



Narragansett Council

**Welcome to the
September Roundtable!**

SCOUT ME IN™





Opening Ceremony





Introductions and Announcements

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- Staff
- Attendees and Units
- Visitors

Announcements

- Council Video
- District Committee and Commissioners
- Cachalot Summer Event
- Webelos Woods and Webelos-O-Ree
- Training Opportunities
- Scouting for All Abilities





Scouting for ALL
ABILITIES

Providing all individuals with opportunities to participate in a positive, all-inclusive program offered by the Boy Scouts of America to the best of their abilities



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Why do we need this team?



- **BSA estimates up to 15% of youth participants impacted by special need**
- **Most disabilities “hidden” vs “visible”**
- **Everybody has different abilities**
- **Volunteer leaders asking for SN training**
- **Bridge to available support & resources**
- **Program satisfaction drives retention**





The SFAA Team

**Chair & Vice Chair
Staff Advisor**

District Liaisons

One per district

Committee Liaisons

Advancement, Training, Program, Executive

Members at Large

Professional advisors, support volunteers



Action Plan





Scouting for All Abilities



Narragansett Council's Scouting for All Abilities Committee aspires to offer the nation's foremost Scouting program for ALL individuals by:

- Raising the awareness of our Scouting Units for the need for inclusiveness of all youths with varying abilities
- Setting the stage for success by providing support and resources to unit leaders, parents, and units to deliver a quality Scouting experience for all Scouts
- Offering the latest resources and connections for Scout Leaders to have the opportunity to be continuously educated and trained

Our goal is to provide all individuals with opportunities to participate in a positive, all-inclusive program offered by the Boy Scouts of America to the best of their abilities.

Learn more at [Scouting.org/DisabilitiesAwareness](https://www.scouting.org/DisabilitiesAwareness)

We are a brand new committee committed to helping Scouts with special needs have the best Scouting experience possible. This will be our page to provide you with guidance on what to do, where to look, and who to contact. We'll be updating this page periodically as our committee grows stronger and learns more about what we can provide.

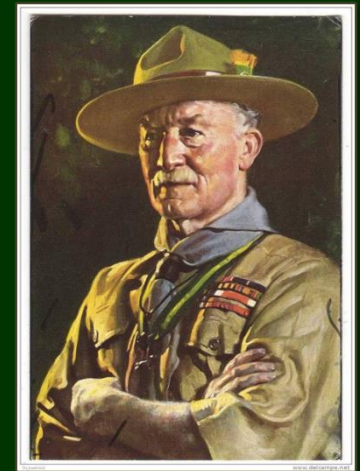
[Please contact us for more!](#)



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"Scouting helps by giving Scouts with disabilities an opportunity to prove to themselves and others that they can do things - and difficult things too - for themselves."

- Lord Baden-Powell



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New Member Coordinator





WHAT

IF...



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NEW FAMILIES OFTEN HAVE QUESTIONS and CONCERNS





WHAT MAKES THE DIFFERENCE IN THE FIRST FEW WEEKS?

NOT SO SURE ...

... LOVING IT!





New Member Coordinator

WOULD YOU LIKE TO...

- Give **OTHERS** the opportunity of Scouting?
- **DECREASE** the number of families who leave soon after joining?
- Have **MORE ADULT VOLUNTEERS**?





New Member Coordinator

What does a New Member Coordinator do?

- **Share the benefits of Scouting.**
- **Coordinate unit recruitment.**
- **Guide welcoming and joining within the unit.**
- **Help new members “fit in.”**





New Member Coordinator—A Team Approach





New Member Coordinators Select What They Like To Do





New Member Coordinator



**ARE SUPPORTED BY THEIR
UNIT, DISTRICT, and COUNCIL
LEADERSHIP**





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Find out more at www.Scouting.org/NMC



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