Be a Scout!

Be a Scout! That's the dream of many girls and boys. Maybe you have seen Scouts hiking, camping, and enjoying lots of other terrific activities. Perhaps friends who are in a troop have been telling you about the skills they are learning as they work toward becoming First Class Scouts.

Don't wait a minute longer to get in on all the fun Scouts have. The following pages explain how easy it is to join. If you are the right age, you'll be setting out on one of the best adventures of your life—being a member of the Scouts of America

Scouting Joining Requirements

- 1. Meet Age Requirements. Be a youth who has completed the fifth grade or is 11 years old or has earned the Arrow of light Award but be younger than 18 years old.
- 2. Complete a BSA application and health history signed by your parent or guardian.
- 3. Find a Scout Troop Near Your home.
- 4. Obtain a Scout handbook from the Scout shop.
- 5. With your parent or Guardian, complete the exercises in the pamphlet "How to Protect Your Children from Child Abuse: A Parent's Guide."
- 6. Turn in your Scout application and health history form signed by your parents or guardian, then participate in a Scoutmaster conference.
- 7. You have reviewed and signed the "Contract of Understanding" form. *
- 8. Paid your dues and joining fees *
- 9. Troop 282 is affiliated with our Girl troop, Troop 8.

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Welcome to Scouts BSA

Troop 282 Information

- Troop 282 regular meetings are held at Mary Queen of the Holy Rosary Church cafeteria from 7:00pm till 8:30pm every Tuesday of the year.
- Periodically, Troop 282 will hold a "Court of Honor". A "Court of Honor" is an important ceremony in which we recognize the advancements and awards earned by the Scouts of Troop 282. It is also the time that we review up coming activities and events. Parent participation is very important.
- It is the goal of Troop 282 to have one activity per month. It can consist of:
 - **♦** Camping
 - ◆ Caving
 - Hiking
 - Rappelling
 - Backpacking
 - Canoeing
 - Rafting
 - Biking
 - Community Service
 - Or other fun activities

If you have any questions contact John Tomecek at 859-433-5646

Troop 282 Facts

- ◆ Troop 282 is a member of the Scouts BSA, in the Palisades District within the Bluegrass Council Chartered By Mary Queen of The Holy Rosary Church.
- ◆ Troop 282 has been a Chartered since 1963.
- We have advanced 73 Scouts to the rank of Eagle Scout
- We have attended Philmont ranch in recent years ,,,2002, 2012 and 2013.
- We have attended Florida Sea Base twice since 1991.
- We have had scouts attend National Jamboree held at Fort A.P Hills near Washington D.C.
- We have camped over 900 nights since 01/01/1995
- We have hiked over 2000 miles since 01/01/1995
- ♦ We have attended Scout Summer Camp, at Camp McKee, continuously since 1974.
- We are medium size troop, less than 20 Scouts, so your scout experiences less confusion.
- See our Website at www.t282.org

