

Pack 377



**Messiah Lutheran Church
Brownsburg, Indiana**

Meet the Pack 377 Leaders



**Cubmaster
Greg King**



**Assistant Cubmaster
Cory Moyars**



**Committee Chair
and Treasurer
David Huang**



**Popcorn "Kernel"
TJ & Amy Koepp**



**Wolf Den Leader (2nd) Den #3
Robbie Jones**



**Bear Den Leader (3rd) Den #6
Randy Hicks**



**Arrow of Light Den Leader (5th) Den #4
Vanessa Hake**

Den Leaders Needed for K & 1st & 4th



Lion

Kindergarten



Tiger

First Grade



Webelos

Fourth

Grade

- Scouting experience is NOT required!
- The Pack Leaders will help you get started.
- Den Leader Training is available online.
- Simply follow the activities in the Handbook

Benefits of Cub Scouting

The Cub Scouts program aims to prepare youth to grow into self-reliant and dependable adults. Cub Scouts achieve this with a lineup of hands-on, fun activities and adventures focused on:

- Character Development
- Spiritual Growth
- Good Citizenship
- Sportsmanship and Fitness
- Family Understanding
- Respectful Relationships
- Personal Achievement
- Friendly Service
- Fun and Adventure
- Preparation for Boy Scouts

Youth Protection

- Leadership Selection

The Boy Scouts of America takes great pride in the quality of our adult leadership. Being a leader in the BSA is a privilege, not a right. The quality of the program and the safety of our youth members call for high-quality adult leaders. We work closely with our chartered organizations to help recruit the best possible leaders for their units.

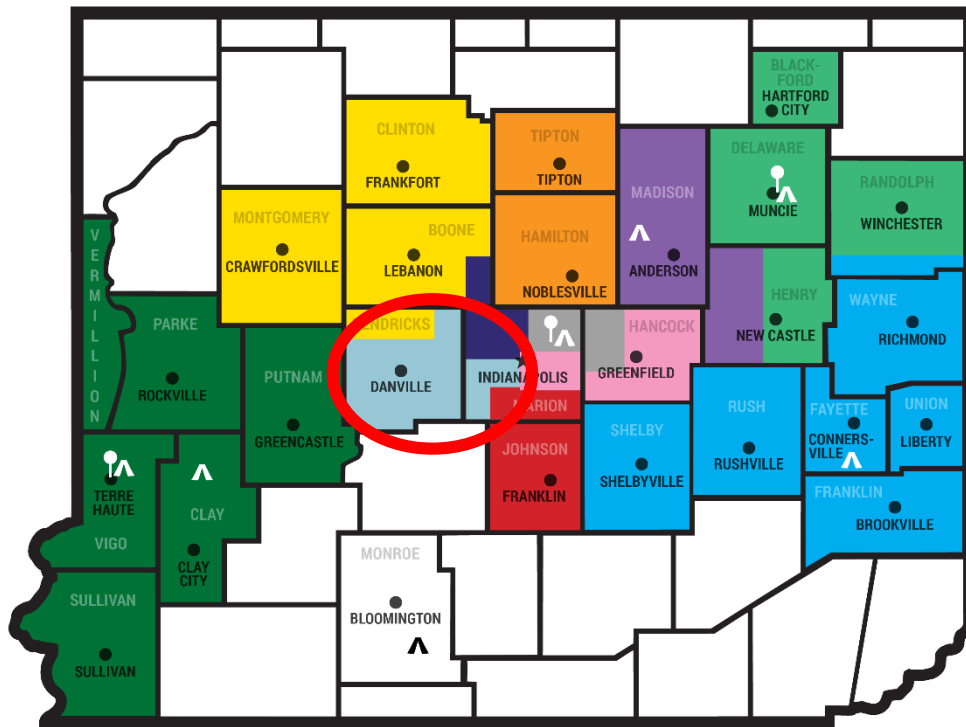
- The adult leader application requires background check information

- Required Training for Leaders

- Youth Protection Training is required for all BSA registered volunteers and is a joining requirement for Leaders.

Cub Scouts Organization

- **National:** Scouts BSA (US)
 - **Council:** Crossroads of America Council (Central Indiana)
 - **District:** Hou Koda (most of Hendricks and some of Marion)
 - **Unit:** Pack 377 (Cardinal and Delaware Trail)**



Additionally, each unit partners with a “Chartered Organization” which supports Scouting to serve the youth in the community. Pack 377’s Chartered Org is *Messiah Lutheran Church Brownsburg*. (You do NOT have to be a member of this church or any church to be a Scout.)

**Open to youth from ANY school!

Pack 377 Organization

Pack

The pack is made up of several dens. The make up and size of the pack varies based on local interest and resources. Each pack is identified by a number.

Cubmaster

The leader of the pack meeting is the Cubmaster. In addition to serving as the master of ceremonies the Cubmaster provides support to Den Leaders.

Dens

A small group of Cub Scouts who are the same gender and in the same grade. The ideal size is 6 to 8 Cub Scouts.

Den Leaders

An adult, usually a parent, serves as a Den Leader. They carry out the activities related to adventures as they are presented in the Cub Scout's handbook and the Den Leader Guide.

Pack Committee

Made up of parents, leaders, and other caring adults the pack committee works to support den leaders and the cubmaster.

Pack Committee Chair

The top volunteer in the pack is the Pack Committee Chair. They are responsible for ensuring enough qualified adult volunteers are in place to provide the program. They lead the pack committee meetings.

Cub Scout Advancement Plan

In Scouting, advancement is the process by which a member meets certain requirements. The Cub Scout advancement program is a blend of activities Scouts do in their homes with family support and activities they do in a den meeting setting. As requirements are completed, Scouts are awarded recognition items to mark their progress.

Regardless of grade, all Scouts who join Cub Scouts start by earning the Bobcat badge. After receiving the Bobcat badge, a child works on the requirements based on their grade level.



Lion

Kindergarten



Tiger

First Grade



Wolf

Second Grade



Bear

Third Grade



Webelos

Fourth & Fifth Grade

REQUIRED ADVENTURES FOR CUB SCOUT BADGES OF RANK



Kindergarten

Lion's Honor

Animal Kingdom

Mountain Lion

King of the Jungle

Fun on the Run

1st Grade

Games Tigers Play

My Tiger Jungle

Team Tiger

Tiger Bites

Tiger Circles: Duty to God

Tigers in the Wild

Elective

2nd Grade

Call of the Wild

Council Fire

Duty to God Footsteps

Howling at the Moon

Paws on the Path

Running with the Pack

Elective

3rd Grade

Baloo The Builder

Bear Claws

Bear Necessities

Fellowship and Duty to God

Fur, Feathers, and Ferns

Paws for Action

Elective

Webelos 4th grade and continues until the Scout joins a Troop

Cast Iron Chef

Duty to God and You

First Responder

Stronger, Faster, Higher

Webelos Walkabout

Elective

Building a Better World

Duty to God in Action

Outdoor Adventurer

Scouting Adventure

Elective

GET CONNECTED

- Join the Brownsburg, IN Pack 377 Facebook Group!
 - Search for: “ indypack377 “ Make sure it’s the one in Brownsburg, Indiana!
 - It’s a closed group, submit a join request, and we’ll approve it for parents and family members of registered scouts
- We have a website:
www.pack377.org
- We use “Scoutbook” for scheduling and tracking Rank progress
 - More info and registration walkthrough in a minute



Pack 377 Dues

- Annual Dues for Pack 377 are \$110 for September-August
- Dues are due at time of submitting an application
 - Pay by Cash, Check (“Pack 377”), Card*, or Popcorn Credits *from prior year*

Per Scout Per Dues Year	
Rank Handbook	\$17
Neckerchief	\$10
Slide (one-time issue)	\$6
Earned Belt Loops and Patches	\$15
Pinewood Derby Kit	\$5
Raingutter Regatta Kit	\$5
National Dues	\$33
Insurance	\$1
Scout's Life Magazine	\$12
Pack 377 Tshirt (one-time issue)	\$10
Total	\$114

Other expenses supported by Dues and Fundraising
Pack and Den activity supplies
Facility Use Fees
Misc Awards (prizes, PWD trophies)

Optional but encouraged Pack Activities that are not included in Dues
Fall Cabin Camping at Belzer (Nov) (~\$20 per person, parent must attend with scout)
Winter Ice Skating (Jan)(~\$10)
Blue & Gold Banquet (Feb)(\$10-\$15 per person, inc dinner)
Summer Pack Canoe Day Trip (July)(~\$20 per person, parent must attend with scout)

Summer Camp Fees
Camp for scouts going into 1st & 2nd Grades in 2020 ~\$90
Camp for scouts going into 3rd & 4th Grades in 2020 ~\$155
Camp for scouts going into 5th Grade in 2020 ~\$225

*Payments made by Credit/Debit Card via Square require ~4% card processing fee

2019-2020 Pack 377 Schedule

2019

- Th 9/5, Den Mtg, 6:30pm, MLC
- Sa 9/7 Hou Koda Fun Day, 9a-3p, Avon Town Hall Park
- Th 9/19, Pack Mtg, 6:30pm, Arbuckle Upper Shelter by playground
- Th 10/3, Den Mtg, 6:30pm, MLC
- Su 10/20, Popcorn Sales End
- Su 10/27, Pack Mtg, 6pm, MLC (Trunk-or-Treat)
- Sa-Su 11/2-11/3, Pack377 Cabin Camping, Camp Belzer*
- Th 11/7, Den Mtg, 6:30pm, MLC
- Th 11/21, Pack Mtg, 6:30pm, MLC
- Th 12/5, Den Mtg, 6:30pm, MLC
- Th 12/19, Pack Mtg, 6:30pm, CARDINAL Cafeteria

2020

- Th 1/9 Den Mtg, 6:30pm, MLC
- TBD Jan, Pack Ice Skating*
- Sa TBD: 1/18 OR 1/25, Pinewood Derby!, 12:30pm Don Schumacher Racing Garage
- Th 2/6, Den Mtg, 6:30pm, MLC
- Th 2/20, Pack Mtg, 6:30pm, TBD
- Sa 2/29, Annual Blue & Gold Dinner, 5:30pm, West Middle School Cafeteria*
- Th 3/5, Den Mtg, 6:30pm, MLC
- Th 3/19, Pack Mtg, 6:30pm TBD: MLC or CARDINAL CAFETERIA
- Sa 3/TBD, HK District PWD, TBD, TBD
- Th 4/9, Den Mtg, 6:30pm, MLC
- Th 4/23, Pack Mtg, 6:30pm, CARDINAL CAFETERIA
- Th 5/7, Den Mtg, 6:30pm, MLC
- Sa 5/16, Pack Mtg, Graduation Cookout & Camping, 5pm, Hidden River
- June TBD, Summer Camp*
- July TBD, Pack 377 Canoe Day Trip*
- Th 8/20, Pack Mtg, Raingutter Regatta, 6:30pm, MLC

NOTES:

- Some Den Leaders may choose to change the date/time/location of some Den Meetings for certain activities
- MLC = Messiah Lutheran Church, 801 S. Green, Bburg
- * denotes activity that requires extra fee not included in dues

Parents at Den Meetings

- For all Dens/Grades, parents are always welcome and encouraged to stay and participate - and if needed, assist the Den Leader
 - *Lion (K) and Tiger (1st) Parents are required to stay with their scout(s) at Den Meetings*
 - *Please support your child (and the Den Leader) by assisting with behavior and attention*
- Please make sure any side conversation among parents during den meetings does not disrupt or distract the Den Leader's program. Thanks!

Indianapolis Scout Shop Info

Golden-Burke Scout Center

7125 Fall Creek Road North

Indianapolis, IN 46256

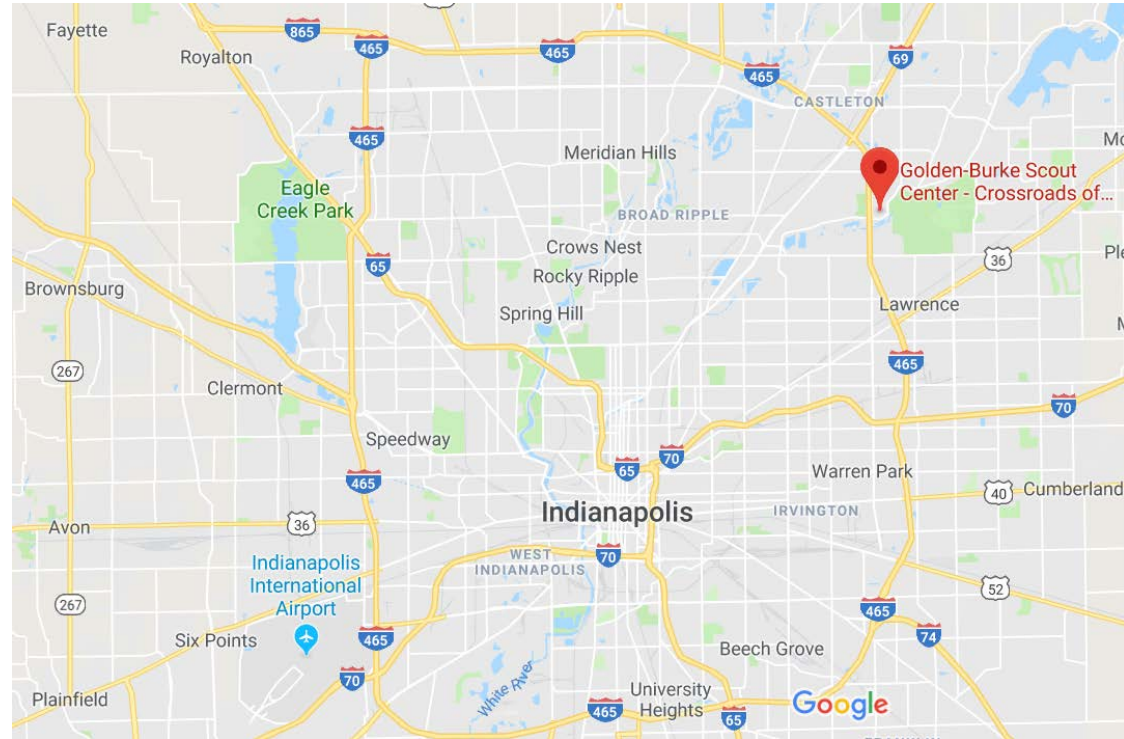
Phone: (317) 813-7125

Toll Free: (877) 925-1900

Fax: (317) 813-7126

Scout Shop Hours

Monday	8:30AM - 7:00PM
Tuesday	8:30AM - 5:00PM
Wednesday	8:30AM - 7:00PM
Thursday	8:30AM - 5:00PM
Friday	8:30AM - 7:00PM
Saturday	9:00AM - 3:00PM
Sunday	Closed



Cub Scout Uniform (Required Components)



\$24.99 from ScoutShop

Cub Scout Youth Short-Sleeve Uniform Shirt,
Navy



Cub Scout Cut-To-Fit Uniform Web Belt

SKU: 646297
\$9.99



\$2.29 from ScoutShop
World Crest Scout Emblem



Crossroads of America Council Patch
\$2.50



Cub Scout Unit Numeral Emblem - 3

SKU: 10403
\$1.49



Cub Scout Unit Numeral Emblem - 7

SKU: 10407
\$1.49



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SKU: 10407
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1st Grade: 2
2nd Grade: 3
3rd Grade: 6
4th Grade: 5
5th Grade: 4

Patches / Badges are NOT Iron-on

Patches/Badges must be sewn on or attached with iron-on or non-iron-on adhesive sheets.

The following item works well and does not need ironing/heat. IT can be found at Walmart / Michaels / JoAnn for ~\$5



Peel n Stick 4.25" x 5" **Fabric Fuse** Sheets, 5 Count

★★★★★

- Finger press fabrics in place
- No sewing or ironing needed
- Double-sided, permanent adhesive

Lion Scout (Kindergarten) Uniform T-shirt is OPTIONAL



\$9.99 from ScoutShop

Cub Scout Lion Youth T-Shirt

DO NOT BUY THESE!!!!

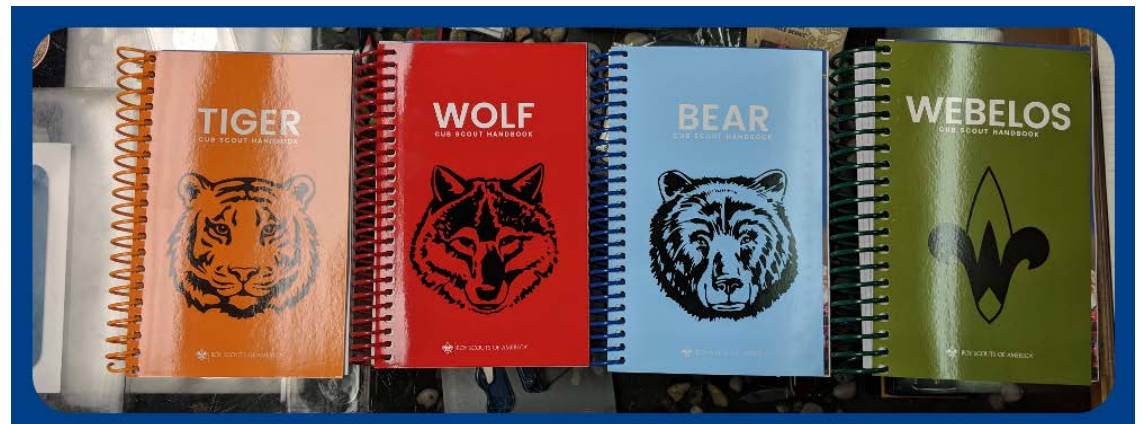
NECKERCHIEFS



SLIDES



HANDBOOKS



POPCORN!!!!

- This Fall's annual popcorn fundraising event runs from August 24 to October 20.
- On average, 73% of your Scout's sales goes to Local Scouting
 - ...with ~20% of that specifically going to your Scout (for use in extra Pack Activities, Camps, Dues)
 - ...with ~1%-5% supporting the Pack
- Use the Trail's End App!!
 - Download and install now from the Apple AppStore or Google Play/ Search for "Trails End" OR TEXT the word APP to 62771 to get a download link
 - Next, create an account for your scout(s)
 - It will ask you what Council > District > Pack your scout belongs to
 - Our Council is "Crossroads of America"
 - Our District is "Hou Koda"
 - Our Pack is listed as "0377"
- The Trail's End App enables sales in 3 ways
 - Pack-Planned Store-front Sales Shifts (Kroger, Lowes)
 - Self: Door-to-door (aka "Wagon Sales"), church, work, friends
 - Online orders via unique Link for your scout, free shipping!
- Payment Methods
 - Cash
 - Check – Please make checks payable to "Cub Scout Pack 377"
 - Credit Card – through the app

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Popcorn Kernel

SCOUTBOOK Parent Tutorial

<https://help.scoutbook.com/knowledge-base/scoutbook-tutorial-for-parents/>

Don't Miss the Fall 2019 Hou Koda Cub Scout Fun Day AVON Town Hall Park on Saturday, Sep 7!!!

Start: Sat, Sep 7 @ 9:00 AM

End: Sat, Sep 7 @ 3:00 PM

Cost: \$5 per Family

Participate anytime from 9-3

CUB SCOUT FUN DAY

Avon Town Hall Park

Destination: Avon Town Hall Park

[6570 E US Hwy 36, Avon, IN 46123](https://www.google.com/maps/place/6570+E+US+Hwy+36,+Avon,+IN+46123)



FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY
BRING A FRIEND!!

ALL ARE WELCOME NOT JUST SCOUTS!!!

Participate anytime from 9-3, stay a bit or stay a while!

- Rope Making & Knots
 - Archery
 - BB Range
 - Firecrafter
- Map & Compass
 - Bobcat Trail
 - Fishing
- Satellite Scout Shop
 - Food & Bev

JOIN US AT CUB SCOUT FUN DAY!



\$10/person (youth and adult)

**Cost to stay overnight is an extra
\$10 (youth) & \$5 (adults)**

Children 4 & under are free

Archery • BB Guns • Outdoor Skills • Ecology & Conservation • Sports & Games • STEM Activities • Campfire

Choose Your Location and Date:

14-15 September : Bear Creek

21-22 September : Camp Kikthawenund

28-29 September : Camp Belzer and Camp Krietenstein

4-5 October : Camp Red Wing

Learn more at

www.crossroadsbsa.org/programs/cub-scouting/camping/