



Scouting Waterloo Region

Annual Report 2025

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The Troop (ages 11+) generally met every two weeks at Laurel Creek Conservation Area. There were five weekend camps. The program included first aid, canoeing, hiking, learning how to change car tires, and mountain biking on trails and at The Hydrocut mountain biking area. The spring bike hike was from the Hidden Valley area of Kitchener to Brant Conservation Area.

The Troop winter program included a winter camp in quinzhees, snowshoeing, sledding, Klondike Derby, and a cross-country skiing day in partnership with the Waterloo Region Nordic Sports Club. The Troop had done a service project helping install snow fencing for the club.

For March break, the Troop had a 6-day trip to Michigan and Ohio. We were hosted in Michigan by a Scouting America Troop. We did rifle shooting, visited a Scouting history exhibit, and promoted international fellowship with our American friends. In Ohio, we visited the Neil Armstrong Air and Space Museum, the National Museum of the United States Air Force in Dayton, and the stalactite-filled Ohio Caverns.

Troop Summer Camp was a week at Kelso Conservation Area for nine youth and two adults. The Troop explored the extensive network of mountain biking trails, learned canoeing skills on the reservoir, cooked pizzas in reflector ovens, baked cobbler and pasta in the Dutch ovens, when climbing, tested their skills on the high ropes course, participated in archery, and sang songs around the campfire. Poor air quality because of forest fire smoke required the Troop to spend most of one day indoors at Milton Public Library.

The Otter Bevy (ages 5–7) and Timber Wolf Pack (ages 8–10) held regular meetings every two weeks on Sunday afternoons for 1.5 hours. Activities included indoor rock climbing, pumpkin carving, a visit to a sugar shack, canoeing, hiking, map reading, sledding, snowshoeing, biking on local trails, and campfires. There were weekend camps fall, winter, and spring.

Scouting Waterloo Region held an all-section water polo evening in collaboration with the KW Kraken Water Polo Club.

Membership by section

Bevy (ages 5–7)	15
Pack (ages 8–10)	26
Troop (ages 11+)	15
Total young people	56
Scouters	11
Total	67

Eight adult volunteers completed the Introduction to Scouting training program.

Members of the Board of Directors: Liam Morland, Kristin Howard, Jean Guillaume Forand, Jennifer Hepditch, Asvin Parsad.

Charitable registration number:
799696802 RR 0001

Cover photo by Liam Morland: Birds soar above the Troop while canoeing at Valens Lake Conservation Area, October, 2024.

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Financial statements for the year ending August 31, 2025

Cash basis

Statement of Assets and Liabilities

Assets

Current assets

Troop bank balance \$3,718.44

Bevy/Pack bank balance \$11,736.80

Total assets \$15,455.24

Liabilities \$0.00

Equity

Equity, start of year \$9,000.61

Surplus (deficit) \$6,454.63

Equity, end of year \$15,455.24

Total liabilities and equity \$15,455.24

Statement of Revenue and Expenditures

Revenue

Membership and event fees \$18,917.33

Donations \$3,436.37

Sale of goods and services \$579.00

Interest \$6.18

Total revenue \$22,938.88

Expenditures

Charitable activities \$16,464.25

Management and administration \$20.00

Total expenditures \$16,484.25

Surplus (deficit) \$6,454.63



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February 20, 2026

To the members of Scouting Waterloo Region,

I have reviewed the financial statements of Scouting Waterloo Region (registered charity number 799696802 RR 0001) for the year ending August 31, 2025. In my opinion, the statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Scouting Waterloo Region on August 31, 2025 and its financial operations for the year then ended.

Respectful Salutations,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of the initials 'JGF' in a stylized, cursive font.

Jean Guillaume Forand