



# Cub Scout Tracks

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## The Scout Show is Coming, The Scout Show is Coming!

Saturday, May 12th is the annual Scout Show at Dallas Market Hall.

This is always a great time for families, there is so much to see and do! Watch for the opportunity to sign-up and help with the Pack 161 Star-Gazing Booth. Tickets are available to sell for \$10. Check with your den leader if you need tickets to sell. All money from ticket sales must be turned in by May 6th or at your den meeting Tuesday, May 8th at the latest.

Dens are scheduled to help at the following times.

Set- up to 11, Den 7

11-12, Den 2

12-1, Den 4

1-2, Den 1, 3 and 5

2-3, Den 8



Please say you will help when your den leader asks!

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## Time to dig out those cake recipes!

Our annual May Family Cake Bake is quickly approaching. On **May 17th**, we will hold our Pack Meeting at One-Eleven Ranch on Brand. Each family brings a home-baked cake to face judging and then be auctioned off. It is always lots of fun. Categories for judging include: Most Likely Baked by a Boy; Most Scout Spirit; Most Patriotic, and more. This Cub Scout tradition is always a Pack 161 favorite!

## Welcome Home a Hero is re-scheduled!

The new date is **Saturday, July 14th!**  
Planes typically arrive between 10 am and noon.

WE PLAN TO SEND OUT PACK 161 E-MAIL THROUGH THE YAHOO GROUP W/ CURRENT INFO. AS TO WHEN THE PLANE LANDS FOR THAT DAY.

We will meet at **DFW AIRPORT**. **EACH FAMILY NEEDS TO BRING 6 BOTTLED WATERS AND 6 "STORE BOUGHT" SNACK FOODS.** (No homemade items.) Magazines are also welcomed as many soldiers travel on to other destinations and would enjoy something to read. We want to have a huge crowd to welcome these heroes home. Please mark your calendar and plan to join us.



### Special Award Opportunity

This summer Pack 161 will offer a program for the cubs to earn the **United States Heritage Award**. It is a class that will be taught over the course of a few weeks, much like last year's religious award class. Date and time to be announced soon!

## Dates to Mark on Your Calendar

### May

12 Scout Show  
17 Pack Meeting @ 7

### June

16—Rowlett Water Park, 10:45, cost is \$5 if you enter with our group  
18-22 Twilight Camp at Ranch 111  
25-29 Day Camp at Audubon Park

### July

14—Welcome Home a Hero, DFW Airport

### August

18—Back to School Picnic at Breckenridge Park, Meet at 6:00. Bring a picnic for your family and a dessert to share.



### September

3—Labor Day Parade (More info. later)

**OUR SUMMER ACTIVITIES ARE A GREAT WAY TO INTRODUCE A FRIEND TO SCOUTING. YOU ARE ALWAYS WELCOME TO BRING A FRIEND. IF YOUR FRIEND DECIDES TO JOIN SCOUTS, YOU GET A COOL "RECRUITER" PATCH TO WEAR ON YOUR UNIFORM.**

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