

## Fee Increase FAQs

**Q. When does the registration fee increase take effect?**

*A. All traditional Scouting registrations with an effective date of January 1, 2010, or later will pay the new \$15 registration fee or prorated fee of \$1.25 per month.*

**Q. How do you determine who pays the current \$10 registration fee and who pays the increased \$15 registration fee?**

*A. The registration fee is based on the effective date of the registration. Any registration for traditional Scouting with an effective date before January 1, 2010, will pay the \$10 registration fee or prorated fee of \$0.85 a month. Any registration for traditional Scouting with an effective date after December 2009 will pay the \$15 registration fee or prorated fee of \$1.25 per month.*

**Q. If a unit that expires December 31, 2009, submits its registration renewal online through Internet Rechartering before January 1, 2010, should they pay the current \$10 registration fee or the increased \$15 registration fee?**

*A. They should pay the \$15 registration fee because the effective date of the renewal will be January 1, 2010.*

**Q. If a renewal for a lapsed unit that expired November 30, 2009, is received in the council office after January 1, 2010, but the effective date is backdated to December 1, 2009, what registration fee should the unit pay?**

*A. They should pay the \$10 registration fee because the effective date of the renewal is before January 1, 2010.*

**Q. If a separated reregistered unit is received in the council office on June 14, 2010, but the unit is backdating its renewal to be effective October 1, 2009, what registration fee should the unit pay?**

*A. They should pay \$10 registration fee because the effective date of the renewal is before January 1, 2010.*

**Q. If a new unit is organized in December 2009 for 14 months with a December 1, 2009, effective date and a January 31, 2011, expiration date, do they pay 1 month prorated at the \$10 fee (\$0.85 a month) and 13 months prorated at the \$15 fee (\$1.25 per month)?**

*A. No. The unit will pay 14 months prorated at the \$10 registration fee (\$0.85 a month) because the effective date of the new unit is before January 1, 2010.*

**Q. When assembling charter renewal packets for units with a December 31, 2009, expiration date, which Youth and Adult Application, Unit Budget Plan, and Fee Chart (Registration and Subscription Information form) should be included?**

*A. The applications and form that reflects the \$15 registration fee should be included since ALL registrations with a January 1, 2010, effective date or later will pay the new \$15 registration fee. (Adult and Youth Applications with the new registration fee are in the process of being printed.)*

**Q. In November 2009, new boys join a traditional Scouting unit that expires January 31, 2010. What registration fee do they pay?**

*A. The new registrants will pay 3 months prorated registration fee at the \$10 rate (\$0.85 per month). Then when their unit renews, all renewing and new registrants will pay the increased \$15 registration fee.*

**Q. Who pays the new \$15 registration fee?**

*A. All youth and adults registrations for traditional Scouting with an effective date of January 1, 2010, or later will pay a registration fee based on the \$15 registration fee rate of \$1.25 per month. This includes all additional enrollments to current units, new units, and charter renewals.*

**Q. Who pays the current \$10 registration fee?**

*A. All youth and adult registrations for traditional Scouting with an effective date of December 1, 2009, or earlier will pay a registration fee based on the \$10 registration fee rate of \$0.85 a month. This includes all additional enrollments to current units, new units, and charter renewals.*

**Q. What is the registration fee for Exploring?**

*A. The Exploring registration fee remains \$10 for both youth and adults.*