# **Outdoor Ethics Guide**

The Outdoor Ethics Guide specializes in teaching Leave No Trace and Tread

Lightly principles and ensures that the troop follows the principles of LNT and Tread Lightly on

all outings such as camping and other outdoor activities. He should have a thorough

understanding of and commitment to Leave No Trace and Tread Lightly!

***Qualifications:***

Elected by Troop

Tenderfoot Rank or higher

Term: Serves 6 consecutive months, not to exceed two executive terms

Term exceptions with Scoutmaster approval

**Reports to**: the ASPL, Leave No Trace Trainer / Master Educator and Scoutmaster

**Trained by:** Assistance Scoutmaster Leave No Trace Trainers or Master Educators

**Outdoor Ethics Guide duties:**

* Complete and pass online Leave No Trace training and/or Tread Lightly Training
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* Ideally, completed Camping and Environmental MB
* Communicate and respond in a timely manner with Scouts and Troop Leadership
* Arrive 10 minutes before the start of troop meetings.
* Attend Patrol Leaders Council.
* Help minimize impact on the land by teaching Troop members LNT principles and improving scouts outdoors
* Participate in the Troop campout and troop activity planning meeting to incorporate LNT
* Strive to earn the BSA Outdoor Ethics Award and help other scouts earn the Youth Outdoor Ethics Award
* Work with the Leave No Trace Trainers to develop skills training programs
* Participate in outings. Attendance expectation 65%
* Attend troop meetings. Attendance expectation 65%
* Set a good example.
* Wear the field uniform (class A) correctly to all regular troop meetings and religious services.
* Wear the activity uniform (class B t-shirt) to all outings and other troop activities.
* Live by the Scout Oath and Law.
* Show Scout spirit.

