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# Introduction to Pack 108



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The Boy Scouts of America (BSA) is the umbrella for many scouting divisions

		
<b>CUB SCOUTS</b>	<b>BOY SCOUTS</b>	<b>VENTURING/SEA SCOUTING</b>
Grades 1-5	<i>Boys 11-17 years old</i>	<i>Co-ed 14-20 years old</i>



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As a division of the BSA, we are part of a National Council. The Council is divided into local councils; we are part of the **Mount Diablo Silverado Council**. Our council is divided into districts; we are part of the **Silverado District**. Many Packs are in the district; three are in Benicia. Some are all boy packs or all gender packs, **we accept girls and serve all youth**.



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# Who is Pack 108?

Each Pack is administered by a Chartered Organization; we belong to the **Kiwanis of Benicia**. Each



Pack is governed by a **Pack Committee**, consisting of many positions such as Chair, Secretary, Treasurer, etc.



**Leader Gretchen**  
**Is our Charter Representative**

**Leader Julia**  
**is our Committee Chair**





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# Who is Pack 108?

Pack 108 has:

- one Cubmaster
- two Assistant Cubmasters
- and many Committee or Den Leaders (most wear the tan/green uniforms)





# Who is Pack 108?

Pack 108 is divided into Dens. Each Den corresponds with a scouts grade in school:

Kindergarten



1<sup>st</sup> Grade



2<sup>nd</sup> Grade



3<sup>rd</sup> Grade



4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Grades



First Patch: Bobcat





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# What do we do?

Monthly Pack Meetings

Pack Events

- Pinewood Derby Race
- Summer Boat Regatta
- Campouts
- Hikes
- Service Projects
- and much more!

Periodic Den Meetings



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# The Pack Meeting

We meet on the third Monday from 7pm-8pm during the academic school year, except for January (Pinewood Derby) and February (Blue and Gold Banquet).

We meet on the third Sunday from 1pm-3pm during the three summer months.

Each meeting consists of a presentation of the flags, introduction of a theme (one of the 12 scout laws), songs, skits, activities, and family involvement.







# The Den Meeting

Your Den Leader juggles their family, their commitments, and volunteering as a Den Leader. Meetings could be one to four times a month. The location may be a home, a park, or other venue.

Leaders must be Youth Protection trained and we follow the two-deep leadership model.

Depending on the rank advancement activity, the meeting could be academic or physical.





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# What do you need to get started?

- Register at [beascout.org](http://beascout.org)
  - Join a Den
  - Obtain a class-A uniform
  - Consider a class-B pack t-shirt
  - Pay annual dues
  - Attend Den meetings and Pack meetings
  - Have fun!
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- Adults are encouraged to register too and become Youth Protection trained





## Class-A Uniform

- **Uniform shirt** (consider lasting until 5<sup>th</sup> grade)
- **Patches: District, “108”, Den #, Crest**
- **Rank cap**
- **Neckerchief slide**



- Jeans or shorts preferred
- Please tuck in the uniform shirt
- Optional: pants, belt
- Pack supplies the neckerchief and booklet

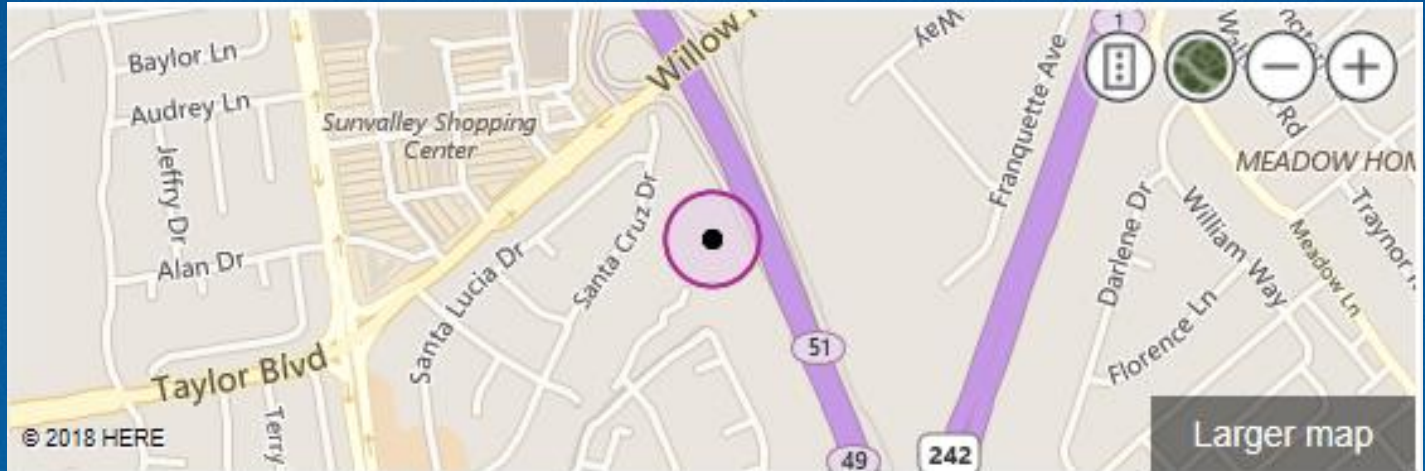
## Class-B Uniform (Pack T-shirt)

- \$10/each (Youth and Adult sizes)





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## Pleasant Hill Scout Shop

[www.scoutstuff.org](http://www.scoutstuff.org)

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# We need adult volunteers

Become Youth Protection trained to do the following:

- Participate at an outing/event
- Assist with a committee or task
- Become a Leader



- Obtain a paper application
- Set-up an account with [myscouting.org](https://myscouting.org)
- Pay annual dues





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## Questions?

Talk to any Leader or email us at  
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