

MOUNT BAKER COUNCIL'S ROW THE BOAT - Troop Recognition Program



Unit #: _____

Row the Boat is an exclusive Mount Baker Council participation and performance recognition program for our units that aligns immediate and annual recognition incentives with the goals of the Council's Strategic Vision in Membership Growth, Program Participation, Manpower Development and being a Unit Team Player.

As part of the Row the Boat unit recognition program, units will have the opportunity to be annually recognized as a team players as part of our Mount Baker Council Crew and earn special incentives that recognize their efforts to move Scouting's mission forward in our Council territory. All requirements must be earned by the annual charter renewal (month of October). Program runs from Nov. 1 - Oct. 31. Earned unit recognition awards will be implemented for the following full calendar year (January 1 - December 31).

Row the Boat - Unit Recognition Requirements

For a unit to achieve one of the three levels within the Row the Boat recognition program, it must have achieved the following steps:

Required for All Levels:	The unit had a minimum of 17 registered youth members (non-multiple) on October 31st or The unit had an increase of 10% or greater in registered youth members (non-multiple) on October 31st over last October 31st.
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Recognition Levels	
Crew:	Achieved a score of at least 25 points in Troop Achievements
Captain:	Achieved a score of at least 40 points in Troop Achievements
Commodore:	Achieved a score of at least 55 points in Troop Achievements

Troop Achievements Categories	Row the Boat Troop Achievement Objectives	Score
Growth of Scouting	The Troop achieved an increase of 20% or more in registered youth members on October 31st versus last October.	5
	The Troop conducted a Join Scouting activity during the charter year and provided the details of the activity.	3
Scouting Activities	The Troop had at least one patrol (minimum 5 Scouts) participate in a Council or District activity.	5
	The Troop conducted a service project for its Charter Organization or their community during the year.e Project.	3
The Advancement Program	The Troop had at least one Scout achieve the rank of Eagle Scout during the charter year.	5
	The Troop had at least 50% of its Scouts advance a rank by charter renewal.	3
Outdoor Adventures	The Troop had at least a patrol (minimum 5 Scouts) attend Fire Mountain Scout Camp Summer Camp or NYLT during year.	5
	The Troop attended a long-term Scouts BSA summer camp (minimum 5 nights.)	3
Quality Leadership	The Troop registered at least two new adults during the charter year.	5
	The Troop has at least one leader who has completed Wood Badge training.	3
Team Player	The Troop had a representative attend at least 3 Roundtables during the year.	5
	The Troop had a representative serve on a Council/District program activity staff during the year.	3
Positive Scouting P.R.	The Troop participated in a community open house,parade or event to promote Scouting during the year.	5
	The Troop has an active social media presence that promotes Scouting and the troop's community outreach.	3
Funding the Adventure	Sold \$3,000 during Trails End unit popcorn sale or raised \$2,000 during the 2024 Council Hike-a-thon to support Scouting adventures.	5
	25% of unit leaders and parents of unit Scouts are current members of the FMSC Club recurring donor program.	3
Total Points Achieved:		
Total Points Possible:		64

Row the Boat - Unit Recognition Awards

All Achieving Units (minimum of Crew) receive:	2024 Row the Boat Patch for all registered members.
	Units recognized at the Council Court of Honor and through the Council Social Media platforms
	Units receiving corresponding Unit Ribbon (Crew, Captain or Commodore)
	20% one-time use Coupon for a unit purchase at the Council Service Center Scout Shop or Turner Family Store at Fire Mountain Scout Camp in
Captain Units also receive:	One free campsite weekend rental during the off-season at FMSC in 2025
	1% extra unit commission for the 2025 Trails End Unit Popcorn Sale
Commodore Units also receive:	10% one-time discount for all Scouts attending as Mount Baker Council summer program (Day Camp, Scouts BSA Resident, Cub Scout Overnight Adventue, NYLT)
	2% extra unit commission for the 2025 Trails End Unit Popcorn Sale