

Hello and Welcome to Pack 4444, sponsored by the Parents of Wasatch Front Scouting!

We have an active Cub Scout Pack! We generally follow the school year, kicking off our weekly meetings in late August and running through the end of the school year in late May/early June, with a one-day Cub Scout Day Camp as well as other outdoor activities during the summer. We have a good balance of activities and strive to help the boys and girls work toward earning awards (belt loops and pins) and rank advancements. Some of our favorite traditions are:

- Kickoff in August
- Open House and Campout in September
- Trunk or Treat for Halloween
- Thanksgiving Feast in November
- Holiday Festival in December
- Service Project in January
- Blue & Gold Banquet in February
- Pinewood Derby in March
- Bike Derby in April
- Raingutter Regatta in May
- Crossing Over in June
- Family Camp in June
- Cub Scout Day Camp in the summer
- Outdoor Activities in the summer

Cub Scouts are all part of the “Pack” but also divided into smaller groups, called “Dens”. We currently have the following Dens and welcome both boys and girls to join:

- Lions (Kindergarten)
- Tigers (1st Grade)
- Wolves (2nd Grade)
- Bears (3rd Grade)
- Webelos (4th Grade)
- Arrow of Light (5th Grade)

We are run by parent volunteers and love parents to pitch in! Please let us know if you would like to become a Den Leader, Pack Committee Member, or other volunteer. We are always looking for help.

Cub Scouts love to wear their uniforms! You can buy a Uniform (includes a shirt, neckerchief, neckerchief slide, hat, Crossroads of the West Council Patch, and 4444 Pack numbers) at the Scout Shop in Orem (directions below). For our Pack, blue Cub Scout pants are optional, but once the boys become Webelos or AOL scouts they should transition to wearing green Scout pants with their tan uniform shirt. Our Troops for older Scouts (Troop 1444 for Boys and Troop 3444 for Girls) pride themselves on wearing full uniforms to meetings and to and from campouts and other activities, which fosters a sense of belonging and really sets our Troops apart. Cub Scouts can prepare for Scouts by wearing their full uniforms. We also provide each Cub Scout with up to one new Class B

(Yellow) Activity T Shirt each year to wear on activities, service projects, etc. Additional shirts may be purchased through our Pack.

Once you and your Cub Scout are registered, you will receive a link to join ScoutBook.com. This is the official Scouting online platform that we use to track rank advancements and to send email blasts to the whole Pack. Den Leaders use this platform to record achievements, and we then make sure to pick up Awards for each scout to give out at Pack Meetings. We use GroupMe to send text messages to all of the parents, so it is a good idea to download this app on your iPhone or Android device. Individual dens use GroupMe, text, or email to communicate weekly meeting plans. We have a private Facebook page as well, Wasatch Front Scouting Pack 4444, which is a good place to find out about upcoming activities, ask questions or share information with other parents, or to share photos after events. Simply look for us on Facebook and request access to the page.

We meet at Corner Canyon Church (12883 S 1300 E, Draper, UT 84020) every Tuesday evening from August to June, unless otherwise stated (occasionally we meet elsewhere for specific activities). Meetings run from 6:30-7:30 each week. Most weekly meetings are Den Meetings, which are meetings held for each age group. On the 4th Tuesday of each month we hold a Pack Meeting where all of the Dens meet together and Cub Scouts receive awards. Parents and other family members are encouraged to come to the Pack Meetings. Cub Scouts are asked to wear full Class A uniforms to Pack meetings.

After you register to join our Pack, we will bill you for the Pack dues. Dues are \$99 per scout per year, billed in September or when you join (e.g. if you join halfway through the year). The reason we charge the full \$99 is because, no matter when you join, you will likely receive all the awards for that year, and awards are our largest single expense as a Pack. Other fees, like day camp or campout fees, will be billed to your family's Scout account and you will receive a statement along with information on how to pay. We generally use Venmo to collect all payments. If you need to make payment arrangements, please contact our treasurer, Jenna DenBleyker.

We hope you find this information helpful. This information and more is also available on our website at <https://www.wasatchfrontscouting.com/pack-4444/>. We are excited to have you in our Pack!

Thank You!

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