

OUR SCOUTING PROGRAMS



Tiger Cubs

1st Grade boys participate with an adult.
Emphasis on family skills, service to others and feelings of self-worth.



Cub Scouts

2nd—5th Grade boys.
Emphasis on social skills and family relationships.



Boy Scouts

6th — 12th Grade boys.
Outdoor activities with emphasis on character, citizenship and leadership training.



Venturing

Boys and girls ages 14—18.
High adventure activities and advanced leadership training.



Exploring

Boys and girls ages 10—18.
Career education and development of vocational interests.

COUNTIES SERVED BY THE YUCCA COUNCIL



2015 Yucca Council Highlights

*As of November 2015.

- Acquired the lease to Camp Pioneer, giving the Yucca Council a premier urban camp that will host Scouting programs and activities near our population center.
- Cub Scouting membership grew by more than 12% in 2015 and Yucca Council led the Boy Scouts of America with a 200% increase in new Cub Scouts recruited.
- Hundreds of new Cub Scouts participated in our first ever Free Rocket Launch.
- Scouts earned more than 1500 rank advancements, this includes 64 new Eagle Scouts.
- Citizenship in the World was the most earned merit badge by our Boy Scouts, with 110 earned.
- Scouts performed more than 11,000 hours of service projects for their communities.

Boy Scout of America Mission Statement

The mission of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make moral and ethical choices over their lifetime by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Scout Law

THE SCOUT OATH

On my honor, I will do my best,
To do my duty to God and my country
And to obey the Scout Law;
To help other people at all times;
To keep myself physically strong, mentally awake
and morally straight.

THE SCOUT LAW

A Scout is trustworthy, loyal, helpful, friendly,
courteous, kind, obedient, cheerful, thrifty,
brave, clean and reverent.

YUCCA COUNCIL

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Thank You For Your Investment In Scouting
Your gift to Scouting will help the Yucca Council provide a life changing experience to more than 4,000 young people in 2016.

Please Remember, Every Gift Counts

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Phone _____
 Pack Troop Crew _____

WHAT IS FRIENDS OF SCOUTING?

Friends of Scouting is the annual giving campaign in support of the Yucca Council, Boy Scouts of America. It is the yearly opportunity for the community and Scouting volunteers to invest locally in the mission of the Boy Scouts of America. Joining together to provide life changing programs and experiences to our youth.

How Scouting Makes A Difference In The Lives of Young People:

- Graduate from High School (91% vs. 87%)
- Graduate from College (35% vs. 19%)
- Earn a higher annual household income as an adult (\$80k vs. \$60k)
- Cultivate lifelong friendships (89% vs. 72%)
- Attend religious services (97% vs. 77%)
- Choose to help others before one's own interests (92% vs. 83%)
- Value family relationships (81% vs. 72%)

PAY THE WAY FOR ONE SCOUT

The Yucca Council needs approximately \$150 per year, per Scout, in direct support to provide all of the services necessary to keep the engine of Scouting running. While the greatest reward may be in knowing you've helped move Scouting forward and helped the youth of your community, we would also like to recognize your gift of \$150 or more with this limited edition Council Shoulder Patch. It's only available by making a Friends of Scouting contribution in 2016 and is one piece of our 2015 - 2020 commemorative patch set pictured on the front of this brochure.



The "Iceberg Analogy" about the True Cost of Scouting

What you see above the water: books, uniforms, Boys' Life, activity costs, registration fees, is only 20% of the operating costs of Scouting.



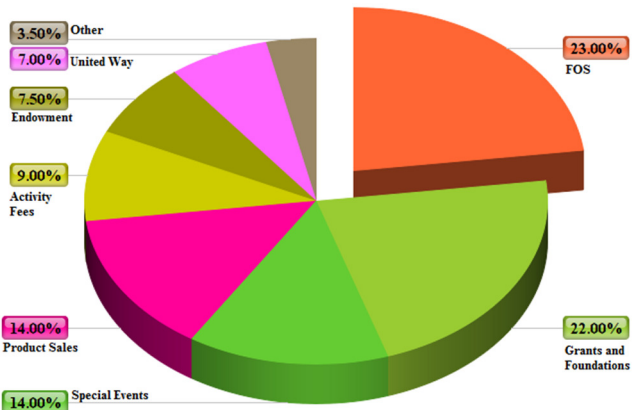
But there is much more below the waterline

- Training for more than 2,000 volunteers each year
- Liability insurance provided for each of our Scouts, volunteers and chartering organizations
- Accident and Sickness insurance for all members
- Organization of new Scouting units
- Youth camping opportunities at Camp Dale Resler, Camp Wehinahpay and Camp Pioneer
- Reference publications and resources to help you plan your unit programs
- A Council Service Center with support for our units and the community
- Utilities, insurance, repairs and care for our Service Center and camp properties
- Recognition for our volunteers
- Assistance to individual Scouts and families in need of some help paying for the cost of Scouting

HOW ARE WE FUNDED?

The Yucca Council receives 100% of its funding from generous supporters like you. Perhaps you are a business owner, a United Way contributor, Scouting family, or someone who buys popcorn from a Scout. All of you are important to the success of Scouting here in Southern New Mexico and West Texas. Thank you.

Below you will see how Friends of Scouting and other funding sources will impact the Yucca Council budget in 2016. Can you help support at least one Scout?



\$150 - You Can Count On Me To Support The Cost Of One Scout In 2016

\$ _____ You Can Count On Me in 2016

10 equal payments 4 equal payments One payment

Payment Method: Cash Check Credit Card

Cash / Check Amount paid tonight: _____ Check Number _____

Visa MasterCard Discover American Express Card # _____

Expiration Date _____ Security Code _____

Signature _____

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Please make checks payable to: Yucca Council

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