

2014 Scout Council Challenge

The Great American Can Roundup Scout Council Challenge, sponsored by the Can Manufacturers Institute (CMI), is an annual contest open to all registered Boy and Girl Scouts of all ages (Cubs, Tigers, Venturers, Explorers, Daisies, Brownies, Cadets, Ambassadors, etc.) and their area Councils. Boy and Girl Scout Troops/Units compete to recycle the most aluminum beverage cans per capita between January 15 and April 30. Councils vie for top recycling awards based on the cumulative total pounds of beverage cans recycled through their scouts and scout activities. Go to www.cancentral.com/roundup to register and find virtually everything needed to create a successful Roundup.

ELIGIBILITY

The contest runs from Jan. 15 through April 30, 2014 and is open to all registered Boy and Girl Scout Units and their Councils. Registration is required.

IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER

Registration now open! – Required on-line registration is open at www.cancentral.com/roundup

January 15 to April 30, 2014 – Contest period. Report and submit recycling verification for individual scout awards/rewards, unit and council cash awards

May 15, 2014 – Deadline for recycling verification forms or receipts to CMI

June 5, 2014 – World Environment Day — Winning Units and Councils announced

PRIZES

\$2,150 Cash, Free Awards/Rewards, National Recycling Honors. See next page.

TROOP AND COUNCIL CASH PRIZES

Beyond the money your Troop and Council earns by recycling, CMI wants to reward your unit. The Boy and Girl Scout Units recycling the most beverage cans per capita from January 15 to April 30, 2014, win top honors and a total of \$1,350 in prizes earmarked for scout store purchases. Champion and Reserve Councils recycling the greatest pounds of aluminum beverage cans earn \$500 and \$300, respectively, bragging rights, and distinctive plaques to celebrate their achievement.

Have questions. Need to submit Recycling Forms. Contact Jenny Day at CMI.
1730 Rhode Island Ave, NW, Ste 1000, Washington, DC 20036
P: 202/232-4677 F: 202/232-5756 E: jday@cancentral.com
www.cancentral.com/roundup www.CannedWater4Kids.org

PARTICIPATING IN THE SCOUT RECYCLING CHALLENGE IS AS EASY AS 1-2-3!

1. Register your group.
2. Record the pounds of aluminum cans your group has recycled.
3. Mail or fax your completed Recycling Log/Verification Forms.

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SCOUT RECOGNITION

All Boy and Girl Scouts whose unit is registered at www.cancentral.com/roundup and recycle 35 pounds or more of aluminum beverage cans per scout during the contest period are eligible for free recycling awards/rewards. Scouts recycling 35 pounds of beverage cans qualify for the 35 Pound Club Great American Can Roundup patch. Scouts recycling 125 pounds or more, earn a stuffed Al the Can figure. At 200 pounds and 300 pounds of aluminum cans, scouts earn Al the Can t-shirt and baseball cap, respectively. Recycling 400 pounds or more of aluminum cans earns a highly coveted "collector's edition" of the 100% recycled, unbreakable aluminum CannedWater4Kids.org bottle. Scout leaders are encouraged to use these awards/rewards during ceremonies and events to recognize scout recycling and encourage more unit members to accomplish the next goal.

COUNCIL RECOGNITION

Verified aluminum can recycling poundage will be credited to the Unit as well as to their Council. Councils should also submit receipts or verification forms for aluminum can recycling beyond troop efforts such as office recycling, event recycling, Roundup drives or training activities. The top two Councils recycling the most aluminum cans distinguish themselves with Champion and Reserve Recycling Council plaques, year-long recycling bragging rights, and cash awards for scouting programs.

Scout Challenge		Council Challenge	
Champion	\$500	Champion	\$500
Reserve Champion	\$300	Reserve	\$300
3 rd Place	\$200		
4 th Place	\$150		
5 th Place	\$100		
6 th Place	\$100		

By participating, registered units agree to these official rules and the decisions of the sponsor and the judges from any and all liability, claims or damages arising out of their participation and the acceptance and use of a prize. Sponsor assumes no liability for lost, late, miscredited, illegible, incomplete or damaged *Registration Forms, Recycling Log/Verification Forms or Award/Reward Forms*. In addition, sponsor assumes no liability for mail or for technical, hardware, software or telephones failures or any kind or failed, incomplete, garbled or delayed computer transmissions of contest forms, materials or submissions.

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Scout Council Challenge Log/Verification Form

UNIT NUMBER, COUNCIL, LEADER'S NAME, ADDRESS, PHONE, E-MAIL:

Go to www.cancentral.com/roundup to register for the challenge and input your unit's recycling totals. Also compare how your unit is recycling compared to entries the previous year. Councils should do the same for aluminum used beverage cans (UBC) collected and recycled outside a unit efforts. This Log/Verification Form makes it easy to keep track of your recycling progress and with the recycling center stamp or employee initial (with receipts if you don't have stamp or employee initial) to CMI, 1730 Rhode Island Ave., NW, Suite 1000, Washington, DC 20036, or by fax to 202/232-5756 or by email to jday@cancentral.com. Reports and verification must be received by May 15, 2014. When requesting Scout earned awards/rewards, please complete the *Scout Challenge Award/Reward Form* and submit with the *Log/Verification Form* or receipts.

	Pounds Date	Amount Recycled	Price Earned	Paid Per Pound	Leader's Initial	Recycling Center Stamp or Employee Initial
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14.						

RECYCLING CENTER NAME, ADDRESS, PHONE: _____

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Scout Council Challenge Award/Reward Form

(Accompanies *Scout Council Challenge Log/Verification Form* or receipts. Forms are due to CMI at the address below by May 15, 2014.)

UNIT NUMBER, COUNCIL, LEADER'S NAME, ADDRESS, PHONE, E-MAIL:

Please use a pencil to update

	Name of Scout	Total Pounds Recycled Currently	Check appropriate award for this submittal and date. Scouts are eligible for of each award/reward per contest period.				
			35 Pound GACR Patch (35 pounds of UBC recycled)	Al the Can stuffed guy (125 pounds of UBC recycled)	Al the Can T-shirt (200 pounds of UBC recycled)	GACR Baseball Cap (300 pounds of UBC recycled)	CannedWater4Kids.org Al Bottle (400 pounds or more of UBC recycled)
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(Only one of each award/reward per scout per year.)

DATE: _____

LEADER'S SIGNATURE: _____

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OFFICIAL RULES

1. Qualify for the Scout Council Challenge by registering your troop/unit online by April 30 each year and submitting aluminum can recycling totals from January 15, to April 30, 2014 at www.cancentral.com/roundup with verification information. Only one registration per unit will be accepted and units must be registered to participate. Scout councils applying recycled aluminum can poundage acquired outside their units should register and submit their verification forms under the council's name in accordance with the official rules.
2. Open to all registered Boy and Girl Scout Units (Cubs, Tigers, Venturers, Explorers, Daisies, Brownies, Cadets, Ambassadors, etc.) and their Councils in the United States.
3. Unit registration automatically enrolls their council in the Council Challenge. All verified aluminum used beverage cans (UBC) recycled poundage by council, lone scouts, and submitted council pounds will be added to the council competition totals. At this time because of the per capita nature of the Challenge, lone scout troops recycling will be count only towards the council's recycled poundage. Lone scouts are eligible for yearly awards/rewards.
4. Scouts, including lone scouts, whose troops are registered and recycle 35 pounds or more of aluminum beverage cans during the contest are eligible for free recycling awards/rewards. Boy and Girl Scouts recycling 35 pounds of beverage cans qualify for the 35 Pound Club Great American Can Roundup patch. Scouts recycling 125 pounds or more, earn an Al the Can stuffed figure. At 200 pounds and 300 pounds of aluminum cans recycled, scouts earn Al the Can t-shirt and baseball cap, respectively. Recycling 400 pounds or more of aluminum cans earns a highly coveted "collector's edition" of the 100% recycled, unbreakable aluminum CannedWaterForKids.org bottle. Completed *Scout Challenge Award/Reward Forms* are to accompany *Scout Council Challenge Log/Verification Forms* or receipts. One award/reward by each category is earned by a scout per year. If submitting copies of receipts, checks or check stubs, leaders are to include: scout troop/unit number, council name, leader's name, address, phone and email address. Forms are due to CMI by May 15, 2014.

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OFFICIAL RULES (CONTINUED)

5. Scout Unit winners will be determined by the pounds of aluminum cans recycled per capita (number of registered scouts in unit) based on the completed *Recycling Log/Verification Form* and/or receipts.
6. Winning Councils will be determined by the pounds of aluminum cans recycled collectively as a council based on completed *Recycling Log/Verification Form* and/or receipts.
7. Verification forms must be fully completed and must have a recycling center verification stamp or authorized signature or you must send along copies of receipts or they will be void. Send all verification forms and/or receipts to: CMI, 1730 Rhode Island Ave, NW, Suite 1000, Washington, DC 20036, fax to 202/232-5756 or email jday@cancentral.com by May 15, 2014.
8. The top aluminum can recycling Councils will be crowned Champion and Reserve Champions along with plaques and checks (\$500 to the Champion Council and \$300 to the Reserve Champion) for scouting programs.
9. Boy and Girl Scout Units recycling the most beverage cans per capita from January 15 to April 30, 2012 win top honors and monetary awards totaling \$2,150 (1st place \$500; 2nd place \$300; 3rd place \$200; 4th place \$150, 5th place \$100 and 6th place \$100).
10. Winners will be notified by phone, mail or email and announced on World Environment Day, June 5. Chances of winning depend on the number of recycling entries. Names of winning Scout Units and Councils will be posted at www.cancentral.com/roundup or will be available by mailing a self-addressed stamped envelope to CMI GACR Scout Council Challenge at the address below.

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