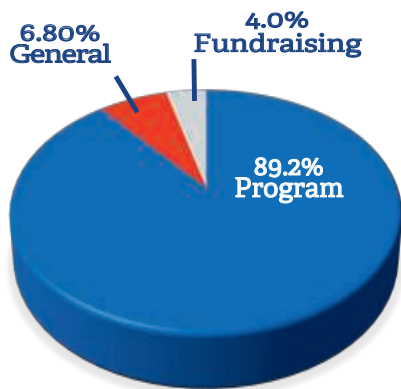


Matching Gift

If you work for a company that has a matching gift program, your donation to Scouting can have double the impact. Contact your Human Resources Department, fill out the matching gift form, and submit following the instructions. Once we receive it, we will verify your contribution and return it to your company to match your Scouting contribution.

Council Investment in Future Leaders



Your Investment

The Laurel Highlands Council serves nearly 17,000 youth in Allegheny, Beaver, Bedford, Blair, Cambria, Greene, Indiana, Somerset, and Washington counties in Pennsylvania; Allegany and Garrett counties in Maryland; and Grant, Hampshire, Hardy, and Mineral counties in West Virginia.

Your Friends of Scouting Investment:

- Keeps camp and activity costs down
- Keeps programs current
- Helps maintain camp properties
- Provides volunteer communication tools
- Provides youth and camp scholarships
- Provides assistance with registration, camp fees, uniforms, and more for families who cannot afford them

All boys and girls 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.

Mission Statement

To be the premier youth development program in our communities by engaging young people to improve the world by inspiring leadership, character, and purpose.

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.

Scout Law

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



Lions

Kindergarten youth will have fun and experience Scouting concepts of character development, leadership, citizenship, and personal fitness.



Cub Scouts

First through fifth grade youth will learn skills with an emphasis on social skills and family relationships.



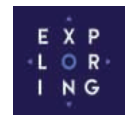
Scouts BSA

Sixth through twelfth grade youth will experience outdoor activities with an emphasis on character, citizenship and leadership training.



Venturing

Youth 14 to 20 years old will experience high adventure activities and advanced leadership training.



Exploring

Young men and women 14 to 20 years old focus on career education and development of vocational interests.

Flag Plaza Scout Center
1275 Bedford Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15219
412.471.2927

Galleria Scout Shop
500 Galleria Drive, Suite 180
Johnstown, PA 15904
814.471.1090

Cumberland Scout Shop
14416 McMullen Hwy. SW
Cumberland, MD 21502
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Invest in the Future

The youth and volunteers of the Laurel Highlands 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.



The official registration and financial information of the Laurel Highlands Council, Boy Scouts of America, may be obtained from the Pennsylvania Department of State, Bureau of Charitable Organizations, by calling toll free in Pennsylvania 800-782-0999. Registration does not imply endorsement.



6 Hours of community service per Scout were reported last year

1,000,000+



Pounds of food were collected as part of the 2017 Scouting for Food Drive

407

Scouts earned the Eagle Scout rank last year



5,603

Volunteers provided leadership for our Scouts



16,758

Scouts were served in our council in 2017



115,119

Scouts and visitors camped at our council properties last year

15,477

Merit Badges were earned. The top five were First Aid, Personal Fitness, Personal Management, Swimming and Rifle Shooting

