

The Onager Report

September 10, 2009

District COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Membership- Beth Rawling Ch., Bob Prowak

Fall Recruitment / School Night for Cub Scout Packs: Please forward the date, time and location of your Fall Recruitment / School Night to Beth Rawling at bkrawling@verizon.net as soon as possible. You will be notified when the flyers, road signs and a School Night Kit are available for pickup at the Council Office. Refer to the attached School Night roster for additional information.

The Dropped Boy Campaign continues to be a strong resource for scout retention. Please review the listing you received in June for boys who dropped in your community and ask them to join your unit on an excursion or at a meeting.

Unit Membership: While Webelo II's transition to Boy Scouts in the spring, Cub Packs regain their statistics with new members in the fall as a result of Fall Open House and Recruitment. Please remember to focus on TIGERS this year. Tigers have about 15 more years to be in our program, so they are the key to sustained growth. Another way to increase membership is by having an elementary school Boy Talk for grades K-5. We have presentation materials, as well as a script to assist you with type of event.

Unit Goals: The Interlakes Membership Committee has been asked to publish overall goals for 2009 for each unit as reported through 8/13/09. This information has been forwarded to each unit leader. A detailed report can be obtained upon request. Interlakes has reached 77% overall membership for 2009.

	<u>% to Goal for 2009</u>
Cub Scouts	66%
Boy Scouts	86%

Soccer and Scouting: This committee has concluded that while the Soccer and Scouting offers many opportunities to Cub Scout age youth, it is not a program Interlakes will adopt at this time. We will continue to focus on the traditional scouting unit for membership strength. This summation was made after a year-long evaluation of the program and is available upon request.

Finance- Marianna Herne Ch., Bob Prowak

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Boy Power - Mike Caron

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Training- Tom Ropchak Ch.,

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Camp Promotions & Outdoor- Ham Fish Ch., Ed Coe, Mike O'Hara, Roy Miller,

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Activities, and Civic Service- Jim Dewan Ch., Ed Coe

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100 YEAR project

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Public Relations- John O'Hara Ch.

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Advancement and Recognition- Doug Grady Ch., John Binkowski

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Interlakes Web Page - Tom Ropchak,

See Chairperson for Report

Unit Commissioner Staff Report- Ted Gacek DC, Jack Harrington ADC

In our District we have to concentrate on filling the present vacancies, reviewing where our Unit Commissioners stand on unit visitation and support and to identify a new District Commissioner and Assistant District Commissioner by June 2010.

We have 10 Unit Commissioners (UC), 2 Assistant District Commissioners (ADC), 1 Cub Roundtable Commissioner (RTC) and 1 District Commissioner (DC).

We need 6 more UCs, 1 ADC, 1 Boy Scout RTC.