



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA® HAWK MOUNTAIN COUNCIL

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DID YOU KNOW?

Herbie Hawk is at least 50 years old! The below includes information from

Henning's Scouters' Pages:

<http://www.scouters.us/history.html#anchor195223>



Designed by the late Richard F. (Dick) Kurr in the early 1970's, Scouts of all ages know and love Herbie Hawk. He's the Council's symbol personified.

Checking the records, there is evidence that the first Herbie was displayed publicly in 1971, 1972 or 1973. Then he had a serious,

straightforward expression. It didn't take him long however, to develop his own character. In short order, the second Herbie was on the scene with a prouder expression.

He may be a caricature; but, one almost feels he comes alive as he emotes loyalty, fidelity, trustworthiness, determination, grit, or any one of many expressions that will reflect the mood fitting the situation. He's got character!

Through the years, then, Herbie began to get more and more boldness in his lines; more emphasis in his expressions, and uniquely characteristic flamboyance in his artistic emotions.



Not only does Herbie have character, he has heritage. He's not just any old fictitious bird. He was selected from among seven kinds of hawk to represent Hawk Mountain Council. Herbie's inspiration is the Goshawk, appropriately defined as "...large, short-winged hawks, noted for their powerful flight, activity and courage."



FIRST CARICATURE STYLE

HERBIE HAWK



HMSR LOGO FEATURING
CURRENT HERBIE HAWK



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LETTER TO THE ADULTS

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

The Super Cub Summer Passport program was designed to keep you, your Cub Scout, and your family engaged with the Cub Scout program throughout the summer! Within this passport, you and your Cub Scout will be given opportunities to explore four different themes. Each theme is meant to give your Cub Scout a better understanding of themselves and their local surroundings. We have worked hard to develop a program that is as engaging as it is fun!

Complete as many activities as you can to receive a FREE patch after the summer. Although we encourage your Cub Scout to do as many as they can, like the Cub Scout motto says: "Do Your Best!" - which means doing one activity or all earns the patch! Whenever possible, have your Cub Scout tape, color, stick, draw, or stamp something related to the activity in its box.

NOTE: We understand that some activities may be difficult to do—use your imagination to come up with a similar activity! (example: instead of visiting a fair, research upcoming ones or watch news store about them)

Use the back page to track completion of activities. Once completed, let your **Cubmaster** know so they can tell us how many patches to send to the Pack. A Scout is honest; you do not need to provide the completed tracking page. **If you are not with Hawk Mountain Council**, please mail or email notice of completion to the below address.

Hawk Mountain Council, BSA

Attn: Cole Mitchell | cole.mitchell@scouting.org

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Please send notice of completion by August 31st, 2023!

COMPLETION TRACKER

Cub Scout Name: _____ Pack #: _____

Adult Helper Name: _____

Phone number / email: _____

Some of the activities may also correspond to achievements and electives in your rank Handbook. Consult your specific rank Handbook for more information!

Activity	Date Completed
1 Went to park	_____
2 Picked up Handbook	_____
3 Attended Pack Event	_____
4 Attended Council camp	_____
5 Got a friend to join	_____
Name: _____ Pack #: _____	
6 Attended religious service	_____
7 Read short story with family	_____
8 Checked smoke detectors	_____
9 Made/shared family snack	_____
10 Spent time outdoors with family	_____
11 Had a family picnic	_____
12 Relative's work or hobbies	_____
13 Local police/fire/EMS	_____
14 Went to a fair	_____
15 Went to a public library	_____
16 Spent time park / nature area	_____
17 Airport/train station	_____
18 Public transit	_____
19 Science center / museum	_____
20 Art museum / gallery	_____
21 Zoo	_____
22 Aquarium	_____
23 Sporting event	_____
24 Simple science experiment	_____

NOTES

CUB SCOUTS: A FAMILY PROGRAM

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

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

Scout Oath

On my honor

I will do my best

To do my duty to God and my country,

To obey the Scout Law,

To keep myself physically strong, mentally awake,
and morally straight

Scout Law

A Scout is: Trustworthy, Loyal, Helpful, Friendly,
Courteous, Kind, Obedient, Cheerful, Thrifty,
Brave, Clean, and Reverent

Cub Scout Motto

Do Your Best!

CUB SCOUTS

In 1930, the Boy Scouts of America initiated a program to help younger boys (and since 2017, younger girls) called Cub Scouting. It is a year-round family program designed for boys and girls who are in Kindergarten through Fifth grade (or 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 years of age)

Kindergarteners are called Lion Cubs, and participate with an adult partner who works closely with the Scout.

First graders are called Tiger Cubs, and they too participate with an adult partner that works closely with them.

Second graders are called Wolf Cubs, and it is at this level that they begin to work more as a Den, with less one on one adult partner contact.

Third graders are called Bear Cubs. This is the level where the Scouts begin to have a more intricate activities to prepare them for what lies ahead on the Scouting path.

Fourth graders are called Webelos which means “**WE**’ll **BE** **LO**yal **S**couts”, and Fifth graders are in the Arrow of Light candidate den. These are the levels where Scouts begin to do many more Scout skills and activities to prepare them to become Scouts in the Scouts BSA program!



DAY CAMPS

June 19-23: Daniel Boone Homestead, Birdsboro

June 26-30: Maiers Grove Park, Blandon

July 3-7*: Hawk Mountain Scout Reservation

*Join your Scout for a family event on July 4th!

July 10-14: Cacoosing Meadows Park, Spring Twp.

July 17-21: Hawk Mountain Scout Reservation

RESIDENT CAMPS

July 2-5 Cub Resident Session 1

July 5-8 Cub Resident Session 2

July 23-26 Webelos Resident Session 1

July 26-29 Webelos Resident Session 2

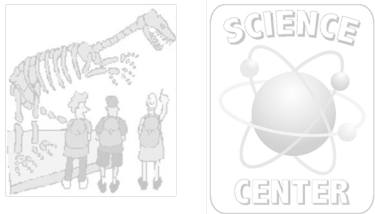


Registration, Pricing, and Leader
Information available January 15th:
<https://hmc-bsa.org/summer-camp-2023/>



EXPLORING MY WORLD

19. VISIT OR WATCH A PROGRAM ABOUT A SCIENCE CENTER, NATURAL HISTORY MUSEUM, OR OTHER DISCOVERY PLACE



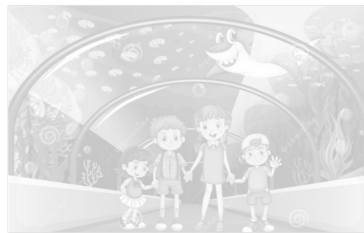
20. VISIT OR WATCH A PROGRAM ABOUT AN ART GALLERY OR MUSEUM



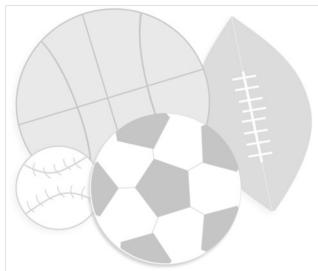
21. VISIT OR WATCH A PROGRAM ABOUT A ZOO



22. VISIT OR WATCH A PROGRAM ABOUT AN AQUARIUM



23. ATTEND OR WATCH A SPORTING EVENT



24. DO A SIMPLE SCIENCE EXPERIMENT (SAFELY!)



EXPLORING CUB SCOUTS

1. VISIT A PUBLIC PARK



2. EXPLORE THE PAGES OF A RANK APPROPRIATE CUB SCOUT HANDBOOK



3. ATTEND A PACK EVENT



4. ATTEND A COUNCIL DAY CAMP OR COUNCIL OVERNIGHT CAMP

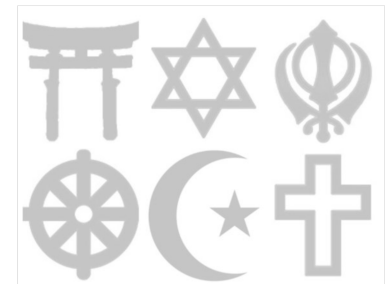


5. RECRUIT A FRIEND TO JOIN YOU IN CUB SCOUTS—HAVE THEM FILL OUT AN APPLICATION TO JOIN THE FUN!



Your friends can sign up online at www.beascout.org or on paper. Make sure they know your Pack #!

6. ATTEND A RELIGIOUS SERVICE



EXPLORING MY FAMILY

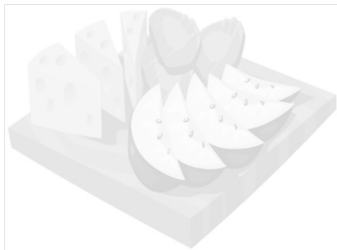
7. READ A SHORT STORY TO OR WITH YOUR FAMILY



8. CHECK ALL SMOKE DETECTORS IN YOUR HOME



9. MAKE AND SHARE A SNACK WITH YOUR FAMILY

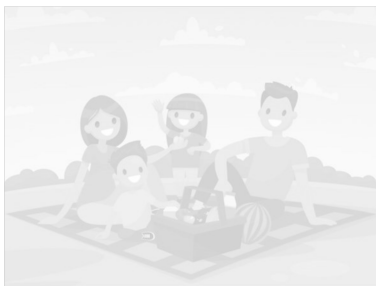


10. SPEND TIME OUTDOORS WITH YOUR FAMILY



A WALK OR BIKE RIDE IS A GOOD IDEA IF YOU ARE ABLE!

11. HAVE A FAMILY PICNIC



12. TALK WITH A RELATIVE ABOUT THEIR WORK OR HOBBIES



EXPLORING MY COMMUNITY

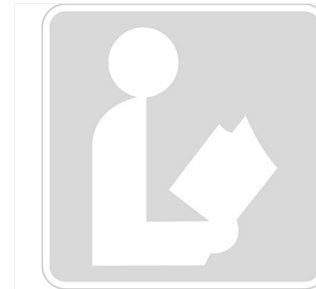
13. RESEARCH OR VISIT YOUR LOCAL POLICE, FIRE, OR AMBULANCE STATION



14. VISIT A TOWN, CITY, COUNTY, OR STATE FAIR NEAR YOU



15. VISIT A PUBLIC LIBRARY

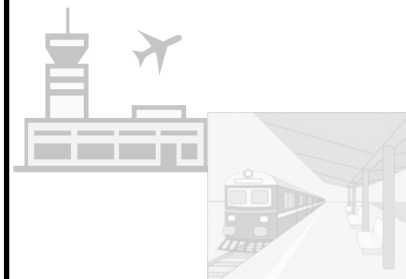


16. SPEND TIME OUTDOORS IN A LOCAL PARK OR NATURE AREA



A HIKE IS A GOOD IDEA IF ABLE, BUT DON'T FORGET YOUR SIX ESSENTIALS!!

17. RESEARCH OR VISIT THE NEAREST AIRPORT OR TRAIN STATION AND HOW THEY WORK



18. RESEARCH OR VISIT THE NEAREST PUBLIC TRANSIT AND HOW IT WORKS

