

Cub Scout Pack 907, Cost and Uniform Information

The cost to belong to Cub Scout Pack 907 includes **annual dues of \$75.00** (due in October for 2012-2013). If your son is joining in Spring to participate in our summer activities (June picnic and campout, and one July and one August event minimum), the cost to register for just the summer is \$10. This allows us to have the boys formally registered with Boy Scouts of America and covered by our insurance, etc. Uniforms and rank books are additional as described below.

We do one main fund-raiser each year, typically our fall popcorn sale. Selling popcorn is **OPTIONAL**. Popcorn sales have allowed us to keep dues low. We may also do optional additional fundraisers as needed, such as a bottle drive, but we try to keep these only as needed and again participation is optional.

Here is a rough breakdown of what your annual dues and the fundraiser support:

- Registration and insurance with Boy Scouts of America
- Awards (rank badge, sports and activity belt loops, Webelos pins, optional awards, etc.)
- Pinewood Derby car kits given out in December and Derby event usually held in March
- Neckerchief and slide for each rank
- Year-end picnic, including rocket kit given in May
- Room rental at Hoover and other meeting sites
- Off-setting costs of events where possible
- Materials and supplies

To join Pack 907, only the dues fee (\$10 for Spring, \$75 annual dues for fall) is required with the completed registration form. **Please purchase the rank handbook as soon as possible.** You can purchase the uniform shirt now or to have for the fall program. These items are available on line (www.scoutstuff.com), or **Nankin Hobby** has two locations. **Hobby Lobby** also has some materials as well as Craig's list, garage sales, etc. We may also have some donated, gently used items if interested.

Nankin Hobby Locations:

33350 Nine Mile Road
(just east of Farmington Rd)
Farmington Hills
248-919-0040

35101 Ford Road
(just east of Wayne Rd)
Westland
734-722-5700

Handbooks should be for grade level in fall:



Item	Approx. Cost	Comments
Handbook	\$5 to \$8	Buy the handbook for the rank that your boy will be in the Fall
Uniform Shirt	\$24	Blue for Tigers, Wolves, Bears. Blue or Khaki for Webelos.
Neckerchief	Supplied by Pack	We will present the boy with his scarf and slide at the Pack meeting after joining, and at "crossover" to next rank in May
Slide	Supplied by Pack	
Belt - Optional	\$6 to \$9	May want for wearing "beltloop" awards. Buy blue even for Webelos if wearing beltloops.
Hat - Optional	\$12	There is a different hat for each rank.

Also required for scout uniforms:

Great Lakes Council Shoulder Patch: \$3 (our Pack has a supply of

9-0-7 Patches: \$3 (our Pack has a supply of these to sell)

World Crest Patch: \$1

Den # Patch: \$1

Patch placement directions are in the handbooks and templates are also available from the BSA National website.

(<http://www.scouting.org>). Search the site for "patch placement."



Shirt comes with flag. Purchase den number for right sleeve, purple world crest patch for above left pocket, Council patch (ours is different) and numbers 9-0-7 for left sleeve.

An **OPTIONAL** subscription to Boys Life Magazine is \$12.00 for one year.