Den Leader Appreciation: Dana Rowen

We want to send a massive shout-out to an truly outstanding leader, Den Leader Dana Rowen of Pack 49 Norwood!


Dana Rowen of Pack 49 Norwood

As Mayflower Council continues our Den Leader Appreciation Month for May 2025, we are absolutely delighted to recognize Dana as our fourth Den Leader of the Week.

Dana has done something incredible this year: he led the Wolves Den to **the greatest growth of any of our Dens!** They started with just 3 Scouts and finished the year with a fantastic 11! That remarkable growth speaks volumes about how **engaged and excited the kids are**, and how wonderfully Dana has made it a **fun and welcoming group** for both Scouts and their families.

What makes Dana so special is his wonderfully **calm and steady presence**. We know it can be a whirlwind with a large group of 2nd graders, but he truly takes it all in stride, making every meeting feel smooth and enjoyable.

Just a few weeks ago, the Wolves took full advantage of the beautiful weather by making kites out of paper bags and enjoying some popsicles. That's pure Cub Scouting genius! Dana perfectly embodied "A Scout is Thrifty" by using our amazing environment to create a **fun and inexpensive activity** the kids loved.

Dana, thank you from the bottom of our hearts for your

incredible dedication and the **immensely positive spirit** you bring to every Scout in Pack 49! You genuinely embody the very best of Scouting, and we are **so incredibly fortunate** to have you as a leader.

Remember, nominate your best den leaders here. *Congratulations and thank you!*

Den Leader Appreciation: Mike Cluett

Let's hear it for Den Leader Mike Cluett of Pack 41 in Abington – truly one of our very best!



Mike Cluett of Pack 41 Abington

As we continue to celebrate Den Leader Appreciation Month in Mayflower Council, we're absolutely thrilled to recognize Mike as our third Den Leader of the Week for May 2025!

Mike's commitment is nothing short of inspiring. He stepped up to lead his son's Den when no one else was available, diving in headfirst. The results speak for themselves: his Den isn't just the largest in the Pack, it's also bursting with the happiest, most smiling Scouts! Laughter and good times are a constant whenever Mike's Den is together.

His dedication is 100% unwavering. Mike ensures his Scouts are

not only having a blast but are genuinely engaged and learning something new every time they meet. Beyond his Den, he's a true Pack champion, consistently helping with recruitment and fundraising efforts to make sure Scouting thrives for even more kids.

Mike's Den meetings are always full of energy, with every Scout eager to participate. It's clear that his desire to have as much fun as the kids themselves makes all the difference.

Mike, thank you from the bottom of our hearts for your incredible dedication and the immensely positive spirit you bring to every Scout in Pack 41! You embody the very best of Scouting, and we are so incredibly fortunate to have you.

Remember, nominate your best den leaders here. *Congratulations and thank you!*

Den Leader Appreciation: Gregory Lomanno

Celebrating a Rockstar Leader: Gregory Lomanno of Pack 113 Earns Den Leader of the Week Honors

Let’s give a huge shout-out to the awesome Den Leader Gregory Lomanno of Pack 113 in Medfield! As Mayflower Council continues our Den Leader Appreciation Month, we’re absolutely delighted to shine a spotlight on his fantastic work as our second Den Leader of the Week for May 2025!


Gregory Lomanno of Pack 113 Medfield

Seriously, Greg is a rockstar! He’s got the communication down pat, keeping all the families in the loop like a pro. His meeting plans? Always top-notch! And whenever the pack needs an extra hand, Greg is the first to jump in.

What makes Grego truly shine? He’s like a super-organizer, somehow creating den meetings that are the perfect mix of “we’re having SO much fun!” and “hey, we actually learned something cool today!”

Want to know how to get the whole family smiling in Scouting? Just ask Greg! He’s a genius at planning activities where parents and kids get to join in the fun together. It’s a win-win for everyone!

Greg, thank you from the bottom of our hearts for your incredible dedication and the super positive vibes you bring to the Scouts of Pack 113! You truly make the spirit of Scouting shine bright. We’re so lucky to have you!

Remember, nominate your best den leaders here. *Congratulations, Gregory, and thank you!*

Den Leader Appreciation: Deirdra Borges

More Than a Leader: Deirdra Borges Fuels Growth and Fun in West Bridgewater's Pack 23



Deirdra Borges of Pack 23 in West Bridgewater

It's Den Leader Appreciation Month in the Mayflower Council, and we're thrilled to spotlight the incredible contributions of our dedicated leaders! Today, we proudly recognize Deirdra Borges of Pack 23 in West Bridgewater as our first Den Leader of the Week for May 2025.

Deirdra's journey with Pack 23 began in 2021 when her son, John, joined as a Tiger. Recognizing an immediate need for leadership within his den, Deirdra stepped up without hesitation. More than just a leader, she has consistently surpassed expectations, fostering an environment that is both engaging and focused. Under her guidance, her den has flourished and is now enthusiastically working towards their Arrow of Light, undoubtedly preparing them for a successful transition to Troop 25 next March 2026.

What sets Deirdra apart? Her exceptional preparedness! Each of her meetings is thoughtfully planned and infused with a spirit of fun, so much so that the Scouts joyfully absorb valuable life lessons without even realizing it. Her initiative extends beyond den meetings; she has also established the Pack 23 Hiking Club, further enriching the scouting experience for our young members.

Thank you, Deirdra, for your outstanding dedication and the positive impact you have on the Scouts of Pack 23! Your commitment truly embodies the spirit of Scouting.

Remember, nominate your best den leaders here. *Congratulations, Deirdra, and thank you!*