

2008 BSA YEAR IN REVIEW

		% Change 2008 vs. 2007
Tiger Cub Scouts	231,471	-4.3%
Cub Scouts	798,060	-0.3%
Webelos Scouts	636,104	-1.4%
Total Cub Scout–Age	1,665,635	-1.3%
Boy Scouts	844,939	-0.8%
Varsity Scouts	60,940	-1.7%
Total Boy Scout–Age	905,879	-0.8%
Total Venturers	261,122	-2.7%
Total Members	2,832,636	-0.8%

2008 Adult Volunteers

Pack Scouters	470,400	-2.1%
Troop Scouters	551,926	0.7%
Crew Scouters	65,621	0.0%
Council Scouters	44,406	1.3%
Total Scout Leaders	1,132,353	-0.5%
Total Adults	1,165,828	-0.8%

2008 Year-End Units/Groups

Packs	50,213	-1.1%
Troops	41,628	-0.8%
Teams	8,423	0.4%
Crews	19,998	0.4%
Total Scout Units	120,262	-0.6%
Posts	6,857	-9.2%
Total Units/Posts	127,119	-1.1%



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Service Hours Completed 35,194,360

Eagle Scout Awards 52,025

Top Five Merit Badges Earned

First Aid 84,419

Swimming 75,568

Environmental Science 72,150

Citizenship in the World 60,582

Camping 58,654

Total Merit Badges Earned 1,913,676

***Boys' Life* Subscriptions** 1,100,000*

***Scouting Magazine* Subscriptions** 1,000,000*

**Boys' Life* and *Scouting* magazine figures are based on the Audit Bureau of Circulation base rate.

2008 Camp Attendance

Day Camp

Cub Scout 272,553

Family Camping

Cub Scout 196,495

Long-Term Resident Camp

Cub Scout/Webelos Scout 97,521

Boy Scout 405,151

Venturing 8,079

High-Adventure Camp

Councils—Boy Scout
and Venturing 82,506

Philmont Camping 23,083

Florida Sea Base 12,001

Northern Tier 5,834



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