



Troop 29 Goals and Objectives 2017 / 2018

1. Meetings.

- a. We will adopt a structured meeting format to make weekly troop meetings more interesting.

Weekly Troop Meeting Plan

Timing	Activity	Responsibility
6:55 – 7:05	Pre-Meeting Gathering Activity	Service Patrol
7:05 – 7:10	Opening <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Flags Oath/Law/Code Patrol Leader Reports Announcements 	SPL
7:10 – 7:25	Group Skill Instruction	Advancement Guides
7:25 – 7:45	Service Patrol Presentation	Service Patrol
7:45 – 8:05	Patrol Meetings	PL's
8:05 – 8:15	Game	Service Patrol
8:15 – 8:30	Closing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Final Announcements Scout Ideal Minute Closing prayer Scoutmaster Minute 	SPL Service Patrol Chaplain's Aid Scoutmaster
8:30 – 8:35	Post Meeting recap	SPL & Scoutmaster

2. Uniforms

- a. We will all wear nametags.
- b. PL will inspect uniforms during assembly at beginning of meeting and report to ASPL for the Spirit Meter

3. Advancement

- a. A Troop Guide responsible for 'advancement' be developed and will lead the weekly group skill instruction at the weekly meeting.

4. Patrols

- a. Patrol Leader will inquire why scouts are not attending meetings and report to the PLC
- b. Patrols will have a full slate of patrol warrant officers including: PL, APL, QM, CA, S, Service, Advancement
- c. Patrols will take responsibility for updating contact and advancement information in TroopMaster.
- d. Patrol leader will report on attendance and uniform at weekly troop meeting.

- e. Patrol scribe will distribute minutes from weekly patrol meeting electronically to all members weekly.
- f. Standing patrols will have 90% of their members reach 1st class by the end of a scouts 2nd year.
- g. Patrols will be encouraged to develop 4 sets of standard camping meal plans which they will rotate to save time. Sharing plans across patrols is highly encouraged.
- h. Service Patrol Planning
 - i. 90% of Service Patrol will attend activity
 - ii. Service Patrol will submit plans for 4 weeks of participation/games/experts at the PLC prior to their assigned program month.
 - iii. Service Patrol will present Ideal Minute 4x/month during meeting time which they see as appropriate
 - iv. Once a month the service patrol will invite a MBC for monthly MB to speak during Will incorporate Merit Badge requirements at presentation

5. Camping

- a. Average Troop Camping attendance will be 55%.
- b. PL will encourage following the Chain of Command in patrol members -> PL, ASPL, SPL, SM.

6. Leadership:

- a. Patrol leaders will be evaluated on their performance at the same time warrant officers are evaluated.
- b. The PLC will regularly track progress toward goals.
- c. Outgoing PLC will ensure smooth transfer of power to incoming PLC
- d. ILST training during the first month of PLC – SM and SPL

7. Goal tracking

- a. Spirit Meter rules will be published on the website
- b. Totem Poles will be reorganized once every month based on the results of the Spirit Meter.

8. Pack Relationships

- a. Troop will maintain 6 Den Chiefs and encourage training and interest in scouts