



# NORTHERN STAR SCOUTING

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Dear Northern Star Scouting Leaders,

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With the new Scouting season and school year fast approaching, it is now time to get ready for another great year of Scouting!

Several important items to note:

- **NEW this year:** All online registrations will go through BeAScout/My.Scouting. All new youth must be approved by the unit leadership and new adults must be approved by the COR or the COR Delegate.
- **NEW this year:** All registered members will receive an e-mail 60 days prior to their expiration date. That e-mail will include a link to renew their registration through My.Scouting.
- **NEW this year:** Unit leaders should monitor Application Manager in My.Scouting to approve any new applicants. Current member renewals can be viewed and approved through the Organization Manager Roster in My.Scouting.
- The annual youth registration fee is \$205 and covers 12 months. This is roughly \$17 per month.
- There is financial assistance available for youth. No youth will be turned away because of inability to pay. [www.goscouting.org/financial-assistance](http://www.goscouting.org/financial-assistance)
- The annual Adult Scout Leader registration fee is \$65 and covers 12 months.
- Scout Life subscriptions are available during the registration process.
- Anyone age 18 and older will need to have current Youth Protection Training and will have a Criminal Background Check performed. Youth participants who are age 18 and older in Crews, Ships and Posts should register using a paper application.
- If **NEW** individuals are registering in multiple units, they will need to register and pay in their primary unit first. Registrations for additional units may be added after the initial registration has been accepted.
- **CURRENT** individuals who are registered in multiple units will be able to renew all of their registrations at one time.
- Adult leader positions can be changed by the unit's COR or COR Delegate through Organization Manager in My.Scouting.
- All units in Northern Star Scouting have had their expiration date extended to February of 2025.
- **All new and renewing youth will receive a FREE Northern Star Scouting t-shirt!**

If you have any questions please reach out to your District Executive, check out the website <https://www.northernstar.org/registration> or contact Registration [registration@northernstar.org](mailto:registration@northernstar.org).



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