

2018 Friends of Scouting Free Rank Advancement Incentive

Thank you for making Friends of Scouting a priority in your unit.

Requirements: Units must provide their 2018 Family Friends of Scouting presentation date by January 15, 2018. Additionally, the 2018 FOS presentation requires at least 50 percent of a unit's registered Scout families making a pledge of \$50 to Friends of Scouting on or before June 30, 2018 **or** an average gift of \$50 per registered Scouts will earn free rank advancement through December 31, 2018. The percentage of registered Scouts is measured by the number of pledges recorded by the Council vs the unit's June 30, 2017 membership.

When the unit meets these benchmarks, they qualify for the incentive.

The recognition begins as soon as benchmark is met and expires on December 31, 2018.

Example: Troop 123 had 30 Scouts registered on June 30, 2017. Sixteen parents completed pledge cards (on line, at a presentation or by mail) totaling \$1,600 (average of \$53/registered Scout) by June 30, 2018. If both criteria are met, the troop earns the incentive at that moment and is eligible to receive free rank advancement through December 31, 2018.

The incentive can only be redeemed at the Milford Scout Shop when submitted on a completed internet advancement report. Inform the clerk before you check out that your unit is eligible for free rank advancement. They will verify your unit's eligibility, and process it as a separate transaction.

Rank Badges for:

Lions
Bobcat
Tiger
Wolf
Bear
Webelos
Arrow of Light
Scout

Tenderfoot
First Class
Second Class
Star
Life
Eagle
Venturing Devices

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