

# Pack 23

# Fundraising

# Information

2019 - 2020 School Year



## Included in this packet:

- **Cub Points Information**
- **Fundraising FAST PASS (new)**

# HOW DO CUB POINTS WORK?

*It's actually rather simple!*

All Cub Scouts are asked to raise \$100 in profit for the pack through fundraising. Through our fundraising efforts to help our pack go, a Scout can earn 50% profit through sales of flower bulbs, wreaths, or honey, and a 33% profit on pasta sales. Once the \$100 goal is reached, each additional dollar of profit is divided as follows: \$0.25 goes to the Pack, and \$0.75 is put into the Scout's Cub Points account. Cub Points can be used for most anything Scouting-related, including Pack 23 events, summer camp, yearly renewals, and camping gear.

New this year is the Fundraising FAST PASS. If a family chooses to participate in the FAST PASS and later chooses to do some fundraising, every dollar of profit earned is immediately split \$0.25 to the Pack and \$0.75 to the Scout's Cub Points account.



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# Pack 23 Fundraising FAST PASS



We understand the feeling of...

**“OH NO . . . not another fundraiser!” OR**

**“UH-OH . . . when was I supposed to turn in that fundraiser?”**

For this reason, NEW this year we have created a FAST PASS option. This allows families the opportunity to not feel any pressure about participating in our various fundraisers. (This also helps prevent the feeling of guilt by not participating, yet still allows families to support the organization.) If you are interested in participating in the FAST PASS as opposed to the fundraisers, all you need to do is turn in the bottom portion of this form with cash, check or a money order made out to CT Pack 23 by September 30th 2019.

The FAST PASS is a minimum of \$100.00 per student. (There is a \$25.00 fee for returned checks.) Please understand, you will still receive all the fundraising fliers, but do NOT feel obligated to participate in them. (Obviously, we would not object to a scout participating even after buying out; every little bit will help the pack. In this case, your scout would keep 75% of the money they raised over the \$100 requirement in cub points.) Keep in mind that fundraising is a part of scouting and it teaches kids wonderful lessons, only some of which include practicing their speaking skills and sharing their love of scouting with others.

Here is the estimated budget for some of our major events, so you can have a better understanding of the importance of raising funds for the pack. Some of this year's events: Fall Campout: \$500, Advancements/Awards: \$1,200, Pinewood Derby: \$500, Pack Meetings: \$600 and Blue & Gold: \$400.

\*Our Pack fundraising goal for this year is \$6,000. This is the amount needed to cover the expenses that we will have this year. Remember...fundraising is put in place to help pay for some of the costs that are associated with campouts, advancements/awards, STEM day, blue & gold, pack meetings and more!

If you have any questions, please reach out to, Katie Ahlgren our fundraising committee chair. She can be reached at 860-917-6493 or [katharine716@gmail.com](mailto:katharine716@gmail.com).

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## Pack 23 Fundraising FAST PASS

Scout Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Den(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Pack Individual Fundraising Goal per scout: \$100

Please circle below:

I am electing to *participate* / *NOT participate* in the FAST PASS fundraising option for the 2019-2020 scouting year.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_