# CREATE SCOUTING ADVENTURES WITH POPCORN!





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BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Follow along in the guide. The corresponding page will be shown in the upper right-hand corner of the slide.



# QUESTIONS

- 1. We'll be covering many common questions throughout the evening.
- 2. Use the chat feature and submit questions to Kyle Acus.
- 3. We'll have a short Q&A at the end.



# WHY SELL POPCORN





#### IN 2019, OVER \$730,000 WAS RETURNED TO UNITS THROUGH POPCORN.

Scouts fundraise to earn their own way in Scouting. Provides them the opportunity to fund their entire year in Scouting.

Provides units the funding needed to execute a successful program year.



Helps your local Scouting efforts grow.



# SET YOUR UNIT GOAL

Your Unit goal should be based on every Scout earning their Ideal Year of Scouting.

What is the Ideal Year of Scouting?

It's your Unit's calendar of Adventures and Events, such as Campouts, Day Trips, Blue & Gold, Pinewood Derby, Yearly Dues, and more!



# **HOW TO GET THERE**

3 easy steps and a few hours of commitment can get you there.

1. 3 nights around the neighborhood (5 sales per night =15 sales)	\$350
2. Scouts record online orders from family friends (Facebook family friends and out of town relatives = 15 sales)	\$350
3. One additional method (Storefront, parent's work, etc.)	\$100
Goal Achieved	\$800



# POPCORN DURING COVID-19

Many options and safe ways to sell this year.



**STRATEGY** 









# 2020 POPCORN RESOURCE PICKUP

Make sure to RSVP for a Popcorn (and JSN) material pickup event between July 28-30.

Sign-up for a time at:

www.danbeard.org/popcorn-rally-events





# **2020 POPCORN RESOURCES**







# **2020 POPCORN RESOURCE CENTER**

Please place your order by July 30 at <a href="https://www.danbeard.org/PopcornSupplies">www.danbeard.org/PopcornSupplies</a>





# **SALE CALENDAR**

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August

September

October

November

December

Organize

Plan Kickoff

Schedule Storefront

Pre-Sale

S&S Order

Conduct Kickoff

Distribution

Selling Time

Inventory Control

Track Progress

Transfer Nights

S&S Payment Due

> Place Final Order

Wrap Up Sale Details

Take Order Distribution

Distribute Orders

Submit Prize Orders

Final Payment Due

Prizes Distributed





# SALE DETAILS AND LOGISTICS



# **2020 NEW FEATURES OVERVIEW**



NEW TOOLS & SAFE OPTIONS FOR SELLING

**ONLINE ENHANCEMENTS** 

**APP ENHANCEMENTS** 

LEADER DASHBOARD ENHANCEMENTS



## MANY NEW OPTIONS AND SAFE WAYS TO SELL

#### ONLINE



Fundraise from the safety of home. **NEW!** All products available online.

#### DOOR-TO-DOOR



NEW DIRECT SHIPPING option on all orders. Use Door Hangers to stay socially distant.

#### CREDIT CARDS



for FREE! Contactless pay and
No card reader required!

#### **EARN BONUS POINTS**

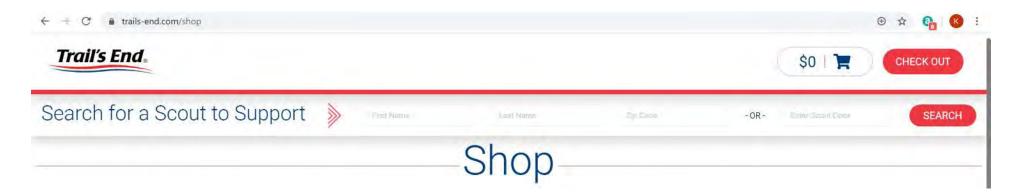


SAFE & EASY WAYS TO FUNDRAISE. Plus, earn bonus points for Amazon Gift Cards.

# BUILD YOUR SALE TO MEET YOUR UNIT'S NEEDS & THE NEEDS OF YOUR FAMILIES



# **ONLINE ENHANCEMENTS**

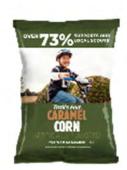


### ALL PRODUCTS AVAILABLE ONLINE THIS YEAR!











## **APP ENHANCEMENTS**



#### **NEW DIGITAL BENEFITS & ENHANCEMENTS**

- Faster checkout (From 9 to 4 clicks)
- New direct to consumer shipping option
- Record online orders from the app
- Sharable online cart via text so customer can enter shipping address and complete payment – great for social distancing!
- New undelivered logic for Wagon Sales

#### **PROVEN RESULTS**

- Used by 89% of Units in Dan Beard Council last year
- Over 10% growth for units that recorded more than 75% of sales in the app in 2019



## LEADER DASHBOARD

#### ONE EASY PLACE TO MANAGE YOUR FUNDRAISER



**Login at:** www.Trails-End.com with your Trail's End Leader account.

#### **NEW ENHANCEMENTS**

- Onscreen guides to help leaders learn Unit Leader Portal features
- Consolidated Scout table view to quickly manage orders, inventory, and storefront shifts
- Robust products table to easily view inventory at storefronts and with Scouts
- Ability to convert orders between Wagon to Storefront
- Ability to change the shift credited to a storefront order





# PRODUCT UPDATES

# COVID-19 MANUFACTURING CONCERNS





# **PRODUCT UPDATES**



**AVAILABLE** WITH DIRECT TO CONSUMER SHIPPING OR **ONLINE** 









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# **PRODUCT MIX**

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# PRODUCT MIX



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# **ONLY AVAILABLE WITH**



\$7.99 for first item \$0.99 for additional items No shipping fees on below Scout Delivery items.

#### Order these items directly through a Scout with the app or online at trails-end.com/shop!



**Chocolate Lover's Bundle** 

- Chocolatey Caramel Crunch™
- (2) Bags of Dark Chocolate Salted Caramels

Chocolatey Caramel Crunch" Sweet, crunchy caramel popcorn coated in

smooth, creamy chocolate.





#### **NEW! TWO BIG BAGS Cheese Lover's Collection**

· White Cheddar Popcorn · Blazin' Hot Popcorn

Contains Milk. Comes in a gift box.



Salted Caramel Popcorn

A unique combination of sweet caramel com with a perfectly balanced finish of sea salt. Contains Milk and Soy.



**NEW! BIG BAG** Blazin' Hot Popcorn

Bold and cheesy flavored popcorn with \$14.00 the perfect spicy zing in every bite.





The perfect combination of light, crispy popcom and rich white cheddar cheese deliciousness in Scouting every bite. Contains Milk.





Over Popping Corn Jar \$10.00 Trail's End plain kernels for those w Scouling like to make popcorn from scratch. Trail's End plain kernels for those who



A traditional favorite full of rich caramel Scouting flavor. Contains Say.



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HELP SEND POPCORN TO FIRST RESPONDERS
LOCAL FOOD PANTRIES
AND OHIO/KENTUCKY MILITARY SERVICEMEMBERS

#### **MILITARY DONATION LEVELS:**

Gold Donation Level: \$50

Silver Donation Level: \$30















# ORDERING POPCORN

# HOW TO MINIMIZE INVENTORY RISK





# ORDERING POPCORN

### TWO IMPORTANT ORDER DATES

August 12, 2020: Initial Show & Sell Order Due

October 14, 2020: Final Take Order Due

A detailed help guide will also be available online.



# RETURN POLICIES

Due to COVID-19, there will be no returns for the 2020 popcorn sale.

#### This is due to:

- 1) Units and customers prefer product directly from the manufacturer this year.
- 2) To protect volunteers and staff
- 3) To protect the warehouse



# POPCORN DISTRIBUTION

#### TWO IMPORTANT ORDER DATES

**Initial Order Pickup: September 4, 2020** 

Final Order Pickup: November 6, 2020

-Schedule your pickup time at your assigned district warehouse location on danbeard.org/popcorn.

- Let us know if you prefer a different warehouse pickup by August 12<sup>th</sup> when orders are do.

Volunteer Popcorn Picking Team (Sept. 3 & Nov. 5)

Email: <a href="mailto:popcorn@danbeard.org">popcorn@danbeard.org</a> or sign-up online.



# ORDERING MORE POPCORN

#### You can order additional product throughout the sale.

Make supplemental orders online through your leader dashboard in the popcorn system.

Orders should be submitted 48 hours in advance of warehouse day for it to be pre-pulled for pick up.

Pick up your additional product at the warehouse. Walk-ins are still welcome.



# **TRANSFERS**

Popcorn transfers are when one unit transfers product to another unit who is willing to accept that product.

#### **BEST PRACTICE: ONLINE TRANSFERS**

You can submit your transfer online from your leader dashboard on the popcorn system.

Or, use a 3 part carbon copy transfer slip to turn into the office for processing.



# PARTS TO THE SALE

#### **SHOW & SELL**

Scouts have the product with them for customers to purchase on the spot. Includes storefronts and door-to-door.

#### **TAKE ORDER**

Scouts take the order form to collect orders and deliver product at a future date.

#### **ONLINE**

Customers order from a Scout online and product is shipped directly to them.

#### **WAGON SALE**

A Trail's End term for any order collected by the Scout that isn't at a storefront or online.

#### **PRE-SALE**

New this year. Scouts and units could start selling July 1 and earn extra commission and prizes for online sales.



# SHOW & SELL | STOREFRONTS

You are welcome to setup storefronts anywhere except for Kroger.

Please consider the following safety suggestions:

- 1) Wear masks and follow local health guidelines
- 2) Consider operating from behind a table
- 3) Have hand sanitizer and wipes on hand
- 4) Consider a Bluetooth chip card reader
- 5) Setup product for easy purchase and pickup
- 6) Create a large sign with products
- 7) Maintain social distancing

# **DOOR TO DOOR**

Represents a Huge Opportunity

Safe and Effective

Encourage Scouts to commit to a certain number of evenings out selling or a number of sales around the neighborhood.





# SHOW & SELL | DOOR-TO-DOOR

Write in Name

Date



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Take to the state of the state	Salted Caramel Popcon Over \$18.00 to local Scouting. Quantity:
Cheese Lover's	
Collection Over \$25.00 to local Scouting. /	BOY SOOUTS OF AMERIC
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\$20	
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Fill in your order below. For all popour details, visit www.danbeard.org/ScoutPopcom.

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CITY	STATE ZIP
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	Your cart will be sent to you by tent for checkout.



## TAKE ORDER

Is a great way to sell this year that will help to minimize any inventory risk.

Collect orders, add them to the app, and send them to customers for easy payment and checkout.



## ONLINE





Share with friends and family and ask them to reshare. Send via email, text, social media



# **PRE-SALE**

- Uncertainty of COVID-19 return
- Run a Pre-Sale
   Take Order to help
   determine first order
   needs
  - Online unit bonus promotion





# **ACCOUNT SETTLEMENT**

Initial Show & Sell Payment Due: October 23, 2020

Final Payments Due: December 1, 2020

You may settle your account with Cash, Check, or Credit Card.



# ONE INTEGRATED SALE & SYSTEM COMMISSION

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Base Commission	29%
Attend a Popcorn Rally	+3%
and TE Webinar to get trained.	

Total = 32%

Online Commissions = 32%

\*Cash Prize Option (for Troops) +3%

# UNIT KERNEL RESOURCES



# TRAIL'S END WEBINAR TRAINING

#### **FINISH EARNING YOUR 3% BONUS COMMISSION**

## Webinars

Online Trainings To Make Your Fundraiser A Success

Attend the online Trail's End webinar trainings that helped units grow their fundraiser more than 11% in 2019!

Receive A \$20 Amazon.Com Gift Card When You Register By August 1\*

\*The first 5,000 units to register for a webinar by August 1 will receive a \$20 Amazon.com Gift Card (max 1 per unit). Attendance is required, Gift Cards will be emailed approximately one week after webinar attendance. Unit must have sold \$7,500 or more in 2019 to qualify.

LEADERS: Units with \$0 - \$7.5k in 2019 Sales



Audience: Popcorn Kernels (Sold \$0-\$7.5k+ in 2019)

LEADERS: Units with \$20k in 2019 Sales

Audience: Top Selling Popcorn Kernels (Sold \$20k+ in 2019)



LEADERS: Units with \$7.5k - \$20k in 2019

Audience: High Selling Popcorn Kernels (Sold \$7.5k-20k+

#### LEADERS: Units with \$0 - \$7.5k in 2019 Sales

Webinars for Popcorn Kernels from \$7.5k-\$20k High Selling Units. Webinar includes changes to the popcorn sale due to COVID-19, updates to Online Direct and social distance fundraising, and an overview of the App & Leader Portal changes. Length: 45 Minutes + Q&A

Audience: Popcorn Kernels (Sold \$0-\$7.5k+ in 2019)

DATE	DAY OF WEEK	TIME EST	
2020-08-05	Wednesday	03:30 PM	REGISTER
2020-08-05	Wednesday	06:30 PM	REGISTER

WEBINAR REGISTRATION AT: WWW.TRAILS-END.COM/WEBINARS

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# **UNIT BONUS LEVELS**

\$20,000 in sales	+2%
\$30,000 in sales	+3%
\$40,000 in sales	+4%
Potential Total	36%

<sup>\*</sup>Bonus levels not cumulative. % does apply to entire sale. Totals include online sales.



# STRATEGIES FOR A SUCCESSFUL SALE

TIPS FROM TOP SELLERS

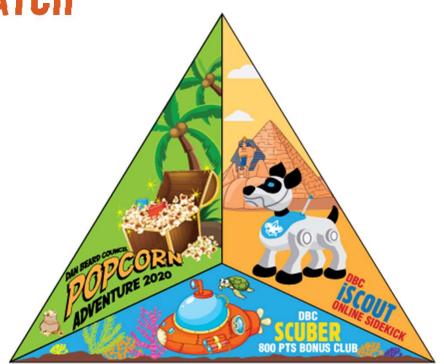


# **THEME**











# **UNIT POPCORN KICKOFF**

**MORE THAN A FUNDRAISER** 

PLAN YOUR PROGRAM YEAR AND SHARE IT WITH PARENTS.

-Pay for it all with popcorn.

#### **KEEP IT FUN. MOTIVATE SCOUTS & PARENTS.**

- Create fun unit incentives
- -Fun & Prizes for Scouts
- Why it's important and expectations for parents





#### VIRTUAL UNIT KICKOFF

#### YOU CAN STILL LAUNCH YOUR SALE VIRTUALLY

#### **KEEP IT FUN. DO A RAFFLE DRAWING LIVE.**

- You can still show Scouts prizes virtually.

#### **ENGAGE PARENTS**

- Explain to parents how they can safely participate in this year's sale, and the importance for the unit going forward.



#### **6+ HOUR SELLER**

This is meant to help you present the sale to parents.

The average Scout will cover their costs for the year if they sell approximately 6-8 hours. In a typical year, that's just 3 storefront shifts or a few nights out in the neighborhood.



### Successful Tips from Units

Bag "Ikea" Kits

How to get parents committed:

- Top Seller form
- Special party if 100%
- Special trip if...
- Annual Dues cost more if you don't participate
- Communicated as a expectation (our unit sells because)
- Guarantee x if sell for y hours

Pie in the face

Extra Unit Prizes

Special Drawings for completing something

Den prizes/contests

Huge unit kickoff



## Prize Program

2pts for every \$1 sold online.

1.5 pts for every sold via credit/debit

1 pt for ever \$1 sold as a cash sale.





# 800 Pt Bonus Club





#### **Bonus Club Prizes**



Reach these Bonus Club levels and win these awesome prizes in addition to the regular prize levels. \*See prize details online. Visit DanBeard.org/Popcorn to learn more.

All Bonus Prize Club Prizes are Cumulative.





In addition to a prize from the prize sheet, Scouts who get 800 points will get Sky Ripperz to create an aerial adventure!\*

#### **1,750 POINT CLUB**



Any Scout who gets 1,750 points will be eligible to attend our Top Seller Game Experience event.\* Event will be replaced with an Amazon gift card if event cannot be held.

#### 3.500 POINT CLUB



## TRIP TO RESIDENT CAMP

Any Scout who gets 3,500 points will receive a free trip of choice to DBC Day Camp, Resident Camp (Cub or Scouts BSA) or a \$75 Amazon Gift Card.\*



# UNIT KERNEL RESOURCES

#### POPCORN APP + LEADER DASHBOARD

# THE APP IS FOR SCOUTS AND FAMILIES



# THE LEADER DASHBOARD IS FOR KERNELS ONLINE





# UNIT KERNEL RESOURCES POPCORN APP + LEADER DASHBOARD



#### 4 Main Buttons:

Dashboard
Wagon Sales
Storefront Sales
Online Direct = an Online Sale

Get the App Quick Start Guide at: www.danbeard.org/popcorn-resources

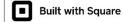


# UNIT KERNEL RESOURCES CREDIT CARDS & ONLINE SALES PROCESSING

#### **Benefits for units:**

- NO CREDIT CARD FEES (paid by Dan Beard Council & TE)
- Compatible with your Square readers. Make sure to process credit cards through the Popcorn App. If you use the square app, their will be a processing fee.





- Automatically communicates and tracks sales for prizes.
- Track inventory, storefronts, and up-to-date sales in one place.

#### **Benefits for Scouts:**

Every Scout can do credit card sales (increased sales).



# UNIT KERNEL RESOURCES ONLINE VIDEOS WITH TIPS & RESOURCES



#### **POPCORN TEAM TRAINING**

- Videos at danbeard.org/popcorn
- Developed by Team that sold \$190,000
- Everything you need for popcorn
- Focused on Show & Sell/Show & Deliver
- No login required; watch anytime

#### 24 VIDEOS (40 MINUTES)

- Team Building & Planning
- Ways to sell
- Show & Sell basics
- Booking locations
- Scheduling shifts
- Merchandising a table



# UNIT KERNEL RESOURCES SALE COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION

#### **E-NEWSLETTER**

- Weekly communications and notifications

**WEBSITE** 

www.danbeard.org/popcorn

**TEXT MESSAGE REMINDERS** 

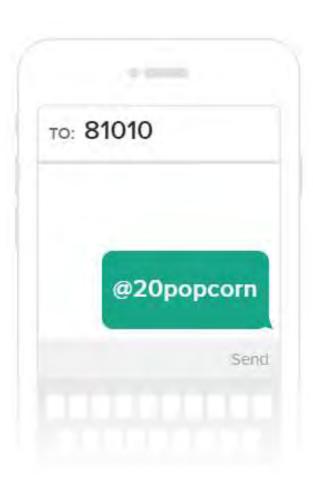


# UNIT KERNEL RESOURCES

#### **REMINDERS VIA TEXT MESSAGE**

- -Text @20popcorn to the number 81010 or signup online
- You'll receive a welcome text and may be asked to confirm you are over the age of 13.

Standard data and text message rates for your cell plan may apply.





# **FACEBOOK**

#### **ADVERTISING TO SUPPORT YOUR EFFORTS**

Paid Media Campaign promoting popcorn to aid your efforts throughout the sale.

#### **ENHANCED POPCORN FACEBOOK PAGE:**

facebook.com/DBCPopcornSale @DBCPopcornSale



# WRAP UP/NEXT STEPS

- 1. Pick-up supplies this week, and request any additional supplies.
- 2. Talk to unit about how you plan to sell and your goal
- 3. Product kits for door-to-door
- 4. Place your Show & Sell order (due by Aug. 12)
- 5. Prepare for your Kickoff
- 6. Have fun!