

# PACK 435 PRESS—April 2008

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## Graduation/Swim

Cub Scouts, you have worked hard all year to complete the requirements needed to advance to the next rank. Now, it's time to

C E L E B R A T E !!

**Sign up tonight** with Stacey Anttila so we can plan this special event just you and your family!

Date: **Saturday May 17**

Place: Beach Middle School Cafeteria/Pool

Times: 4:00 Ceremony

5:00 Swim

6:00 Pot Luck and Pizza Dinner

Attire: Wear your uniform (optional swimsuit underneath)

Bring: *Dish to pass according to your rank*  
Tiger—Fruit Dish  
Bear—Veggie Dish or Healthy Munchie  
Wolf—Dessert  
Webelos—Dessert

Don't forget your swim stuff!

RSVP: Tonight at the Committee table. After tonight, you sign up any time **before Thursday May 1** by contacting Stacey at 433-9751.

The Pack will provide Cottage Inn pizza, drinks, and tableware.

## Bring a Friend to Scouting

Do you have a buddy who loves fun and adventure? Invite him to join your den! After all, more boys means **more fun!**

Your friends can join scouting any time of the year. Bring a friend to a den meeting -- check with your leader first, or invite him and his parent to a summer event.

We can also send your friend a personal invitation to join Pack 435. Just give his name, address, and phone number to Stacey Anttila or Cubmaster Cole.

## Camping is FUN!

**Survivor Day Camp, June 23<sup>rd</sup>-25<sup>th</sup> 8am to 3:15pm**  
at the Tri-County Sportsman Club in Saline  
Cost: \$40 per scout (includes t-shirt).



Three full days of fun and adventure for boys entering grades 1-5 in the fall. Day camp is a great chance for Scouts not attending Resident Camp to get to do things like shoot BB guns and learn archery which they wouldn't normally get to do outside of a camp atmosphere. Parent volunteers are required for our boys to attend this camp. Duties of parent volunteers include walking with and keeping track of the boys as they rotate through activity stations. We have to provide one parent walker for every five of our boys every day. This usually means that each parent will be required to attend one of the three days. If there is interest in carpooling, we will need a parent to coordinate that as well. There is no charge for parent walkers ( t-shirts - \$10).

You can get registration forms from Michele Mullens tonight are at [www.gstcbasa.org](http://www.gstcbasa.org). Please have your registrations and payments to Michele by the graduation swim event.

### **Mom & Me at Munhackle (Last Chance!)**

A special opportunity for each Cub Scout to spend a fun night of Camping, Crafts, Shooting Sports, Nature, etc. with that special woman in his life. Register with Michelle tonight. \$16.00 per person. Check in 5:30–7:00 pm on Friday May 9. Closing Ceremony, 4:15 pm May 10.

### **Resident Camp Forms (Required!)**

Every Scout and parent attending resident camp must have a **health form**. Health forms are available from Michele Mullens tonight or at [www.gstcbasa.org](http://www.gstcbasa.org). Please return your health forms to Michele by the graduation swim event. Also available online is a Parent and Leader Guide Book with many answers to frequently asked questions about resident camp.

**Resident Camp Parent Orientation** will be held Sunday, June 8th at 2p.m. and Thursday, June 12th at 7p.m. at Camp Munhackle (20120 Bartell Road, Gregory, MI 48137). All parents attending resident camp are encouraged to attend orientation.

**If you have any questions about camp, contact Michele Mullens, Camp Coordinator at 433-9626 or [muldezvg2@cs.com](mailto:muldezvg2@cs.com).**

## USS Silversides— Last Chance!



Webelos and Bears are eligible to camp on the WWII submarine USS Silversides, Oct. 18~19. \$26 per camper is due tonight—see Karen Schop at the Committee table ([schop1@sbcglobal.net](mailto:schop1@sbcglobal.net)). Contact Mark Peterson with questions ([mpgoblue@charter.net](mailto:mpgoblue@charter.net)). Pack provides dinner...breakfast is up to the group.

## District Derby News

**Jack Martin** had so much fun building the pinewood derby car for the Pack race, that he wanted to build a new car for the District Championships. District rules allowed the racers to do a little more tweaking to the wheels and axles, so Jack was able to make an even faster car with a really cool paint job that changed colors from green to blue to purple depending on the angle that you viewed the car. Jack had a blast and did a great job representing Pack 435 by finishing 3rd of 34 Tiger Cubs! **Chris Schop** placed 20 of 30 Bears, and **Reese Smith** placed 15 of 31 Wolves. Way to go boys – you make the Pack proud!

## Scouting for Food

Pack 435 did a great job helping out with this year's Scouting for Food event. Chelsea Scouting groups worked together to collect food, inspect for expiration dates, and sort it all by category for the FIA pantry. Families in our community can go to FIA and choose safe, healthy food items just like they would at the grocery store.

**Riley & Tyler Lukomski, Cullen Lindsay** made sure families didn't get ancient fruits, vegetables, and Jiffy mix. This year's record for outdated items: a box of Jell-O from 1980! ICK! (Expired stuff gets tossed.)



Use by: 1980

**Kirby Hubbard** and **Joshua Cole** also worked to fulfill their Cub Scout Promise to *help other people*. When **Reese Bowen** checked in at 9:45 a.m. on pick-up day, he found the work was all done! Sorry, Reese! Great work, boys... we want you all back next year!

## 2007-08 PACK 435 CALENDAR (Confirm date, time, and location with your leader.)

4/24	<b>TONIGHT'S PACK MEETING BUSINESS!</b> Tigers and Wolves Advancements Silversides, Mom & Me, Day Camp Registrations Health Forms for Resident Camp Fundraiser Survey	North Creek Elem
5/9-10	Mom and Me Overnight 5:30pm May 9 – 4:30 pm May 10 (Register with Michelle Mullens)	Camp Munhackle
5/17	Graduation/SWIM 4-7pm	Beach Middle
5/26	Memorial Day Parade (Allen Cole)	Downtown
6/21 Sat	Open Swim Family Event (Stacey Anttila) 12-2pm	Beach Middle School Pool
6/23-25	District Day Camp Survivor, 9-4 daily (Michelle Mullens)	Tri-County Sportsmen's League Club, 8640 Moon Rd., Saline MI
7/26	Toledo Mudhens Scout Sleepover	Fifth Third Park, Toledo
Summer	Pack Picnic/Bike Ride (Date TBA) Service Project: Adopt-a-Student Backpacks (Date TBA) Resident Camp (various dates)	Hudson Mills Metropark Faith In Action Camp Munhackle
8/12 Tues	Scout Night with the Detroit Tigers, 7:05pm (Register by 6/28 online at <a href="http://www.gstcbasa.org">www.gstcbasa.org</a> by clicking on the calendar date. Let your Den Leader know if you are attending.)	Comerica Park (Tickets will be sent by mail and are first-come, first served.)
8/23 Sat	Fair Parade (Gary Handloser)	Downtown parking lot to Fairgrounds



= Summer Activity Award event. Den Leaders and Pack Committee meet monthly. Interested parents are welcome to attend these meetings. Please contact Stacey Anttila at 433-9751 or [slantila@chartermi.net](mailto:slantila@chartermi.net) for details.