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Membership subscriptions

Dear Parents,

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome your son or daughter to scouting in Marden and hope they have many enjoyable years in the Scout Group.

To meet the costs of running the Scout Group a monthly subscription of £13 is payable by all members when they join the Group. The most time efficient way for us to collect this subscription is by standing order. I therefore enclose a Standing Order form, this will give you the necessary information for you to easily set up payment through your online banking or alternatively sign and send a copy directly to your bank.

Gift Aid is very beneficial to Marden Scout Group funding and provides additional extra funds at no cost to you! For each £13 monthly subscription paid to the Scout Group, HM Revenue and Customs will return to us £3.25 (this being the tax that you paid on the subscription). There is nothing you have to do to enable us to claim these additional funds, apart from the tax payer in your family completing the attached gift aid form and return it to either myself or your Section leader. Our being able to recover the tax on your subscriptions helps keep the monthly subscription costs down and so we ask that you help by returning the form as soon as possible.

If you have any questions regarding your monthly subscriptions or Gift Aid then please do not hesitate to contact me on the e-mail address below or speak with your Section leader.

I would like to thank you in advance for your timely set up of payment and return of completed Gift Aid form

Yours sincerely,

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Gift Aid Declaration

Parent's Full Name:

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Please PRINT your full name in BLOCK CAPITALS as we require your first name to claim back tax from HMRC.

Parent's Full Address:

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..... Post Code:

Names of Beaver(s), Cub(s) or Scout(s):

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I wish Marden Scout Group to treat all membership subscriptions I have paid over the past 4 years and all membership subscriptions I make from the date of this declaration as Gift Aid donations, until I notify you otherwise.

I confirm I am a UK taxpayer and understand that if I pay less income Tax and/or Capital Gains Tax in the current tax year than the amount of Gift Aid claimed on all my donations it is my responsibility to pay any difference. I understand the charity will reclaim 25p of tax on every £1 that I have given in the past four years, and all future donations.

Signature: Date:/...../.....

Please notify Marden Scout Group if you:

- ▶ Want to cancel this declaration'
- ▶ Change your name or home address
- ▶ No longer pay sufficient tax on your income and/or capital gains

If you pay income tax at the higher or additional rate and want to receive the additional tax relief due to you, you must include all your Gift Aid donations on your Self-Assessment tax return or ask HM Revenue and Customs to adjust your tax code

Thank you very much for your assistance in raising funds for Marden Scout Group.