

## Payment of Subscriptions

The preferred method of payment of subs is by Direct Debit. This will enable all the section leaders to spend more of their quality time with the young people instead of dealing with finances and paperwork.

We would ask parents to set up a direct debit / standing order/ fast payment with their bank to pay £ 10.00 per month and for this payment to go into our account by the 12<sup>th</sup> of every month, until your child leaves the group.

### **Our Bank details are:**

**Sort Code: 30-93-48**

**Account Name: 45<sup>th</sup> Gloucester (Abbeydale) Scout Group**

**Account Number:-02533439**

**REF: SUBS (Childs initial and surname)**

We do appreciate that this may not be an acceptable way of payment for everyone, the other option of paying is £40.00 per term (1<sup>st</sup> week of Sept, Jan, Apr) the first term will be adjusted to meet the young persons start date. Unfortunately subs are payable for **EVERY** meeting whether or not your child attends – this is due to the costs of renting the hall and insurance which is payable annually for each individual.

We use the 'Gift Aid' Scheme. Gift Aid is a scheme from HM Revenue & Customs that allows us to reclaim an extra 25 per cent on your donations made for the past four years as well as all future donations - without costing you a penny. This means that for every pound you donate to The Scout Association, we get an extra 25p. For more information on the internet you can go to <http://www.scouts.org.uk/supportresources/3565/gift-aid?cat=426,446,539> or <http://www.hmrc.gov.uk/individuals/giving/gift-aid.htm>

Please complete and return the tear off slip at the bottom of this letter to section leader  
Many thanks

Jo Martin  
Group Treasurer  
45<sup>th</sup> Gloucester (Abbeydale) Scout Group

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Please complete and return to your section leader

Name of young person: \_\_\_\_\_

Section: Beavers/Cubs/ Scouts: \_\_\_\_\_

( ) I have set up a direct debit with my bank to be paid on or before the 12<sup>th</sup> of every month

( ) I will pay £ 40.00 per term (September, January, April)

( ) I am a tax payer and have completed and returned a gift aid form

Signed (Parent/Guardian/Carer): \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_