



Message from Jackson Kwok, Area Registrar  
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Dear GCs and GRs,

### **Spring Registration 2018**

As you might receive some information from Scouts Canada this month about the Spring Registration will start on May 1.

There will be a continuation of the online registration process and no paper form options.

Please see below some extracted information for your ease of reference.

#### **Two-week advanced registration period for returning members - May 1 to May 14, 2018**

- Parents will only be able to renew their children in the same Group in MyScouts.ca so that returning youth can guarantee their place in the Group.
- Registering new participants or returning participants in a new Group will be available on **May 15<sup>th</sup>**.

#### **Registration fee (2018-2019)**

- Registration fee includes Scouts Canada Fee and Group Fee.
- Registration fee is applicable for all Beaver Scouts, Cub Scouts, Scouts and Venturer Scouts and applies for returning members and new registrations.
- Rover Scout (i.e. over 18) will be registering in Rover Crew Section – No registration fee

<b>Time Frame</b>	<b>Scouts Canada Fee</b>	<b>Group Fee</b>	<b>Total Registration Fee</b>
May 1 – June 30, 2018	\$200	\$X	\$200 + \$X
July 1, 2018 – August 31, 2019	\$230	\$Y	\$230 + \$Y

#### **Information on whether a Section is offering summer programming in MyScouts.**

Group Commissioners, Group Registrars or Section Scouters will need to add this information in the Section meeting details screen in order for parents of new Scouts to take advantage of the complementary 2017–2018 membership after May 14th.

#### **No One Left Behind Subsidy Requests 2018-2019**

New NOLB Membership Process 2018-2019 - Applications will be accepted starting May 1, 2018. Please direct parents to [HELP.SCOUTS.CA](http://HELP.SCOUTS.CA). 'Submit Request' must be selected, then online submission form must be filled out selecting 'Subsidies' in the Support Type field and an appropriate region. Parents/Guardians without access to internet are welcome to apply by calling 1-800-263-0930.

[NOLB Participation 2018-2019](#). A group completes this form (attached #6) on behalf of parents who need some support towards Uniforms, Program Materials, Weekend Camps, Summer Camps or Outdoor Equipment. It is submitted to the Central Ontario Service Centre for Council Approval and then for National Approval. Once Approved, the Cheque is sent directly to the Group.

Please refer to the attached guidelines for starting of online registration and also for your quick & easy reference.

1. How to prepare for registration
2. How to View and Set Organization Fees
3. Registration Checklist
4. How to Register your Child as a Returning Participant
5. How to register a 1st time youth participant - step by step
6. Scouts Canada Participation Subsidy Group Form

For the groups used the paper forms for registration this year, please close the open batch before May 1<sup>st</sup> in order to prevent both this year and the coming scouting year's registrations in the same batch file.

If you need any assistance for the registration matters, please let me know. You can also get more information in our area web page

Thanks,

Yours in Scouting,

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