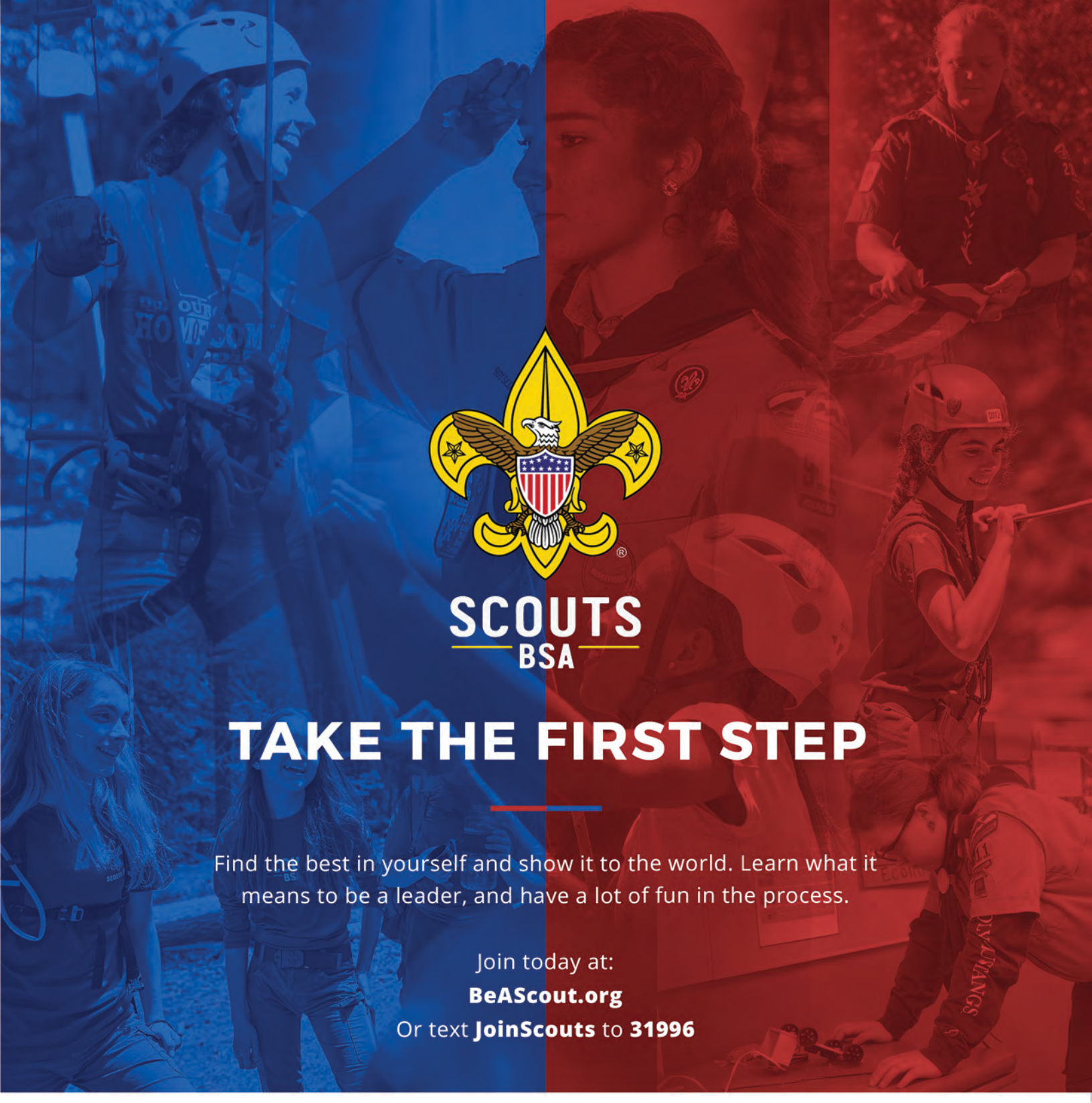

Now is a great time to join SCOUTS BSA!

Local Scouts BSA Girls Units are inviting local youth to join Scouting during out Recruitment Blitz Week of November 1 to 7 and get in on the fun.

To learn more about local Scouting, when the meet, and who to contact to register please go to: stlbsa.org/join-osage-scouting

Scouts BSA Girls Troops are for Girls in Grades 6 up to 18 years of age.
Scouting's programs and outdoor adventures give young people the opportunity and freedom to explore a world beyond the boundaries of everyday life. It presents them with chances to try new things, provide service to others, build self-confidence and develop leadership skills. These experiences not only help Scouts while they are young, but also stay with them throughout their adult lives, growing into exceptional men and women that respect their family, community, religion, country and themselves.
Every person in Scouting learns the motto "Be Prepared."
And while that can mean a lot of things to a lot of people, ultimately the Boy Scouts of America prepares young people for life.

Payment by cash or check upon registration. No youth will be denied membership due to financial need. Assistance is available for those in need.

More Information

Who can join Scouts BSA?
Girls ages 11-17 are invited to join the Scouts BSA program (called a “troop”) listed on this flyer. You may join at any age. No prior Scouting experience is necessary.

What will Scouts do?
Scouts BSA provides fun activities, new and challenging adventures, and leadership opportunities to help you become the best version of yourself. Whether it’s camping, hiking, boating, shooting sports, or building remote controlled robots, the programs and outdoor adventures teach confidence, self-reliance, leadership, and character. These qualities make Scouts leaders in their classrooms, among their peers, and in their future careers. Scouting is the ultimate form of learning by doing. You will be introduced to countless hobbies, interests, sciences, and even future career choices along the way.

When do Scouts meet?
Scouts BSA troops *are active and meeting* while most other extracurricular activities are not. The program is year-round, but it allows for lots of flexibility. Scouts, leaders, and families can work together to choose a schedule that is convenient for everyone. Activities may be done in-person with small groups, online using programs like Zoom, or independently at home. We are prepared to deliver the Scouting programs in all permitted formats during the current pandemic.

What does it cost? We know families are facing new financial hardships. Assistance for registration fees and summer programs may be available. Fundraisers will also help provide for supplies and activities. The registration fee is $66/year plus a one-time $25 joining fee for new members. The $25 joining fee is waived if you were ever previously registered in a BSA youth program. Any additional fees for activities, as well as fundraisers or payment options, will be discussed at the joining event on this flyer.

Is Scouting safe?
Yes! The BSA is a leader among youth organizations today for its comprehensive youth protection safeguards. Learn more at scouting.org/youthprotection.

What is an Eagle Scout?
Eagle Scout is the highest rank that a Scout can achieve. It requires an enormous amount of hard work, dedication, and leadership along the way. An Eagle Scout has proven their leadership by making a positive impact in their own life, their family, and their community. Being an Eagle Scout carries a significance not only in Scouting, but also in education, business, and the community.

How do I join?
Attend the joining event on this flyer to learn more about the troop and to sign up. You may also be able to get a head start by signing up online at the URL listed on this flyer. If you decide this troop is not a great fit for you, then contact us and we can help find alternatives if available.

Need more info?

- Website: stlbsa.org/join
- Phone: 1-800-392-0895

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