

CUB PACK PLANS SIGN-UP NIGHT



Cub Scout Pack 281, sponsored by the Dallas United Methodist Church, will hold its annual School Sign-Up Night for new Scouts from 6 to 8:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Sept. 8, at the Dallas Elementary School Cafeteria. Pack 281 offers programs for boys from kindergarten to fifth-grade and new Scouts are welcome at any time. Shown here are graduates of last year's inaugural Lion Cub Program for kindergarten boys. From left, are Lukas Polachek, Tommy Janoski, Kyle Havrilla, Matthew Oley, Colby Zern and Johnny Sobocinski.

Scouts enjoy Acahela

Wolf Scouts, Bear Scouts and Webelos from Pack 281, Dallas, recently attended Camp Acahela in Bear Creek for a week-long learning adventure.

The Scouts participated in various activities, such as swimming, tubing on the Lehigh River, BB gun shooting, action archery, rocketry, the obstacle course and other various Scout skills.

The week culminated with a camp-wide campfire where awards were distributed and the boys performed a skit for the camp.

Pack 281 earned the best decorated campsite award.



Scouts from Pack 281, Dallas, who recently attended Camp Acahela in Bear Creek are, from left, Garret Pall, Drake Dettore, Tanner Saraceno, Jacob Stefanowicz, Vladimir Gingo, John Macey, Ivan Gingo, Josh Bacon, Kyle Ripa, Alex Perry, Brayden Saraceno, Michael Lrakowski, Klay Zimmerman, Derek Siperko and Elijah Chester.

Pack 281 is chartered by the Dallas United Methodist Church.

The boys were accompanied by adult leaders Aric Gingo, Randy Perry, Ed

McClain, Ron Krakowski, Jim Siperko, Don Zimmerman and Brian Saraceno.

Many parents also attended during the course of the week.



Three members of Boy Scout Troop 232, Gate of Heaven Church, Dallas, were recently honored at an Eagle Scout Court of Honor. From left, are Matt Fromel, Senator Lisa Baker, Michael Theroux and Brian Ghezzi.

Three become Eagle Scouts

Scouts Michael Theroux, Brian Ghezzi and Matt Fromel of Boy Scout Troop 232, Gate of Heaven Church, Dallas, were acknowledged by family members, friends and guests at an Eagle Scout Court of

Honor held Aug. 15 at the Knights of Columbus in Luzerne.

Senator Lisa Baker attended the Court of Honor and presented the Scouts with official citations which recognized

their many accomplishments. United States Congressman Christopher Carney, Pennsylvania State Representatives Karen Boback and Phyllis Mundy sent official citations to the Scouts.

Sixth Annual Powwow set for Sept. 25

The Sixth Annual Noxen Volunteer Fire Company Intertribal Powwow with free admission will be held from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 25 and from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Sunday, Sept. 26 at the Noxen Fire Co. grounds on Stull Road, Noxen, Wyoming County.

The event, which honors all nations and especially veterans, is a gathering for all people sponsored by the Noxen Fire Co. Gates open at 10 a.m. with Grand Entry of all dignitaries

and dancers in full regalia at noon Indian Time and again at 7 p.m. Saturday and at noon on Sunday. Dennis Wagner's Veterans Honor Guard will be featured in the traditional Veterans Honoring Ceremony.

Richard Gray Owl Greene will serve as emcee with several drums performing throughout the weekend. Storyteller is Grace Dove and Firekeeper is Walter Howell.

The event will feature Native

American dancing, drumming, storytelling, fry bread by Donna, crafts, beadwork, jewelry, blankets, food by the Noxen Fire Company and much more.

Admission is free. Dogs are welcome but must be leashed and cleaned up after at all times. Participants are asked to bring their own lawn chair.

All drums are welcome. Volunteers are also needed and may call Natalie "Wisteria" at 947-2097.

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