

What Does the Youth Application Do???

& What Am I Paying for Tonight??

Boy Scouts of America Youth Application:

- The way your child becomes registered in the Boy Scouts of America
- Collects contact information to be used to keep your family informed
- Provides registration information to be used in recognizing Scouting accomplishments

Do Adults Register Also??? – Yes! Talk to one of our leaders about how to do this.

2020 Registration

BSA Membership Registration and Insurance Fee, September – December, 2020 : **\$24**

Boys' Life Magazine, September – December, 2020: **\$4**

New Member Joining Fee - \$25 (no prorating). New members pay a joining fee in addition to the membership registration fee. No joining fee for adult volunteers, Exploring participants, participants previously registered in any BSA program, or those transferring from one program to another.

2021 Registration

BSA Registration, Council Insurance Fee and Council Fee, January – December, 2021: **\$96**

Boys' Life Magazine, January – December, 2020: **\$12**

Pack program costs – Packs require different amounts to cover program costs. Tonight, you are paying the membership fee for the Boy Scouts of America.

What Other Costs Are There???

See Sample Fees Listed Below

Packs establish their own fee structure to finance their programs, and the amounts vary. These fees and dues go to pay for awards, program materials, supplies for pack activities and parties, and other activity fees.

Sample Annual Pack Fee: \$85 *(This is not paid tonight, and can be made in monthly payments if you'd prefer)*

Sample Den Dues: \$3 / Week

Sample What to expect:

Next 60 Days:

Handbook— \$13—\$19

Uniform – Shirt with patches - \$25-\$45

Full Uniform with Pants, Belt, Neckerchief, etc... - \$100-\$125 (available from the Scout Shop...A complete uniform is not required right away)

Some camping gear (tent, sleeping bag, flashlight, day-pack) is helpful, however, talk with others in the pack before buying new equipment.

In the Next 90 Days:

You will participate in an overnight camping activity. Only pay for those campouts you can go to – around \$25 for the weekend.

Other activities are offered because of your membership in the Boy Scouts of America. Each activity will have its fee, however some activities are free of charge. Please check the Greater Niagara Frontier website for activities and registration information:

www.wnyscouting.org

HOW TO SAVE \$\$\$ - IMPORTANT TO KNOW: