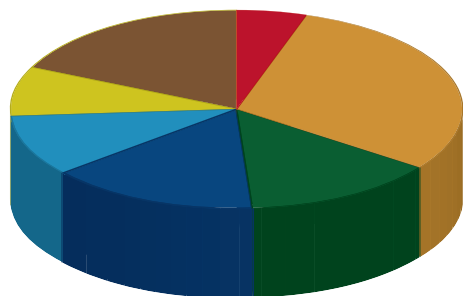


YOUR INVESTMENT IN CHARACTER WILL MAKE A DIFFERENCE

Scouting is a cost effective and efficient youth development program that allows the whole family to participate.

FUNDING SOURCES

Friends of Scouting revenue is a critical source of income for the Mountaineer Area Council's Scouting program.



- Activities – 5%
- Popcorn / Nut Sales – 10%
- Camping – 30%
- United Way – 8%
- Friends of Scouting – 14%
- Other – 18%
- Special Events – 15%

YOUR INVESTMENT IN CHARACTER

The Mountaineer Area Council annually serves over 1,600 young people in the twelve counties of north central West Virginia.

Your investment in character:

- Keeps camp and activity costs down
- Keeps programs current
- Helps maintain Camp Mountaineer
- Provides volunteer communication tools
- Provides youth and camp scholarships
- Provides a Scout Shop in Fairmont with office staff to support Scout leaders and other volunteers across our area

All youth deserve the opportunity to be a Scout. With your investment, we can provide the necessary resources to ensure that every youth can benefit from Scouting's fun and adventure filled activities that foster character, honesty, respect, and values.



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THANK YOU FOR YOUR INVESTMENT IN CHARACTER!

Every week, Scouts in the Mountaineer Area Council raise their hands in the Scout sign and make a promise. It's not a pledge to an organization. It is a lifelong commitment to themselves, their families and the community they share. Your financial investment and your time to help deliver this program to our youth are among the greatest gifts you can make. We thank you for your continued support of Scouting.

Dr. Lee Pyles,
Council President

Tim Rumble,
Council Commissioner

Scott Hanson,
Scout Executive



Patch design pictured is the 2022 recognition patch for campaign gifts of \$150 or more. It is the third in a multi-year series dedicated to the symbols of West Virginia. The 2022 patch represents the rhododendron as the state flower



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INVEST TODAY!

Today's Date _____

Name _____
(Print full name)

X _____
(Signature required)

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____

Email _____

District _____

Pack / Troop / Crew # _____
(Circle one)

District _____

- I am an Eagle Scout
- My Employer Matches Gifts
(Employees must contact their company to initiate match)

Company Name _____

Enrolled by _____

Pledge Levels

Gifts of any amount are appreciated, but please consider one of the following levels

- \$150 (Patch Level)
- \$250 (Friend Level)
- \$500 (Family Level)
- \$1,000 (Leadership Level)
- Other _____

I Would Like To Invest Now

- Check
- Cash
- Credit Card

Make check payable to _____

- Please bill me (for pledges only)
- Immediately
- Monthly (Through December 2022)

First Billing Month _____

Credit Card # _____

Expiration Date ___/___ CVV Code _____

To make a recurring gift using your credit card, please make a notation on your pledge form or you may do so online at www.macbsa.org

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INVEST IN THE FUTURE

The youth and volunteers of the Mountaineer Area Council invite you to make an investment in Scouting. Each dollar you invest will help send youth to camp, support urban Scouting, and provide our volunteer leaders with tools and resources needed to ensure our children benefit from a high-quality program. Your tax deductible contribution helps our children develop leadership skills, values, and good character traits that they need to be successful in life.



LEADERSHIP

Scouting prepares youth by teaching them to take responsibility and to lead by example. These skills are best exemplified by Eagle Scout service projects.



OUTDOOR ADVENTURE

Scouting prepares young people by encouraging them to live an active and healthy lifestyle and enjoy the great outdoors.



SERVICE TO OTHERS

Scouts learn the importance of citizenship by participating in community service. Whether its collecting food or cleaning a park, each community service project teaches the importance of being a valuable citizen.



PERSONAL GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT

While progressing through the program, Cub Scouts learn to commit and practice the 12 points of the Scout Law. Then develop a code of conduct based on the Scout Oath and Law.



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MOUNTAINEER AREA COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

40 youth earned the Boy Scouts of America's highest rank achievement – the Eagle Scout Award. This also includes the first two females to achieve the rank in West Virginia! Approximately 5% of youth in Scouting earn the Eagle Scout Award.

Over 2,200 service hours were conducted during 2021 by Scouts and leaders through more than 600 different projects benefitting our communities.

Scouts earned over 300 individual ranks of achievement showing progress in developing character, fitness, citizenship, and leadership. Scouting's camping honor society, the Order of Arrow, inducted its first four female youth members in 2021.

More than 1,400 youth participated in activities and camps in 2021 held at Camp Mountaineer and other locations across North Central West Virginia including partnerships with West Virginia University and West Virginia Wesleyan College.

36 adult Scouters completed the practical portion of Wood Badge training – the premiere leadership training offered for adults in the Boy Scouts of America in the first course offered in Mountaineer Area Council in more than ten years.

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6 Hours of community service per Scout were reported last year



2,313

Hours of community service were accumulated last year

641

Scouts earned a rank advancement last year



573

Volunteers provided leadership for our Scouts



2,228

Nights Camped



401

Scouts attended resident camp at Camp Mountaineer last summer



1,377

Merit Badges were earned. The top five were Citizenship in the Nation, Communications, First Aid, Camping, and Archery.

