

Cub Scout Pack 316 Holds Blue & Gold Banquet



Courtesy photos

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DOUGLAS — St. Denis Cub Scout Pack 316 recently held its Blue and Gold Banquet at the Douglas High School. The Blue & Gold Banquet is the highlight of the scouting year. It brings families together for an evening of fun, food, songs, skits, and recognition. The theme of this year's Blue & Gold was, "The Great Outdoors."

The evening began with a blessing by Father Ernie Allega, Pastor, St. Denis Church, and a delicious meal, catered by Tastefully Michelle Catering Service. Special guests in attendance were Mill Town District Commissioner Brian Anders, Mohegan Council District Executive Joy Lapidus, and State Rep. Joseph McKenna.

During the event, the Pack was recognized for achieving Gold Level in the Boy Scouts of America's Journey to Excellence Program (JTE). The Journey to Excellence Program is a performance recognition program designed to encourage and reward success and measure the performance of its units. It is also meant to encourage excellence in providing a quality program. Representative McKenna also addressed the families and scouts in

attendance. He spoke about the importance of scouting and recognized the Pack's Arrow of Light recipients with congratulatory letters.

Highlights of the evening included skits from each den and awarding the centerpiece contest winner. The 2016 winner is once again the Yorke den. The Wolves created a unique centerpiece focusing on their favorite aspects of scouting. In addition, all the scouts in the Pack were recognized for their accomplishments and progress towards ranks.

The evening concluded with a special Pack 316 Arrow of Light Ceremony. Receiving the Arrow of Light is the culmination of a Cub Scout's career. It is the highest award that a Cub Scout can earn, and is the only Cub Scout emblem that can be worn on a Boy Scout uniform. During the ceremony, the scouts received their emblems. They also presented a special Arrow of Light pin to their moms and dads as a way of thanking them for the support they received throughout their Cub Scouting years. Finally, before crossing the bridge to Boy Scouts, the Arrow of Light recipients were honored with a special slide

show highlighting their Cub Scout journey.

Pack 316 had 16 Arrow of Light recipients this year; they are: Griffin Beaulieu, Hunter Clafin, Colin Deres, Evyn Kaye, Aaryya Kolindals, Luke Lightbown, Samuel Lyford, Steven Michalski, Luke Oriente-Danno, Tyler Philbrook, Mason Salvas, Connor Stickney, Thomas Slinchfield, Matthew Sullivan, Anthony Tulliano, and Nicholas Tebo.

Pack 316 would like to congratulate all of its scouts and wish the Arrow of Light recipients the best as they start their Boy Scouting journey with Troop 316! The Pack would also like to thank Eileen Deres, Kelly Sullivan, and Joni Clafin, the leaders of our Arrow of Lights, for the numerous hours they've spent volunteering with the pack



and the leadership they provided their dens throughout the years. And, a special thank you to Troop 316 Boy Scouts Ryan Stickney, Noah Clafin, and Jason Michalski, who were den chiefs for our Arrow of Light dens.

For information about Douglas Cub Scout Pack 316, please email info@douglaspack316.com or visit www.douglaspack316.com.

NEWS BRIEF

Uxbridge Senior Center golf outing set for June

UXBRIDGE — After a winter when golfers hardly had to stay off the green, the Uxbridge Elderly Connection is expecting even better competition on Saturday, June 11, at Crystal Lake Golf Club in Burrillville, R.I.

It is time for the 11th Annual Uxbridge Senior Center Golf Outing set for 1 p.m. with Shotgun or Florida style format. Special challenges will be offered, such as a \$1,000 prize for a hole in one on a par 3 and competition for longest drive. Peter DiBattista, Russ Rosborough and Pete Petrillo are seasoned at organizing and ensuring a day of great fun and sport for the participants each year.

Prices have remained at \$700 for a full sponsorship, \$250 for a team, or \$150 for an individual. This includes cart, gift and dinner. A tee sign to be displayed on a green may be purchased for \$100. The contacts for the outing are DiBattista at 508-243-9666, Petrillo at 508-238-4328 and Rosborough

at 508-278-4672. Contact Cathy Thornton at 508-278-4517 to make a donation, provide a gift for raffle, or to purchase a buffet only ticket for \$30.

After a delightful day of golf, the festivities are capped off with a delicious and plentiful buffet at the beautiful lakeside Pavilion. Winners and special achievement awards will be followed by prizes and raffles. Over the past ten years more than \$60,000 has been raised to provide building and facility improvements to the senior center, health and educational services, special luncheons, and especially, transportation for Uxbridge's seniors. Local businesses and members of the community have been very generous and supportive towards these ends.

Uxbridge Elderly Connection Board of Directors members DiBattista, Petrillo, Rosborough are joined by the rest of the group Amy DiBattista, Donna Oncay, Jack Daley, Jeanne Daley, Dot Derby, Cathy Thornton and Council on Aging Director Marsha Petrillo in inviting golfers and non-golfers to a terrific annual event which gets better with age.

PUBLIC MEETINGS

Editor's Note: Meetings as listed are retrieved in advance from multiple sources, including Town Hall and on the Internet. The Blackstone Valley Tribune is not responsible for changes and cancellations.

DOUGLAS

Tuesday, April 26

Library Board of Trustees, 7 p.m., See Agenda for Location
Planning Board, 7 p.m., See Agenda for Location

NORTHBRIDGE

Tuesday, April 26

School Committee, 7 p.m., See Agenda for Location
Planning Board, 7 p.m., See Agenda for Location

Wednesday, April 27

Retirement Board Public Hearing, 3:45 p.m., See Agenda for Location

UXBRIDGE

Wednesday, April 27

Planning Board 4 Public Hearings, 7 p.m., BOS Meeting Room

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WEEKEND

Two Family Fun Days
@ ThompsonSportsVillage

Saturday & Sunday
May 21-22, 2016

10 am - 3 pm
Each Day

\$10 Per Car
Fee includes parking and admission to the event for adults and children

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Must have CDL, 45 years or experience. Must have dump truck experience. Serious inquiries only.
Call Mike 508.988.7193 or Office 508.247.0958

2nd Annual Klem's Consignment Auction

Saturday, April 23, 2016 at 10 am
@ Klem's Tractor, 117 West Main St., Spencer, MA 01562
(junction of Route 9 and Route 49)

Please join us for the 2nd Annual Spring Consignment Auction on Saturday, April 23 at Klem's Tractor on West Main Street in Spencer. We will be auctioning tractors, farm and landscape equipment, and all types of agriculture-related items, as well as quality consigned tools and construction items.

Early Consignments Include: Leftover 2013 Boomer 4 WD with loader, remainder of warranty, 1986 Ford 210 4 WD, with loader, 3600 hrs. Malinda 4110 4 WD with loader, 1028 hrs., Massey Ferguson 1190 4 WD with loader, 3274 hrs., Ford 6610 4 WD with loader, 2791 hrs., Ford 7710-2 4 WD with loader, 3 remotes, with loader, 2500 hrs., John Deere 316 garden tractor, hydrostatic, 48 inch mower deck, 54 inch snow plow, front hydraulics, wheel and counter weights, 1997 Babel 1995 TL 4 WD with loader, 1519 hrs., 1995 Zetor 6211 2 WD tractor, 7700 hrs., Case 530 B backhoe loader, recent engine rebuild, Bobcat Mini Excavator on rubber tracks, Ford 3-M with Ford snow plow blade...

Attachments and implements: Woods BHE600 backhoe attachment, John Deere 450 3 pth roto-tiller (50 inch) e spinner Vicom tedder, 7x12 pad piston Cam Superline dump trailer, Brand new, leftover 2015 New Holland 472 mower conditioner, 2 90" Skid Steer buckets, Woods 7500 backhoe, DR Power Grader 60", 36"X24" steel lawn rollers, Ford L61 garden tractor, John Deere 3280 skid steer: open cab, single speed, high flow hydraulic, joy stick, steel track over rubber tires, Hy-Dro Clipper side mount sickle bar mower.

Hay Equipment: From a Sutton, MA estate: 2010 John Deere 625 mower/conditioner, 2010 John Deere 538 baler, 2018 Kuhn KA 3200 rake, 2013 Kuhn GF 2221 tedder, all with VERY light use.

Special Mention: Large lots of New Old Stock Ford tractor and hay equipment parts: hoses, filters, New Holland hay tools, plow parts, tires, case lots of oil, batteries, belts, Restored John Deere B, ground driven manure spreader, Kalamazoo cook stove (rare color), from the Town of Spencer: 200-1450 Dump Truck with plow, 7.3 diesel, 816 mil. rust sugar, and other pumps.

Keep checking AuctionZip.com ID # 9337 for updates.
If you are in the market for tractors, agricultural or construction equipment — or if you have some to sell — this is an excellent opportunity!

Commission rates:

Any items that sell for \$100 or less - 20% • Any items that sell for \$101 to \$999 - 15%
Any items that sell for \$1000 and up - 10% • 0% Buy Back Fee

Terms of Sale: Cash/Check with proper ID/ Most Major credit cards, 15% Buyers Premium-10% for cash or check. Buyer's Premium for items that sell for \$10,000 or more is 5%, 6.25% MA sales tax. Tax exempt buyers must bring a copy of their resale/tax exempt certificate when registering for a buyer's number.

Management reserves the right to refuse items deemed inappropriate or in unacceptable condition for sale.

To Consign Items Contact:

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