

**TROOP 13 OF VIENNA
LEADERSHIP CONTRACT**

Leadership Position Description

Senior Patrol Leader

General Information Scout's Name: _____

Type: Elected by members of the Troop

Term: 12 months

Reports to: Scoutmaster

Description: The Senior Patrol Leader is elected by the Scouts to represent them as the top junior leader in the troop.

Comments: The Senior Patrol Leader is the focal point of the troop. He needs to attend as close to all troop functions as possible. One of the major parts of the SPL's job is to appoint other troop leaders. He must choose leaders who are able, not just his friends or other popular Scouts.

Qualifications

Age: none

Rank: Star or higher

Experience: Previous service as ASPL, PL or Quartermaster

Attendance: 80% over the next 12 months

Performance Requirements

Training: You must attend the troop Introduction to Leadership for Scouts and Troops Training even if you have attended in the past. Also, you must take IMPEESA (NYLT) during your tenure in office or have taken it prior to taking office. If this is not done, you can be relieved of your position by the Committee and Scoutmaster.

Attendance: You are expected to attend 80% of all troop meetings, Junior Leaders Council meetings, outings, and service projects. If your attendance is low, or if you have two unexcused absences in a row, you can be removed from office. You must call the Scoutmaster if you are not going to be at a meeting or if you suddenly must miss an outing.

Effort: You are expected to give this job your best effort.

Uniform: Set the example by wearing your uniform correctly. This means that you will wear all the parts of the troop uniform, shirttail tucked in, with all required badges in their correct locations.

Behavior: Set the example by living the Scout Oath, Scout Law, and Outdoor Code in your everyday life. Show Scout Spirit in everything you say and do.

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Bearing: Set the example by being an active Scout. Be on-time for meetings and activities. You also need to make sure that an Assistant Senior Patrol Leader or Patrol is ready to assume your responsibilities.

Specific Leadership Responsibilities

- Runs all troop meetings, events, activities, and the annual program planning conferences.
- Runs the Junior Leaders Council meeting.
- Appoints other troop junior leaders with the advice and counsel of the Scoutmaster.
- Assigns duties and responsibilities to junior leaders.
- Assists the Scoutmaster with Junior Leader Training.

Your Name: _____ Age: _____

Current Rank _____

Scouts Agreement: I have read the job descriptions for these positions. I understand the duties and responsibilities and if selected will carry them out to the best of my ability.

Signature/ Date

Parents Support Agreement: I agree with the commitment my son is making. I promise to support him in attending training, troop meetings, and troop activities as well as with encouragement at home. I realize that once selected his presence is necessary for the smooth functioning of the Troop.

Signature /Date