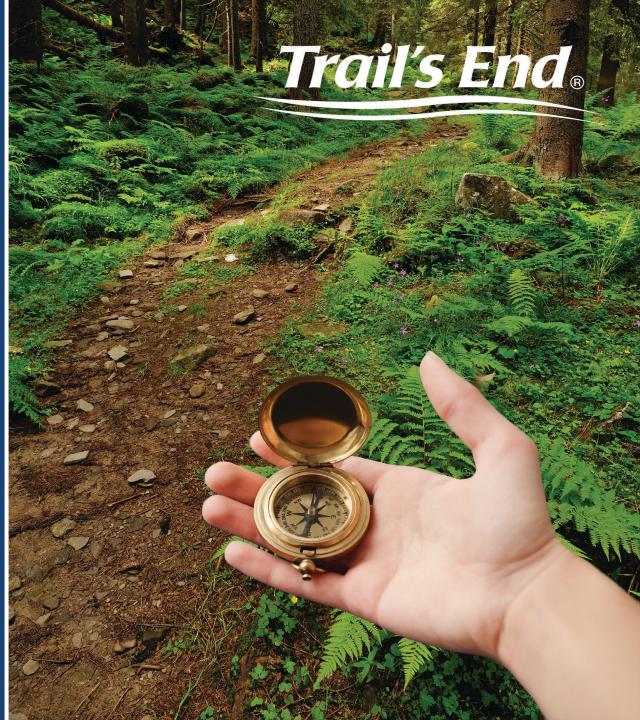
Troop 9 Popcorn Kickoff

Austin, TX August 29, 2021



WHY POPCORN?





- 70%+ Returned Locally
- Fund our unit's program
- Character development
- Awesome Rewards
- Improve our camps and council resources

OVER \$4 BILLION Returned SINCE 1980!

WHY POPCORN?





Popcorn Pays For...

- Campouts, Camp Upkeep & Adventures
- Annual Dues & Recharter
- Uniforms, Patches & Awards
- Unit Supplies & Equipment
- Pinewood, Blue & Gold & Court of Honor
- Lifelong Memories

They Learn...

- To Earn Their Own Way
- Public Speaking & Math Skills
- Salesmanship & Perseverance
- The Value of Hardwork
- To Help Others Around Them
- To Be Part of Something Bigger

POPCORN = PROGRAM



Fund Scouting related expenses and activities through Popcorn.

- Camping Trips
- Hikes
- High Adventure Trips

- Community Service
- & More!

TRAIL'S END REWARDS

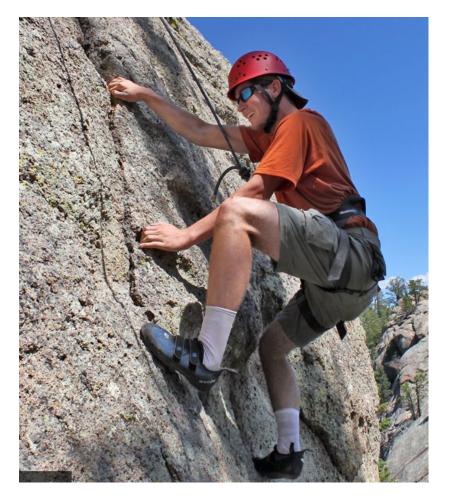




1/3 of each Scout's sales will be placed in an individual account for that Scout. Funds can be used for any Scouting activity including:

- Philmont
- Sea Base
- Lost Pines Camp
- Other high adventure trips





TRAIL'S END APP



The Trail's End App supports ALL the ways our unit sells:

- Online Direct
 - Share your Virtual Store Page
 - Record in-person sales in the App
- Wagon Sales
 - Door-to-Door
 - At your parents' workplace
 - Deliver now, or later
- Storefronts / Booths

Credit card fees are paid by Trail's End

Text APP to 62771 to download the Trail's End App



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TRAIL'S END APP

NEW in 2021!

- Faster, Simpler, Fewer Clicks
- AutoShare
 - Quickly share your Virtual Store to contacts in your phone
 - Share your Virtual Store to customers that ordered last year

Monthly Donation to American Heroes

- In addition to the one-time donation, Online Direct customers can now choose to support with a monthly donation to American Heroes
- Fund your entire year with just 5 sales of \$19+ monthly donations
- Recruit a Scout
 - Recruit friends and neighbors through the Trail's End App
 - The information will be sent to the Leaders & Council

Text **APPGUIDE** to **62771** to download the App Quick Start Guide





LET'S STOP & REGISTER



Text APP to 62771 to DOWNLOAD THE APP & START SELLING TODAY







ONE MINUTE to register your account!



Accept Debit & Credit Cards for FREE! No Reader Required. Each Scout Must Have a Registered Account. Same Email Can Be Used For Multiple Accounts.



Record ALL of Your Sales in the App, Even Take Order Sales!

TRAIL'S END REWARDS

Visit the App to Set Your Goal and See All Levels and Reward Ideas!

- Earn MORE points with Online Direct
- Bonus Rewards Challenges
- Choose the prize YOU want on Amazon.com
- Get prizes faster, delivered to your door







ONLINE DIRECT

Easiest & SAFEST Way for Scouts to Sell

- Scouts Earn MORE Points for TE Rewards
- Average Customer Order: Over \$65!
- Online Direct is Available Year-Round
- No Handling of Products or Cash for Scout or Unit
- New TE App Online Direct Features:
 - Take in-person Online Direct orders directly in the TE App
 - Text order to customer so they can complete the purchase on their phone
 - Monthly Gift to American Heroes: Fund your entire year with just 5 sales of \$19+ monthly donations
 - Generate a QR code to share with your customers
- Keep an eye out for App notifications about challenges throughout the year to earn BONUS POINTS



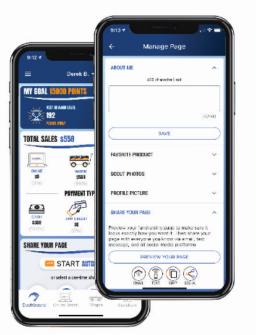


ONLINE DIRECT



HOW IT WORKS TWO WAYS CUSTOMERS ORDER ONLINE DIRECT

VIRTUAL STORE



- 1. Share your fundraising page via email, text, or social media
- 2. Customers click your link to place online orders
- 3. Products ship to your customers



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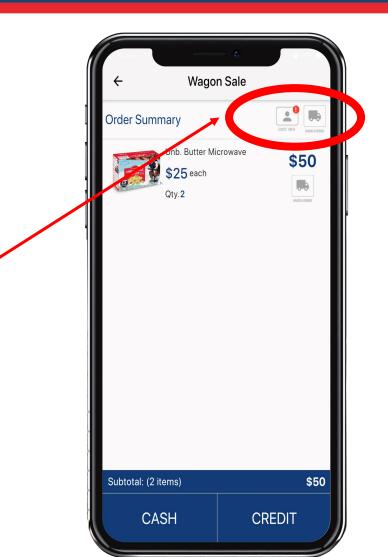
- 1. Record customer orders in the Trail's End App
- 2. Take payment (credit/debit only) *"Text to Pay" feature for socially distant payments!*
- 3. Products ship to your customers

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WAGON SALES

You can start taking orders now!

- Sell door-to-door
 - Visit 30 homes in your neighborhood
- Record ALL sales in the Trail's End App
 - Be sure to mark orders as Undelivered or -Delivered
 - **NEW:** Text order to customer to complete purchase on their phone to keep a social distance
- Sell to friends & family
- Ask parents to sell at work



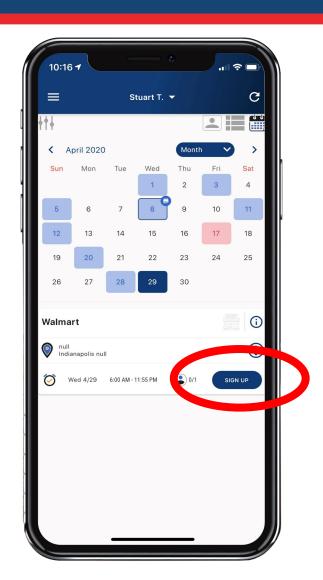


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STOREFRONTS

Sign up for storefront shifts!

- Sign up in the Trail's End App
- Record ALL sales in the Trail's End App
 - NEW: Text order to customer to complete purchase on their phone to keep a social distance
- Remember to tell customers, "We prefer credit/debit!"
 - Customers spent 27% more with credit cards versus cash in 2019

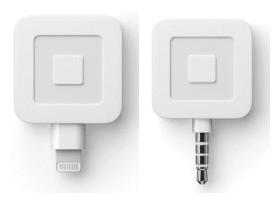




CREDIT / DEBIT







CREDIT SALES ARE BEST FOR SCOUTS TELL YOUR CUSTOMERS, "WE PREFER CREDIT/DEBIT" Trail's End pays for all credit card fees!

- **Bigger Rewards** Earn 1.5pts per \$1 sold in the Trail's End App
- Safer Scouts don't have to handle cash
- **Higher Sales** Customers spent 27% more with credit vs. cash in 2019
- Easier Parents turn in cash sales with credit/debit payments to the unit
- Hardware Scouts can accept credit/debit with Square readers or manual entry

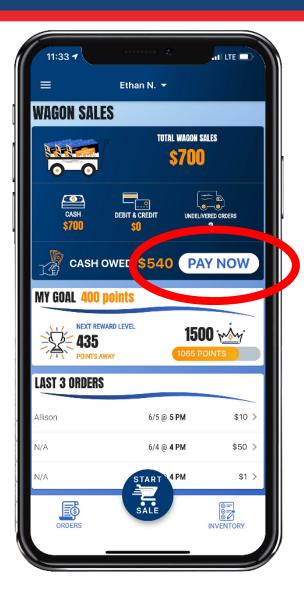
CREDIT / DEBIT



Turn in cash collected from Wagon Sales with a credit/debit payment to your unit.

- Navigate to Wagon Sales in the App
- Click PAY NOW
- Enter the payment amount
 - You don't have to pay the full amount at once
- Swipe your credit card or enter manually and keep the cash
- *"Pay Now" does not count as a credit sale towards Trail's End Rewards points*

No need to carry around cash until you see your Popcorn Kernel. Pay your unit through the app at your convenience!



3 Simple Steps to Success



- 1. Always wear your uniform and introduce yourself with a smile.
- 2. Practice your popcorn sales speech.
- 3. Always say "Thank You" even if the customer does not make a purchase.

Example Speech: *"Hi, my name is <Your Name>! I'm earning my way to summer camp. Can I count on your support? All of the popcorn is delicious, and you'll help fund many adventures in Scouting. If you don't have any cash, don't worry, I can take credit cards!"*

PRODUCTS - TRADITIONAL





DONATIONS



American Heroes Donation Program

When a customer purchases an American Heroes Donation, a portion of the purchase goes back to local kids and Trail's End sends delicious treats to first responders, military men and women, their families, and veteran organizations. Trail's End has teamed up with Soldiers' Angels to distribute the popcorn to VA Hospitals, National Guard units, and military bases across the country.

- Over \$66 million worth of popcorn has been donated to U.S. troops over the years
- In 2019, over 2,900 pallets of popcorn was shipped to 45 locations in 22 states

NEW in 2021: In addition to a one-time donation, customers now have the option to sign up for a monthly donation amount (minimum \$5)!



KEY DATES



Online Sales Door-to-Door/Wagon Storefront Sale In-person Sales End Online Sales End Now Sept. 11 Sept. 18 October 24 October 31

SUPPORT



CONTACT TRAIL'S END SUPPORT

JOIN OUR FACEBOOK GROUP

Text PARENTFB to 62771 to join

VISIT OUR WEBSITE

www.trails-end.com

EMAIL US: <u>support@trails-end.com</u>

NEED HELP? VISIT OUR FAQs: <u>https://support.trails-end.com</u>

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Let's Have a Great Fundraiser!

AMERICA'S POPCORN SALE - FUNDING ADVENTURES!

OVER \$4 BILLION BACK TO SCOUTING SINCE 1980

THANK YOU!

