



BSA Troop 1182

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"A week of camp life is worth six months of theoretical teaching in the meeting room."

**Baden-Powell*

Scoutmaster

Soup Fick – 1182 B/G

Assistant Scoutmasters

Carla Harter
Jessica Richardson
Gene Lockhart

Troop Committee

Jack Higgins
Dan Harter
Ed Green
Jim Ford
Locksley Moody
Marlene Moody
Tom Weston
Kathryn Orta
Michael Richardson
Violet Duffy

Scoutmaster Message

Troop 1182-B&G are linked troops, one for boys (founded in 1969) and one for girls (founded in 2019). We share a chartered organization and troop committee. Our Troops' goals can best be summed up by a quote from Lord Baden-Powell, "The most worth-while thing is to try to put happiness into the lives of others." BSA Troop 1182 is sponsored by Park West Lions Club in Manassas, Virginia and is part of the National Capital Area Council. Our Troop emphasizes a wide range of activities that appeal to both younger and older Scouts. Feel free to join us Wednesdays from 7:00-8:30 PM at Park West Lions Club (8620 Sunnygate Dr, Manassas, VA 20109) as we help develop skills in our Scouts that will benefit them throughout their lives.

Crossover Scouts

We encourage Arrow of Light scouts to start attending troop meetings and activities prior to crossing over. Listed below is a possible schedule.

December – Scouting Open House

National Capital Freeze – come for the day and complete Arrow of Light outdoor requirements

January - Goose Creek/Loudoun District Freeze-O-Ree 2025

March – Attend weekly troop meetings to learn about summer camp and deposit

May – Swimming test for summer camp @ Rodney Scout Reservation required of all new scouts

Once you have crossed over with your pack, complete the troop registration form at <https://forms.gle/MMj1LH1582tP6uPx9> and complete a new BSA application.

New to Scouting

Welcome to scouting and your interest in Troop 1182. We hope that you will join us for your scouting experience. To officially begin your scouting adventure, you will need to complete the following items.

1. Complete a BSA application and pay BSA dues. (Join Button on our webpage)
2. Complete the Troop online registration for at <https://forms.gle/MMj1LH1582tP6uPx9>
3. Start attending weekly meetings.



Scan for the Troop online registration form.

“The Scoutmaster teaches boys to play the game by doing so himself.”

**Baden Powell*

Adult Scouting

Adults are welcome to stay involved with their scout and troop in the following ways.

Assistant Scoutmaster – complete a BSA application and pay dues Troop

Committee Member – complete a BSA application and pay dues

Volunteer at weekly meetings troop meetings – no application required

Volunteer at troop activities – no application required if less than 72 hours

A completed application will require a BSA Youth Protection certificate. We encourage all adults to complete the BSA Youth Protection certificate training if volunteering.

Resources



Website: troop1182.info

Our troop website contains an enormous amount of information from tips on buying the right pack to what to pack for each scouting event. Take the time to search our troop website for information.



Troop Calendar

The troop maintains a google calendar that is located on the troop website. Please subscribe to the troop calendar and stay up to date.



Scoutbook

The troop uses Scoutbook, BSA's official advancement tracking platform, to manage all scouting achievements. Once you have completed all BSA paperwork, your scout will be added to Scoutbook. You'll receive an email invitation to access Scoutbook through both web browsers and the mobile app.



Communication

The main form of communication for the troop is BAND, available on iPhone, Android devices, and computer web browsers. Once you have completed the Troop registration form, you'll receive an invitation to join our BAND group and be added to our Google Group email distribution list. We use BAND for all important communications including meeting updates, camping trips, service projects, and last-minute changes. If you do not receive an invitation or have trouble accessing BAND, please contact Carla Harter.



Financial Support

If your scout is in need of financial support for troop activities, registration fees or yearly BSA dues, please communicate with an assistant scoutmaster who can help find resources through the troop or Prince William District. We are here to help any scout that is interested in participating in scouting.

Wednesday Troop Meetings
Park West Lions Club
8620 Sunnygate Dr
Manassas, VA 20109

7:00pm-8:30pm



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