FRIENDS OF SCOUTING

Washington DC District
Family Friends of Scouting Goal 2013:

**$27,000**

**Jim Stockmal**

Washington DC District

Family Friends of Scouting Chair

The 2013 Family Friends of Scouting Campaign is volunteer-driven.

Units with parents or leaders interested in helping with presentations to other units should contact

**Jim Stockmal, Family Friends of Scouting Chair, 202-253-3220, stockmaljim@yahoo.com.**

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**to deliver the full Scouting program.**

During January through April, the Washington, DC District conducts its annual Friends of Scouting Campaign so that our Scout families and leaders can help the district contribute the district share to the support and operation of the National Capital Area Council, Boy Scouts of America. This is for the benefit of all of the Scouting opportunities in Washington DC. Each district in the council has a part in helping to fund the council.

The district finance team, lead by Casey Mauldin, VP of Finance and Jim Stockmal, Family Friends of Scouting Chairman invites all units in the district to participate in achieving 100% participation of families in each unit and achieving the district goal of $27,000. Each unit is asked to identify an individual who will serve as the Unit Family Coordinator and conduct a Family FOS Presentation. This provides an opportunity for each family and leader to make a financial pledge or contribution. Parents and leaders who would be interested in volunteering to conduct some additional presentations to other units, should contact Jim Stockmal. Unit goals are based on size and history.

Click here for chart of FOS dates, goals & progress by unit.

Click here for FOS brochure PDF.

Click here for a one-page pledge form PDF.

Below is additional information on the Friends of Scouting Campaign. For more information, materials, brochures or answers, please email Jim Stockmal stockmaljim@yahoo.com or Casey Mauldin cmauldin@premarafinancial.com.

Thanks in advance for your support and we look forward to hearing from you so that our 2013 campaign is a success!

**What is Friends of Scouting?**

Friends of Scouting is the annual campaign where the National Capital Area Council asks Scouting families, businesses and civic-minded citizens to support our mission of providing the Scouting program to tens of thousands of young people in our Council.

**Why should I give to Friends of Scouting?**

Friends of Scouting provides roughly one third of the money needed to operate the National Capital Area Council's Scouting camps, programs and facilities for a calendar year. These camping and training facilities are the "outdoor classrooms" in which Scouts have fun, learn leadership skills and develop into better young men and women. The Council spends approximately $200 per Scout each year to deliver these benefits and much more.

**I already paid my son or daughter's registration and his unit collects annual dues. Haven't I already supported Scouting?**

Your son or daughter's registration fee goes directly to the National Office of the Boy Scouts of America. If your son or daughter's Scout unit collects dues, that money stays with the unit to help pay for trips and other activities. None of that money helps the Council pay for:

Maintaining our camping properties at Camp Snyder and Goshen Scout Reservation

Training thousands of adult volunteer leaders in areas such as Youth Protection, Cub/Boy Scouts Specific Leadership, Outdoor Leadership Training and much more.

Providing programs like Cub Scout Day Camp, Cub Resident Camp, Webelos Resident Camp, and Boy Scout Summer Camp.

# Scouting needs your support!

Click here for the brouchure.

Click here to see unit goals, progress and presentation dates for 2013.

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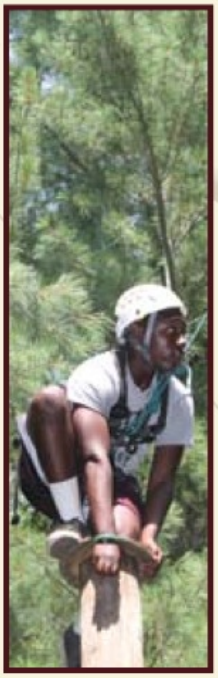

## 2013 Highlights to Come

- 12 troops and one crew will attend the National Boy Scout Jamboree at the Summit Bechtel Reserve.
- Goshen will become the first and only BSA camp to offer comprehensive Venture advancement all summer long through two-week camps!
- A new shooting sports pavilion will be built at Camp William B. Snyder.
- Summer camps will offer the NCAC Challenge, a local pilot designed to emphasize four initiatives of our strategic plan.