**Patrol Leader**

Patrol Leader leads the Patrol

# Qualifications:

* Elected by the member of the Patrol
* Term: Serves 6 consecutive months, not to exceed two executive terms
* Term exceptions with Scoutmaster approval

**Reports to:** SPL, Assistant Scoutmaster for Patrol and Scoutmaster

**Trained By**: The Assistant Scoutmaster for Patrol (or by the Troop Guide and Assistant Scoutmaster for New Scouts if this is a new scout patrol)

***Patrol Leader duties:***

* Leads patrol during meetings and activities.
* Help patrol members succeed in their assigned duties and prepares the patrol to take part in all troop activities.
* Arrive 10 minutes before the start of troop and PLC meetings.
* Communicate and respond in a timely manner with Scouts and Troop Leadership
* Appoints the Assistant Patrol Leader/Patrol Quartermaster
* Represents the patrol at the PLC as a voting member.
* Helps Scouts advance.
* Keeps patrol members informed.
* Utilizes Patrol Binders to track and organize the Patrol
* Communicates and responds in a timely manner
* Reports to SPL for Troop events & patrol activities and PLC.
* Plans transportation needs for the Patrol and reports information to SPL
* Knows what his patrol members’ strengths are.
* Makes sure patrol flags are prepared for patrol and troop activities.
* Builds Scout spirit for patrol members.
* Sees that patrol tents, equipment, and the area around the tents are kept neat, clean, and orderly.
* Make sure Assistant Patrol Leader attends any meeting/activity he will not be able to attend.
* Participate in outings. Attendance expectation 80%
* Attend troop meetings. Attendance expectation 80%
* Work with other troop leaders to make the troop run well.
* 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.

Scout Signature : \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_