

SUPER CUB SUMMER PASSPORT







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Letter to the Parents

Welcome to a great summer adventure of being a Cub Scout parent! As a Cub Scout your child will have the opportunity to grow, learn and have fun doing Cub Scout activities!

The Super Summer Passport program was designed to give you, your Cub Scout and your family an idea of the Cub Scouting program! Within this passport you and your son will find four different themes. Each theme was created to give your son a better understanding of himself and his surroundings. We are very aware that the current economy may create challenges for some households. With that in mind we have worked hard to provide a program that may be accomplished with little to no cost.

To achieve the "Super Cub Summer Award," your Cub Scout must complete 2 activities from each theme and 4 additional activities for a total of 12. If your Cub completes 16 of the activities he will earn the "Super-Duper Cub Summer Award" and for those who complete the entire passport we will have a special "Extreme Cub Summer Award!" If available have your son tape, color, stick, draw, or stamp something from the activity in the box provided.

Once your son has completed his activities please fill out the last page, tear it off and send it to:

Baltimore Area Council 701 Wyman Park Drive Baltimore, MD 21211 Attn: Summer Passport All forms must be received by <u>SEPTEMBER 1</u> HAVE FUN AND WELCOME TO CUB SCOUTS! <u>Notes</u>

Cub Scout Information Form

<u>Congratulations on completing</u> <u>your activities!!</u>

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Cub Scouts: A Family Program

Family involvement is essential to Cub Scouting's success. When we talk about "family" in Cub Scouting, we're sensitive to the realities of present-day families. Many Cub Scouts do not come from traditional two-parent homes. Some boys live with a single parent or with other relatives or guardians. Cub Scouting considers a boy's family to be the people with whom he lives.

Family Activities

As a program for the entire family, Cub Scouting can help families teach their children a wholesome system of values and beliefs while building and strengthening relationships among family members.

Your Role as a Parent

Cub Scouting helps parents and sons grow closer, and your involvement as a parent of a Cub Scout is vital.

Becoming a Leader

Volunteer leaders support Cub Scouting by serving in many roles, and often find great satisfaction in lending their support to youth and the community.

The BSA Family Award

The BSA Family Award program offers activities to help strengthen all families — whether two-parent, single-parent, or nontraditional.

Cub Scout Promise

I, (name), promise to do my best To do my duty to God and my country, To help other people, and To obey the Law of the Pack. Law of the Pack

The Cub Scout follows Akela. The Cub Scout helps the pack go. The pack helps the Cub Scout grow. The Cub Scout gives goodwill.

Cub Scouting's 12 Core Values

Citizenship: Contributing service and showing responsibility to local, state, and national communities.

Compassion: Being **kind** and considerate, and showing concern for the well-being of others.

Cooperation: Being **helpful** and working together with others toward a common goal.

Courage: Being **brave** and doing what is right regardless of our fears, the difficulties, or the consequences.

Faith: Having inner strength and confidence based on our trust in God.

Health and Fitness: Being personally committed to keeping our minds and bodies clean and fit.

Honesty: Telling the truth and being worthy of trust.

Perseverance: Sticking with something and not giving up, even if it is difficult.

Positive Attitude: Being **cheerful** and setting our minds to look for and find the best in all situations.

Resourcefulness: Using human and other resources to their fullest.

Respect: Showing regard for the worth of something or someone.

Responsibility: Fulfilling our duty to God, country, other people, and ourselves.

Cub Scouts

In 1930, the Boy Scouts of America initiated a program to help younger boys through Cub Scouting. It is a year-round family program designed for boys who are in the first grade through fifth grade (or 7, 8, 9, and 10 years of age).

First graders are called Tiger Cubs, and participate in the program with an adult partner. Second graders are called Wolves; third graders are Bears. Fourth- and fifth-grade (or 10-year-old) boys are called Webelos (WE'll BE LOyal Scouts) and participate in more advanced activities that begin to prepare them to become Boy Scouts.

Parents, leaders, and organizations work together to achieve the purposes of Cub Scouting. Currently, Cub Scouting is the largest of the BSA's three membership divisions.

> The 10 purposes of Cub Scouting are: **1. Character Development** 2. Spiritual Growth 3. Good Citizenship 4. Sportsmanship and Fitness 5. Family Understanding 6. Respectful Relationships 7. Personal Achievement 8. Friendly Service 9. Fun and Adventure

10. Preparation for Boy Scouts



Cub Scout's Information	<u>District</u>	Pack
	Date of	
Name	Birth	
	Home	e phone
Address	()
City	State MD Zip	
	Parents	
Parent's Name	email	

Some of the activities will also correspond to achievements and electives in your Handbook. Consult your handbook for specific information.

	Activity	Date	Adult partner Sign-off
1	Went swimming at a public pool		
2	Picked up Cub Scout Handbook		
3	Attended a Summer Pack Event		
4	Attended Cub Day Camp/Twilight Camp		
5	Got a friend to join Cub Scouts:		
	Name:Pack#		
6	Attended a religious service		
7	Read a short story to your parent		
8	Checked smoke detectors in your home		
9	Made and shared a family snack		
10	Went for a bike ride with your parent		
11	Had a Family Picnic		
12	Visited a workplace		
13	Visited a Police or Fire Station		
14	Visited a County, State, or Town Fair		
15	Visited a public library		
16	Took a hike in a park		
17	Visited an airport or train station		
18	Took a ride on public transportation		
19	Visited a science center/museum		
20	Visited an art museum		
~ .	Visited a zoo		
	Visited an aquarium		
	Visited a sporting event		
24	Visited a national monument		
	Super Cub = 12 Activities Supe	r-Dunar Ci	ub = 16 Activities

Activities, Super-Duper Cub = 16 Activities, Extreme Cub = 24 Activities

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Exploring My World

Exploring Me

VISIT A SCIENCE MUSEUM/CENTER	VISIT AN ART MUSEUM		VISIT A PUBLIC SWIMMING POOL	PICK UP CUB SCOUT HAND- BOOK AND REVIEW PARENT GUIDE WITH PARTNER
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VISIT A ZOO	VISIT AN AQUARIUM	ĺ	ATTEND A SUMMER PACK	ATTEND A CUB SCOUT
	0		Event	CAMP
				DAY-ÇAMP
ATTEND A SPORTING EVENT	VISIT A STATE/NATIONAL Monument or Park		Recruit a Friend to Join You in Cub Scouts	Attend a Religious Service
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Exploring My Family

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READ A SHORT STORY TO	CHECK ALL SMOKE
YOUR PARENT	DETECTORS IN YOUR HOME
MAKE AND SHARE A FAMILY	GO FOR A BIKE RIDE WITH
SNACK	YOUR PARENT
HAVE A FAMILY PICNIC	VISIT A PARENT'S
	WORKPLACE

Exploring My Community

