



Troop 608 Leadership Position Description

TROOP HISTORIAN

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Type: Appointed by the Senior Patrol Leader
- Term: 6 months
- Reports to: Assistant Senior Patrol Leader
- Description: The Troop Historian keeps a historical record or scrapbook of troop activities.
- Comments: The true value of a good Historian does not show up until years later. The Historian provides material for displays and presentations of current activities. In addition, the work of the Historian provides a link with the past. This position can be used for Star, Life or Eagle advancement.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Age: None
- Rank: None
- Experience: None, but interest in photography is helpful
- Attendance: 50% over previous 6 months

GENERAL LEADERSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES

- Uniform: Set the example by wearing your uniform correctly. This means that you will wear all of the parts of the troop uniform, shirttail tucked in, with all required badges in their correct locations.
- Behavior: Set the example by living the Scout Oath and Law in your everyday life. Show Scout Spirit in everything you say and do.
- Attendance: Set the example by being an active Scout. Be on-time for meetings and activities. You must contact the Senior Patrol Leader or Scoutmaster if you are not going to be at a meeting or if you suddenly have to miss an outing. You also need to make sure that someone is ready to assume your responsibilities.

SPECIFIC LEADERSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES

- Encourages documenting events as they are happening through photographs and journals.
- Helps collect and display event documents for presentation at Court of Honors.
- Takes care of troop trophies, ribbons, and souvenirs of troop activities.
- Keeps information about former members of the troop.
- Gathers pictures and facts about past troop activities and keeps them in a historical file or scrapbook.