

# Merit Badge Sponsorship Program 2017



Thank you for your interest in the Merit Badge Sponsorship Program. Your partnership will positively effect our 67,000 Scout families in 51 counties throughout the St. Louis metropolitan area, southeastern Missouri and southern Illinois.

#### **Your Benefits**

Sponsoring a Merit Badge offers the following marketing benefits to your company:

- ♣ The opportunity to mentor youth by hosting a Merit Badge clinic at your location.
- Logo and company recognition on the Council Website with a link to your site, e-mail blast with sponsorship details along with article in our parent newsletter.
- ♣ Company banner recognition at Boy Scout Summer Camp Programs.

#### **Youth Benefits**

The Greater St. Louis Area Council Merit Badge Sponsorship Program provides opportunities for Scouts to grow physically, mentally and morally. By attending Scouting's structured, safe activities, youth members do not have as much idle time to explore drugs, alcohol, or find themselves in as many peer pressure activities. The Scouting program is a year-round effort because the pressures on our young people increase every day. There is no better time than now to help guide youth in positive directions.

#### How to Sponsor a Merit Badge

Please submit the attached application to the Greater St. Louis Area Council, Merit Badge Sponsorship Program, 4568 West Pine Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63108.

#### Thank You!

By participating in the Merit Badge Sponsorship Program your company is choosing to make a positive investment in the lives of the young people in our community. Contributions are tax deductible. We look forward to working with you in developing our next generation of leaders.



## **Merit Badge Sponsorship Program Commitment Form**



### Please sign me up for the following:

Merit Badge Sponsor (circle quantity)	\$2,500 \$4,500 \$6,750	One Merit Badge Two Merit Badges Three Merit Badges		
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### Please Return this Form to:

Greater St. Louis Area Council, BSA Merit Badge Sponsorship Program 4568 West Pine Blvd. St. Louis, MO 63108 (314) 256-3032

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