

Troop 354 – Leadership Position Guide

Position: *Patrol Leader*



Description: The Patrol Leader (PL) is responsible for leading and supporting their assigned patrol, acting as the primary point of contact between their patrol members and the rest of the troop. This leadership role involves planning and organizing patrol meetings, delegating tasks, and ensuring that all patrol members are actively participating in troop activities. The PL also represents the patrol during Patrol Leaders' Council (PLC) meetings, where they share feedback, contribute ideas, and help plan troop-wide events. As a leader, the Patrol Leader sets an example for their patrol by living the Scout Oath and Law, promoting teamwork and Scout spirit, and ensuring the patrol is prepared and motivated. By developing leadership, communication, and problem-solving skills, the PL plays a crucial role in the success of both the patrol and the troop.

Responsibilities:

- organize patrol meetings, delegate tasks, and ensure active participation of patrol members in troop activities
- guide patrol members in rank advancement, merit badges, duty rosters, etc.
- serve as a member of the Patrol Leaders' Council (PLC)
- set a good example by wearing the full Scout uniform, living by the Scout Oath and Law, and showing Scout spirit

Patrol Members:	Position (if applicable)
	Patrol Leader
	Assistant Patrol Leader