

Registration Instructions



September 2006

Forms

- Please list an email address if possible. We use this for communicating activity information.
- Ensure that both a full street address and PO Box/Rural Route number are given.

Be a leader!

- Adults who enjoy camping and playing with kids, and want to have some fun, should contact us for available roles.

Uniform

- Full uniform is mandatory for all youth.
 - Beavers: Vest and hat.
 - Cubs: Tan shirt, Cub sash, navy blue trousers/shorts, Cub handbook.
 - Scouts: Tan shirt, Scout sash, navy blue trousers/shorts, Scout handbook.
- The trousers/shorts must be a solid colour: no stripes, flowers, embroidery, etc.
- The Scout field book is highly recommended for Scouts.

Cost

- The registration fee is \$165 for the first child, and \$135 for each subsequent child. Break down as follows:
 - \$120 - Scouts Canada registration fee (covers administrative expenses, none remains with the group).
 - \$30 - Group fee to cover \$120 registration fee for each leader. Once per family.
 - \$15 - Community centre rental. The Village of Merrickville requires that we collect and submit this tax.
- Cheques should be made payable to "Scouts Canada" and may be postdated no later than September 30th.
- No refunds available after September 30th.
- Financial assistance is available.

Meetings

- All meetings are at the Merrickville Community Centre unless previously communicated.
 - Beavers: Tuesday 6:30pm - 7:45 pm starts September 19th
 - Cubs: Wednesday 6:30pm - 8:00 pm starts September 13th
 - Scouts: Monday 6:30pm - 8:15 pm starts September 11th
- Dues are \$1/week. This covers badges, craft supplies, project supplies.

Fundraising

- Revenue received by the group is generally distributed as follows:
 - Fund Raising/Donations - Equipment, neckerchiefs, training, activity subsidisation.
 - Camp Fees - All camps are charged at cost (food, activities, fuel, etc).
- Our main fundraising activity is Apple Day, and your child's participation is required.

Photographs

- See www.1stmerrickville.ca for information and photographs of past activities.
- Photographs will be taken of the youth during activities for posting on our website and on rare occasions will be submitted to the media. Names of the youth will not be associated with the photographs without parental permission. Please notify your child's leader in writing if there are any concerns.

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The Royal Canadian Legion

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