout is:

Trustworthy

Obedient

Loyal

Cheerful

Helpful

Thrifty

Friendly

Brave

Courteous

Clean

Kind

Reverent

The Aims of Scouting are:

Character, Citizenship, Personal Fitness, and Leadership

<https://www.scouting.org/programs/cub-scouts/>



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Cub Scout Ranks

Grade Level	Rank (or Rank in Progress)	
Kindergarten		Lions
1st Grade		Tigers
2nd Grade		Wolves
3rd Grade		Bears
4th Grade		Webelos
5th Grade		Webelos (Arrow of Light)



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Pack 1110: Structure and Events

- The Pack
 - Pack is everyone, siblings welcome to participate
 - Meets once per Month, normally Second or third Monday (will depend on the location we find)
- Dens
 - Small groups (4-10 Scouts of the same rank) work to complete 'adventures'
 - Meet at least 1x per Month, location & time determined by Den
- Fundraising: Popcorn (Shift signup starts Aug 1 for current members)
- Pinewood Derby (TBD - probably around January)
- Campouts
 - 2 Per Year (1 Fall, 1 Spring)
- Overnights
 - 2 Per Year (1 Fall, 1 Spring)
- Other Activities
 - Spirit Nights, Field Days, etc.
- Service Projects
 - Wreaths Across America
 - Scouting for Food
- Summer Fun Activities & Day Camp

And LOTS of Advancement Activities



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Pack 1110 Calendar: 2026-2027

September	October	November
8: Parent Meeting 21: Pack Meeting (Bobcat) 29: Den Meetings	6: Parent Meeting 12: Pack Meeting (Outdoors/Camping) 16-18: Pack Camp (Bovay) 27: Den Meetings	7-8: Pack Overnight (NASA) 10: Parent Meeting 16: Pack Meeting (Citizenship) 24: Den Meetings
December	January	February
1: Parent Meeting 14: Pack Meeting (Reverence) 22: Den Meetings	5: Parent Meeting 11: Pack Meeting (Safety) 23: Food Drive Hangers 26: Den Meetings 30: Food Drive Pickup	2: Parent Meeting 8: Pack Meeting (Race Time) 13: Pinewood Derby 23: Den Meetings
March	April	May
2: Parent Meeting 8: Pack Meeting (Games) 23: Den Meetings	6: Parent Meeting 12: Pack Meeting (Fitness) 16-18: Pack Camp (SFA) 27 Den Meetings	4 Parent Meeting 15: Blue and Gold Banquet 22-23: Pack Overnight (GNM)
June through August		
Cub Scout Day Camp (June 8-10), Additional Pack Activities once per month		



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Cub Scouts Culture

- Cub Scouts is Family Game Night, but larger scale!
- Advancements, Achievements, and Awards (LOTS of recognition)
 - Adventures = Loops (6 req, 2 elective)
 - Rank = Patch (1 per Grade)
 - Additional awards available (STEM, Religious, Conservation, Outdoors, Eclipse, etc.)
- Cub Scouts Requires Parent Engagement
 - Every Scout must have a parent or guardian present at all times
 - Not a drop and go activity
 - Many Adventures require parent and family involvement
 - The more you participate, the greater the lesson/bond/fun with your Scouts
- Family
 - Your Den will become new friends and family
 - Sometimes, Den Meetings are just for fun
 - Family (extended, siblings, etc.) is invited to our outings and gatherings
- Advancements, Achievements, and Awards (LOTS of recognition)
- Honor, Respect, and Loyalty



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Safety



- Two-Deep adult participation ALWAYS, NO EXCEPTIONS
 - Buddy system for adults
 - Need two registered leaders at every event
- A registered adult female must be present at any activity where female Scouts are present
 - Every den with girls needs a registered female adult!
- All leaders get Youth Protection Training (YPT) every year
 - Scouts BSA requires every 2 years, we do it every year
 - Covers how to spot and report immoral, unsafe, or abusive behavior
- All Scouts must review a youth-oriented YPT for each badge with their parents every year as soon as practical after joining
- An active YPT certificate is not negotiable - All 18+ participants MUST have to attend an overnight



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Religious Beliefs

- Pack 1110 is a non-denominational Pack
- Scouts in 1st-5th grade all have a Faith-based Adventure
- This is a family-driven adventure outside of the Den
- Scouts are encouraged to learn more about their faith
 - Additional awards available for going beyond the standard adventure
 - <https://www.scouting.org/awards/religious-awards/chart/>



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Uniforms

We will primarily use the Class B for at least the first year

Class A Uniform (Optional)



- Class A Uniform "Shirt Up" Pack
 - Required: Shirt w/ patches, Belt, Neckerchief & Slide (except Lions)
 - Optional: Hat, Official Scout pants, Lions: Neckerchief & Slide
 - Pants/Shorts MUST have beltloops
- Purchase @ Scout Shop:
 - Sam Houston Area Council HQ
2225 N Loop W Suite A
Houston, TX 77008
 - Stafford Scout Shop
12300 Parc Crest Dr #130
Stafford, TX 77477

Class B Uniform (Required)



- Required for campouts and other outdoor activities
- Class B shirt available for all sizes - \$25
- Available to order at 1st Pack Meeting in the fall



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Volunteers

- Scouts is a Volunteer driven organization
- We define the impact of Scouting
 - The more volunteers, the greater the impact (and usually less work per volunteer)
- If you look at Scouts as an investment into the future of your kids, expect to volunteer at the Pack-level
- Each family is required to have one adult volunteer role
 - Some are a couple of hours
 - Some are an hour a week



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How You Can Get Involved More

Formal Volunteer Positions

- Pack: Assistant Committee Chair
- Pack: Assistant Cubmaster
- Pack: New Member Coordinator
- Pack: Popcorn Kernel
- Den: Den Leader
- Den: Assistant Den Leader

Other ways to Contribute

- Help with Popcorn fundraising:
 - Lt. Kernel for Den
- Help with planning and running our various events:
 - Coordinate an overnight
 - Coordinate an outing
 - Help plan/run Pinewood Derby
 - Help plan/run activities at Campouts

All families are expected to be active in their dens!



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Your role as a Den Leader

- Plan, prepare for, and conduct den meetings.
- Lead the den at the monthly pack meetings.
- Attend the monthly Pack Committee Meeting (1st Tuesday Monthly).
- Work directly with other den and pack leaders to ensure that the den is an active and successful part of the pack.
- Ensure the transition of Cub Scouts to a den of the next rank (or to a troop for AoL Scouts) at the end of the year.



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What's Next?

- ✓ Complete all youth and adult applications with Scouting America online
- ✓ Pay Pack Dues: \$80
 - This is done through TroopTrack for Debit or Credit or by check/cash to Joselyn
- ❑ All Dens need a Den Leader and at least one Assistant Den Leader selected tonight
 - fill out Den info sheet and share w/ Gavin & Kyle
 - One must be a female if there are female Scout(s) in the Den!
- ❑ Share contact information with Den Leaders and Den families, and pick your Den's first meeting dates
- Once joining has been processed, you will receive an invitation to join TroopTrack, our online tool for managing your Scout's advancement, our Pack calendar, and Pack-wide communications.

#ADVENTUREON!



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