

PACK 736 News

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Cubmaster's Minute

By Mike Jozefowicz



During the month of February, we will be focusing all of our energies on preparing for the upcoming Blue and Gold Banquet, which will be held on Saturday March 5th. At this event, we will be presenting Cub Scouting's highest award the Arrow of Light to our 2nd year Webelos. They will then be presented to the Boy Scouts of Troop 736 for the Crossover Ceremony where they will become officially recognized as Boy Scouts. The Blue and Gold Banquet is also a time of pageantry and fun for all of the Scouts. We will recognize all boys who have earned rank advancement and thank the leaders of Pack 736. This year's theme is Scouting Through the Ages, a tribute to the 75th Anniversary of Cub Scouting. Each Den has been assigned a decade to research and will be dressing up in costume specific to their time. I encourage leaders and parents to join in the fun and dress up as well. I hope to see you there.

Yours In Scouting,
Mike Jozefowicz

Scout Sunday

Aldersgate United Methodist Church will be observing Scout Sunday on Sunday February 13th. Mike Kennedy has assigned each Den a service to attend and has a task for them such as greeter or usher. I ask that we show the church how much Pack 736 appreciates them by having great participation. All Scouts and leaders who attend on service on that Sunday should wear their Class A uniforms. All of the Cub Scouts and parents who completed the Religious Awards will be recognized during the services.

District Nominations Are Due

Nominations for the White Buffalo District must be turned in by this Thursday at the District Roundtable or at the Quivira Council office. To nominate a leader you can use one of the nomination forms in this newsletter or go on-line through the Quivira Council Website at www.quivira.org. Pack 736 has a rich tradition, but to my knowledge has never won the Pack of the Year. Will this be our year?

Eskimo Run

Oh, let it snow, let it snow. The annual Eskimo Run is coming up on us quickly. This is an outdoor event, this Saturday, February 5th at the south entrance to Sedgwick County Park. Check-in for the dens will be at 8:30am and the events will be underway at 9:00am. The event concludes at 2:00pm but you are welcome to come and go with your Scout as you wish. Everyone needs to bring a sack lunch or money to buy lunch at the Boy Scout fundraiser. The Pack will be serving hot chocolate at a warming station in the parking lot. Everyone needs to dress appropriately for cold weather. Hats, gloves and boots are a must. Wear warm shoes and clothes. Dressing in layers is recommended. Also remember to stay dry.



Friends of Camp Kanza

Camp Kanza is the official camp for the Cub Scout program. It has need of many repairs and cleaning. Del Wymann is the Cub Scout Ranger for the camp and is looking for support from the Cub Scout packs to help make the camp the best possible camp for our Cub Scouts. In preparation for our use of Camp Kanza at the Spring campout in April, we are looking for volunteers from every Den to participate at a work day in March. Tasks might include painting, repairs to buildings, and cleaning. Further details will follow in the next newsletter.

The work days for Camp Kanza are March 19th, April 2nd, May 21st. Tom Mead has a list of the things that need done. If anyone is interested in helping, you can give Tom a call at 650-6046.

Scouts For Health

Part of the Scout Oath is "To help other people at all times." Now you can do that and make money for our pack at the same time. The Quivira Council has approved a program brought to you by Right Choice Pharmacy *Plus*. Right Choice Pharmacy *Plus* has agreed to donate 50 cents to the Quivira Council, on our behalf, for each prescription filled for any member of a family that signs up for the program. "Family" includes all of your immediate family members, grandparents, aunts, uncles, neighbors, or even friends.

Right Choice Pharmacy *Plus* can fill prescriptions immediately for antibiotics, pain/anti-inflammatory, eye and ear drops, inhalers, anti-viral, topicals, and cold/cough/allergy meds. All other prescriptions are filled next day. Right Choice Pharmacy *Plus* also offers FREE DELIVERY.

Wichita locations:

13th & West, 31st & Seneca, Central & Webb, 13th & Waco, Central & Hillside, 21st & Maize

If you would like more information about this program or you would like to sign up, please see Mike J., Brad B., Jennifer W. (Den 7), or Angie J.

Top Popcorn Sellers

The following boys sold over \$500.00 worth of popcorn:

Den 1
Colby S
Logan J
Sam K
Tyler B

Den 2
Ryan B

Den 3
Andrew M
Andrew S
Brook B
Garrett H
Grant E
Reid A

Den 4
Dan K

Den 5
Colton S

Den 6
Danny S
Greyson H

Den 7
Eric H
Nathan G

Den 8
Preston B

Den 9
Cory H
Joshua B

Den 12
Brad G
Cameron T
Clayton W
Liam K
Lucas P

Den 14
John M
Torin P

Den 15
Alec L

Den 16
Marques J

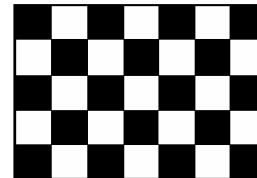
Den 18
Samuel U

Pinewood Derby Winners

Races:

	<u>Tigers</u>	<u>Wolves</u>	<u>Bears</u>	<u>Webelos</u>
1 st Place	Eric H.	Andrew M.	Jarod T.	Oliver S.
2 nd Place	Jacob B.	Reid A.	Nathan I.	Greyson H.
3 rd Place	Nathon G.	Garrett H.	Kaleb L.	John M.

	<u>Jr. Outlaws</u>	<u>Outlaws</u>	<u>Overall</u>
1 st Place	Bradly P.	A.D. H.	Oliver S.
2 nd Place	Faith H.	Tommy M.	Jarod T.
3 rd Place	Logan A.	Jeremy P.	Reid A.



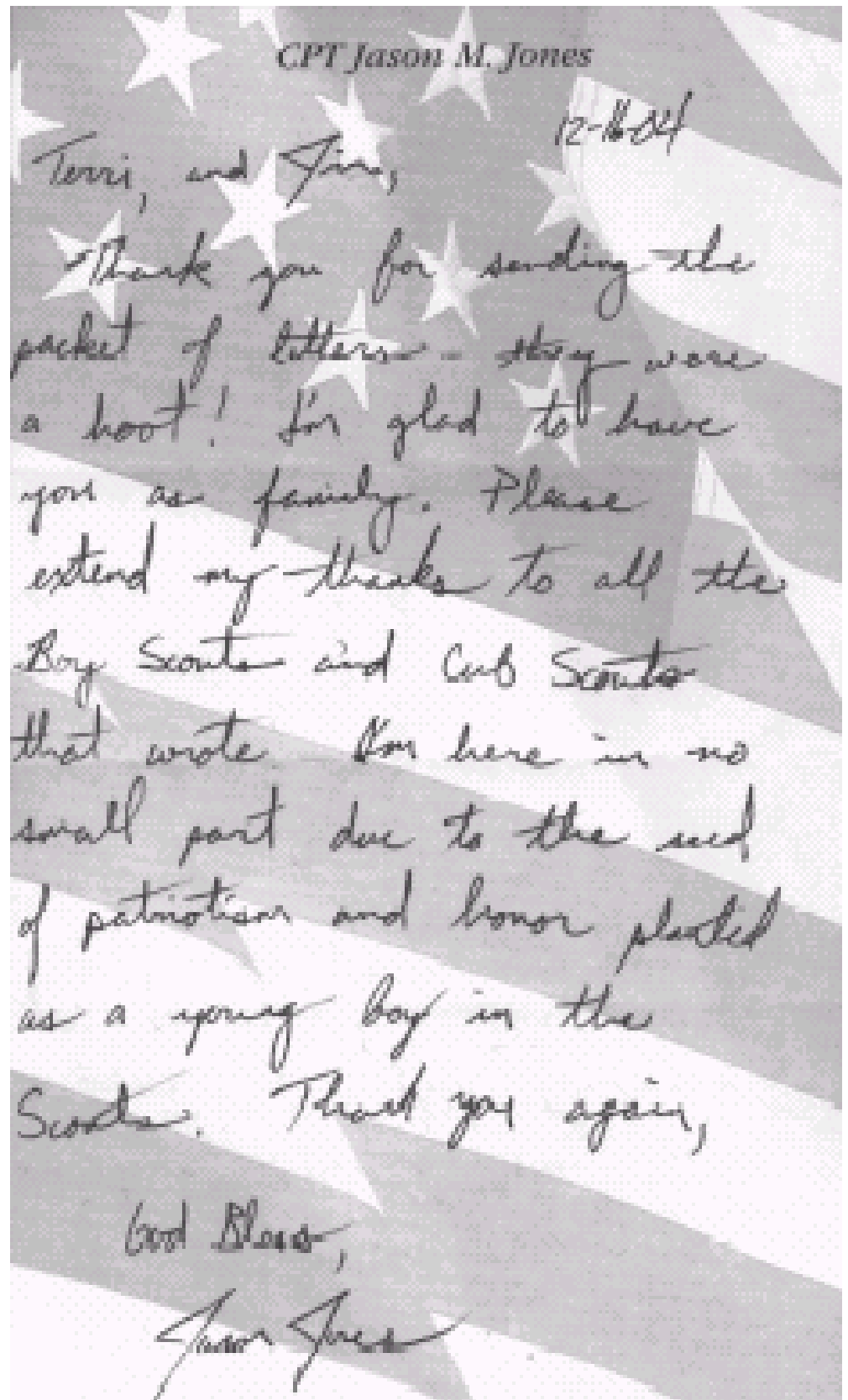
Plaques:

	<u>Tigers</u>	<u>Cubs</u>	<u>Jr. Outlaws</u>	<u>Outlaws</u>
Best Design	Preston B.	Garrett H.	Courtney H.	Tom M.
Best Paint & Body	Jet W.	Drew H.	Brittany L. & Derek T.	Tom M.
Most Unique	Jacob B.	Greyson H.	Courtney H.	Gayla M.
Most Comical	Preston B.	Riley P.	Landon K.	Riley T.

A Letter of Thanks

Here is a copy of a thank you letter received from Cpt. Jason Jones, a medic rescue pilot, serving in Afghanistan.

Many of the Scouts from Pack 736 wrote letters, which were sent to Cpt. Jones last year, prior to the holiday season.



DEN NEWS

DEN 2:

Congratulations to Mark who has earned his Wolf Badge. Way to go Mark!

Good Job to Connor, Joey, Dominic, Austin, James, Mark, Brandon, and Ryan who have worked hard to earn more arrows.

We had an ice cream social which the kids really enjoyed. We have been working on electives and the 75th Anniversary Award. We will continue to work on electives and get ready for the Blue and Gold Banquet. Den 2 has chosen 1950 for their year. Be thinking of costumes.

Den 2 had some great looking pinewood derby cars and they were speedy too. Way to go to all of you who built a car and raced it at the derby. See you at the Eskimo Run!

DEN 3:

Den 3 had an awesome January! All the scouts did an outstanding job selling popcorn. We were awarded a pizza party for having the top sales in the pack. The boys had a good time enjoying their pizza and bowling party.

Den 3 had great success at the Pinewood Derby. All the boys participated and had a great time designing, racing, and enjoying the food provided by the Boy Scouts. **Andrew M.** won 1st place in the Wolf division, **Reid A.** took 2nd in the Wolf division, and 3rd in the overall competition. **Garrett H.** took 3rd place in the Wolf division and was awarded a plaque for "Best Design" for his guitar car design. **Riley P.** was awarded a plaque for "Most Comical" for his Sponge Bob Squarepants design.

Den 3 Rocks!

DEN 7:

Den 7 has been working on our 75th anniversary badge and getting ideas together for Blue and Gold costumes and decorations. We read from the Jungle book, completed some related activities, worked on Home Safety, learned a song from the 30's and congratulations to all of the boys who just completed the work for the basketball belt loop. We are proud of all of you!!!

On a side note... The Sedgwick County Zoo has a program called "Nocturnal Adventures." If we get a minimum of 15 boys to participate, we can arrange for an overnight stay at the zoo. The cost to sleep in the Education building is \$17, one adult per 5 students, and the kids are \$7. To sleep in the Downing Gorilla Forest the cost is \$20, one adult per 5 students, and the kids are still just \$7. They need a minimum of two weeks notice. The groups will meet with education staff, participate in games, tours and animal visitors. Groups will sleep inside so you don't need to pack your tent!! You bring a snack dinner and an evening snack and morning juice are provided. Please contact Kathy, 729-6718, or stop by Den 7 if you are interested in getting a couple of Tiger Dens together. (This is open to ALL dens though - just contact Sedgwick Co. Zoo with a membership card holder)



Calendar

The calendar for upcoming events for Pack 736

Thursday	February 3	7:00	Roundtable @ Riverlawn Christian Church
Thursday	February 3	TBA	Youth Protection Training
Saturday	February 5	8:00	Eskimo Run – Sedgwick County Park
Monday	February 7	7:00	Pack 736 Den Meeting
Tuesday	February 8	7:00	Webelos II Den Meeting
Sunday	February 13		Scout Sunday at Aldersgate UMC
Monday	February 14	7:00	Pack 736 Den Meeting
Tuesday	February 15	7:00	Webelos II Den Meeting
Sunday	February 20	7:00	Parent/Leader Meeting
Monday	February 21	7:00	Pack 736 Den Meeting
Tuesday	February 22	7:00	Webelos II Den Meeting
Monday	February 28	7:00	Pack 736 Den Meeting
Tuesday	March 1	7:00	Webelos II Den Meeting
Thursday	March 3	7:00	Roundtable @ Riverlawn Christian Church – District Recognition
Saturday	March 5	4:30	Blue and Gold Banquet/Crossover/Pack Meeting
Monday	March 7	7:00	Pack 736 Den Meeting
Monday	March 14	7:00	Pack 736 Den Meeting
Monday	March 21		SPRING BREAK! NO Den meetings
Sunday	March 27	7:00	Parent/Leader Meeting
Monday	March 28	7:00	Pack Meeting

White Buffalo District Volunteer Recognition

I nominate the following Scout volunteer/Unit:

Name:

Unit:

For the following honor:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Cubmaster of the Year | <input type="checkbox"/> Pack of the Year |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Scoutmaster of the Year | <input type="checkbox"/> Troop of the Year |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Crew Advisor of the Year | <input type="checkbox"/> Crew of the Year |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Den Leader of the Year | <input type="checkbox"/> Camping Chair |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Committee Chair of the Year | <input type="checkbox"/> Popcorn Kernel |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Scouting for Food | <input type="checkbox"/> Advancement Person |

Spark Plug - A volunteer who inspires a positive attitude in the unit. Can be parents, family, others who volunteer.

This Scouter/volunteer should be considered because:

Submitted by:

Phone Number:

**Please return to District Representative or Scout Office
by Roundtable February 3, 2005**