



JPL Troop 509
Leadership Position Description

LEAVE NO TRACE TRAINER

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Position:** Appointed by the scoutmaster
Term: 12 months
Reports to: Scoutmaster
Role: The Leave No Trace trainer specializes in teaching Leave No Trace principles and ensuring that the troop follows these principles on outings. He can also help scouts earn the Leave No Trace award.
Comments: To be a good Leave No Trace trainer, you need to have completed Leave No Trace training and earned the camping and environmental science merit badges, and have a thorough understanding of and commitment to Leave No Trace.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Age:** 12 or older
Rank: First Class rank or higher
Experience: none
Attendance: 50% over the previous six months

PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- Training:** You must attend the Introduction to Leadership Skills for Troops even if you have attended in the past.
Attendance: You are expected to attend 60% of all troop meetings, Troop Leadership Corps (TLC) meetings, outings, and service projects. If your attendance is low, or if you have three unexcused absences in a row, you can be removed from office.
Effort: When you accept this position, you agree to provide service and leadership to the troop. You are expected to give this job your best effort.

GENERAL LEADERSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES

- Uniform:** Set a good example by wearing your uniform correctly. Wear all of the parts of the troop uniform, shirt tucked in, with all required badges in their correct locations.
Behavior: Set a good example by living the scout oath and law in your everyday life. Show scout spirit in everything you say and do.
Attendance: Set a good 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. You also need to make sure that someone will assume your responsibilities when you are temporarily unable to carry out your duties.

SPECIFIC LEADERSHIP RESPONSIBILITIES

- Set a GOOD EXAMPLE (the most powerful form of leadership).
- Serve as an active member of the TLC.
- Teach Leave No Trace principles at troop meetings when requested.
- Teach Leave No Trace principles at outings.
- Ensure the troop follows Leave No Trace principles on outings.