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JAHA to offer Cub Scout Day at Heritage Discovery Center

Saturday, Oct. 27 event for Cub Scouts of all levels

JOHNSTOWN, Pa. – The Johnstown Area Heritage Association will offer “Cub Scout Day” at the Heritage Discovery Center on Saturday, Oct. 27. The event will include a Citizenship Belt Loop Workshop from 9 a.m.-noon for Wolf Scouts, Bear Scouts and Webelos. In addition, a museum visit will satisfy some requirements toward the Tiger Cub, Wolf Scout, and Bear Scout badges, which must be earned for scouts to move to the next level.

The Citizenship Belt Loop workshop is open to Webelos, who must earn it as they work toward the Citizen Activity Badge, as well as Wolf and Bear Scouts.

The Citizenship Belt Loop Workshop is \$6, which includes program facilitation and materials, while museum admission is \$4. Entire troops and individual scouts are welcome to participate.

Cub Scout Day is the second in a series of planned events for scouts at the Heritage Discovery Center – a Sept. 29 merit badge workshop for Boy Scouts attracted about 120 participants. For more about Cub Scout Day or other scouting outreach programs, contact JAHA’s museum educator, Danielle Miller, at 814-539-1889 x305. A downloadable brochure about Cub Scout Day is available on the “News & Special Events” page of www.jaha.org.

The Johnstown Area Heritage Association is a non-profit, membership-based organization dedicated to preserving and showcasing Johnstown’s unique history to the nation through high-quality educational, cultural and recreational experiences. In addition to the Johnstown Flood Museum, the Frank & Sylvia Pasquerilla Heritage Discovery Center, and the Wagner-Ritter House & Garden, JAHA produces the AmeriServ Johnstown FolkFest, a 3-day free music festival held annually over Labor Day weekend; flood commemoration events; and a wide variety of additional cultural programming. The Johnstown Children’s Museum is currently under construction and will open in 2008. For more information on JAHA programs, museums and events, visit www.jaha.org.