

EVERY SCOUT'S STORY
STARTS HERE.
Scouting America
Northeast Iowa Council



Your Scout's Adventure Starts Here—Help Us Keep It Going

We're thrilled your family is part of Scouting! You've already seen your child having fun, making friends, and discovering new adventures. What's really special is that these moments are the first steps in a lifelong journey, one that builds confidence, character, and leadership.

The incredible **community of volunteers and donors** make it happen. *That's where you come in.*

Your financial support—at any level—helps ensure that Scouting remains strong and accessible for all families.

Even \$20 a month helps keep camp fees low, trains leaders, and supports the adventures your Scout loves. It's a simple way to say, *"I believe in what Scouting can do for my child and others."*



**SAFE CAMPS.
UNFORGETTABLE
ADVENTURES.**

Your gift creates a secure, fun-filled space where Scouts thrive.



"The growth and determination I see in my daughter in Scouting is just crazy."
Nia Gleason, Scout Mom

MORE THAN SUPPLIES

Your gift builds confidence and leadership.



Make your gift today and become part of the community that powers Scouting behind the scenes.

WHERE YOUR MONEY GOES

National Registration Fees	VS	2026 Friends of Scouting Donations
National Office	DESTINATION	Local Council Service Center
National program development and resources	PURPOSE	Fund local initiatives and community needs
National programs and overall organization	WHO BENEFITS	Your local Scouts



Collin, Pack 5

LIAM - FROM QUIET TO CONFIDENT

Liam's Scouting journey began with a glitter-covered Pinewood Derby car that barely made it down the track. As a quiet, unsure Tiger Cub, each meeting helped him grow in skill and confidence. Over the years, he learned to pitch a tent, cook over a fire, and lead a flag ceremony—discovering teamwork, perseverance, and service along the way.

Now a Life Scout working toward Eagle, Liam mentors younger Scouts, leads hikes, and is planning a service project for a local animal shelter. He's become a capable, compassionate leader—proof that Scouting builds character one experience at a time.

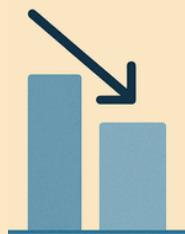
Stories like Liam's are made possible by local donations to Friends of Scouting. The results take hard work, but they are lasting. Your support helps Scouts grow from curious Cub Scouts into confident young leaders ready to make a difference.

It costs more than \$572 per Scout each year

to provide a safe and enriching Scouting experience



**\$11/week
Actual Cost**



Scouting offers more than fees alone provide: Your gift bridges the gap.

WILL YOU HELP FUND THE UNSEEN EXPENSES OF SCOUTING?



Recruitment Resources
Leader Training



Camp Properties
STEM Programs



Financial Assistance
Outreach Program

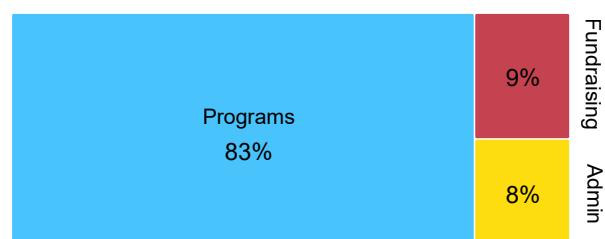
THANK YOU FOR BELIEVING IN SCOUTING AND HELPING US
BUILD A FUTURE FULL OF CONFIDENT, CAPABLE YOUNG LEADERS.



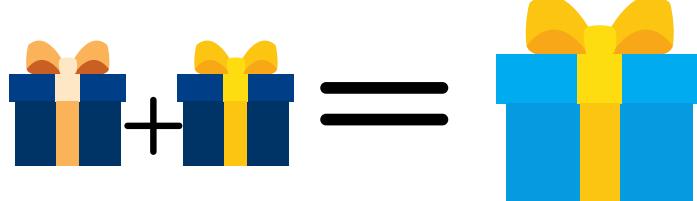
HOW SCOUTING IS FUNDED



HOW WE INVEST IN LOCAL YOUTH



DOUBLE YOUR IMPACT—EFFORTLESSLY



Did you know many employers will **match your donation** or even **donate for your volunteer hours**?

This simple step can **multiply your impact**—at **no extra cost** to you.