

HIKING WITH A PURPOSE TO SUPPORT SCOUTING



Now - Oct 31, 2024

1,000 MILES OR BUST HIKING CHALLENGE

New Hampshire, USA

- ✓ Pledge support of any value
- ✓ Units will keep 93% of pledges
- ✓ Do it together as a family
- ✓ Walk/Hike on our Council Properties
- ✓ Walk/Hike anywhere in NH



How does the “1,000 Miles or Bust Challenge” work?

Between now to October 31, 2024 Scouting will be hitting the trails in New Hampshire to raise money for unit programs. By participating in the challenge and raising funds your unit will receive 93% of the money raised to support your programs. Go on a hike or walk with your family on one of our trails at Griswold Scout Reservation or Camp Carpenter or connect on a trail anywhere in New Hampshire. Let's get outdoors and raise money for a great cause!

Our goal is to collectively walk or hike 1,000 miles over this time as a Council.

What do I tell people who pledge where the money will go?

A portion of the money will be used by the unit to:

- Purchase new unit gear
- Provide financial aid to those less fortunate, but wants the benefits of scouting
- Helps to cover advancement recognition cost
- Helps to cover program related expense of the unit such as a pinewood derby car
- Helps to cover operating expenses of the unit such a Blue and Gold dinners or Courts of Honor
- 93% of the funds stay with the unit, the other 7% covers administrative cost of the fundraiser

How do I collect pledges for my “1,000 Miles or Bust Challenge”?

It's simple! Just raise funds through the Unit or Scout page at <https://app.givebacks.gives/2024dwchike>

Pledges can be of any value regardless of miles walked or hiked. Units will receive the percentage of money raised less processing fees. All funds raised will be deposited into each units respective Unit Account at the conclusion of the challenge and reports reconciled.

If you have any questions, or run into issues while trying to register yourself, please contact us at hikeathon@nhscouting.org.

How do I report my miles walked/hiked for the 1,000 miles or bust challenge?

It s simple A designated unit leader must report all miles completed on your walk or hike no later than November 4, 2024. Miles walked hiked are reported as a unit by following these instructions: Click below link to report your walk or hike friends and family.

https://www.cognitofrms.com/JA41/_2024AThousandMilesOrBust

Can I select a purpose for why I am hiking for? YES!

- I am hiking to raise money to support my Scouting adventures
- I am hiking to support my unit and its operating expenses
- I am hiking to support Scouts in under served communities
- I am hiking to.....

How many miles do I need to hike?

You determine the distance and the degree of difficulty, but we ask that you walk a minimum of one (1) mile. If you need a five-mile hike for rank advancement, talk with your Scoutmaster and make this count towards advancement.

Where will the hike take place?

You have several options:

- You can hike around Long Pond at Camp Carpenter. One time around is approximately one mile. Simply decide on the number of times you want to go around the lake
- You can hike at Griswold Scout Reservation and use the miles of trails we have on property
- You can select a local mountain to hike, such as one of the state's 4,000 footers
- You can walk around your neighborhood

When will this hike take place?

You choose when as long as it takes place between Now until October 31, 2024.

How long will this fundraiser last?

The fundraiser is now open until October 31, 2024, after which the links will be turned off.

Don't forget to take pictures and submit them to communications@nhscouting.org. We'd love to share all of our "1,000 Miles or Bust Challenge" photos on social media. If you are posting your own photos on social media, don't forget to use [#nhscouting](#) [#1000MilesOrBust](#) [#603Scouts](#) [#BeAScout](#).

If you have any questions, or run into issues while trying to register yourself, please contact us at hikeathon@nhscouting.org.

Go to <https://app.givebacks.gives/2024dwchike> or use the QR Code



Unit Fundraising

1. Individuals will have three options for fundraising:
 - a. Individuals can raise funds to support their unit.
 - b. Individuals can raise funds for a unit in need
 - c. Individuals can raise funds for the Daniel Webster Council. Those funds will be earmarked for camperships and membership fee assistance.
2. You can use the link, share the link, and start your Scout fundraising immediately.
3. Unit Leaders can search for their unit on the main page.
4. The Leader Page is linked with the unit leader's email address (A unit leader is defined as the CM, SM or Advisor); if edits, updates, or changes need to be made, contact Hikeathon@NHScouting.org
5. You can change the campaign image For your fundraising page if you wish.

2024 A Thousand Miles or Bust Hike-a-thon

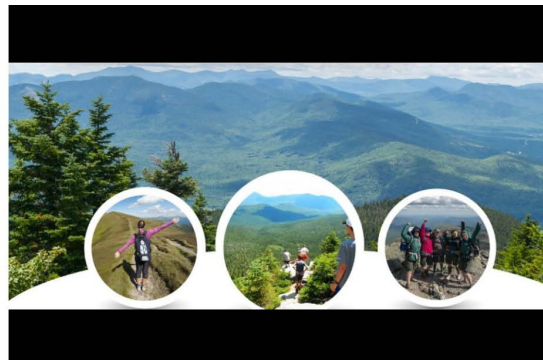
[Donate](#) [Sign up](#)

Experience ends in:

76 12 39 34
DAYS HRS MINS SECS

\$0 RAISED

0% of \$25,000 goal




2024 Hike-A-Thon – Creating a Peer-to-Peer Fundraiser in Give Backs


Home Participants Teams Updates

Units

Sort by: Name Amount

SEARCH FOR A UNIT


Crew 13
Scouts: 0
Ranked N/A
\$0 PLEDGED


Crew 200
Scouts: 0
Ranked N/A
\$0 PLEDGED

6. Unit Leaders can edit the campaign and view the dashboard

Daniel Webster Council's Fundraising Page

Donate

Experience ends in:

76 DAYS 12 HRS 27 MINS 15 SECS

\$0 RAISED

07/23/2012 Change image

Unit details Updates Participants

Share this experience

7. The unit page, you can see the total funds raised, and also, if you choose the Participant option you can see information to track individual fundraising.


2024 Hike-A-Thon – Creating a Peer-to-Peer Fundraiser in Give Backs

DWC Council Staff/Board's Fundraising Page

Donate

Experience ends in:
59 DAYS 11 HRS 47 MINS 37 SECS

\$0 RAISED



Unit
Scouts

About Updates

Share this experience

Experience Updates

Create update

You haven't posted any updates yet. This section will be hidden from your donors until you post the first update.

Scouts

Sort by: Name Amount

SEARCH FOR A SCOUT

Scout Name	Rank	Amount Raised
Blanka Cullen DWC Council Staff/Board	Rank N/A	\$0 RAISED
Dawna Wolfson DWC Council Staff/Board	Rank N/A	\$0 RAISED
Deric Wertz DWC Council Staff/Board	Rank N/A	\$0 RAISED

Donations

Nothing to show here yet

8. How to add a Scout to a Unit Fundraising

A. Units have a couple of ways to add scouts:

- i. On the main page you can select "Sign up" <https://app.givebacks.gives/2024dwchike>

2024 A Thousand Miles or Bust Hike-a-thon

Donate Sign up

Experience ends in:
76 DAYS 12 HRS 19 MINS 21 SECS

- ii. Next select "Register"

2024 1000 Miles or Bust – Unit Hike-A-Thon

Units will keep 93% of pledges! Do it together as a family! Walk/Hike on our Council Properties or on your favorite 4,000-footer.


REGISTER



iii. Register your Scout by adding to the cart you can add multiple Scouts to the cart. Click on he "Add to Cart" button when done.

Scout Registrations

Select a registration below to sign up as a Scout



Scout Registration (FREE)
REGISTERED (0)

Please register your scout to participate. And make sure to select the unit.

[ADD TO CART](#)

Cart



Scout Registration (FREE)

Remove

FREE

2

[Check out later](#)

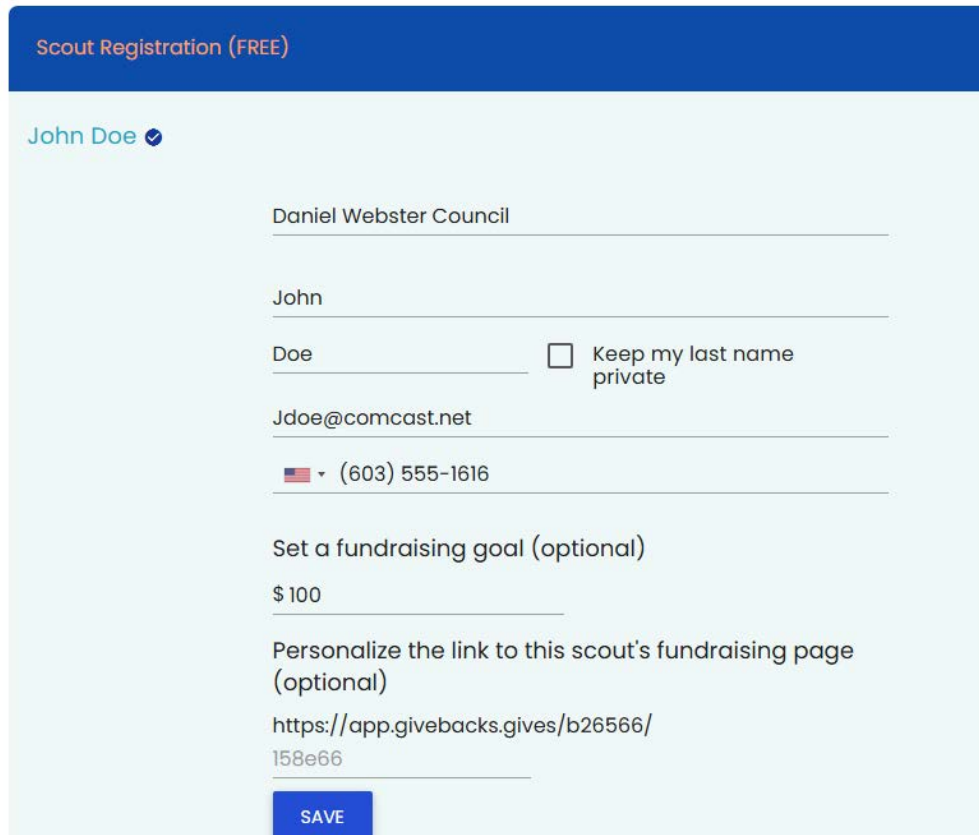
[Check out now](#)



9. Scout Registration Pages(s)

- **On this page you can enter one Scout or multiple Scouts. Note the edit button when entering more than one Scout. Note the parent or guardian's email address and phone number must be used below.**

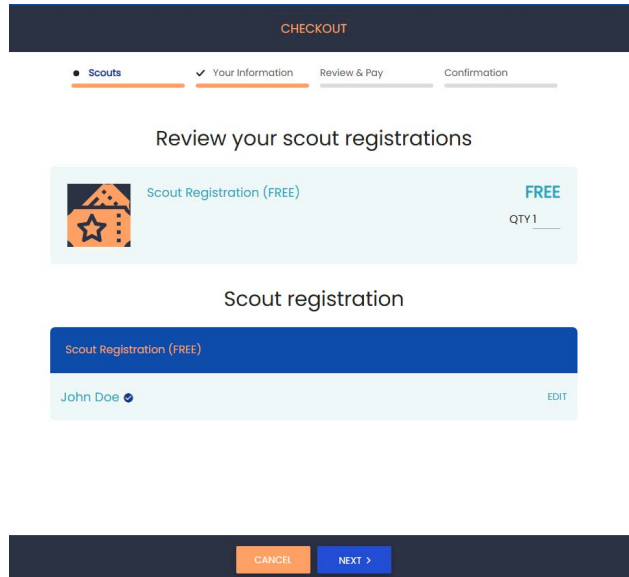
Scout registration



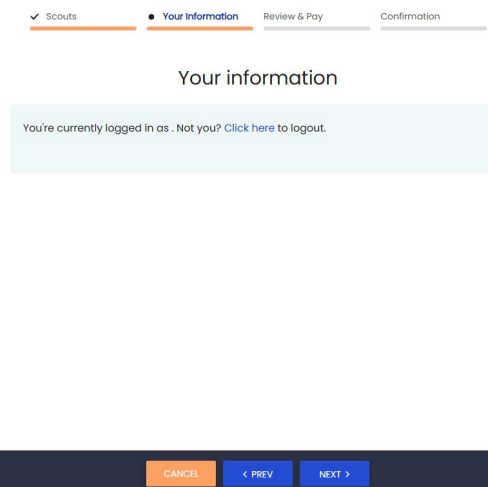
The screenshot shows a web form titled "Scout Registration (FREE)" with a blue header. Below the header, the user's name "John Doe" is displayed with a checkmark. The form contains several input fields: "Daniel Webster Council", "John", "Doe" (with a checkbox for "Keep my last name private"), "Jdoe@comcast.net", and a phone number field with a dropdown for the country code (USA) and the number "(603) 555-1616". There are also optional fields for "Set a fundraising goal (optional)" with a value of "\$ 100" and "Personalize the link to this scout's fundraising page (optional)" with a URL "https://app.givebacks.gives/b26566/158e66". A blue "SAVE" button is at the bottom.

- **If you type the unit name, it will auto-populate unit # (Example Pack 43). In the case where there are multiple units with the same number, you will see Troop 18 HIS or Troop 18 MTM. In the case where you have both a B & G troop you will see Troop 53B or Troop 53G.**
- **Complete the Scout Registration information as shown above and click "Save" when done. If you make a mistake, hit the edit button next to the Scout to correct any error made.**

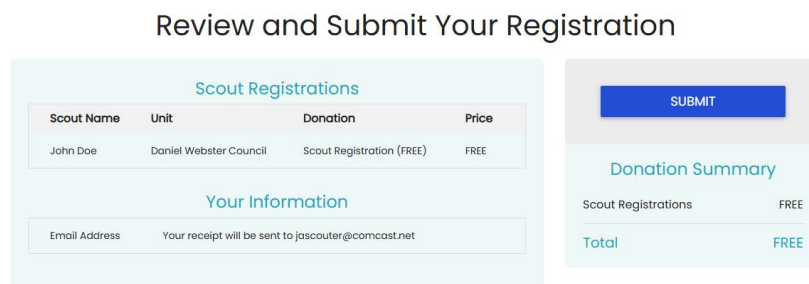
2024 Hike-A-Thon – Creating a Peer-to-Peer Fundraiser in Give Backs



- If there are no edits to be made in the screenshot above click "Next". You will get the following screen, do not panic and click "Next".



- Review and submit your registration using the submit button on the bottom of the page or the right side.



2024 Hike-A-Thon – Creating a Peer-to-Peer Fundraiser in Give Backs

- **Registration confirmation page.**

Thank you for your registration!

Your registration was successfully processed on 08/16/2024 at 1:04 PM EST
Confirmation ID: 11280324

SHARE THE CAMPAIGN



Fundraising Page

Customizing your fundraising page is a great way to get more donations!
Click the links below to start.

Scout Name	Fundraising Page
John Doe	https://app.givebacks.gives/b26566/m/3cecc0

You can also go to [My Account](#) to access your scout dashboard.

Your dashboard is a personalized page to view your donors, update your information, and share your link to get more donors.

Notification Preferences

Select your notification preferences

Receive emails with updates about this experience

Thank You

Hello ,

Thank you for registering! We truly appreciate every registration and all efforts to help us achieve our fundraising goal.

Scout Registration

Scout Name	Unit	Registration	Price
John Doe	Daniel Webster Council	Scout Registration (FREE)	Free

CONTINUE

2024 Hike-A-Thon – Creating a Peer-to-Peer Fundraiser in Give Backs

- On the above page, you can share the campaign via Facebook, Twitter, or a link. Your fundraising page information also show up for you to bookmark on your devices.
- Click "Continue" at the bottom of the page
- You will receive an email confirmation from the platform that allows you to customize your Scouts fundraising page, check progress, and share with family and friends to encourage support.

10. Another way to register your participants is to submit a "CSV" file that contains the following information to hikeathon@nhscouting.org. You can find the template on the Council Website under resources. <https://nhscouting.org/scout-fundraising/hike-a-thon/>

A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Team Name	First Name	Last Name	Email	Fundraising Goal (optional)	Phone Number	

Important Note: The system does not allow for per-mile donations. All donations must be in lump sum.

As a reminder when setting up a youth for this fundraiser the parent's or guardian's email address and phone number must be used for youth protection reasons.