



Orchard Lane Cub Scout Pack 68 News

A Scout is trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly, courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty, brave, clean and reverent.



Swamp Fox

Wet and Cold, to Sunny and Comfortable

The Swamp Fox weekend started off wet and cold, with a few families having to set up camp in the rain on Friday evening. However, the rest of the weekend was sunny and beautiful.

Pack 68 served as Color Guard for Saturday morning Flag Raising.

Our families participated in BB guns, air rockets, capture the flag, archery, orienteering, and a STEM activity making flashlights out of popsicle sticks.

Congratulations to Adam Lopatkiewicz (Webelos II) and Finn Rush (Webelos I) on being inducted into the Order of the Swamp Fox!!! Each pack is able to nominate 1-2 scouts (depending on the size of the group) for this honor, based on who demonstrates they live by the Scout Oath and Law.



Thank you to all of the families that participated this year. Pack 68 had the largest group in attendance at this weekend's Swamp Fox.



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Upcoming Den Dates
 10/03/21 - Paw for Action Adventure 1:00-4:00 New Berlin Historical Park
 10/06/21 - Bear Claws Adventure 6:00-8:00 Valley View Shelter #2
 10/13/21 - Baloo the Builder Adventure 6:00-8:00pm Valley View Shelter #2



Upcoming Den Dates
 10/02/21 - Webelos Walkabout 10:30am-1:00pm Minooka Park Yellow Trail
 10/13/21 - Stronger, Faster, Higher 6:00-7:30pm Location TBD



Upcoming Den Dates
 10/27/21 - Den meeting 6:00-7:00

Welcome New Scouts

Say Hello to Pack 68's Newest Scouting Families

We would like to welcome the following new scouts and their families to our pack!!! We look forward to getting to know them, and having them join us on the fun adventures and activities we have planned.

As a good Scout should, let's make sure to be "friendly" and "helpful" as they begin their scouting journey.

Fall Product Sales

Popcorn, Wreaths and Kringles for Sale!!!!

Pack 68 is in the midst of its fall fundraising event of selling popcorn, wreaths and Kringles.

Depending on the amount that is fundraised, will determine how the pack is able to operate its programming for this pack year. So, please do what you can.



Keep in mind that scouts can earn a personal stipend to be used towards pack and/or council sponsored activities. Scouts will receive a percentage of any amount in combined sales beyond \$350.

Scouts that are interested in doing online selling should get signed up, by contacting Cubmaster Joe Freville. This option is only available for popcorn. Once signed up, you will

receive a special code/link that your customers must use for your Scout to get credit for an order.

Last day for sales is Saturday, October 16th, 2021.

Order forms and money collection will be on Monday, October 18th, 2021 from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. in the Orchard Lane parking lot.

Product will be available for pick up on Saturday, November 13th, 2021 at Orchard Lane.

October Pack Meeting

Haunted Trick or Treat Hike & Camp Fire Ghost Stories

Pack 68's October pack meeting will be on Wednesday, October 20th, 2021 from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. at Valley View Park - Shelter #2.

Scouts should wear their Class B uniforms, which are Scout T-shirts, or if they'd like, they can wear their Halloween costumes.

Please keep in mind that scouts should wear good shoes for hiking, and dress in layers appropriate for the weather.

Please Welcome:

Darwin McLaughlin (Lion)

Ben Foran (Lion)

Max Fuerst (Lion)

Jeremiah Hawthorne (Tiger)

Cameron Perkins (Tiger)

Emmett Oconnell (Wolf)

Jax Herman (Bear)

Levi Reimer (Bear)

Logan Griffiths (Webelos I)





Cubmaster's Corner

Words from Cubmaster Joe Freville

Many of you are in the midst of your soccer season, or about to start basketball. The Bucks won the NBA Championship, and the Brewers are about to make a run at a championship of their own, while the Packers are just getting started.

All of this has me thinking of sportsmanship. You hear a lot about being a good sport, but just what does it mean?

A good sport learns the rules, so they will not break them. They compete with all their heart, striving to outclass their competitors. If they win, they don't act smug, but instead compliment the losers for the fine job they did. If they lose, they accept the fact and find out why. Maybe they can win the next time.

A good sport accepts defeat, congratulates the winners, learns how they can improve and makes a personal commitment to do better the next time. As Scouts, we should all be good sports. We should show "kindness" when we win, and remain "cheerful" when we lose. Always continuing to "Do our Best."

