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Fee Information 2024

There are 2 parts to our Scouting membership

1: Darlington Group Fee

Members: Joeys, Cubs, Scouts, Venturers \$ 260.00 per year, per child. (\$65 per term)

New Members: \$260 plus joining Fee \$35 per child for group scarf, badges, one club activity shirt etc

At the beginning of each year or about the time you commence, our group treasurer will email you an invoice for payment.

Fees should be paid by EFT:

Westpac - Darlington Scout Group BSB 036 073 Account 324 270

Please make sure you enter your Invoice Number and Scouts name in the reference box.

If you are unable to pay in full, please email the treasurer or group leader for approval to make by the term payments. (This creates additional work for our treasurer).

2: Scouts WA Membership Fee.

This is invoiced directly by Scouts WA and payable within 14 days of invoice. This is fee is charged annually. Payment is required to maintain membership of the world-wide Scouting Association and to cover your Scout under Scouts insurance policies.

First child \$208.00, 2^{nd} child \$167.00, 3^{rd} child \$138.00, 4^{th} child and subsequent children \$107.00 each.

From time to time, there will be additional costs for camps or specific activities. You will be given advance notice for these and costs are usually quite low when compared to school camps or private activities. Please contact the Group leader if you are experiencing difficulty paying for an activity.

3: Uniforms and Other Membership Requirements

Uniforms and other requirements are discussed in the Welcome Information Pack.

Leader & Support Committee Discounts

One of the many benefits of becoming involved as a leader or a support committee member is a reduction in fees. To apply to become a leader please contact the Group Leader. Fully <u>Trained</u> <u>Leaders (orleaders in training who complete training within 6 months)</u>

First child – Group covers Scouts WA fee and group fee. (\$468.00 saving) Second and subsequent children – no additional discount

Support Committee Major Position

First child – group covers group fee. (\$260) Subsequent children – no discount.

Fundraising

Fundraising activities will be coordinated throughout the year by the Group Support Committee. It is expected that **ALL** members support and attend fundraising activities where possible.

Fundraising is used to subsidise camps, purchase new equipment and supplement operating costs to enable our group fees and camps to be kept as low as possible.

A fixed percentage of general fundraising (approx. 30%) goes into a separate account for large events such as Enduro, Camp West & Jamborees.