# Membership Resources

The Mayflower Council wants to help you grow your unit. We want to be able to offer every youth in our community an opportunity to join an organization that prepares youth to become responsible, participating citizens and leaders that are guided by the Scout Oath and Law.

Unit growth is a very important part of a unit’s health! Units with strong recruitment activities and well planned joining nights will have much more success throughout the rest of the year. The Mayflower Council realizes this and has put together some tools and materials that we hope you will use to increase parent participation as well as grow your unit’s membership. A great way to get new parents and youth engaged in Scouting is by letting your community know about the fun, exciting things that your unit is doing.

Below you will find both new and time-tested tools that Mayflower Council has put together to help your unit with their Spring and Fall recruitment drives. Please keep this page in mind when you start planning your recruitment drive.

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# Recruiting Materials

# Cub Scout Packs

- Joining Night Playbook
- Table Rotation Display Layout
- Table Rotation Display Center Panels
- Table Rotation Display Side Panels
- Welcome to Cub Scouts One-Pager
- Parent’s Guide to Cub Scouting 2023 – 2024
- Joining Night Sign In Sheet
- Cub Scout Directional Signs
- Cub Scout Wear Face Covering Sign
- Cub Scout Use Hand Sanitizer Sign
- Parent Orientation Meeting Agenda
- Parent Orientation Meeting Script
- New Family Welcome Email
- Returning Family Welcome Back Email
- Leader Recruitment Tool – Take a Moment to Consider
- Leader Recruitment Tool – The Yard Stick
- School Principal Email
- School Support Opportunities for Joining Night
- Cub Scout Coloring Pages

# Scouts BSA Troops

- How to Welcome Girls into Scouts BSA
- Scouts BSA Quick Start Guide
- Scouts BSA Social Calendar

## Venturing Crews

- Venturing Recruitment Training
- Venturing Activity Interest Survey

Recruitment Event Geofence Request

# 2024 Recruiting Initiatives

Recruitment Kick-Off 2024
2024 Recruitment Presentation
Bring a Buddy Bowling Leader’s Guide

# Membership Support Materials

### Support Documents

- I Want to Start A New Pack, Troop or Crew
- Adult Leader Application
- Adult Leader CORI
- Additional Disclosures & Background Check Authorization Digital Signature Form
- Youth Member Application
- What is a Unit Key 3?
- Important Changes to Membership Card and Charter Certificate Printing
- Changing Functional Roles on My.Scouting
- Transfer Between Councils on My.Scouting
- Transfer & Multiple on My.Scouting
- How to Run A Dropped Youth Report on My.Scouting
- Youth & Adult Membership Fees As of August 1, 2024
- Mayflower Council Activity Fee Waiver Application

### Be A Scout Pins / Online Applications

- Be A Scout FAQs
- Instructions to Update BeAScout Pins
- Online Registration Unit Guidebook
- Online Registration Website

- Unit Online Registration Checklist
- Online Youth Registration Frequently Asked Questions

**Unit Marketing Support**

- Unit PR 101
- Google My Scouting Unit
- Action Steps to Grow Your Unit
- Recruitment Event Geofence Request

# Unit Success Workshops

What’s In Your (Digital) Wallet
Starting A Unit Facebook Page
Posting Proverbs
Invitation Manager Training
Understanding Dues and Fees with Online Applications
Application Manager Training
Fall Recruiting Kick-Off 2022
Closing the Scout Sale
Volunteer Recruiting
Fall Recruitment for Crews, Ships & Posts
Webelos to Scout Transition
Succession Planning
Scouts BSA to Venturing
Online Adult Applications
Spring Recruiting Kick-Off
Invitation Manager Best Practices
Understanding the New BSA Barriers to Abuse

Fall Recruitment Kickoff 2023
Membership Fee Update as of 8.1.2023
Marketing for Scouting Units
Recruitment Kick-Off 2024
Cub Scout Program Updates 2024

# Around the Campfire Podcast

Mayflower Council’s “Around The Campfire” Podcast, a show designed specifically for unit leaders and volunteers. Hosted by Rob DiFazio, an Eagle Scout from East Bridgewater serving on the Membership & Unit Service Team. Each episode will be packed with useful information. Don’t miss out on this informative podcast!

# Membership News & Updates



## April Roundtable: Remote Programming Ideas

April 22nd, 2020|

Hello Headwaters, Below are some of the notes and topics that were discussed at our Virtual District Roundtable at the start of the month.  We had a long conversation about remote

programming ideas and [...]

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## Camping At Home Challenge

April 18th, 2020|

We are happy to announce the Mayflower Camping at Home Challenge! Show us your best at home campsite for the chance to win a $50 campership to any Mayflower Council Camp in 2020. Challenge [...]

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## Virtual Merit Badge Offerings

April 17th, 2020|

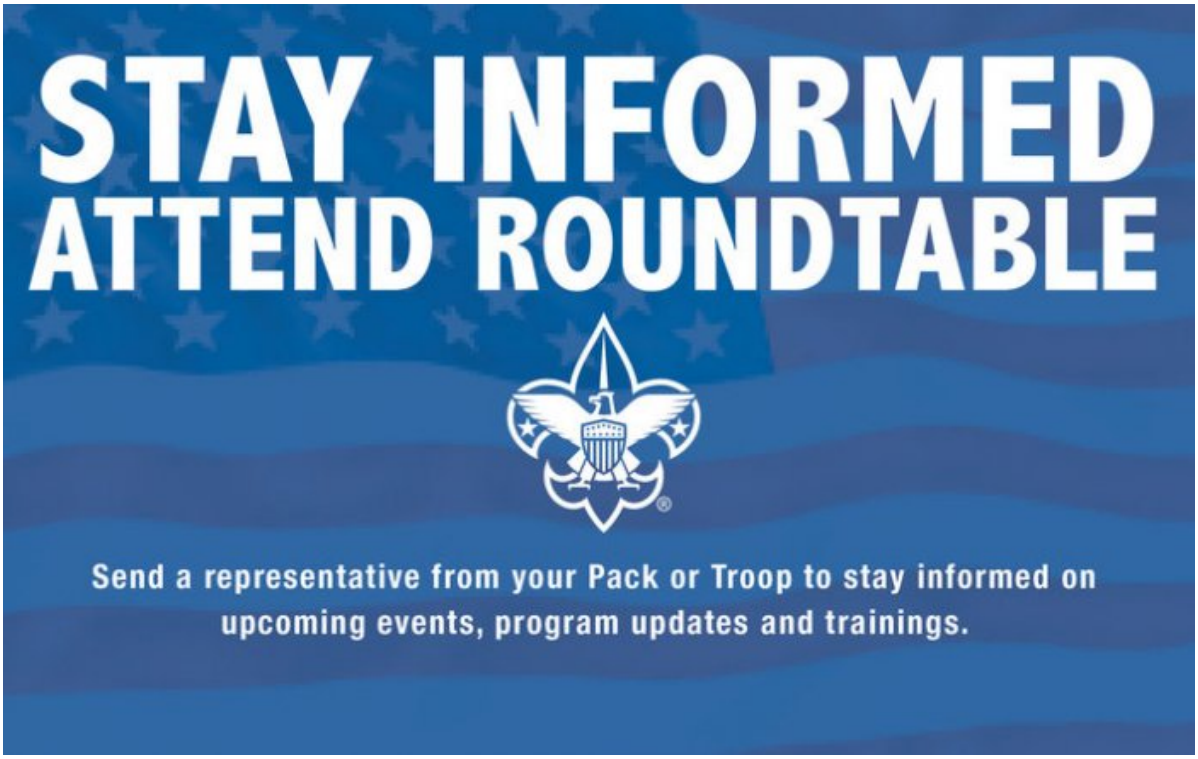
The Mayflower Council has secured merit badge councelors to teach a few merit badges virtually.  Scouts can now sign up for the following virtual merit badge offerings.  More offerings will be coming soon. Space [...]




## We’re Excited to Welcome You to Camp!

April 16th, 2020|

Dear Leaders: We all learned early in Scouting that every Scout should Be Prepared. Who would have thought it would be as relevant as it is now during the COVID-19 situation? Scouting has helped [...]

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## April Roundtable

April 14th, 2020|

April Training Newsletter 2021 National Jamboree 2020 Tread Lightly Trainer Course 2020 Summer Camp Staff Metacomet Slides

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## Amazon Smile

April 13th, 2020|

Do you shop on Amazon? Put a smile on first and identify Mayflower Council as your designated charity. Amazon has donated over $100 Million to charitable organizations through the Amazon Smile program.  The Mayflower Council [...]

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