

# PACK 378 - IMPORTANT INFORMATION



## How to Join PACK 378

- Fill out paper application and get to Margie
- Pay Pack fee to Margie
- Go online and complete BSA registration  
Use Zip Code: 85283 <http://beascout.org>

Additional items you will need to purchase from the Scout Shop: **(Approximate pricing)**  
(Please have Class "A" uniform by Veterans' Day 11/11)  
To see examples of Scout Uniforms go to this link:  
[scouting.org/cub-scouts/cub-scout-uniform/](http://scouting.org/cub-scouts/cub-scout-uniform/)

### \*\*\* SEE MARGIE ABOUT UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS BEFORE PURCHASING \*\*\*

— Lion T-Shirt - Kindergarten	\$14.99
Cub Scout Lion Kit:	\$12.99
	<b>\$27.98</b>
-- Tiger Scout Stuff - 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade --	
Tiger book:	\$23.99
Cub Scout short sleeve shirt:	\$32.99
Cub Scout pants:	\$32.99
Cub Scout patches (** see below):	\$ 8.48
Tiger Cub neckerchief and slide:	\$20.98
Cub Scout belt:	\$14.99
	<b>\$134.42</b>
-- Wolf & Bear Scout Stuff – 2 <sup>nd</sup> & 3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade --	
Wolf or Bear Book:	\$23.99
Cub Scout short sleeve shirt:	\$32.99
Cub Scout pants:	\$32.99
Cub Scout Patches (** see below):	\$ 8.48
Wolf or Bear neckerchief and slide:	\$20.98
Cub Scout Belt:	\$14.99
	<b>\$134.42</b>
-- Webelos Stuff – 4 <sup>th</sup> & 5 <sup>th</sup> Grade --	
Webelos book:	\$23.99
Webelos short sleeve shirt:	\$26.99
Webelos Pants:	\$59.99
Webelos scout patches (** see below):	\$ 8.48
Webelos "Colors":	\$ 7.99
Webelos neckerchief & slide:	\$20.98
Webelos belt:	\$14.99
	<b>\$163.41</b>

\*\*\* Buy these patches:  
Grand Canyon Council and World Crest

**Note:** Pack 378 "numbers" patch supplied by our Pack Class "B" (T-Shirt available from Margie - \$10.00)

## Fees to join: 2023- 2024

Total required fee: \$195.00

Which includes:

### Paid Online:

National & Council Registration: \$130.00

First time joining Scouts: \$ 25.00

Optional Scout Life Mag add:\$15.00

### Paid directly to Pack 378:

Pack 378 yearly fees: \$ 40.00

## Cub Scout Pack 378 will initially meet at Fees Middle School for the 2023-2024 School Year

Looking forward to a level of normalcy to return soon. Until then meetings may occur at venues other than listed below. Your Den Leader or Margie (see Margie's contact info below) is the best source for the most current information.

### NORMALLY

Our Pack meets at a number of different Schools including Fees, Rover, Fuller, Aguilar.

At this time, we will all be meeting at **Fees Middle School** and determine if added venues will be necessary for this coming School year..

Den meetings - weekly (except on Pack weeks)  
(Meeting times and places differ slightly by Den!)

All dens are initially scheduled to meet between 6:30 pm and 7:30 pm Wednesday evenings. The length of the meeting will normally be one hour with time left for cleanup.

Pack meetings – Last Wednesday of each month (Generally).  
(All Scouts and families meet together)

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Checkout: [www.pack378.com](http://www.pack378.com)

Get on the Internet and checkout the Grand Canyon Council Website:  
[www.grandcanyonbsa.org](http://www.grandcanyonbsa.org)

**Scout Shop**  
Ordering Scout Stuff  
Contact Margie for  
More information

## Pack 378 Welcomes You!

Pack 378 has been a part of this community for over forty years. Many hundreds of young boys have benefited from belonging to our Pack. Our main Home Base is Rover School and a major percentage of our Scouts attend Rover and surrounding Schools including Fuller, Ward, Aguilar, other public and Charter Schools in the Tempe area. We also utilize facilities at Rover, Fuller, Fees and may add Aguilar & Ward Schools as meeting places for our Scouts.

Cub Scouting offers a safe, fun, and rewarding way for young boys to come together and learn through a wide array of activities. It is organized in a way that allows parents, and often, brothers and sisters, to take part in the learning and fun. You have a direct link with the activities your boy will encounter. You will see first-hand the development of his mental and physical skills that will be so important as he matures into a young man. The family values he will be exposed to are yours and other like-minded parents within our Pack.

**HEALTH CONSIDERATIONS:** Pack 378 Leadership will work with Parents and their Families to make sure SAFETY and HEALTH are above all other considerations. We believe a return to "normalcy" as much as possible is also important for our youths physical and mental well being and will strive to make that happen.

**PACK MEETINGS:** Our Pack will generally meet as a complete unit once a month. Normally expect this to be the last Wednesday of each month. This is a family get-together, open to moms, dads, brothers, sisters, grandpa, grandma, and so on. Have your son invite a buddy, maybe he will want to join also! The Pack Meeting gives us a chance to hand out awards, show off what each Den has accomplished for the month, sing songs, perform skits, get to know other Dens and parents. During the school year, we most often meet in the Fuller or Fees cafeteria.

The Cub Master will organize most Pack Meetings. He will attempt to assign responsibilities on a rotational basis, or by a specific strength of an individual or group.

A major part of most Pack Meetings is the recognition of accomplishments over the previous month. Individual awards are handed out to the Boys in the form of Badges, Pins, Loops, Patches, and Certificates. Award information must be passed on to the Advancement Chairperson in a timely fashion by the Den Leaders, so these awards can be procured, prepared and presented.

**DEN MEETINGS:** Dens should expect to have meetings every week, except for Pack Meeting week. Wednesday is the designated day to meet at Rover, Fuller Fees School, or a Den Leader's house from about 6:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. The substance of each Den meeting revolves around the Cub Scout handbook. Each Den works on achievements outlined in their appropriate grade level book. Sometimes a Den will prefer to have an outing to accomplish a goal. An outing may be instead of, or in addition to a regular Den meeting. Clearances for this by the Cub Master and all parents of that Den are required. During Covid period adjustments may occur.

Den Leaders are responsible for organizing individual Den meetings. The workload of the meetings should be rotated among parents of each Den. It is imperative a Den meeting has at least two parents in attendance at all times. This is for the safety of both the children and parents. The Den Leaders should be prepared to keep the Cub Master up-to-date on the progress of their Den, and plans for the near future. This can be accomplished with a simple, short e-mail or phone call.

**SCOUTBOOK:** Is an online phone friendly app that allows Parents to track most aspects of their Scout's progress and activities. Pack 378 utilizes Scoutbook in numerous ways to make the Pack GO better.

**FUND RAISERS:** Because we have been so successful with our limited amount of fund-raisers, our dues are minimal. We usually have one or two major fund-raisers spread throughout the year. If necessary, we may ask for an additional "pop" of funds from each Scout to help offset our costs on a Den by Den basis.

**ADULT PLANNING MEETINGS:** Currently, our Pack has instituted planning meetings through e-mail and telephone. This will be the default method. We will also schedule an occasional meeting at the Cub Master's chosen venue to help facilitate planning. Our web page, pack378.com, will help keep everyone informed on a timely basis. Please visit often, as we will attempt to keep it up-to-date, with your inputs to assist that.

**ADULT TRAINING:** Boy Scouts of America has many fine training programs in place. These usually occur throughout the year at no or low cost to the Pack, and are close to our area. Much of the training is now available on-line. These training programs teach leaders to be proficient in a variety of skills, and help insure that the safety and protection standards for our Boys are upheld.