**Event Planning**

If you have an idea or just an inkling of an idea for an event, please contact Chris Cerhit and we can work together to ensure your event will be a success.

**Events Calendar**

We are working hard to ensure all events are posted to the Northern Lights Council calendar. If you notice missing events, errors or if you want to post an event please send the information to Chris Cerhit **–** [**chris.cerhit@scouts.ca**](mailto:chris.cerhit@scouts.ca)and we will ensure your information is included in the event calendar. It is never too early to post your events, leaders will be planning for the upcoming year and it would be great if we would have most events included in the calendar as soon as possible.

**Upcoming Events:**

**Bike Saftey –** May 1, 5:30 – 7pm**,** Britannia/Youngstown Community League, 15927 -105 Avenue.

*Note – This event is full*

**Bikeree** – May 5, 8 – 3pm, The Cub Bikeree is a part day event for Cubs that is a fun and challenging bicycling activity that promotes safety and good riding skills. Contact [Briankwallace@Shaw.ca](mailto:Briankwallace@Shaw.ca) for more information.

**Great Edmonton Scout Camp** – May 4 – 6, This camp offers several activities that are new and quite different from past camps at Fort Edmonton Park. Contact [andrew.wesa@scouts.ca](mailto:andrew.wesa@scouts.ca) for more information.

**Beaver Hills / River's Edge Cuboree – May 25 – 27,** This is a fantastic opportunity to grow as a Scouter and to become involved in the greater Scouting movement. Contact [jonathan.jaguary@blackcatblades.com](mailto:jonathan.jaguary@blackcatblades.com) for more information.

**Buffalo Trails Cuboree** – May 25 - 27, Come join the fun in the long running event. Contact [DoroshukConst@xplornet.com](mailto:DoroshukConst@xplornet.com) for more information.

**Spring Thaw** – June 1 – 3, This Alberta Scout Camp is designed so that Troops may compete in the activities or do them just for fun and experience. Contact [gator@knottwoodscouts.com](mailto:gator@knottwoodscouts.com) for more information.

**Damboree** – June 15 – 17, A chance for the Beavers to meet new Friends from different Colonies. Contact [theringtail@outlook.com](mailto:theringtail@outlook.com) for more information.

**Water Regatta** – June 23 – Come test you water skills against other Scouts. Contact [Deb.mills@scouts.ca](mailto:Deb.mills@scouts.ca) for more information.

**Upcoming planning meetings:**

**Damboree –** Apr 24 @ 7pm @Scout House

**Spring Thaw** – May 15 @7 pm @ Scout House

**Beaver Hills Cuboree** – May 16 @ 7pm @ Strathcona County Library - Birch Room - 401 Festival Lane, Sherwood Park ABFriday15:00 - 21:00 Arrival and set upSaturday

Morning – arrivals for those attending just for the day. Build Sleds

12:45 – 4:30 Race activities

17:00 Secret Pantry ingredients

18:30 Judging of Secret pantry

20:00

Sunday

9:30 Sled Races, Awards and announcements

14:00 Everyone should be gone home

For more information and updates - contact Deb Mills at deb.mills@scouts.ca**Events to put into your calendar for 2018**

| **Month** | **Event** | **Dates** | **Section** | **Contact** | **Notes** |
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| **May** | | | | | |
|  | Bike Safety | May 1 | Beavers | Rainbow144th@shaw.ca |  |
|  | Great Edmonton Scout Camp | May 4-6 2018 | Scouts | [andrew.wesa@scouts.ca](mailto:andrew.wesa@scouts.ca) |  |
|  | Bikeree | May 5 2018 | Cubs | [briankwallace@shaw.ca](mailto:briankwallace@shaw.ca) |  |
|  | Buffalo Trails  Cuboree | May 25-27 2018 | Cubs | [DoroshukConst@xplornet.com](mailto:DoroshukConst@xplornet.com) |  |
|  | Beaver Hills  Cuboree | May 25-27 2018 | Cubs | Jonathan.Jaguary@blackcatwearparts.com |  |
| **June** | | | | | |
|  | Spring Thaw | June 1-3 2018 | Scouts | [gator@knottwoodscouts.com](mailto:gator@knottwoodscouts.com) |  |
|  | Damboree | June 15-17 2018 | Beavers | [theringtail@outlook.com](mailto:theringtail@outlook.com) |  |
|  | Water Regatta | June 23, 2018 | Scouts | deb.mills@scouts.ca |  |

**Events to look forward to in late 2018**

The 2nd annual Edmonton Eskimo sleepover on Sept 29th @ 5pm. Contact Chris Cerhit @ [chris.cerhit@scouts.ca](mailto:chris.cerhit@scouts.ca) for more information.