

Troop 202
2024 Annual Re-Charter

It's time for re-chartering for the upcoming Scouting year. Please review the information in this package. Your response and payment are needed as soon as possible -- and not later than December 8, 2022.

Please complete the online form as soon as possible even if you need to wait until a troop meeting to submit funds. This helps us to know who plans to participate in 2024, and saves us time trying to contact you. If you do not respond with payment arrangements by the submittal deadline, a lapse in membership could occur, jeopardizing your son's ability to earn advancements.

What your re-chartering fee includes:

Registration with national BSA	80.00
Crossroads of America council program fee (<i>incl insurance</i>)	80.00
Troop 202 materials & gear	<u>45.00</u>
	205.00
Scout Life magazine (<i>optional</i>)	15.00
Fundraising fee (<i>only if \$200 of popcorn not sold</i>)	80.00

There is an additional one-time BSA charge of \$25 for a new Scout (who was not previously a Cub Scout or Boy Scout).

What your Troop 202 materials & gear fee covers:

- Equipment (tents, ground cloths, stoves, patrol kitchens, lanterns, trailer, etc.)
- Consumable troop-wide supplies (propane, etc.)
- Advancements (rank patches, merit badges, position patches, neckerchiefs and slides, etc.)
- Troop resources (library, software)
- Council charter fee for the unit
- Meeting expenses - \$200 per year PLC budget
- Adult registrations and training materials for adults who participate in outings

The only fundraiser that all Scouts are expected to support is the Trails End popcorn sale. Each Scout must sell at least \$200 of popcorn in order to avoid paying an \$80 fundraising fee. Profit from the popcorn sale is explained on the Popcorn page of the troop website.

Scholarships, workerships, or payment plans are available. We don't want any boy to miss out on Scouting due to family financial constraints. If your family needs financial assistance for Scouting expenses, please contact either Scoutmaster Scott Ziegele or Committee Chair Sara Gormley.

Adult re-chartering fee:

Registration with national BSA	60.00
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This fee is covered by the troop for adults who participate actively in outings. Or, an adult volunteer may opt to donate the fee to the troop.