**We are going to have a great race this year. Please do your best to keep this a fun and positive experience for all. We are counting on our Cubs and their families to demonstrate good sportsmanship throughout this event. Please remember to cheer for everyone, congratulate everyone and thank everyone for making this event one of the highlights of the year.**

**Rules – A Reminder**

Please invest a little time in getting familiar with the Pack 24 Pinewood Derby Rules. Knowing the rules can save our cubs a great deal of heartache and avoid problems on race day. All Pinewood Derby competitors should be in full “A” uniforms on race day. Please consult the Pack 24 web page for guidance on the required uniform components.

As the race rules state, all decisions of the Race Committee are FINAL and not subject to argument, debate or discussion. Please do your best to accept the decisions of the Race Committee and save your objections for discussion on another day.

**11:00am – 12:00pm Practice Session & Car Check-In**

Please complete any practice runs and adjustments to your car and have it checked in at the Race Official’s table prior to 12:00pm. Once your car has passed all inspections (height, length, weight, etc..), it will be put on display at the Race Official’s table and may not be taken from the table until racing is completed. Please do not wait until the last minute to check your car in. Racing will begin on schedule and cars that are not checked in when the brackets are assigned will not race. Please do not touch the cars while they are on display.

**12:00pm – 12:15pm Race Bracket Drawing**

The race brackets (who races who and in what order) will be randomly drawn and assigned when check-in closes.

**12:15pm – 1:15pm Pinewood Derby Race – Den Competition**

Each Den will have a race bracket and cubs will compete to win 1st through 3rd place in each Den. When all of the Den races are complete, the top 3 finishers from each Den will advance to the Pack 24 Grand Championship Race.

**1:00pm – 1:30pm Funny Car Race**

The Funny Car Race is an open class competition with few rules or restrictions. As long as your car fits on the track, it can probably race. Each Cub may build 2 cars and enter both the Pinewood Derby and the Funny Car Race. Here are some important restrictions to keep in mind:

* Absolutely NO WET LUBRICANTS ALLOWED.
* Any car that interferes with the performance of another car on the track will be disqualified (see Miscellaneous Rules section of Pack 24 Derby Rules).
* No supplemental propulsion systems. This remains a gravity only race.

**1:30pm – 2:00pm Pack 24 Grand Championship Race**

The top three finishers from each Den will be randomly assigned to race brackets and compete for the overall Pack 24 Grand Championship trophy.

**2:00pm – 2:30pm Awards Ceremony – Trophies**

Please stick around until we award trophies to the winning cubs. There will be awards for each Den, the Grand Championship and Funny Cars.

**2:30pm – 3:00pm Cleanup**

Please stick around and help with cleanup.