

TROOP 555 LEADERSHIP CONTRACT: DEN CHIEF

Scout Name: _____

Patrol: _____

Term Start: _____ Term End: _____

Job Description: The den chief works with the Cub Scouts, Webelos Scouts, and Den Leaders in the Cub Scout pack. He reports to the den leader in the pack and the Scoutmaster in the troop.

GENERAL EXPECTATIONS:

1. **Attendance:** You are expected to attend most Troop meetings, outings and service projects. You are required to attend at least 75% of Den Meetings.
2. **Effort:** You are expected to give this job your best effort. Do your advance work, to always Be Prepared.
3. **Uniform:** Set the example by wearing your uniform correctly and with pride at Scout activities. This means to wear the Class 'A' shirt, neckerchief with slide, BSA belt, and as many more uniform parts as possible; shirttail tucked in, with all required insignia in the correct locations. Wear Class 'B' shirt when Class 'A' is not appropriate. Wear your Merit Badge sash to all Courts of Honor, to Scout Mass, and other formal occasions.
4. **Behavior:** Set the example by living the Scout Oath and Law in your everyday life. Show Scout Spirit and reverence in everything you say and do.
5. **Troop Growth:** Recruit and welcome new Scouts into the Troop and help them to fit in. Encourage the Cub Scouts to participate in Boy Scout activities and their advancement.

SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES

All requirements must be completed to receive full leadership credit; Scoutmaster, ASM, or where designated, another Junior Leader may sign. Keep a folder with this contract and the required items listed below.

- | | Date/Initial |
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| > Within three weeks of the beginning of your term, update your uniform with the appropriate POR insignia. | _____ |
| > At the end of your term, remove the POR insignia from your uniform. | _____ |
| > Briefed on duties and responsibilities: | _____ |
| > Enthusiastically wear the Scout uniform as described above. | _____ |
| > Complete Den Chief Training: | _____ |

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> Attend 75% of Den meeting (Den Leader) _____

Record Dates and Activities of Den Meetings:

Date	Activity
_____	_____
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> Perform duties and lead activities as assigned by Den Leader _____

Examples:

> Write at least 1 article for the Newsletter on Den activities (scribe) _____

Date: _____

> Obtain written evaluation from assigned Den Leader on your performance and period of duty: _____

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Den Leader Comments:

> At end of your term, write 3 things you think you did well and 3 lessons you learned. Review this with Scoutmaster and with your successor in office: _____

Three things I did well:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Three things I learned:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

Reviewed with successor:

Date: _____ Scout: _____

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What suggestions do you have to make this contract better?

APPROVALS

Scout's contract-acceptance signature

date (start of term)

Scoutmaster Signature
date (end of term)

date (end of term)