

## Pack 46 Adventures

Pack 46 Cub Scouts have many opportunities to enjoy activities that capture the interest of boys yet are fun for the entire family, including siblings. Our Cub Scouts learn essential skills and enjoyment of outdoor activites, community involvement, personal safety, sports, academics and the environment.

Pinewood Derby – Cubs build and decorate 7" pinewood cars and race them down a 25-foot ramp, a classic event that's fun for all



**Sporting Events** – Scouts have the opportunity to earn activity patches while having fun watching sporting events like the Monster Trucks & Harlem Globetrotters.

Camping events - In June, Day Camp provides three packed days of fun-filled games, crafts, shows, and activities. In July, the resident Camp at camp Fleishman provides a 3 day / 3 night camp experience for the whole family. Also in July we will hold our pack camping trip.

**Service Projects** – A few service projects we have done for our community: planted trees, food drives, and served food to homeless families through a program called family promise and more.



## Pack 46

Pack 46 is open to all 1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> grade boys regardless of school attended. Our cubs mostly attend Jesse Hall and Alyce Taylor, but a few attend other schools in the area.

**Fees** – Pack membership is \$27 a year which includes Boy's Life subscription. Membership covers most expenses for the boy throughout the year, including awards, patches, and various materials. Dues of \$2 are paid per week to the den for items used to do achievements, including craft items.

**Our Affiliations-** We are officially sponsored by the Greenbrae Lions. Pack 46 is part of the Nevada Area Council, Boy Scouts of America.



## **How to Join Pack 46**

Plan to attend any pack or den meeting – no obligation – just check us out – we'd love for you to visit!

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# Cub Scout Pack 46 Sparks, Nevada

Winter Spring Summer Fall We do it all!

## Come join our fun!

Visit us on the web at: http://cubpack46.scoutlander.com/



## Welcome!

**Scouting is fun with a purpose** and the purpose is to raise boys who respect themselves and others, and who have strong character. Pack 46 is dedicated to a lively Cub Scout experience with activities that capture the interest of boys yet are fun for the entire family.



## Why Kids Like Pack 46

"We do fun stuff."

"We get to make things."

"We win awards."

"We go to fun places."

"We get to be with our friends."

"We help people."

"Camping is fun."



## Why Parents Like Pack 46

Builds children's skills, character, and self-esteem

Kids have fun learning practical skills and knowledge

Lots of recognition of achievements

Trips to enjoyable places you might not get to otherwise

Meet other families with similar interests

Parents and siblings are involved. Scouting strengthens families!





## Who We Are

#### How we are organized

Our pack is organized by dens. Each den has boys of similar grade level. Dens are a great way to make and stay in touch with friends. Boys may join at any grade, whether or not they've been scouts before.

1<sup>st</sup>-graders are in Tigers

2<sup>nd</sup>-graders are in Wolves

3<sup>rd</sup>-graders are in Bears

4<sup>th</sup>-and 5<sup>th</sup>-graders are in Webelos

#### Meetings

Den meetings are usually on Monday nights at Jesse Hall Elementary School. Our Pack meetings are usually on the last Monday night of the month at Jesse Hall Elementary...

**Our leadership** is both mothers and fathers, and even a few grandparents!



## What Pack 46 is Not

**Exclusive** – We welcome boys and families of all backgrounds.

**Secularly religious** – Scouting intentionally embraces all religions and offers achievement awards for learning about any of 25 of the world's religions.

Day care –You should attend the meetings and events and be with your son. Cub Scouting is generally not a drop-your-son-off activity. Our activities are parent / son oriented. Parents provide our pack and den leadership, and everyone is expected to do their part to help run pack and den activities.



## **Achievements and Awards**

One of Scouting's biggest benefits is the structured exposure to skills and practical knowledge that can help boys mature in family life, at school and in the community.

The youngest Scouts can earn recognition for achievement in Family, Den, or Go-See-It activities. They participate in all scouting events with an Adult Partner (usually Mom or Dad).

As Scouts grow, they can learn essential skills and enjoyment of outdoor activities, community involvement, personal safety, sports, and the environment. They earn emblems of recognition as they progress throughout the Cub Scout achievements and electives for their age group. All Scouts can also earn recognition for 24 different sports accomplishments including virtually every ball sport plus skating, fishing and swimming.

**Academic accomplishment** is also very important with recognition of accomplishment in 25 areas including:

Art – Astronomy-Chess-Computers-Geography-Heritage-Language and Cultures-Maps and Compass- Mathematics-Music-Science-Weather-Wildlife Conservation

Webelos are the oldest Scouts and can earn 20 pins signifying their proficiency in Physical, Mental, Community, Technology, and Outdoor activities. The Webelos program also prepares boys to join Boy Scouts at the end of fifth grade.