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## Greater Cleveland Council, B.S.A. Newsletter

**WEEKLY EMAIL NEWS 12/14/09**

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Dear Quarrylands Leaders, Parents and friends,

If you have not noticed the Quarrylands District has been undergoing some changes over the last several months. The newest item to change is the district website, www.quarrylands.net or www.quarrylands.com. We hope you like the change and we promise to do our best to keep the website up to date.

Now a terrible way to die.....

ANNOUNCEMENTS, ANNOUNCEMENTS, ANNOUNCEMENTS.....

DISTRICT COMMITTEE: (UPDATED 12/1/09)

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Thursday, January 7, 2010, 7 p.m. at Berea United Methodist Church, 170 Seminary St., Berea, OH.

### **ROUNDTABLE UPDATE: (UPDATED 12/1/09)**

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Thursday, January 14, 2010, 7 p.m. at United Methodist Church of Berea, 170 Seminary St., Berea, OH.

Friends of Scouting 2010: (UPDATED 12/14/09)

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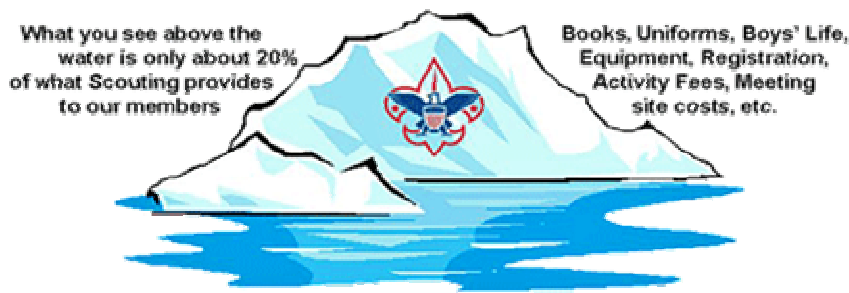
The Friends of Scouting campaign provides vital support for the programs and services of the Greater Cleveland Council. The money raised through Friends of Scouting offsets the costs of training leaders, operating camps, our service center, as well as providing other resources to Cub Scout packs, Boy Scout troops and Venturing crews throughout our council.

It cost the Greater Cleveland Council \$175 to provide a quality Scouting experience for one boy per year. Parents of Scouts and community members play a vital role in the annual Friends of Scouting campaign by contributing to the program.

Each pack, troop and crew should recruit a volunteer, known as the unit coordinator, to help educate parents, maintain contact with the presenter, and help follow up with families who were not present during the presentation. If your unit is not listed below please contact Rob Kenehan, (440) 572-2137 or [rikenehan@wowway.com](mailto:rikenehan@wowway.com), with your unit coordinator name and email.

*The "True" Cost of Scouting*

*"The Iceberg Analogy"*



*But there is a whole lot more below the waterline!*

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| <p><b><i>Volunteer and Staff Training</i></b></p> <p>Training for more than 6,000 volunteer leaders every year.</p> <p><b><i>Insurance Coverage</i></b></p> <p>To protect our volunteers, charter organizations, staff members and properties.</p> <p><b><i>Support Staff</i></b></p> <p>For registration, typing publications, and program support.</p> <p><b><i>Reference Publications and Resources</i></b></p> <p>Everything from program planning kits and Program helps to camping information books.</p> <p><b><i>Camp Promotion</i></b></p> <p>For Beaumont Scout Reservation, Tinnerman Canoe Base.</p> <p><b><i>Friendly Camp Rangers</i></b></p> <p>To keep our beautiful camps up-to-date and ready to our Scouts.</p> | <p><b><i>Camp Equipment</i></b></p> <p>Tents, cooking equipment, camp vehicles, building repairs, canoes, equipment replacement and repair, and upkeep of your council camps.</p> <p><b><i>Recognitions</i></b></p> <p>For leaders who attend training, volunteer for special projects and help out in many roles throughout Scouting.</p> <p><b><i>Professional Staff</i></b></p> <p>Who work with volunteers to organize new units, manage fund-raising programs, conduct trainings, work with membership recruitment, provide counseling and advice for your district, our camps, and programs.</p> <p><b><i>Administrative Needs</i></b></p> <p>Postage, computers and link-up to National Computer System, copy machines, folding machines, print shop.</p> | <p><b><i>Service Center</i></b></p> <p>Utilities, insurance, repairs and care for our headquarters at Flag Plaza.</p> <p><b><i>Charter Fees</i></b></p> <p>For every Scouting youth, leader, and unit.</p> <p><b><i>Audio Visual Supplies</i></b></p> <p>Used in training camp Used in training camp support.</p> <p><b><i>Postage</i></b></p> <p>Mailings to leaders, parents, and youth members.</p> <p><b><i>Council Newsletter</i></b></p> <p>Our newsletter so you know what is going on locally in Scouting.</p> <p><b><i>Council Website</i></b></p> <p>Go online (<a href="http://www.gccbsa.org">www.gccbsa.org</a>) to learn more about our council and its program</p> <p><b><i>Unit Program Calendar</i></b></p> <p>And many other items provided to help you plan your weekly program.</p> |
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The majority of the costs of Scouting program, like running our camps, record keeping, materials, training programs, support staff and insurance are hidden beneath the surface, just like an iceberg. The 80 percent that isn't visible is what keeps the rest afloat. Help keep Scouting afloat!

**DAY CAMP: (UPDATED 12/14/09)**

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Visit www.daretoexploregcc.com

Cub Scout Day Camp is offered throughout the summer in Cuyahoga County, Quarrylands District offers a quality program June 21 – 25, 2010 at Cuyahoga County Fair Grounds, Berea, OH. This program, which runs Monday through Friday, offers a fun-filled week of challenging Cub Scout activities, exciting adventures and new friendships. Cub Scout Day Camp is for boys who will be in the 1st – 5th Grade in the fall of 2010. If your son will be in the 1st grade in the fall of 2010 he must have an adult partner (not considered volunteer) attend camp with him. Join us for Day Camp this year as we celebrate “Scouting

Around the World". Going to Cub Scout Day Camp together with friends from your own Den or Pack really increases the fun for everyone! Dens are formed according to age and school grade. If your child wants to be with a certain child or leader, please let us know by writing that information on the bottom of the registration form. In order to maximize fun for the boys, individual Packs are urged to coordinate their attendance at Day Camp, including recruitment of Day Camp leadership and transportation.

**BE SURE TO REGISTER EARLY AS SPACE IS LIMITED!!
WALK-ONS WILL NOT BE GUARANTEED A T-SHIRT OR PROGRAM SUPPLIES,
SO DON'T MISS YOUR CHANCE SIGN UP NOW!!**



Cub Scouts will participate in many types of activities which may include archery, arts and crafts, field sports, nature, Scout skills, and a variety of other events. All areas (especially archery and other shooting sports) place a special emphasis on safety procedures. Cub Scout advancement is included in the program although we "disguise" it as part of the fun! Safe fun is the main goal of camp!

What to bring

Each day Cub Scouts should bring a water bottle (fill at home) towel, rain gear, and a sack lunch that does not require refrigeration. Be sure the Cub Scout's name is on everything that he brings to camp.

What to wear

Shorts or cool pants, t-shirt and tennis shoes (No Sandals, Crocs or Heelies). Spray with bug repellent and apply sunscreen before leaving home. On Monday your son will be issued a Cub Scout Day Camp T-shirt to be worn during the week

Cost

Early Bird \$65.00 if paid by the Early Bird Deadline of April 30th. Regular fees are \$80.00 if paid after Early Bird Deadline of April 30th. You must be registered by the Early Bird Deadline to be guaranteed a t-shirt on the first day of your camp. To be considered registered you must have registration and health form complete and total fees paid. Camp scholarships are available for Scouts with financial need. The deadline for camp scholarships is April 3rd, 2010. You can find the camp scholarship forms at www.gccbsa.org. Please review the list of camps available and select the one most convenient for you and your son. All camps are on a first come, first served basis.

VOLUNTEER FOR STAFF

(You might even have fun yourself!)

To ensure a successful Day Camp program for our Cub Scouts, volunteers are needed at camp to assist the Staff and guide the Cubs through each day's activities. The volunteer staff is comprised of a Camp

Director, Program Director, Field Sports Director, Program Staff, Den Chaperones and Assistants, Instructors and additional support staff as needed. All these positions must be filled by volunteers. Day Camp can not happen without your help. We need new volunteers. Please complete a separate registration form for volunteers.

If you or someone you know would like to volunteer please contact www.daretoexploregcc.com for a complete Adult Volunteer Application.

Cub Scout Activities and Training: (UPDATED 12/14/09)

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February 13, 2010 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Webelos Readyman course, 9 am – 3 pm at Brook Park Memorial Elementary, – Contact Christie Kort at [kkort3@aol.com](mailto:kkort3@aol.com)

February 6, 2010 Cub Scout Freezeout – Contact Joe Cook (216) 458 – 8923 or [joe.cook@scouting.org](mailto:joe.cook@scouting.org)

April 10, 2010 District Pinewood Derby – Contact Ed Brewster (440) 785-3759

April 17, 2010 Basic Adult Leader Outdoor Orientation, Berea United Methodist Church, 170 Seminary St., Berea, OH 44017, Cost \$25.

June 21 – 25, 2010 Quarrylands Day Camp at Cuyahoga County Fairgrounds

**Boy Scout Activities and Training: (UPDATED 12/14/09)**

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January 30, 2010 Klondike, Bonnie Park, Strongsville – Camping allowed – Contact Jansen Musselman (440) 503-3442 or JmanGDBB@aol.com

March 19-21, 2010 Outdoor Leader Skills, Beaumont Scout Reservation, Cost \$35 – Contact Patrick O’Leary at (440) 846-9665 or PHOBSA@att.net

March 15, 22, 29 2010 Boy Scout Specific Leader Training, Strongsville Library

Venturing Activities and Training: (UPDATED 12/1/09)

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Venturing is for youth ages 14- 20 years of age for co-ed youth to explore hobbies, high adventure, religion or Sea Scouting. Did you know that our district has a sailing program, a photography program, soon a new teen drama program, and several high adventure programs? If you have a youth who is interested in any of these programs please email [joe.cook@scouting.org](mailto:joe.cook@scouting.org) for more information.

**Quick Links...**

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www.quarrylands.net or www.quarrylands.com

www.qccbsa.org

www.scouting.org

www.daretoexploregcc.com

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