



22 January 2010

Happy New Year Cubs and Parents!

Cubs commences on Thursday 28 January 2010!

Same time (6:30-8pm; arrive ~6:20pm);

same place (Jerrabomberra Scout Hall);

a few new faces (welcome Daniel);

and some 'old' ones (welcome back Rama!).

Yep, after a break from Scouting (for some), the Cub Leaders are keen to get back to Scouting. A Cub term program is attached, along with a 2010 year planner to help with longer term planning. However, from time to time changes to activities/times/locations are necessary and beyond our control. In these cases, the Cub Leaders endeavour to give as much notice as possible.

So Be Prepared for changes (to the program);

Be prepared to get wet and dirty (during activities),

Be Prepared for fun (and to join in activities); and

Be prepared to be challenged (and to try new things).

But if in doubt, Be Prepared to approach a Cub Leader (and we will try to help)!

This term, along with providing a fun-filled program for the Cubs, the Cub Leaders are trying to work out the best way to keep the Cub yellow books up to date. The Cub yellow book contains all the badges that a Cub can achieve: the Link badge, Award (Boomerang) scheme, Achievement badges and Special badges. Throughout the year, the Cub program aims to cover a large portion of the Award (Boomerang) work. If a Cub attends all the Cub meetings and activities programmed, they will generally only have only a few activities left to do at home to complete their level Boomerang. Achievement and Special badges are completed at home, although there are a few badges such as swimming, canoeing, Their Service, Our Heritage and cycling that may be completed as a pack activity. Older Cubs may want to complete their Grey Wolf, the highest award that a Cub can achieve. If you would like to complete your Grey Wolf read your yellow book (p12) and talk to a leader.

In an effort to keep the yellow books up to date, we would like a parent (not necessarily the same parent each time) to volunteer to stay and help on the following nights: 18 and 25 February, and 11 and 25 March. Our aim is that on these nights, a Cub leader and/or parent helper will sign the yellow books. However, parents are welcome to stay and help any time!

We are proud to be Scouts, so ***please ensure that your Cub wears their full uniform to all activities*** unless otherwise advised by a leader. For activities away from the Scout Hall this enables quick and easy identification of the Cubs. ***Cubs are also asked to bring their yellow books and a water bottle to all Cub Pack meetings and activities.***

So print off the [term planner](#), attach it to the fridge and join us either this Thursday (29 January) or next!

Regards,

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