

# Scouting America™

## Cascade Pacific Council

### New Membership Fee Structure Effective March 1, 2025

The Cascade Pacific Council Board of Directors has approved a temporary council fee increase from \$20 per member to \$40 per member effective March 1, 2025, payable when the individual member renews. This decision, finalized on December 18, 2024, was made after careful consideration of potential impacts on Scouting families. Reasons for the increase include rising costs of insurance, employment, and utilities, coupled with declining fundraising participation and individual giving revenue. We took several actions to avoid raising the participation fee including reducing the number of Council employees, scrutinizing every planned expense, and developing ways to increase revenues in 2025 and beyond.

#### ARE SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE?

Yes! Scholarships for membership fees & summer camp are available for Scouting families based on need. Contact [info@cpcscouting.org](mailto:info@cpcscouting.org) for details.

#### NEW MEMBERSHIP FEE STRUCTURE

Member Type	National Registration Fee	Council Fee	Total
Returning Scouts	\$85	\$40	\$125
New Scouts	\$85	\$40	\$125
Adult Volunteers	\$65.00	\$40	\$105
Explorers	\$50	\$40	\$90
Merit Badge Counselors	\$25 (Not charged to those already paying Adult Volunteer fee.)	\$0	\$25
Unit Charters	\$100	\$0	\$100

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