Funding Our Scouting Adventure!

2025 Popcorn Sale Kickoff
SETTING THE PLAN FOR YOUR SUCCESS





Pine Tree Council



Great Reasons to Sell Popcorn!!









- * Everybody loves Popcorn !!!
- * Popcorn is popular and 3 out of 4 people will buy when asked
- * Prizes for your Scouts and they love to earn prizes!!
- * 4 Ways to Sell Door to Door with Show-n-Deliver or Take
 Order, Show & Sell, and Online
- * Your Unit can raise enough funds for an entire year's program
- * Scouts build confidence, self esteem, learn life skills, goal setting and how to earn their own way
- * Money raised stays local to support individual Units and Council Programs

How Do Scouts Benefit?

- Build Self-Confidence
- Build Self-Esteem
- Teaches the Scouts how to communicate a message to adults
- Teaches the Scouts how to communicate with other youth
- Helps with Advancement in Cubs and Scouts BSA
- The Scout can appreciate earning their own way



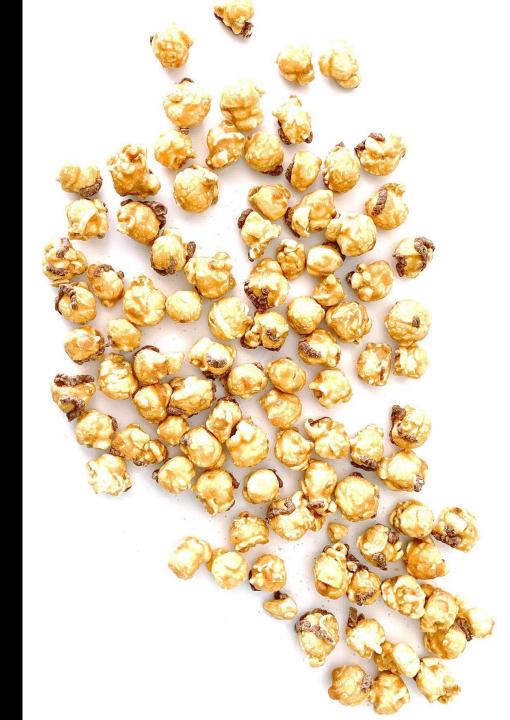
2024 Sales Facts

- \$197,613 in sales \$140,281 Return to Scouting!
 - 42 Units participated
 - Total Commission earned by Units-\$75,918.19
- Pine Tree Council Average per Selling Unit = \$4,705
 - Average Unit Commission-\$1807.58

What could your unit do with an additional \$1800?

What's In Store for 2025!

- Staying with CampMasters!
- Updated packaging designs with Scouting America branding.
- Product Changes-Removed 3 Way Cheesy Tin and Chocolate Lovers, replaced with Chicago Style Snack Attack Tin-Caramel Corn, White Cheddar, Yellow Cheddar
- More marketing tools and How-to Videos at <u>www.campmasters.org</u> (including a "How to Sell \$10,000 in a Weekend!" training session via Zoom)
- Once again using STRIPE to accept Credit Card payments.

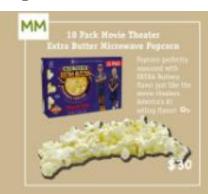


The 2025 Product Lineup!

































MY POPCORN GOAL IS:

MY PRIZE GOAL IS:

CHOOSE A PRIZE AND GO FOR IT!



Sell More - Earn More Additional Bonus Prizes

Sell \$4,000 - \$4,499

Earn your choice of a \$50 Amazon or Visa Gift Card

Sell \$4,500 - \$4,999

Earn your choice of a \$75 Amazon or Visa Gift Card

Sell \$5,000 and above

Earn your choice of a \$100 Amazon or Visa Gift Card

District Top Seller

Be the Top Seller in your District and receive a \$200 Amazon or Visa Gift Card

Council Top Seller

Be the Top Seller in the Council and receive a \$500 Amazon or Visa Gift Card



Scan the QR Code to the left for a detailed description of the prizes or visit www.kellerprizeprogram.com

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CAMP MASTERS 2025 High Achiever Prizes

\$3,000 & Up Club

This year's High Achieves Camp

Package contains the

Reel and Case.

essentials for camping: a
2-person waterproof
tent, 2L Hydration
Pack, 5-in-1
Survival tool
with Shovel
(including
Shovel, Compass,
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Visa Debit Card for 4% of total sales Example: \$3000 = \$120 debit card. Visa Debit Cards will be rounded to nearest \$10.

CM High Achiever prizes are not cumulative. Select only ONE prize. See prize form for more details at comprosters.org.

DID YOU KNOW?

Scouts Online Sales at PopcornOrdering.com count towards your prizes!

SELL \$400 ONLINE amazon.
EARN \$10 GIFT CARD!

Pine Tree Council

www.pinetreebsa.org Council ID: 218PTC

For Popcorn Related Questions: Council Office: (207) 517-6196

For Prize Related Questions GCC/Keller Marketing: (888) 351-8000

GUIDELINES to Select Prizes

- Prizes earned based on individual sales. No combining of sales with other Scouts.
- (2) Sell any item & receive the Popcom Sale Patch.
- (3) Sell 590 & select your choice of prize at the 590 level.
- (4) Bell \$190 or more & select a prize from the level you achieve or select prizes from the lower levels as long as the total of the prize levels does not exceed the prize level achieved. Example: if you sell \$825 in popcorn, you may select ONE prize from the \$625 Level or ONE prize from the \$325 Level and ONE prize from the \$250 Level.
- (5) Parent's permission is required to order a knife.
- (6) All prizes will ship to your Unit Leader.
- If a prize is no longer available a substitute of equal or greater value will be shipped.
- (8) Turn in your prize order with your popcom order

GUIDELINES to Select Prizes

- (1) Prizes earned based on individual sales. No combining of sales with other Scouts.
- (2) Sell any item & receive the Popcorn Sale Patch.
- (3) Sell \$90 & select your choice of prize at the \$90 level.
- (4) Sell \$190 or more & select a prize from the level you achieve or select prizes from the lower levels as long as the total of the prize levels does not exceed the prize level achieved. Example: If you sell \$625 in popcorn, you may select ONE prize from the \$625 Level or ONE prize from the \$325 Level and ONE prize from the \$250 Level.
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- (6) All prizes will ship to your Unit Leader.
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- (8) Turn in your prize order with your popcorn order.

2025 Council Prize & Incentive Program for Scouts

In addition to the Keller Prize Program and the Camp Masters High Achiever Prizes, Pine Tree Council is offering the following incentives:

Council Top Seller:

\$500 Amazon Gift Card* & Recognition in Pine Spills

District Top Seller:

(except Council Top Seller)

\$200 Amazon Gift Card* & Recognition in Pine Spills.

Above & Beyond Sellers

\$4000-\$4499-- \$50 Gift Card or \$100 toward a PTC Camp in 2026

\$4500-\$4999-- \$75 Gift Card or \$150 toward a PTC Camp in 2026

\$5000 & up-- \$100 Gift Card or \$150 toward a PTC Camp in 2026

Fill a Sheet Weekly Drawing

\$20.00 Amazon Gift Card*

For each order sheet a scout fills and submits to PTC they will be entered into a weekly drawing.

If their name is not selected, their entry remains in the drawing.





2025 Commissions and Unit Incentives

- Combined Unit Sales of up to \$7,500 = 33% commission
- Combined Unit Sales of \$7,501 to \$12,499 = 36% commission
- Combined Unit Sales of \$12,500 to \$19,999 = 37% commission
- Combined Unit Sales of \$20,000 or more = 38% commission
- Earn an additional 2% Commission on all your sales if a representative from your unit attends one of the Council Kick-Offs in June.
- Earn an additional 2% Commission on all your sales by attending an August 2025 Roundtable and holding a recruiting event for your unit before 9/30/2025.
- Earn an additional 1% Commission by recruiting a new unit to sell or by recruiting a unit that hasn't participated in the sale since 2020. (The recruited unit also earns the additional 1% Commission.)
- **NEW** Earn an additional 1% bonus commission for every 3
 new youth recruited between August 1st and October 25th (capped at 5%).

Let's Plan for Success in 2025!

Fund your programs with this campaign! Let's develop a solid plan to succeed!

More than ever we need to sell in all three ways:

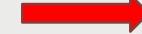
- Sell Online at <u>www.popcornordering.com</u> with SHIPPING INCLUDED!
 - Reach out for support from the comfort of home
 - Zero risk for Units and doesn't impact other activities
- Door to Door (Show and Deliver or Take Order)
 - Take Show and Sell product if you can
 - Use the Take Order Form in the Family Guide
 - Average \$200-\$400 per scout hour
- Show and Sell
 - Establish sales locations at local store fronts or special events
 - May have a limited number of items vs. those on Take Order
 - Average \$65-\$150 per scout hour (2-3 Scouts/location)



BUILD A POPCORN SQUAD

- **★ Unit Kernel-** Lead the squad and be in charge of accounting and unit popcorn orders.
- **★ Show-N-Sell Specialist-** Work with the Unit Kernel to arrange/ reserve storefront locations.
- **★ Distribution Master-** Store popcorn and distribute to Scouts or Storefronts. Work with Unit Kernel to manage inventory.
- **★ Popcorn Promoter-** Your social media / email master spreading popcorn love.

- Know your <u>UNIT'S POPCORN SALE GOAL</u>
 - What program elements you will fund
 - Equipment needs
 - Special Events/Trips
 - BUILD A BUDGET USING THIS TOOL (Fund Your Adventure Worksheet)



- Be able to <u>COMMUNICATE the goal</u> to everyone on board
 - What it means for the Scouts
 - What it means for the families
 - This is what a Kickoff is for!



Fund Your Adventure with CAMP MASTERS Popcorn!

3 steps for an adventure filled annual program for your Unit! With CAMP MASTERS you can achieve your fundraising goal with just one product sale, so you can spend your time doing fun activities.



MONTHLY COSTS: Think of fun things to do every month and enter them below as activities. Enter activity names and costs in the highlighted cells only.

SEPTEMBER		OCTOBER		NOVEMBER	
Planned Activity	Cost	Planned Activity	Cost	Planned Activity	Cost
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DECEM	BER	JANUARY		FEBRUARY	
Planned Activity	Cost	Planned Activity	Cost	Planned Activity	Cost
				This Month's Total: \$0.00	
MARCH		APRIL		MAY	
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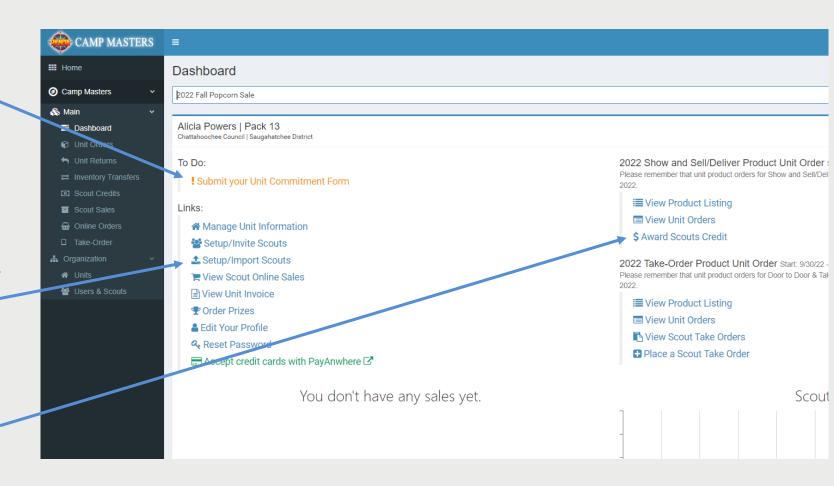
Unit Sales Goal \$0.00 Scout Sales Goal \$0.00

Download at

http://campmasters.org/sales-tools/

Unit Budgeting Tool

- •Become familiar with the Popcorn System
 - Where do I commit to the sale (do it now!)
 - Where do I enter orders
 - How do I manage Scouts
 - Reports availability
- •Set Up your Sale in the System
 - Cleanup your Scout Information
 - Scouts moving to new Unit can transfer themselves to that Unit
 - Add any new Scouts
- •Tracking Scout S&S Credits and Take Order Sales
 - Units apply S&S Credits Manually to Scout
 - Scout credits reflect as running total
 - Will Scouts enter their Take Order information on own or will Unit?



Step #4 Conduct a Unit KICK OFF

Goals of Unit Kick off

- COMMUNICATE the Unit Goal
 - SHARE the plan with everyone involved
- Make it FUN!
 - What it means for the Scouts
 - Skits to emphasize training
 - Talk about the Prizes and affect of reaching Goals
- Focus on SKILL DEVELOPMENT
 - Public Speaking Skills
 - Goal Setting
 - Personal Responsibility

Why conduct a Unit Kick Off?

- Helps parents understand how the Popcorn Sale benefits their child and his/her Scouting Program
- Helps leaders understand how the Popcorn Sale provides a better Scouting experience for all
- Gets scouts excited about the sale, leading to more scouts selling.*

*More Scouts Selling = More funds being raised = A better program for your unit!

Train your Scouts for ALL sales approaches!

- Establishes Best Practices, Builds Confidence & removes doubt
- IT WILL HAVE A HUGE IMPACT



- Promote the CAMP MASTERS approach
 - Door to Door
 - Take product with you if you can
 - Use the same presentation
 - Canvas entire neighborhoods
 - Site Sales
 - No tables or chairs, teams of 2-3
 - Stack product in a colorful display
 - Scouts in front talking to customers

Get full participation!

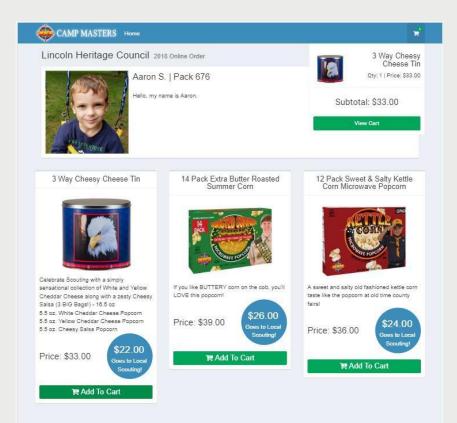
- Not every Scout wants to sell all three ways
- Not every Scout can sell all three ways
- Every Scout can participate in Online and Take Order sale



Online Sales

We have an amazing opportunity to grow our sales.





- EVERY Scout is capable of participating from the comfort of their own home
- Scouts <u>must</u> be registered in the system to gain access to the online store and get sales credit
 - Instructions on how to load/register scouts is located at <u>www.campmasters.org/how-to-order-popcorn</u>
 - Scouts/Families can also register themselves with instructional videos at <u>www.campmasters.org/video</u>
- No additional shipping fees for consumers!
- Social Media links built into the Scout's account



Show and Sell

Besides the usual locations- think outside the box:

- *Transfer station
- *Local sporting events



Have a plan:

- Secure your sites in advance
- More locations will net more sales
- Look for any location with high traffic to increase opportunities, be open/creative

Setup and Run Properly:

- Display your products colorfully like a store end-cap would be
- Scouts out in front of product displayed in their Field Uniform
- Don't put pricing on boxes or signs
- Keep area clean and inviting
- Limit number of scouts at a location

Draw Attention:

- For this year consider signage that promotes Scouts helping the community
- Accentuate this is a LOCAL fundraising event
- Have a poster/ tri-fold, etc showing your scouts in action or pictures of a goal they're trying to reach (like a trip or special adventure).

Units CAN ACCEPT CREDIT CARDS without additional devices and applications!





Accepts all credit cards Any Scout, parent, or leader can take a secure payment on their phone

Manage your inventory

See inventory for all dens or patrols on a single screen

NO FEES for your unit

Credit card convenience fee applied at checkout

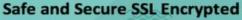
Real-Time Sales Tracking

Track every payment via cash or card to reconcile unit balance

Full Product Catalog

View product availability across all sales: Take Order, Show-n-Sell, & On-Line





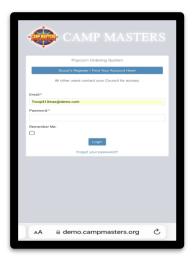




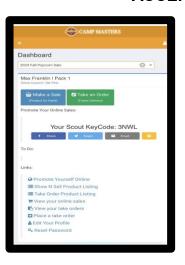


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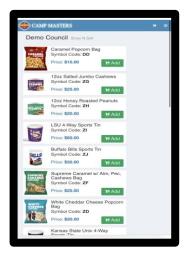
ACCEPT CREDIT CARDS AS PAYMENT



Login to CAMP MASTERS
Dashboard. as the Unit Kernel

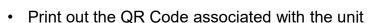


Click "Make A Sale" from the dashboard



This will take you to the products page. Scroll down to find the requested product. Then click "Order" to add the item to the shopping cart





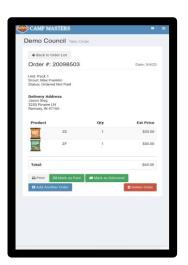
- After the customer has selected their popcorn and would like to use a credit card
- Have the customer scan the QR code, for them to enter payment information



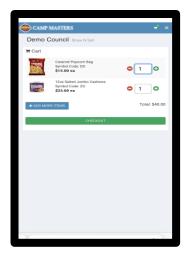
To take payment, you can:

- 1. Have the customer scan QR code for them to enter
- 2. Text them so they can enter payment.
- 3. Enter Information manually.

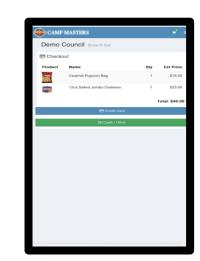
payment.



Mark as paid and delivered if applicable.



Scroll down to find the requested product. Then click "Order" to add the item to the shopping cart.



A confirmation window will appear. You can either take cash or Credit card for payment

Door-to-Door Sales

Show & Deliver/ Wagon Sales and Take Order Sales net higher sales values





- Coach Families/Scouts to approach the houses on their block as a start
- Promote a set presentation and be in Class A uniforms so they are recognized
- Be effective by selling in a group, covering an entire neighborhood, office building/ complex, etc. as a Unit,
 - Great way to move unsold Show and Sell product/inventory
 - Use Door Hangers for a leave behind at homes where you miss the residents
- Coach them on your area's safety requirements

Best Practice: Collect Money at point of sale

Remember Important Popcorn Sale Tips from Michael Beck

At a Store Front to increase Sales:

 Don't put out table or chairs- get Scouts in front of neatly stacked product to use public speaking skills

In Neighborhoods:

 Take pre-order product with you to increase sales and Unit success

At Kick-off:

 Promote Scouts to establish their own sales goal based on your Prize Program

Train your Scouts and unleash their growth and success!

Use This - IT WORKS!

- Hi sir/ma'am, my name is ______
- I'm a scout with Pack/Troop _____
- We're selling popcorn to help raise money for our Pack/Troop.
- You can help us by trying some of our <u>delicious</u> popcorn.
- You'll help us, won't you? (don't forget to nod)

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Picking Up Popcorn

What Size car do I need to pick-up the popcorn?

- Midsize car- 20 case
- Luxury size car- 40 case
- Mini Van- 60 cases
- Large SUV- 70 cases
- U-Haul- over 70 cases

*Keep in mind some cases vary in size



2025 Popcorn Calendar

July 2nd or 9th **Council Kick-Off**

August 1st Popcorn Sale Starts!

August 4th Show-n-sell orders are due

August 21st or 22nd* Show-n-sell popcorn distribution day – Camp Hinds Dining Hall, 8am – 11am

October 24th Take Orders due – All product payments are due

November 15th Take-Order Distribution day – Camp Hinds Dining Hall, 8am – 11am

November 30th Last Day to Place Prize Order

^{*}Tentative Dates- these may change depending on product delivery.

Questions?

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