



Cub Scout Pack 140

Chartered at The American School
of The Hague in 1953
In continuous existence ever since!

<https://bsapack140.wixsite.com/home>

Committee Parent Volunteers



Committee Chair - Tove Prag

Cub Scout Master - Ryan Davidson

Assistant Cub Master/fundraising - Vacant

Treasurer - Vacant

Advancement Chair/Quartermaster - Zareen Isaac

Membership Chair - Vacant

Webmaster - Patrick Laport

What is Cub Scouts?

“Cub Scouting is fun for the whole family. In Scouting, boys and girls start with their best right now selves and grow into their very best future selves. It’s fun, hands-on learning and achievement that puts kids in the middle of the action and prepares them for today – and for life.”

As parents and Den leaders we guide the Scouts through different adventures, as outlined in the Cub Scout Handbook, to teach them about things such as science, nature, different cultures, and safety.

We strive to teach pack members how to do their best and do a good turn daily.



A word cloud of Cub Scout values in blue text. The words are arranged in a vertical, slightly overlapping manner. The largest words are 'Responsibility', 'Respect', 'Cooperation', and 'Honesty'. Other words include 'Positive', 'Resourcefulness', 'Compassion', 'Courage', 'Citizenship', 'Health', and 'Faith'.

Positive
Resourcefulness
Cooperation
Honesty
Responsibility
Respect
Compassion
Courage
Citizenship
Health
Faith

Cub Scout Ranks



Den

Lion (kindergarten)

Tiger (1st grade)

Wolf (2nd grade)

Bear (3rd grade)

Webelos (4th and 5th grade)

Pack

All the dens together

Cub Scout Ranks



Cub scouts advance through the different ranks by completing ***Adventures***, as outlined in the Cub Scout handbook

- ★ Most Adventures completed during Pack / Den meetings
- ★ Some can be completed at home

To earn rank, complete required number of Adventures

(awarded with belt loops/patches/pins)

Den Leaders 2023-24

Grade	Den	Den Leader	Co-Leader	Co-Leader
KG	Lion	Vacant		
1	Tiger	Vacant		
2	Wolf	Ken Janusz	Patrick Laport	
3	Bear	Andrew Jones		
4	Webelos 1	Vacant		
5	Webelos 2	Tove Prag		

We are all busy!

This is not a chore but an opportunity to spend fun time with your kids and watch them learn and grow. You get out what you put in!

The idea is not to land the whole Den responsibility on one person, but to share it.

You will have training materials and be supported by us.

From Lion to Eagle?



Eagle Scout Riley Lauren Lee is seen with her brother, Justin, who achieved Eagle Scout in 2018.

BSA Structure / Keywords

National

BSA
Boy Scouts of America

Council

Regional
Transatlantic Council (TAC)
(Europe, Africa, the Middle East, and Central Asia)

District

Local
Charlemagne District
(Netherlands, Denmark, Belgium, Sweden, France, & Hamburg, Germany)

Pack

Cub Scout Pack (3)140
The Hague
Boys & Girls KG to Grade 5

Cub Scout Packs
008 & 910
Amsterdam, NL

Cub Scout Pack
100
Brunnsum, NL

Lion Den
Kindergarten

Tiger Den
Grade 1

Wolf Den
Grade 2

Bear Den
Grade 3

Webelos 1 Den
Grade 4

Webelos 2 Den
Grade 5

Cub Scouts move to Scout

(ages 11-18) around March
of Grade 5

Dens

Adventures



Community
Service



Bike Safety



Astronom

V

Adventures



Health and Safety



Adventures



Healthy Eating and Exercise



Pack Activities



Camp
Outs



H I K I N G

Pack Activities

Fishing

MUSEUM VISITS



Pack Activities



**PINEWOOD
DERBY!!!!**



Pack Meetings

- ★ Usually two Tuesdays per month from 7-8:00 PM
- ★ Scouts wear scout t-shirt or uniforms and bring books
- ★ Cubs must attend at least one meeting/month
- ★ **FAMILY**--parent volunteers are needed and necessary
- ★ Lions/Tigers must have accompanying parent
- ★ Location: See the scout calendar:
[Activities Pack 140 | home \(bsapack140.wixsite.com\)](https://bsapack140.wixsite.com/bsapack140)



Pack Meetings - Example

- ★ 6:55p – Set up
 - Quartermaster and cub scout volunteers set up the meeting
- ★ 7pm – Opening Ceremony
 - Cub Scouts called to order by the Scout master.
 - Children gather and recite Scout Oath
- ★ 7:15p – Break into Dens, based on grade levels
- ★ 7:50p – Closing ceremony
 - Cub Scouts called to order by Scout Master
 - Children gather and recite the Cub Scout Motto
 - Parent update: Important dates and upcoming events



Location

Until Fall break we will meet at
Scouting Van Woestikgroep in
Wassenaar:

<https://goo.gl/maps/u4JYaE42HjDmKsuS7>



After Fall break until about Easter
Break we will meet at ASH UE
Atrium



Pack activities this year

In the whole pack meeting each month our aim this year is to do the following:

- ★ Visit from local fire / police / lifeguards, forest rangers
- ★ Visit from US Marines
- ★ Visit from First Aid professionals
- ★ Learn about Law Enforcement (FBI / DEA / Police)
- ★ Pack holiday party (potluck dinner) and baking competition
- ★ In addition to this we also plan outdoor pack events like fishing, litter picking, Scheveningen light walk, museum visits (e.g. bunker visit)
- ★ We are family led, so if you have an idea or would like to help out with one of these activities please do let us know!

Den Leaders and Parents

- All parents of the Den help with planning, resourcing & leading activities.
- Each parent responsible for keeping Scoutbook up to date when adventures completed.
- All parent volunteers must have a valid Youth Protection Certificate (online training)
- Cub Scouting is a family event.



How To Join

Online registration for new members

Consent and Medical form

Annual Dues €180

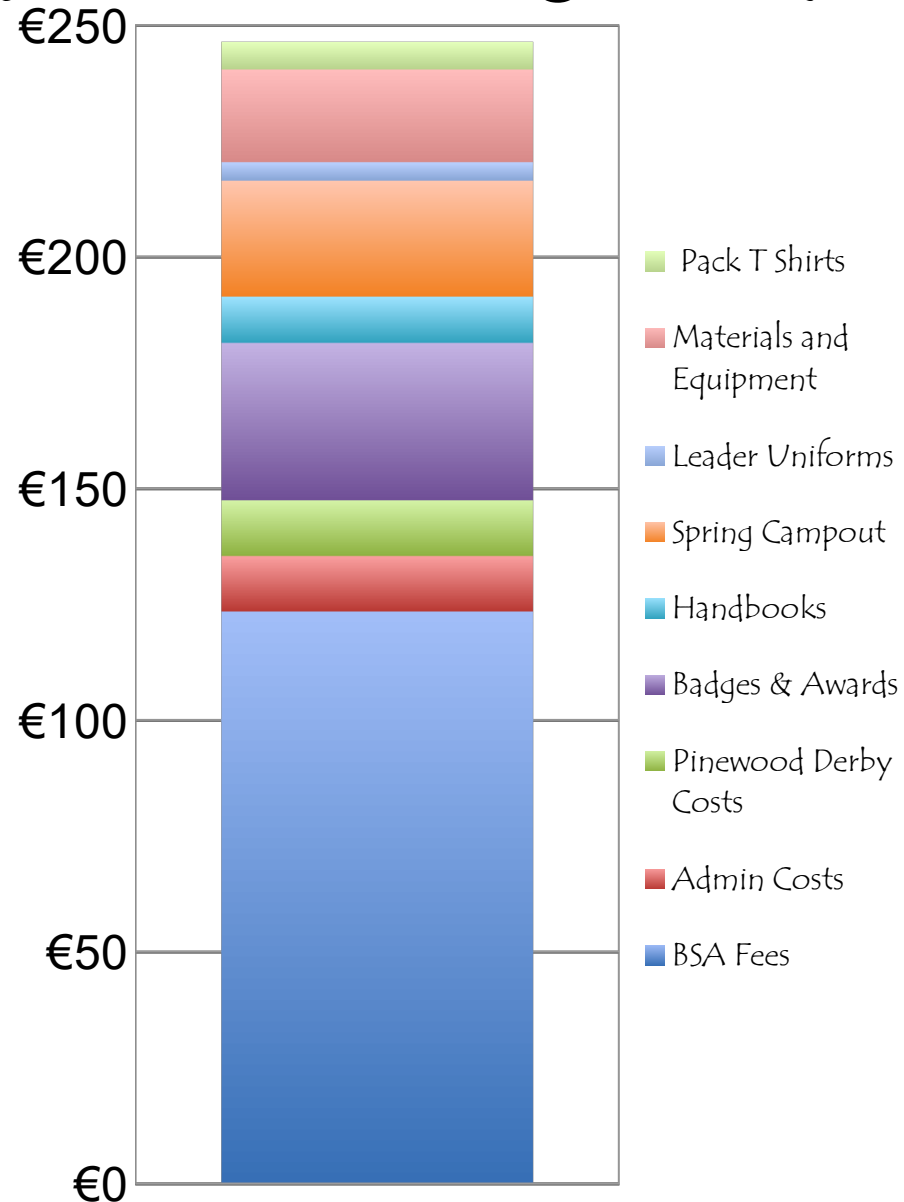
Uniform

Training



Pack Funding (normal year)

- Pack Costs run at around €215 /Cub/yr
- €180 from Pack fees
- Remaining money from:
 - Donations
 - Fundraising (after-school movies, concessions)
 - Possible camp profits
- **Note:** TAC still has to raise an additional ca. €120/Cub or Boy Scout to cover their costs.
(Friends of Scouting donation program)



Family Campout 30 Sept - 1 October

Scoutcentrum Buitenzorg, <https://buitenzorg.scouting.nl> (50 minute drive from ASH)

1 night family camping in tents with fun activities planned. We have use of an indoor room and kitchen for activities. There is a toilet and shower facility. Highly encouraged - lots of fun and lots of families to help you set up your tent, etc.

Starts lunchtime Saturday with hike. **Ends** 11am Sunday. **Cost:** €15 per person which includes all meals.

This event is open to all cubs and their families (including siblings), however a parent of a scout must be present at the camp at all times.

Options are to campout Saturday night or just come for the daytime on Saturday only

When you book we will send you an equipment list to help with your packing.

Booking:

- ☐ Email cubscouts.pack140@gmail.com
- ☐ Transfer the money to our pack account INGB0675610834
Medical forms need to be completed for all attendees
- ☐ Adults and leaders need to do BSA Youth Protection Training online course via <https://my.scouting.org/>



Mark your calendars!

<https://bsapack140.wixsite.com/home/activities>

Our 2023-24 Calendar (also on our website to download). Please see the website for the most up-to-date calendar.

Cub Scout Pack 3140
2023-2024 school year

Pack Meetings 2023: 1st and 3rd Tuesday of every month 7-8pm
Pack Meetings 2024: 2nd and 4th Tuesday of every month 7-8pm
Location: Summer/Spring: Scouting Van Woessikgroep, Fall/Winter: ASH UE Atrium
Pack Activities
Den Activities (decided per den, could differ from Tuesday)
Parent Meetings - Virtual
ASH School Holidays

August

1-16 Summer Break
19 - ASH Welcome Event. ABF outdoors 12-4pm
22 - Parent / Den leaders meeting Cubs 2023-23 7pm - VIRTUAL

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September

5 - Pack Meeting location Scouting Van Woessikgroep
19 - Den meeting location Scouting Van Woessikgroep
22 - ASH Professional Development half day (noon dismissal)
26 - Parent / Den leaders meeting (prep for Buitenzorg) VIRTUAL 7pm
30 Sept-1 Oct Camp out Buitenzorg (Saturday to Sunday morning)

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October

10 - Pack meeting. Location Van Woessikgroep
16-20 - Fall Break
24 - Den meeting. Location ASH UE Atrium or Den specific

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November

7 - Pack Meeting location ASH UE Atrium
21 - Den Meeting location ASH UE Atrium
23-24 ASH Thanksgiving break
23 - Pieterskerk Leiden Thanksgiving Service (uniforms)

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December

5 - Pack Holiday party / Potluck dinner location ASH UE Atrium (at 6 PM)
09 - Optional Pack Event: Scheveningen Light Walk
18-31 Winter break

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January

1-7 Winter break
9 - Pack Meeting Pinewood Derby Cars wood shop rotation ASH
23 - Pack Meeting ASH UE Atrium. Building PWD Car Stands & wood shop

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February

9 - Pinewood Derby Check in ASH UE Atrium 7-8pm
10- Pinewood Derby ASH UE Atrium 11am-2pm
19-23- February Break
27 - Den Meeting

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March

12 - Pack Meeting location Scouting Van Woessikgroep
23 - Pack Meeting Fishing
26 - Den Meeting Webelos ceremony location Scouting Van Woessikgroep
29-31 ASH Easter Break

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April

1-7 ASH Easter Break
9 - Pack Meeting
19-21 TAC Normandy or pack event camping
23 - Den event?
27 - King's Day
30 - Camping information. Virtual

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May

4-5 Campout Belevissenbos
9-10 Ascension
14 - Pack meeting location Scouting Van Woessikgroep
17 (Half day) - 20 - Whit Monday

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June

4 - End of year award ceremony / potluck ASH UE Atrium (Uniforms, 6 PM)
13 - ASH Summer Break begins (midday)

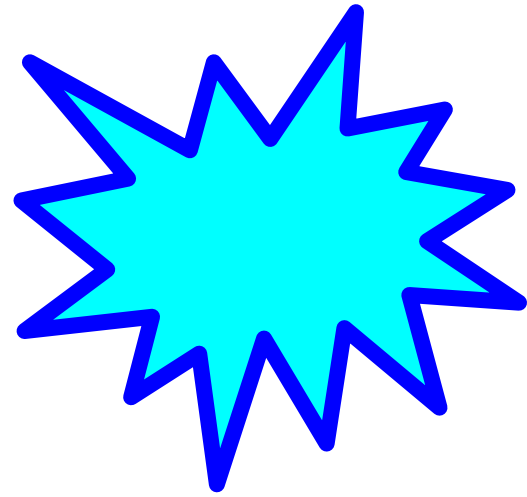
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Mark your calendars!

- ★ 1-2 October: Camp Out Buitenzorg
- ★ 23 November: Pieterskerk Thanksgiving Service
- ★ 9 December: Scheveningen Light Walk
- ★ 10 February: Pinewood Derby
- ★ 23 March: Fishing (TBC)
- ★ 19-21 April: TAC Normandy Normandy or Pack event (TBC)
- ★ 4-5 May: End of Year Campout (TBC)



Next Meeting



Our next whole pack meeting will be **Tuesday 5 September**
7-8PM at Van Woesik Camphut

The meeting will welcome new joiners, ice breaking games and design for our new Cub Scout T-shirt.

Before then we will need at least Den Leaders for all Dens in order to run each Den!

On the 26nd September there will be a virtual parent & Den Leaders meeting to prepare for Buitenzorg campout (30th Sept - 1nd Oct)

Interested?

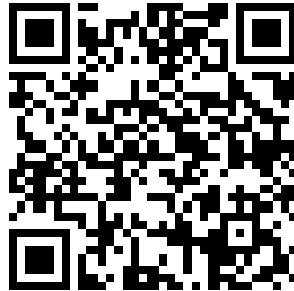
- ☐ Annual Membership Fee: €180 Transfer to: NL65 INGB 0675 6108 34.
Account Name: BSA Cub Scouts Pack 140. In 'payment reference line' be sure to list your child's name and Den or grade level.
- ☐ New to Scouting? Register with BSA online (via QR code or link on next slide)
- ☐ Transferring Scout from another Pack? Please contact us.
- ☐ Order / Update Uniform (see separate slide)
- ☐ Complete a medical form
<https://bsapack140.wixsite.com/home/links-and-contact> and email to cubscouts.pack140@gmail.com
- ☐ Den Leaders and Adults attending events need to complete the online Youth Protection Training. <https://www.scouting.org/training/youth-protection/>

Online Registration

Never been a Scout?

You must register online

Via this QR code



or via the link here:

<https://my.scouting.org/VES/OnlineReg/1.0.0/?tu=UF-MB-802paa3140>

BSA Fees:

- New to scouting: \$25

Pack (3)140 fees:

- €180

Please join in September! If you join from October onwards the BSA fee the pack pays to BSA is higher because you are also pre-paying for 2023.

If you have issues submitting your registration we suggest to save it, log on and off again then try to resubmit.

☐ Returning to Pack 140? You can skip registration.

Uniforms



Den	Blue T-Shirt	Blue Shirt	Tan Shirt	Belt	World Scout Patch	Den Hat	Den Neckerchief	Den Woggle (slide)
Lion (KG)	✓						✓	✓
Tiger, Wolf, Bear (Gr 1-3)		✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Webelos (Gr 4-5)			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

We have some uniforms in stock – please ask!

Uniform

Links to order uniforms are on our website:

<https://bsapack140.wixsite.com/home/uniform>

We do have some uniforms in stock so please ask us first before ordering. We also have patches with our pack number (140) and our Council Patches for sale at meetings (please see Mike).



Uniform orders are not handled by the pack but consider ordering in groups to save on postage costs.

We suggest that **those who have access to US-based shipping addresses** including APO, FPO and DPO, should order their uniform directly from the BSA using www.scoutshop.org This allows for a most expedient delivery directly from the National Distribution Center in Charlotte, NC.

For those **who do not have access to US based shipping**, please order uniform via <https://www.councilstuff.com/802-MembersOnly?category=2345&search=>
Note this page requires a password which is available by emailing cubscouts.pack140@gmail.com

In our pack Cub Scouts are not obligated to wear uniform pants or skirts.

Links & Useful information

- ❑ Our Website: <https://bsapack140.wixsite.com/home>
- ❑ Pack WhatsApp Group <https://chat.whatsapp.com/LaBcpnehSlxCdrb4y0lPeQ>
- ❑ Individual Den WhatsApp Groups (ask for an invite link from your Den Leader)
- ❑ BSA online registration:
<https://my.scouting.org/VES/OnlineReg/1.0.0/?tu=UF-MB-802paa3140>
- ❑ Keeping track of your Scout's progress (tracking activities):
<https://www.scoutbook.com/>
- ❑ Website of the Scouts Transatlantic Council: www.tac-bsa.org

Questions?