



PAYMENT OF SUBSCRIPTIONS

Weekly "Subs" for Beavers, Cubs and Scouts are £3.00. These amounts are levied to cover our day-to-day running costs for each Section and the payment of our annual Headquarters Membership Subscriptions. We also run fund raising events to help pay our other costs such as camping equipment, hall maintenance and so on. We hope you will agree that our weekly charges are reasonable in comparison to other clubs to which children belong.

We hope many of you will agree to pay "Subs" by monthly Standing Order at a rate of £10.00 a month. These payments are made every month including August but work out slightly cheaper than paying weekly.

Included in your welcome pack is a Standing Order Mandate. To pay in this way complete the form. **And Send direct to your bank.** If you have more than one child in our Group their combined costs can be covered by one Mandate. This method of paying should be more convenient to you and will save the leaders a considerable amount of time. You can, however, also pay weekly, monthly, at the start of each term or half term if you prefer (at the weekly rate of £3.00.) **But however you pay "subs" they must be paid whether or not meetings are attended.**

Our policy is that no child should be excluded from Scouting because parents cannot afford the costs so if you are having genuine financial problems please contact us on the numbers below or speak to your child's Leader in complete confidence.

Please consider paying by Standing Order as it makes life easier for everyone. You can, of course, change your method of payment at any time should the need arise. Please also bear in mind that when the time comes to end the Standing Order it is up to you to inform your bank. We cannot do this for you.

Please return the form indicating how you will pay so that we know your choice of payment.

If you have any questions about any of this do not hesitate to contact me on 07792 860 189.

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