

Letter of Welcome

Dear Fellow Scouter,

Welcome to another exciting year at Camp John H Ware III! Cub Scouts come to camp to have fun. Leaders come to camp looking for team building, advancement of leadership skills and the opportunity to meet and exchange ideas with other leaders and well, let's be honest: To have fun too!

Our program in 2009, *The Knights of Jubilee ~ The Quest for a New King*, will help meet all these goals. Your camping days will be filled with plenty of action. Just to name a few: swimming, hiking, bb guns, crafts and fishing ~ all with a Renaissance flair.

Of course, no camping experience is complete without free time to hang out with your friends or spinning tall tales around the campfire!

We have an exciting new change this year in what members of the pack will stay together in your tent site. Actually, you get to make the choice! All members of the pack ~ Wolves, Bears and Webelos I & II will be placed together in the same campsite unless you tell us otherwise.

If you have young Wolves and Bears better suited to stay in Macaleer Lodge, no problem, just mark how many Cubs you will have staying in the Lodge on your final payment form. We'll make sure there's a bunk waiting for them!

We are also offering an exciting new opportunity for Webelos II's to stay together in a more primitive, Boy Scout-like tent site to get a feel for what it will be like at camp once they cross-over. Please refer to page 14 of the leader's guide for additional information and a supplemental form we ask that you fill out and submit along with your final payment form.

With all this said, though, please remember that you will need **two-deep leadership** (at least one registered BSA leader, 21 years of age or older) to stay with your Scouts in **each** of the sites you choose.

Finally, as unit leaders, you will appreciate knowing that when you leave camp this summer you will have a list of all the achievements that your Scouts have earned or completed.

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact:

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We can't wait to host your Cub Scouts this summer! So let's get started!

Yours in Scouting,

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