

Foster City Cub Scout Pack 447

Girls are Now Welcomed to Cub Scouting!

Join our Open-House, at the Audubon Elementary MPR, May 6th, 6-7pm.

Designed for girls and boys in grades 1-5, Cub Scouts is part of the Boy Scouts of America. The Cub Scout experience includes fun, excitement, outdoor opportunities and a chance to take part in a program that emphasizes participation, “doing your best,” and helping others.

Youth safety is the highest priority of Scouting. Screened and trained volunteer parents lead each Den and the Pack. Cub Scouting is for Scouts and families as they work and learn together.

Pack 447 activities planned for 2018-2019:

- Building & racing Pinewood Derby cars
- Community service: Coastal Cleanup, Scouting for Food, Memorial Day Flag Placement, and Nature Conservancy
- Camping, hiking, bowling, ice skating, fishing, archery, and more!
- Overnights: Chabot Observatory, Jeremiah O’Brien, Cal Academy, and more!
- [Fun, educational activities with a focus on lifelong values](#)



PACK ACTIVITIES

Monthly Den Meetings – scheduled between Den leaders and Scout parents, and held at a specific location or at a Scout’s home, [with Scouts in a single grade as planned by the Den.](#)

- Meetings include activities to progress toward rank awards, plus games, crafts, sharing, songs, ceremonies and lots of fun. Dens may have a monthly field trip activity.
- Parents of the Scouts in the Den (aka “Akela,” meaning “adult leaders”) lead the Den meetings. Two parents in particular in each Den volunteer to serve as trained Co-Leaders.

Monthly Pack Meetings – [All of the Dens grades 1-5 meet together as a Pack](#), typically on the 3rd Monday of each month from 7-8pm in the Audubon Elementary LGI Room.

- Pack meetings have various activities, including visitor demonstrations, achievement awards, and special races of cars, boats or rockets the Scouts make with their Akelas.

There are often optional weekend activities, organized by the Pack or the Pacific Skyline Council. See the previous 2017-2018 Pack 447 calendar to see what may be available this year.

COMMITMENTS

Parents/Guardians are encouraged to participate as much as possible in the Den and Pack 447 activities. They are required to volunteer for one pack committee and one den meeting -or- serve on the leadership team. Cub Scouts maintain better enthusiasm when parents participate side-by-side with them!

Attend Monthly Den and Pack Meetings with your Scouts

Help your scouts with badge requirements

- Review the Scout handbook with your Scout to understand the requirements for advancement
- Ensure that home assignments and family activities are completed
- Track and submit achievements to the Den leader

Volunteer

- Serve on the Pack 447 leadership team, or
- Serve on a Pack 447 committee (events or popcorn fundraising), or
- Lead a Den meeting or activity

COST

Annual Renewal Registration Fee is \$100:

- National and local application fees
- Scouting awards earned throughout the year
- Neckerchief & slide
- Scouting handbook
- Pack meeting activities
- Den meeting activities

The new Scout registration fee is \$120, which includes everything listed above, plus a Pack 447 T-shirt (Class 'B' Pack Uniform).

The fee is kept low with the help of funds raised by Pack 447 Popcorn Sales.