

## **Change in Dates - Insurance Coverage**

In past years, our returning members have been covered by insurance until October 31, however, with our insurance renewal this year, that date has changed to September 30. New members (youth or adult) are not covered by our liability insurance until they are "active" in the Membership system.

For groups with registrars completing their own data entry, they are aware of this and are working to complete the task. In fact, many have already done so.

For groups not doing their own data entry, they will have received a package containing a large brown envelope asking them to send all forms directly to the National Processing Centre (a part of the National office) where the information will be entered into the membership system for them.

In order to meet the September 30 deadline, it is important that you ensure all of your application forms have been turned over to your group chair, registrar (or whoever has been designated to collect these forms) right away.

As I mentioned, group chairs and registrars have received a package with full details so please contact your group to find out who is collecting the forms for the group. If you have any questions, please contact Tena Boutilier at [boutilier@ns.scouts.ca](mailto:boutilier@ns.scouts.ca) or by phone at 1-800-Scouts-Now or 423-9227