Scouts Canada owns or leases approximately 550 properties across Canada, of which only a third—193—are in active use (roughly 1 property for every 320 members).

Less than 60% of the actively used properties meet current operational standards (i.e. do not have a plan for their operation, upkeep, annual safety inspections, etc.).

Of the 550 properties, they are roughly 50% owned and 50% leased.

Due to the limited window for usage (approx. 80 days/year) most camps are not able to cover their annual operating expenses; losses have historically been covered by historical Council reserves, Scout Foundations, government grants, individual donors, etc.

Most properties are not easily accessible for our members, which discourages regular use.

Camp usage is not regularly tracked at most properties, so we have little insight into which properties our members prefer.