



Troop 97 Leadership Card

Troop Guide

Candidate Name: _____

Patrol: _____

Term Start Date: February through January

Job Description: The Troop Guide is the youth responsible in assisting the New Scout Patrol during their first year of membership within the unit, not only by helping them get acquainted to how the troop operates, but also help teach them the skills they need to advance in rank.

Term Limits: A youth may only serve two total terms (six months each) as Troop Guide

Filled By: Appointment by Senior Patrol Leader

Leadership Position Coordinator(s): Assistant Scoutmaster of New Scout Patrol

Pre-Requisites to Nomination:

1. Must be at least the rank of First Class Scout at time of appointment
2. Ideally have served as a Patrol Leader for at least one term
3. Must have this form filled out in totality, and turned-in to the PLC Advisor prior to election

Duties and Responsibilities:

1. Introduces new scouts to how the troop operates
2. Assist new scouts in advancing in rank, teaching them skills up to the First Class rank utilizing the EDGE Method
3. Assists the New Scout Patrol's Patrol Leader in how to conduct their duties as such, including attending PLC meetings with them
4. Attends at least 75% of scheduled regular troop meetings*
5. Attends at least 75% of scheduled Patrol Leaders' Council meetings*
6. Attends at least 50% of scheduled troop outings*
7. Attends the program planning meeting ("Big PLC") on _____ * **
8. Lives by the Scout Oath and Law
9. Displays outstanding and contagious Scout Spirit
10. Wears the Scout Uniform correctly and when required

After your term has concluded, the Leadership Position Coordinator(s) will determine if you have successfully completed your duties in office, which will determine the applicability of this role for rank advancement.

Please Sign Accordingly in the Appropriate Areas:

As Troop Guide, I understand and accept responsibility for the aforementioned duties of office.

If cannot fulfill, timely notice **must be given to the Scoutmaster and/or PLC Advisor with a viable reasoning*

*** Typically 1-2 weekends after elections. See Scoutmaster or PLC Advisor for date*

_____ (sign and date)

As the parent of the Troop Guide, I agree with the commitment my scout is making and promise to support them in their duties (meetings, trainings, etc.)

_____ (sign and date)

As Assistant Scoutmaster, I will assist you in successfully carrying out your duties as Troop Guide

_____ (sign and date)