



Parent Information



We welcome your Scout and you to BSA Troop 925. Those of you coming from Cub Scouts will notice rather quickly some very distinct differences. Our troop is boy led and run. The SPL (Senior Patrol Leader), ASPL (Assistance Senior Patrol Leader) and Patrol Leaders and their assistances, meet the first Monday of each month at 6:00 PM before our regular meeting to plan the next month's activities. They are guided by the Scoutmaster and the Assistance Scoutmasters at meeting. They plan what training they will present to the troop as well as the game that the Troop will play. We strive to develop leadership skills and team work. Scouts will do activities as a patrol. A patrol should work as a team doing everything, setting up camp, cooking, cleaning up patrol box, etc.

Troop 925 uses Scoutbook for each Scout to sign up for Troop events using the "RSVP" response. No Scout will be allowed to attend an activity without a completed Permission Slip. The Scout, Parent or Guardian can find and print their Scout's form, in Scoutbook. This form gives consent to travel with the troop, for the leaders to seek medical treatment and gives the leaders the information how to get in touch with you in the event the need arises. It also is where you will list medications that the leaders will need to administer while on the outing. **No Scout is to carry prescription or non prescription medications on his person, all medications should be given to the leaders in charge.** (The only expectation is if the Scout needs an inhaler, then the Scout can keep the inhaler with him. The inhaler needs to be listed on the 3x5 card and the leaders in charge notified.) You will need to put your Scout's medications or non prescription medications in a zip look baggie with the instructions written plainly on a 3x5 card with your Scout's name.

A completed up to date Medical Form is to be on file for each Scout. Due January 1st of each year. A class 1 form will suffice for most activities, but for long term camping such as summer camp, a Class 2 is required. Class 2 medicals require a physician to complete. This form provides information regarding your Scout in the event medical treatment is required while away at an activity.

Any Scout that is signed up to go camping and wants to withdraw from that campout, must do so the Monday before the weekend campout. If a Scout withdraws from a campout after the Monday before the campout, Troop 925 will need to charge the Scout \$20, which is half the fee for campouts. This charge will be taken out of their Family/Scout account. If there is not any money in their Family/Scout account, the Troop will add the \$20 charge to their account.

Adults will not be charged for camping or events. Therefore, no reimbursements for gas will be given by Troop 925 for gas used to and from events. This is if the Adult is transporting Scouts to and from the campout or event.

No Scout and parent will leave an activity until the Troop is dismissed to leave, unless prior arrangements have been made with the activity leader. We go to events as a Troop and we will leave as a Troop.

You can pay for activities as they happen by check or cash to the Troop treasurer or you can put money into a Family/Scout Account for your Scout. The Scout account works much like a checking account. You deposit money into the account and activity fees will be deducted. A statement of account can be seen in your Scout's Scoutbook account.

