

“SEVEN YEARS’ OLD, GOING ON EIGHTEEN

Read prior to recruiting new adult leadership.

As I look around the room tonight, I would guess that the average age of the youth would be about seven years old.

We know that as we all get older the time tends to slip away and goes by faster each year. Think for a moment how fast those seven years have gone by. We are always commenting on “How fast they grow up” and “Where does the time go?”

Your child is seven years old today. Before you know it, he or she will be eighteen and going off to college, moving away from home or joining the military.

With that said you have just a few short years to positively impact what type of young adult your child will turn out to be.

By coming this evening, your child is simply asking that you spend an average of three hours a week helping them have a fun experience in Scouting. Is that too much for a seven-year-old to ask?