2023 POPCORN SALE

Parent Guide



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA* GOLDEN SPREAD COUNCIL





Fund Your **Entire Year** of Scouting! Sell for 8 hours, raise \$1,000*

Why Popcorn?

Trail's End_®

Fundraising with Popcorn Helps Scouts





Become **Decision Makers**



Become Goal Setters





Develop **Business Ethics**

Become Future Entrepreneurs

Learn People Skills

Benefits for Scouts...

- Personal growth program that can be applied to advancement opportunities and service projects.
- Earn Amazon.com gift cards
 - · Millions of prize choices
 - Youth buy prizes they *want*



- How to help others around them
- Public speaking & math skills
- Salesmanship & perseverance
- How to earn their own way
- The value of hard work
- To be part of something bigger

Fund all your program related expenses and activities this year through popcorn sales...

- Yearly Membership Dues ٠
- Scout's Life Magazine
- Uniforms, Patches, and Awards •
- Camping Trips
- Hikes

- Christmas Party
- Blue & Gold Banquet ٠
- Pinewood Derby ٠
- Local activities / adventures ٠
- Meeting supplies, equipment, and more...



Go to Trails-End.com/Leaders or Trails-End.com/Scouts to learn more!



ROPCORN

HELPS HEROES



WHAT CAN POPCORN DO FOR YOUR COMMUNITY & COUNTRY?

Heroes and Helpers Donations

When a customer purchases a Heroes and Helpers Donation, a portion of the purchase goes back to local kids and Trail's End sends delicious treats to first responders, troops at-home of overseas, veterans, military families, local food banks, and charitable organizations.

Over \$66 million worth of popcorn has been donated to U.S. troops over the years.

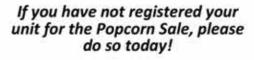
Over \$50,000 worth of popcorn has been donated to GSC service area Heroes.

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COMMIT YOUR UNIT!

Unit Registration



www.trails-end.com/unitregistration





2023 Popcorn Sales Plan & Timetable

Online Sales Now through October 13

Show N Sale Order Placed in the Leader Portal August 15

 Show-N-Sale- Product Distribution

 August 30-September 1
 Scout Service Center 401 Tascosa Road, Amarillo (Call to schedule a pick up time)

 Take Order Kickoff & Sales Materials Distribution

 August 26
 Amarillo
 Scout Service Center 401 Tascosa Road, Amarillo
 10am

Show-N-Sale Sale Dates August 24 - October 13

Take Order Sale Dates August 24 - October 13

All Unit Neighborhood Blitz September 24 – September 30

"Fill it Up" Drawings September 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 October 6, 13

Show-N-Sale Money Due to the Council October 20, by 5:00pm

All Take Order Sales Placed in the Leader Portal October 17, by 5:00pm

Take Order Sale Pick Up and Distribution October 26-28 – Location TBA-Pending Distribution Amounts

Take Order Money Due to the Council November 17, by 5:00pm

\$1,000 POPCORN SELLERS CLUB PARTY at AMP'D January 27, by 10:00am

25 TOP SELLERS PARTY at THE SCOUT SERVICE CENTER January 27, immediately following the AMP'D Party

POPCORN PICKUP & DISTRIBUTION

SHOW-N-SELL PICKUP August 30 – September 1

Golden Spread Council Service Center 401 Tascosa Road Amarillo, TX.

SHOW-N-SELL MONEY DUE October 20, by 5:00pm TAKE ORDERS DUE By Tuesday, October 17 Use leftover Show-N-Sell product to fill Take Order TAKE ORDER PICKUPS October 26-28 TBA Amarillo, TX.

TAKE ORDER MONEY DUE November 17, by 5:00pm

Be sure to bring a large enough vehicle to haul your order:

EARN MORE! EARN EASIER!





1.25 Points Per \$1 Sold APP CREdit / DEBIT CARD & ONLINE DIRECT 1 Point Per \$1 Sold CASH



Trail's End REWARDS Earn **amazon**.com Gift Cards and choose the prize **YOU** want!

Scan the QR code to download the APP thru Apple or Google Play to start earning today! Trail's End pays all transactions fees.

20 cases Mid-SizeCar 40 cases Mid-SizeSUV 60 cases Minivan 70 cases Large SUV

GSC POPCORN GROUPME PAGE

Scan now and stay current with all the GSC Popcorn Sale News!

Leaders, can add all unit parents & help stay connected.





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SCOUT PARENT GUIDE

2023 Popcorn Sale Sale Begins Popcorn Pickup Money Turn In Date Sale Ends

Unit Sales Goal Individual Sale Goal **Rewards Points Goal**

By Reaching My Goal, I Will Receive:

My Popcorn Kernel Can Be Reached At:

TIPS FOR SELLING

Help Your Future Leaders Succeed!

- ⑦ Introduce yourself (first name only), where you are from, what you are doing, and close the sale "Hi, my name is (name) and I am from (local Unit). I'm earning my way to Summer Camp. Can I count on your support?"
- Incourage credit sales for higher Reward points "I earn more points when you pay with a credit card."
- Wear your Class A uniform and always say "Thank You."
- Always have an adult present
- Storefronts: Optimize sales with 1 Scout per shift, stand in front of table, approach customers, maintain eye contact and deliver your speech
- Ø Wagon Sales: Never enter anyone's home
- Ind repeat customers by checking your Trail's End App order history

MULTIPLE WAYS TO SELL

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TRAIL'S END APP

Record all sales, Sign up for storefront shifts, redeem reward e-Gift cards, pay your Unit Leader via credit (Wagon only), and review training material



 DOWNLOAD THE APP & START YOUR ADVENTURE TODAY! visit trails-end.com/app or text APP to 62771 to download



NEW TO THE TRAIL'S END APP? DOWNLOAD THE GUIDE NOW! bit.ly/Scout-App-Guide

REWARDS

Scouts earn points towards an Amazon.com e-Gift Card when they record their sales in the Trail's End App. They choose the

POINTS

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500

GIFT CARD

10% of total sale

\$1,250

\$1,000

\$750

\$550

\$450

\$350

\$250

\$200

\$150

\$100

\$70

\$60

\$50

\$40

\$30

\$20

\$10

prize they want!

1.25 PTS PER \$1 SOLD

APP CREDIT / DEBIT CARD & ONLINE DIRECT





Did You Know?! 1,750 points (approximately \$1,500 in sales) helps fund most Scouts' Year of Scouting which includes registration fees, handbook, uniform, Pack dues, camp, Scout Life magazine and much more. Plus, Scouts earn a \$60 Amazon.com e-gift card!*

EASIER! trails-end.com/rewards

40 uncil program. May vary in your Council. Rewards earned in 2023 must be claimed in the App by the Scout by June 30, 2024.





SEE WHAT OTHERS ARE SHARING & SAYING NOW! facebook.com/groups/TEScoutParents

Did You Know? You can quickly increase your sales by sharing with friends & family to purchase online!



NEVER MISS A SALE. **LEAVE BEHIND A DOOR HANGER!** bit.ly/Door-Sign



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30%	STOREFRONT SALES						
30%	WAGON SALES						
30%	TAKE ORDER						
30%	ONLINE SALES						
30%	UNIT TOTAL %						

GETTING MORE POPCORN

DOWNLOAD THE APP & START Your adventure today!

App Store

Trail's End.

Donna Haley Phone# 806.358.6500 donna.haley@scouting.org

Chase Roach Phone# 806.350.5881 chase.roach@scouting.org

Returns accepted up to 10% of the Unit Master Order. All returns must be full unopened cases. The last date of return is October 13, 2023. Returns will not be accepted after this date, and any returns exceeding the 10% will be subject to a 25% restocking fee.





BONUS INCENTIVES



FRIDAY FILL IT UP 5-WEEK CONTEST DRAWINGS

Gift Card!!! Drawing Dates: September 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, October 6, and October 13

Sell popcorn to 20 Customers and you will be eligible to enter into the Council's weekly drawing for a \$50 Scout Shop

Photocopy and drop off or email your new full (20 lines) popcorn sheets to the Council office or scan and email to: goldenspreadcouncil@scouting.org). All eligible sheets are due to the Council before noon on each Friday of the "Friday Fill-It-Up" contest. Only send in your newly completed forms, as each of your completed forms will remain entered into each week's drawings.

GOLDEN KERNEL POPCORN HOUSE



During the 7 week sale, we challenge every selling Scout to get in neighborhoods and find Golden Kernel Popcorn Houses. Every Scout that finds a GKP House will win a \$25 Scout Shop Gift Card. These houses will be in every community that has a participating popcorn selling Unit!

Get your phones, your Fill it Up sheets, load your Trails End App, and find those GKP Houses!

ALL UNIT NEIGHBORHOOD BLITZ



Many hands make light work, and a Neighborhood Blitz gets lots of Scouts selling popcorn Council wide. That leads us to the challenge of EVERY SCOUT AND EVERY UNIT hitting their local neighborhoods the week of September 24 through September 30! What a great way to try and sell to every house in your community and also FIND THOSE **GKP Houses!!**

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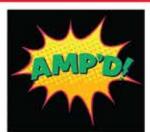
50 STATE ONLINE SALE CHALLENGE



Online Sales continue to be HUGE!! Just imagine making at least one popcorn sale in all 50 States..... WOW!! Trails End will have lots of Free Shipping opportunities to help in this endeavor. How do you sell to all 50 States? Lots and lots of Social Media posts, videos, live chats and posts!! This is a great way to have some fun, and every Scout that succeeds will get a \$100 Scout Shop Gift Card. Use the attached map to track your progress.

Fire up that phone, tablet, and computer to have some fun, and win a \$100 GSC Gift Card!

\$1,000 POPCORN SELLERS CLUB



Everv Scout who sells a minimum of \$1000 of popcorn will be invited to attend an indoor trampoline and pizza party at AMP'D, Amarillo's most fun hot spot! That's right!!! Sell \$1,000 of popcorn and enjoy a fun morning of jumping on trampolines and then eating lots and lots of pizza to celebrate each Scout's sales accomplishments.

Who can attend: Qualifying Scouts that sell \$1,000. Siblings are welcome, all AMP'D fees apply. Where & When: AMP'D Indoor Trampoline & Party Center, 5461 McKenna Square (South Soncy Avenue past Hillside,) Saturday, January 27, 2024 from 10 a.m. until 12:30 p.m.

TOP 25 POPCORN SELLERS CLUB



TOP 25 SELLER PARTY: Immediately following the AMP'D Party the top 25 sellers will be invited to the Golden Spread Council Office at 401 Tascosa Road for Ice Cream and Special Drawing fun!!!! Only eligible sellers will be invited. Special Invites will be sent to qualifying Scouts.

Where & When:

Who can attend: The top 25 selling Qualifying Scouts. Siblings are welcome. Golden Spread Council Service Center, 401 Tascosa Road, Amarillo TX. Saturday, January 27, 2024 immediately following the AMP'D Party (about 12:30pm)

TRAIL'S END APP

Exclusively for Scouts to sell & manage their fundraiser!

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REQUIRED TO SIGN UP:

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SIGN IN OR REGISTER AN ACCOUNT



- Use your account from last year! If you need to change your Unit, go to Settings & select "Change Unit."
- Record ALL sales in the App & start selling today!

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- Each Scout needs a separate account, even siblings.
- ⊘ You can use the same email for multiple accounts.
- To switch between accounts in the App, click the name dropdown at the top of the screen.

Pro Tip, Be sure to allow the Trail's End App access to your device's microphone, location and Bluetooth to accept debit/credit. Trail's End pays all fees!

ACCEPTING CREDIT

Everyone can accept debit & credit cards for free because Trail's End pays all fees. Square readers are compatible and can be purchased at Amazon.com or most big box retailers.

- Manual Entry (no reader) Type in the customer's card information.
- Magstripe Reader (Android) Swipe reader plugs into headphone jack.
- Lightning Reader (Apple) Swipe reader plugs into lightning jack.
- Bluetooth Reader Wirelessly connects to a device via Bluetooth. Accepts EMV chip cards, Apple Pay, Google Pay, Samsung Pay, NFC Contactless and Tap to Pay.

SET A GOAL & START EARNING REWARDS

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- To set a goal, scroll and tap to select prizes at different levels or manually enter your goal.
- O When your leader submits the Unit's Rewards order, and you have an e-Gift card available, tap the claim button to email your Amazon.com e-Gift Card.
- ⑦ To track progress, check the App to see how close you are to reaching the next rewards level.

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 Record customer orders in the Trail's End App, take payment and products ship directly to your customers.

WAGON SALES



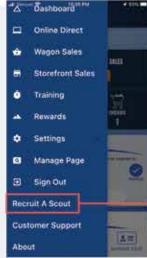
Pro Tip, Marking an item as "Undelivered" means you plan to return with product later. Be sure to record the customer info for undelivered items, and you can track when it's later delivered by tapping the delivery truck.

RESERVE STOREFRONT SHIFT

Pro Tip, Storefront sites and shift availability is managed by your Unit Leader, reach out to them for missing or incorrect info



RECRUITMEN

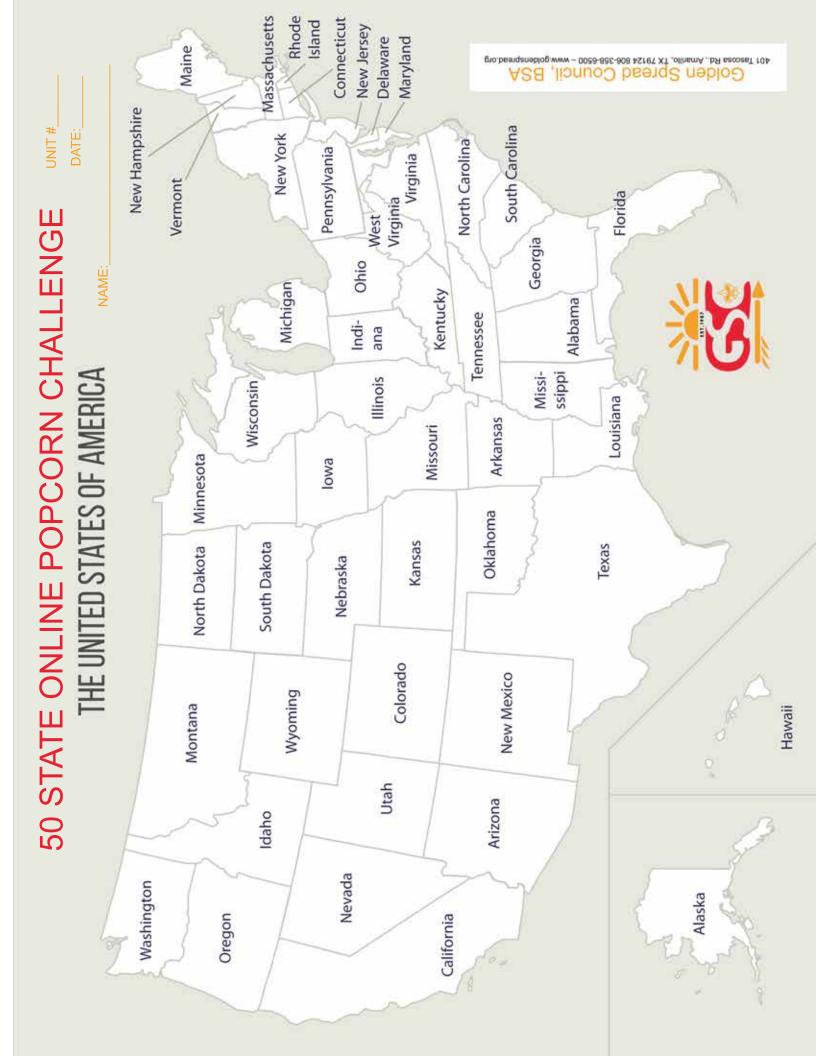


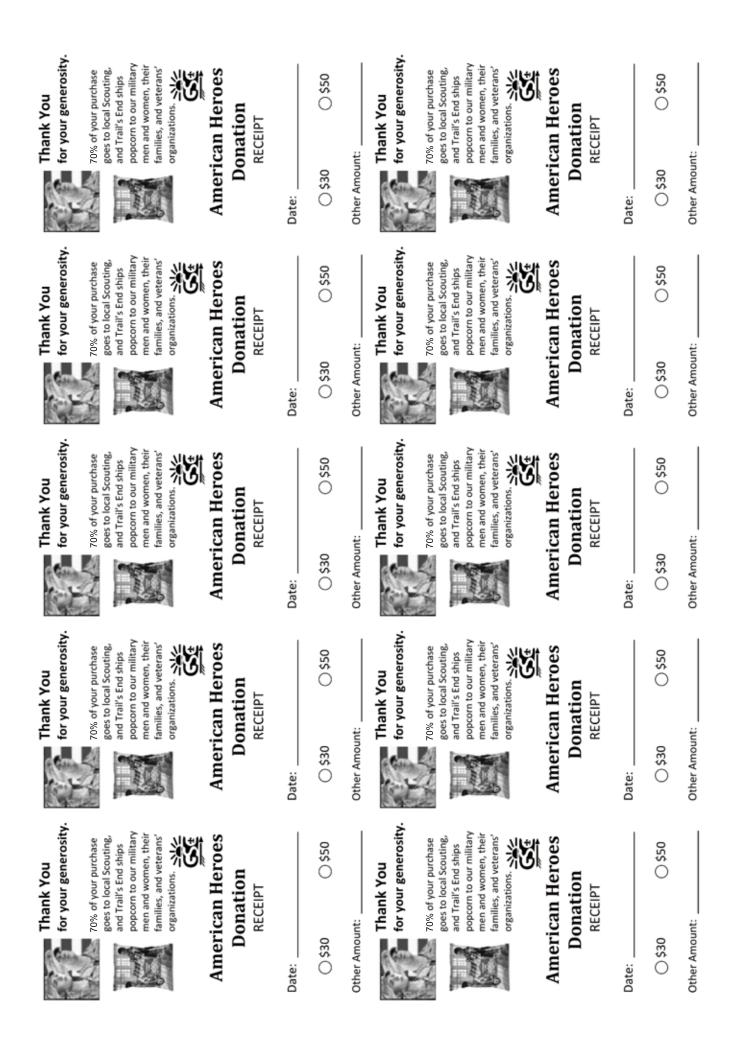
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Select "Order" and then tap the order you want to refund. CAUTION, Trail's End does NOT store card info so this action can't be undone.

The Recruit feature allows you to collect contact info from families interested in joining while selling popcorn. The completed form triggers an email to the unit leader, council, and recruit gets a link for more info.





CUSTOMER RECIEPTS

Each year the Council receives several phone calls from people who ordered popcorn from a Scout, paid for it, and never received it. The Council recommends that you USE THE TRAILS END APP, but if you can't - do collect money up front, and give the customer a receipt (samples are provided below) with contact information and the date of when to expect delivery of their order. This will help ensure the people supporting Scouting through the popcorn sale will receive their popcorn and continue to purchase for years to come. Avoid the hassle, and drop ship product USING THE TRAILS END APP.

Boy Scout Popcorn Sales Receipt Today's date is You bought Boy Scout Popcorn from You paid \$today	Boy Scout Popcorn Sales Receipt Today's date is You bought Boy Scout Popcorn fromtoday
Your Boy Scout Popcorn should be delivered by	Your Boy Scout Popcorn should be delivered by
If you haven't received your Boy Scout Popcorn by	If you haven't received your Boy Scout Popcorn by
You should call my Scout Leader at	You should call my Scout Leader at
Thank You for Supporting Texas and Oklahoma Panhandle Scouts!	Thank You for Supporting Texas and Oklahoma Panhandle Scouts!
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simply keep the cash! Trail's End pays all credit card processing fees and parents Parent Tip: Instead of paying your Unit Leader cash from Wagon sales, easily pay them with credit card through the PAY NOW feature in the Trail's End App and earn points from their credit card company!*



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MY GOAL

OUR GOAL

CONTACT INFO

LEADER NAME

UNIT

