

The values we strive to instill are based on those found in the **Scout Oath and Law**:

THE SCOUT OATH

On my honor, I will do my best
To do my duty to God
and my country
And to obey the Scout Law;
To help other people at all times;
To keep myself physically strong,
mentally awake and morally straight.



THE SCOUT LAW

A Scout is: Trustworthy,
Loyal, Helpful, Friendly,
Courteous, Kind,
Obedient, Cheerful,
Thrifty, Brave,
Clean, and Reverent

THE PROGRAMS OF SCOUTING



TIGERS:

First grade boys participate with an adult. Emphasis on family skills, service to others and feelings of self-worth.



CUB SCOUTS:

Second – fifth grade boys. A family and neighborhood centered program with emphasis on social skills and family relationships.



BOY SCOUTS:

Serves boys 11-18 with high adventure, hiking, camping, canoeing, merit badge advancement and leadership opportunities.



VENTURING:

Targeted to boys and girls 14-20 offering leadership and high adventure opportunities to senior youth groups.



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EXPLORING:

Co-ed vocational program that gives teens 14-20 access to hands-on career education experiences and activities.



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ANNUAL REPORT



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MEMBERSHIP:

Over 4,000 young men and women participated in the programs of the Daniel Boone Council.

- ◆ Cub Scouts: **2,440** boys
- ◆ Boy Scouts: **1,337** young men
- ◆ Venturers: **134** young men and women
- ◆ Explorers: **90** young men and women



SERVING OTHERS:



Since 1920, over 3,890 young men in Western North Carolina have earned the coveted rank of Eagle Scout. Through their Eagle Scout service projects, thousands of community service hours have been conducted to benefit our communities. In addition, other Scouts from our Packs, Troops and Crews also perform thousands of additional service hours on an annual basis.

- ◆ 95 Scouts earned the coveted Eagle Scout rank in 2016.
- ◆ Our Scouts performed over 20,000 hours of community service in 2016.



SUPPORT PROVIDED TO LOCAL UNITS:

Daniel Boone Council is proud to provide the following support to our units:



- ◆ Every new youth received a Scouting handbook in 2016.
- ◆ Assistance for Scouts from economically challenged communities: uniforms, camperships, registration, Boy's Life magazine, etc...
- ◆ Popcorn and Camp Card fundraising programs at no risk.
- ◆ Professional staff to guide and support district operations and unit leaders.
- ◆ Council Service Center and National Scout Shop.
- ◆ Provide Council and Camp websites, as well as the Long Rifle newsletter.
- ◆ Liability and accident insurance.
- ◆ Free Rank Advancement for Journey to Excellence achievers.
- ◆ Adult and youth training courses and recruitment.
- ◆ Governed by a volunteer Board of Directors.

CAMP DANIEL BOONE:

Daniel Boone Council maintains one of the premiere camping facilities in the country, Camp Daniel Boone.

Scouts indicate that summer camp is more than just a place to have fun. It also offers Scouts the opportunity to participate in physically and intellectually challenging activities, introduces them to new and rewarding experiences and provides them with supportive and caring relationships.

Positive outcomes of Scout summer camp occur because the environment and activities at camp incorporate all of the elements of healthy youth development.

- ◆ Camp Daniel Boone camps over 5,000 youth and leaders from over twenty states annually.
- ◆ Camp Daniel Boone employs two international staff members each summer.

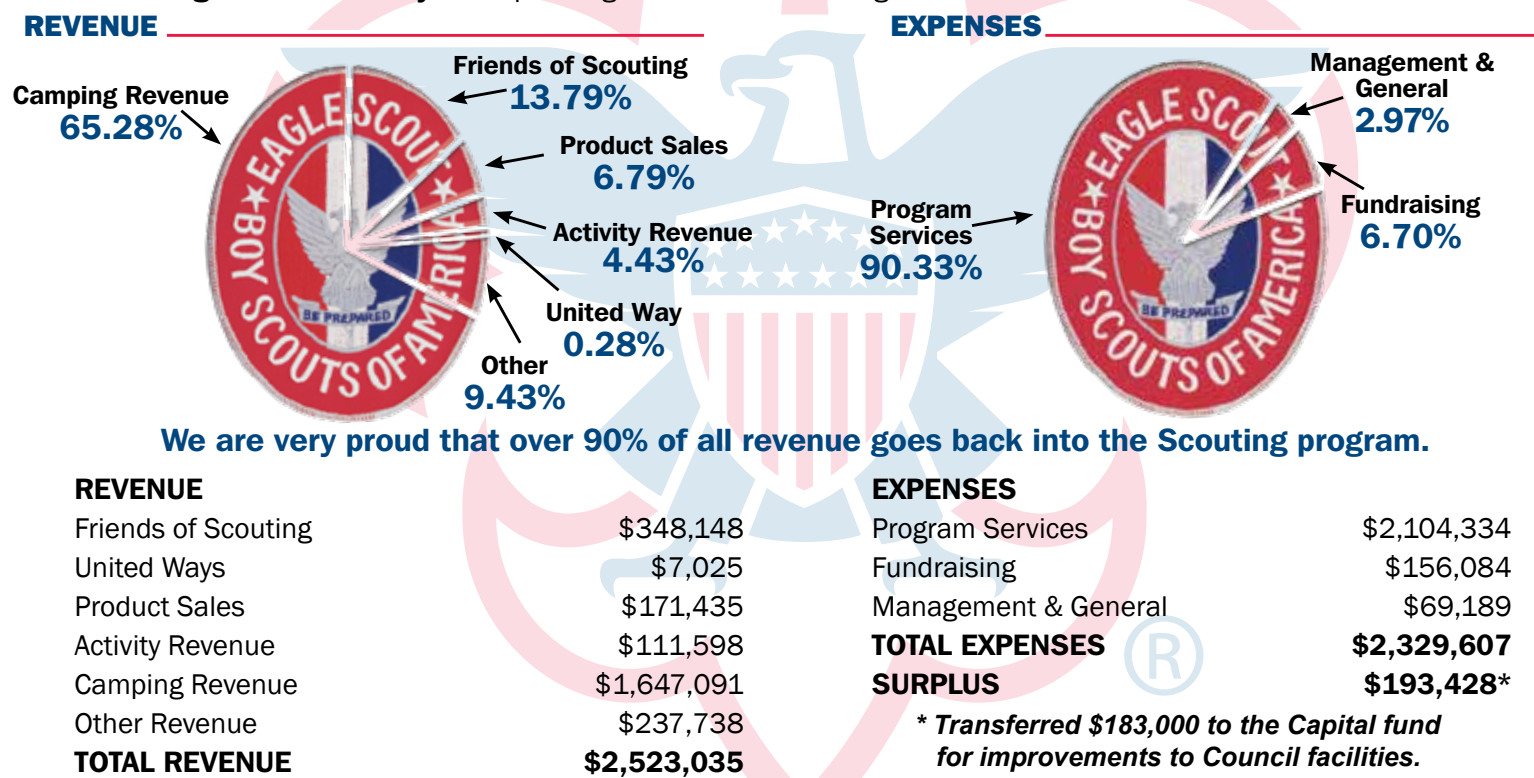


RETURN ON INVESTMENT

PRIDE POINTS:

The success of the local Scouting program is dependent upon families investing in their son's Scouting experience. Investments help keep the Scouting program strong for future generations of Scouts to come. We are very proud of our fiscal successes in 2016. The Daniel Boone Council is a good steward of all contributions and works hard to make our supporters proud of their investments.

- ◆ Achieved **Gold Level** ranking in the 2016 Journey to Excellence program.
- ◆ All five Districts ranked in the 2016 Journey to Excellence program (**3 Gold, 1 Silver, 1 Bronze**).
- ◆ Over **1,600** volunteer leaders taught youth to learn new skills, build their self-esteem and reinforce the values found in the Scouting Oath and Law.
- ◆ Tsali Lodge, rated one of the **top Order of the Arrow lodges** in the country.
- ◆ Over **730** local Boy Scouts attended a Summer Camp.
- ◆ Over **890** Cub Scouts attended Day Camp, Family Camp or Webelos Woods.
- ◆ **Eight consecutive years** operating with a balanced budget.



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