

# Boy Scout Troop 25 Fact sheet



## **Minimum Joining Requirements and Age Range:**

Age 10 ½ or completed 5<sup>th</sup> grade or earned Webelos Arrow of Light  
Ages 11-17

## **Meetings:**

Monday meetings, 7-8:30pm in the Adult Education Center.  
Last Monday of the month is Patrol Leaders Council

## **Cost:**

\$29 yearly registration (\$11 to National BSA, \$18 to Troop 25 by January 1)  
\$35 troop equipment fee by January 1  
\$30 fundraising fee annually by September 1  
\$94 total (can be met through fundraising during the year)

## **Activities (each activity is self-supporting):**

- Monthly campouts to local lakes and campgrounds, 10-90 miles away
- Long term (7-day) summer camp every summer to South Dakota, Colorado, or Wyoming
- High Adventure trips to New Mexico, Minnesota/Canada, or Florida every couple years

## **Advancement:**

- Scouts progress through: Scout, Tenderfoot, Second Class, First Class, Star, Life, Eagle ranks at their own pace.
- Scouts choose from 119 different merit badges to apply toward their Eagle rank total of 21, 11 of which are required.

## **Leadership:**

- The troop is run by a group of elected and appointed boy officers called the Patrol Leaders Council or PLC.
- The Scoutmaster and Assistant Scoutmasters work with the Senior Patrol Leader who, in turn, works with his Assistant Senior Patrol Leaders, Patrol Leaders and other officers.
- Boys are organized into 8-10 member Patrols.
- The troop adult committee is composed of a chairperson, secretary, treasurer, advancement chair, and members. They handle most of the business end of running a troop, in cooperation with the Scoutmaster.

## **Uniforming:**

Khaki uniform shirt, neckerchief, Scout belt, with red Troop 25 t-shirt for casual wear.

## **For more information contact:**

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