



# The Pack Packet



St. Paul's Cub Scouts

Pack 209

Newsletter

September, 2008

## *Welcome New Scouts!*

This Monday was the annual Join Scouting Night at St. Paul's, and a host of new scouts have added their names to the ranks of Pack 209! They are; **Harold Taylor, Joey Caruso, Henry Haight, Ty Ulevich, Thomas Alonzo, Wes Hudson, Leif Mollo, Matthew Poole, Keegan and Karson Galloway, Philip Henderson, Matthew Frazee, Jake Loney, Grant Pitzer, and Corbin Ellis.** Welcome to all of you!

### *Not a scout yet?*

It's never too late! Contact Richard Bruce (895-8512) or Dave Dusseault (896-1021), or just show up at a Pack event (with a parent) and talk to any of the scout leaders there!

## Kickoff



We've got a lot to look forward to this year, and we want to get things off to a great start with our Kickoff Picnic! This year's outdoor bash will be on Sunday, September 14 from 12:30-3:00. Come on down, grab a bite to eat and hear about all the great adventures your dens and Pack 209 have planned for you this year! As with all Pack events, families are welcome! Pack 209 will provide the main course (burgers and dogs), and we ask that everyone bring something to share, according to which den you are in. (See the chart.) Boat kits will also be available for the Raingutter Regatta, and you will be able to get information about other upcoming Pack events.

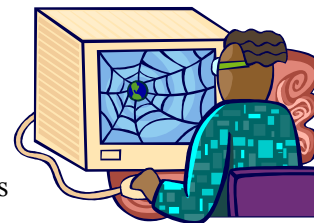
## *Here's what to bring to the picnic:*

**Tigers:** Desserts

**Bears:** Side Dishes (potato salad, beans, etc.)

**Webelos:** Salads, Chips, and tomatoes/lettuce for burgers

## *On the Web*



Have you looked at the [Pack 209 Website](#) lately? It's packed with information, games, and a photo gallery!

You can also find out about the world's easiest fundraisers: [GoodSearch](#) and [GoodShop](#). It's basically free money that goes to Pack 209! All you have to do is use it for your internet searching and shopping! No strings and no hidden "gotcha's"!

To find out more and to get to the link for St. Paul's [GoodSearch](#) page, visit the Pack 209 website at <http://stpaulstpete.com/Pack209>

See the back page for the calendar of Pack events, or just visit us on the web!

*See you on Sunday!*

## *Pack 209 Calendar, 2008-2009*

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### SEPTEMBER

- 8 Sign Up for Scouting Night; 7-8pm (setup 6:30)
- 14 Kick-off Picnic; 12:30-3pm
- 24 Committee Meeting; 7pm

### OCTOBER

- 5 Raingutter Regatta; 2-5pm
- 11 Tiger Growl
- 11-12 Show and Sell
- 22 Committee Meeting; 7pm

### NOVEMBER

- 1 Scouting for Food (Bags); 9am
- 8 Scouting for Food (Collect and Picnic); 9am-1pm
- 19 Committee Meeting; 7pm

### DECEMBER

- TBA Santa Parade
- 20 Game On; 11am-2pm (tentative)

### JANUARY

- 24 Pinewood Derby; 2:30 registration, 3pm race
- 28 Committee Meeting; 7pm

### FEBRUARY

- 8 Scout Sunday; 9:30 mass
- 21 St Paul's Campout; 3pm until Sunday am
- 25 Committee Meeting; 7pm

### MARCH

- TBA Weedon Island Canoeing

### APRIL

- 8 Committee Meeting; 7pm
- 18 Ft DeSoto Campout
- 29 Committee Meeting; 7pm (if needed)

### MAY

- 16 Blue and Gold Banquet

(Dens meet on there own schedules. Please see your den leader for information)