

## Pack 555: Catch the FUN of Scouting This Thursday (10/16)

**WHO:** All boys 1st grade through 5th grade!

**WHEN:** THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16, 5:30 – 7:00 pm

**WHERE:** Champlain Elementary School Learning Center

**QUESTIONS:** Call Russell Beste: 309-1269 / [rbeste@yahoo.com](mailto:rbeste@yahoo.com).

**VISIT:** [www.champlainpto.org/cubscouts.html](http://www.champlainpto.org/cubscouts.html)



### **CUB SCOUT SPACE EXPLORATION AND ROCKET BUILDING MEETING –**

Thursday, October 16, 5:30 pm, Champlain Elementary (3rd Thursday each month). In this month's meeting, each boy will learn about space, space exploration, and build and launch a miniature, air powered rocket (environmentally friendly) designed only out of a soda bottle and balsa wood! (Cub Scouts, [rbeste@yahoo.com](mailto:rbeste@yahoo.com)). Parents are welcome to participate. The Scout Council will also be here to tell parents more about the scouting program.

**AIR NATIONAL GUARD VISIT THIS FRIDAY –** It's Tiger Day on FRIDAY! First grade cub scouts of our Champlain Elementary Pack 555, will have the opportunity this Friday, 10/17, 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm, to visit the Vermont Air National Guard at Burlington International, for a live flight demonstration! Please RSVP by Wednesday, 10/15.

**KNOT TYING & ROCK CLIMBING -** NOVEMBER 20, 5:30 pm - the boy will learn about use of various knots and their diverse application in climbing, sailing, and of course, shoes! Effort will culminate in a fun indoor rock climbing event!

### **UPCOMING A EVENTS**

- Veteran's Day Parade March In Uniform
- 21st Century Scavenger Hunt with Compass/GPS.
- Building Model Airplane/Visit Airplane Cockpit
- Planning/Traveling on Overnight Camping Trip.
- Build "Race Cars" - Champlain Pinewood Car Derby
- Participate in Den Meetings, Wear Uniform
- Earn Badges Astronomy, Music, Swimming, etc.



**ABOUT THE CUB SCOUTS!** Cub Scouts is an activity-based, fun, family program intended to help boys develop good Character, Citizenship, Initiative, Respect, and Responsibility. We meet each month.

### **WHAT IS CUB SCOUTING?**

Cub Scouting is a year-round family program designed for boys who are in the first grade through fifth grade (or 7, 8, 9, and 10 years of age). Parents, leaders, and organizations work together with the scouts to learn new skills and to develop good character and citizenship.

### **A LIFELONG PATH OF INITIATIVE, ACHIEVEMENT, and FUN!**

From former President's Gerald Ford and Bill Clinton to business tycoon Bill Gates and actor Harrison Ford, scouts have fostered a foundation of initiative and achievement for millions of boys since 1912.