



Why should I get *involved* in Scouting?

(Hint: Because FOMO* is real!)

1. **Busy parents benefit from scheduled, structured activities with their kids.**
2. Scouting strengthens parent/child bonds through group and individual activities.
3. Participating shows your child YOU believe Scouting is important – not just for them, but for YOU as well.
4. Serving others together feels good, and develops kindness and empathy.
5. Kids gain self-esteem from positive interactions with adults – and from seeing *their* parents serving as role models for *their* peers.
6. Don't tell your Scout, but adult training in Scouting is FUN!
7. Exploring our "Duty to God" lets you comfortably model and discuss your faith with your child.
8. Getting outdoors with our kids ensures "time together" doesn't just become "screen time in the same room."
9. Scouting allows parents to have healthy relationships with other adults outside of the home and work.
10. Knowing your child's friends - and their parents – can give you confidence when you're *not* able to attend events and outings.
11. Learning new skills and trying new activities is as beneficial for adults as it is for kids.
12. Scouts *enjoy* seeing their parents having fun. (And it's good for you, too!)

Parents often say they wish they could be a bigger part of their children's lives.

And kids genuinely want that as well – even if they deny it.

Here's your chance!



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* FOMO: Fear of Missing Out