



## Family Assistance Request

Every Scout should be given an opportunity to take part in Scouting. This Family Assistance Program has been established so that Scout families will find Scouting within reach. As with all Scout programs, it is based on the time-honored principle that *an individual Scout earns his own way*: However, not every Scout and/or Scout family is able to or has the resources to be able to participate in Scouting. The money made available through the Family Assistance Request is intended to make Scouting available to those families in need.

This Request **may only be used by Scouts registered in the Patriots' Path Council** to apply for financial assistance for the costs associated with becoming and registering as a Cub Scout, Boy Scout or Venture Scout. The costs for which an application may be made include **the uniform shirt, Cub or Scout Handbook, Boys Life Magazine (only if the unit is 100% Boy's Life), registration and insurance fees**. Those costs associated with participation in Pack, Troop, Crew or Council activities do not qualify for assistance. All awards are subject to the availability of funds through the current year. If your application is approved, a confirmation letter will be sent with further instructions.

All assistance will be based on need. Scouts are expected first to raise what funds they can from work, savings, family support and unit contributions.

**Please write a one-paragraph statement on the back of this form, explaining the financial need and/or special circumstances surrounding your request for assistance. (A parent may provide this explanation for younger Scouts.)**

**The Family Assistance Request should be submitted with the youth application for a new Scout or with the recharter paperwork for a returning Scout.**

**PLEASE PRINT:**

Youth Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Town: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Pack, Troop, Ship or Crew Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Maximum award, up to \$100.00 offered. One application per youth accepted per calendar year.**

**We wish to help, please check off what you are in need of, thanks!**

- I need my registration and insurance fees.
- I need my uniform shirt and parts.
- I need my Boy's Life Magazine subscription (only if the unit is 100% Boy's Life).
- I need a Cub or Boy Scout Handbook.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Youth Signature\*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature\*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Unit Leader Signature\*

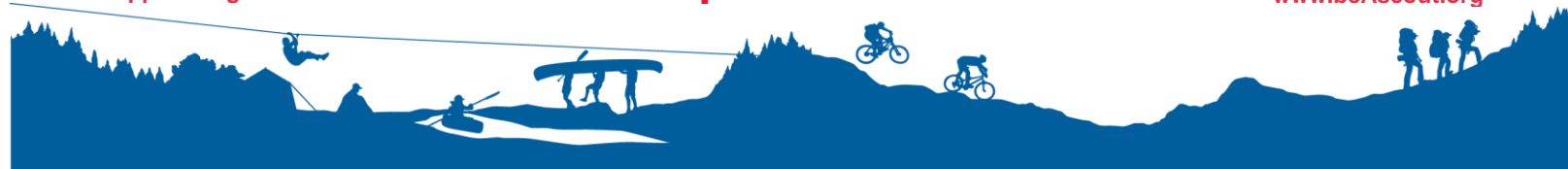
**\*ALL SIGNATURES ARE MANDATORY**

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