

## Pack 191

Avondale, PA



Thank You for your interest in joining Pack 191! Here is some information about our Pack!

Scouting is fun with a purpose, and the purpose is to raise boys and girls who respect themselves and others and who have strong character.

Pack 191 is dedicated to a lively Cub Scout experience with activities that capture the interest of boys and girls yet are fun for the entire family! Our Cub Scouts learn essential skills and enjoyment of outdoor activities, community involvement, personal safety, sports and the environment.

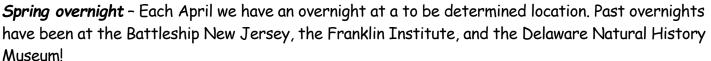
#### Pack 191 annual events include:

Pinewood Derby - Cubs and parents build and decorate cars and race them down a 25-foot ramp

*Fall Overnight* – Each year in October Scouts and their parents spend the weekend at Camp Horseshoe.



**Blue and Gold Banquet** – Cubs and family celebrate the founding of Scouting over a pot luck dinner and celebrate the Arrow of light scouts as they crossover to Scouts BSA.













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Pack 191 is open to all boys and girls between first and fifth grades. Boys and girls may join the pack at any time, whether or not they've joined a pack before.

Pack membership costs \$100 per year and covers:

- 1) All fees and food for the Fall overnight at Camp horseshoe.
- 2) The purchase of all awards, pins, and pinewood derby cars.
- 3) 1 Class B t-shirt for all scouts.
- 4) The cost to re-charter with Chester County Council
- 5) Modest food and snacks for special events.

Each Scout is placed in a den based on their grade (see chart below for specifics and details). A den is typically 3-7 scouts under the leadership of a volunteer den leader. Dens meet individually per the chart below and monthly with the entire pack.

### **Grade and Ranks:**

Grade	Rank	Typical Meeting Schedule and	Rank Description
		specifics	
Kindergarten	Lion	Lions Meet once a month as a den with parents required to be actively involved. A lion coordinator facilitates the first few meetings and then every parent steps in to host a den meeting.	The Lion Cub program has exciting indoor and outdoor activities specifically designed for kindergarten age youth and their adult partner. Adult partners (guardians) are there to support and guide, allowing the new Cub Scout to discover risks and rewards under the security of adult supervision. Lion Cubs learn by doing. As they learn and grow, the relationship with their adult partner (guardian) grows as well. At the conclusion of their kindergarten year, the Lion Cub will transition to Tiger Cubs where they'll earn the Bobcat badge and continue on to even more exciting and educational adventures through Cub Scouting.
1 <sup>st</sup>	Tiger	Tigers meet once or twice a month as a den and once monthly with the pack. Tigers are required to have a registered adult partner and are accompanied by that adult partner to every meeting and event. A volunteer den leader receives training on the program and facilitates the den meetings.	The Tiger rank is for youth who are in first grade or age seven. To earn the Tiger badge, a youth must complete six required adventures with the den or family and one elective adventure of the den or family's choosing. As the youth completes each adventure, they will receive the adventure loop to wear on their belt. After completing the seven required adventures, they have earned the Tiger badge.  After earning the Tiger badge, a Tiger Scout can work on the remaining 12 Tiger electives until they finish first grade (or turns 8 years old). They can choose elective adventures to learn new hobbies and skills. For completing an elective adventure, they'll get an additional loop.



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2 <sup>nd</sup>	Wolf	Wolves typically meet twice a month as a den and once a month with the pack. A volunteer den leader receives training on the program and facilitates the den meetings.	The Wolf rank is for Cub Scouts who have finished first grade or are eight years old. To earn the Wolf badge, a Cub Scout must complete six required adventures and one elective adventure. The parent or guardian, and den leader, approves each requirement by signing his book. The Cub Scout receives an adventure loop for each adventure and after meeting all requirements, has earned the Wolf badge.  After earning the Wolf badge, a Wolf Scout can work on the remaining 12 Wolf electives until they finish second grade or turn 9 years old. They can choose elective adventures to learn new hobbies and teach skills that will be useful during their Scouts BSA years. For completing an elective adventure, they'll receive an additional adventure loop.
3rd	Bear	Wolves typically meet twice or thrice a month as a den and once a month with the pack. A volunteer den leader receives training on the program and facilitates the den meetings.	The Bear rank is for youth who have finished second grade or are nine years old. To earn the Bear badge, a youth must complete six required adventures and one elective adventure. Their parent or guardian, and den leader, approves each requirement by signing their book. The youth receives an adventure loop for each adventure and after meeting all requirements, has earned the Bear badge.  After earning the Bear badge, a Bear Scout can work on the remaining 12 Bear electives until they finish third grade or turns 10 years old. They can choose elective adventures to learn new hobbies and skills. When they complete an elective adventure, they receive an additional adventure loop to wear.
4 <sup>th</sup>	Webelo	Webelos typically meet weekly as a den and monthly with the pack. A volunteer den leader receives training on the program and facilitates the den meetings.	Webelos dens are for youth who have completed third grade or are ten years old. Webelos Scouts get to work on the five required Webelos adventures and choose two of the 18 elective adventures that are shared by the Webelos and Arrow of Light ranks. After finishing the requirements for an adventure, the Webelos den leader, rather than a parent, approves most of the adventures. For each adventure a youth completes, they receive a pin to wear on the Webelos colors or on their hat. After completing seven adventures, including five required adventures and two elective adventures, a youth has earned the Webelos badge.  After earning the Webelos badge, a Webelos Scout can work on the remaining 18 shared Webelos and Arrow of Light electives until they finish fourth grade or turn 11 years old. A Webelos Scout can choose elective adventures to learn new skills or hobbies that will be useful during their Scouts BSA years. For completing an elective adventure they'll receive an additional adventure pin.
5th	Arrow of Light	Arrow of light candidates typically meet weekly as a den and monthly with the pack. A volunteer den leader receives training on the program and facilitates the den meetings.	ARROW OF LIGHT The highest rank in Cub Scouting is the Arrow of Light, preparing a Webelos Scout to become a member of Scouts BSA. Scouts must complete four required adventures and three elective adventures to earn the Arrow of Light rank. For each adventure a Scout completes, they receive a pin to wear on the Webelos colors or on their hat.  After an Arrow of Light Scout has earned the The Arrow of Light badge they're ready to join a Scouts BSA Troop! The Arrow of Light is the only Cub Scout badge that can be worn on the Scouts BSA uniform. Adult leaders who earned the Arrow of Light rank may also show their achievement by wearing a special square knot on their uniform.