



## Troop Numbers

New troop numbers have been assigned to ALL troops in Central and Western Massachusetts.

All troops will now be assigned a 5-digit number. The first digit is determined based on your previous council affiliation. Troops originally from Pioneer Valley Council are assigned the number 2 as their first number. The number 3 will become the first number for all troops originally from Montachusett Council and the number 4 for troops originally from Western Massachusetts Council. The 2, 3, or 4 will be followed by up to three 0's and then the original troop number as illustrated below:

If your council was:	If your number was:	It is now:	If your number was:	It is now:	If your number was:	It is now:	If your number was:	It is now:
Pioneer Valley	5	20005	55	20055	555	20555	5555	25555
Montachusett	5	30005	55	30055	555	30555	5555	35555
Western Massachusetts	5	40005	55	40055	555	40555	5555	45555

Please note that this new troop number should be used for all transactions from this point forward (Bank accounts, checks, program sign-up, membership registration, etc.). **HOWEVER**, girls don't have to wear the 5-digit number on their uniform! This is a troop's personal decision. Although girls do not need to wear the troop number on their uniforms, parents should be informed that this new troop number must be used for all individual transactions as well (program sign-up, camp, etc.).