



The Parent's guide to Recharter

To all Parents of Cub Scouts in Pack 431, please use this guide to help answer any questions you may have on the Rechartering of your Cub Scout.

What is Recharter?

Recharter is the annual re-registration/enrollment process for your Cub Scout into Boy Scouts of America and Pack 431.

How much does Recharter cost ?

For Wolf Rank the cost is **\$62** including Boys Life Magazine

For Wolf Rank the cost is \$50 without Boys Life Magazine

For Bear Rank the cost is **\$62** including Boys Life Magazine

For Bear Rank the cost is \$50 without Boys Life Magazine

For Webelos I Rank the cost is **\$67** including Boys Life Magazine

For Webelos I Rank the cost is \$55 without Boys Life Magazine

For Webelos II Rank the cost is **\$37** including Boys Life Magazine

For Webelos II Rank the cost is \$25 without Boys Life Magazine

Fees applicable for 2011 only

What is Boys Life magazine?

Boys Life Magazine is a monthly publication delivered directly to your Cub Scout. The magazine is geared specifically towards Cub Scouts and helps your son get the most out of scouting and other activities in general. As a registered Cub Scout, **Boys Life is just \$1 per month delivered - that is half price!** Your Cub Scout will be thrilled to have a magazine delivered directly to him every month, and it will keep his interest and motivation going in Cub Scouting throughout the year. ***Highly Recommended.***



Why do I have to Recharter?

You need to Recharter your Cub Scout in order to continue being a registered member of Boy Scouts of America so that your Cub Scout is covered by the BSA Insurance for official scouting events, and be eligible to receive all achievements earned by the Cub Scout, which must be recognized by Boy Scouts of America. Recharter also covers the running costs of the Pack including books, neckerchiefs, awards, Pack events (such as Pinewood Derby and Raingutter Regatta) and subsidized events (such as Broomball and Fall Family Camp).

Please remember that all Leaders within Pack 431 work on a Volunteer basis and are not paid.

What if I cannot afford the Fee?

Please discuss as soon as possible with your Den Leader if you cannot pay the fee. In certain circumstances, the pack can provide some help with fees.

When is Recharter due?

Recharter is due October/November, with the November Pack Meeting being the final date for providing the Recharter payment. This gives the pack sufficient time to verify and process payments and enter all the information into the Boy Scouts Rechartering process in order for your Cub Scout to be registered for the following year.

How do I Recharter?

Please provide your Payment via Check (made Payable to "Cub Scout Pack 431") or Cash to your Den Leader.

What happens if I do not Recharter?

Your Cub Scout registration will expire at the end of the year, and he will no longer be able to participate in Den or Pack Events. His 'history' with the Boy Scouts will also be lost if he re-registers in the future.

If you have any further questions, please contact your Den Leader.

Thank you for helping the Pack "Go"!