#### FREE COMMUNITY CAR WASH NEEDS YOUR SPONSORSHIP

## **Troop 497 - 2024 CAR WASH**

# SUPPORT THE BOY SCOUTS ON JUNE 1st

Every year, Boy Scout Troop 497 holds a FREE community car wash on Church Lane, just off York Road in Cockeysville. There is absolutely NO COST for getting your car washed. To earn money for our troop activities and equipment, Scouts seek pledges of a few cents for each car washed during the six-hour event. On average, we wash about 500 cars — a pledge of 5 cents results in a \$25 pledge. Another way to help is a flat pledge of a few dollars for the Troop. All donations are tax deductible, as well as being a great way to help Boy Scouts in your area. **Please make all donations payable to the Parents Club of Troop 497**.

Be sure to bring your car by on Saturday, June 1<sup>st</sup> between 9 a.m. and 3 p.m. for a FREE soft-glove washing.

Rain Date: Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup>

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### **BUSINESS ADVERTISING**

#### HELP SUPPORT THE BOY SCOUTS

Troop 497 is holding its annual Car Wash on Saturday, June 1<sup>st</sup> between the hours of 9 a.m. and 3 p.m., and we need your help (Rain Date: Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup>). Every year, Boy Scout Troop 497 has a free community Car Wash (at St. Joseph's Church parking lot on Church Lane west of York Rd.) to raise funds for scouting programs throughout the year. In years past, we have just asked individual people for contributions to this cause. In an attempt to make the Car Wash more of a community affair, we started to ask businesses to sponsor our event. In exchange for this sponsorship, we agree to pass out appropriate advertising literature, coupons, free samples, etc. that the sponsor provides for distribution. All sponsors have their names shown on a Sponsor Banner at the start of the Car Wash. Every year, we get 500 to 600 cars that show up to be washed, so you will reach at least that many families with samples or coupons. The amounts that can be donated are \$50, \$100, \$150, and \$200. The corporate donations are based on the Boy Scout ranks:

- \$50-First Class Rank
- \$100 Star Rank
- \$150 Life Rank
- \$200-Eagle Rank

### Please make all donations payable to the Parents Club of Troop 497.

We would be glad to provide all sponsors with the appropriate receipts. Please contact me if you are interested in this opportunity, and please bring your own cars out for a free soft-cloth cleaning! Also, please encourage your patrons and employees to stop by for a free car wash!

Sincerely,

Scout Boy Scout Troop 497