

Next Meeting: 6:30 pm Thursday Feb. 26th, 2009

Next meeting is our Pinewood Derby! If you haven't started working on your car, you better get started.

We will be racing our Pinewood Derby cars down the track to see who has the fastest car in their group (Tigers, Wolves, Bears, and Webelos). Then all of the winners will race to find out who is the fastest car in the pack. THE ULIMATE PACK CHAMPION!

After the race the first and second place cars for each group will be boxed up and stored in a high security area until the district Pinewood Derby in April. (April 18-19 at Pecatonica High School)

Service Awards Available:

If you would like to earn a service patch and make someone feel better, volunteer at your school, church or other local service organization. If you volunteer and serve the community for 2 hours you will be eligible for a service patch and bar.

- **Scouting for Food:** If you are interested contact me for more information regarding collecting food for local food pantries
- **Noah's Ark:** Volunteer at Noah's Ark to help take care of stray animals. They are always looking for help... even to just pet the dogs and cats. Call: 815.962.2767

Upcoming Scout Related Events:

- Boy Scout Continuous Fire Through Feb. 14th Harlem United Methodist Church, 8411 North Alpine, Rockford, IL
- Webelos Engineer Pin Class Feb. 21st ,10am-1pm Discovery Center– 711 N. Main St. Rockford 815-963-6769
- Webelos Astronomy Pin Class Feb. 21st ,10:30am-2pm Burpee Center– 737 N. Main St. Rockford 815-965-3433 or www.burpee.org/education/scouts.asp
- Council Pinewood Derby April 18-19 2008 (Pecatonica High School)

Future Meeting Dates:

Mark your calendars, we can confirm Pack Meetings on the following dates: Feb. 26, Mar. 12, Mar. 26 (Meeting at Gayle Edge's House), Apr. 9, Apr. 23, May 7, May 21.

