



## **TROOP 2**

### **Den Chief**

#### **General Information**

- Type - Appointed by Scoutmaster
- Term - 1 cub year, 9 months
- Reports to - The Den Chief works with the Cub Scouts, Weblo Scouts, and Den Leaders in the Cub scout pack
- Description - The Den Chief provides scout skills and leadership to cub scouts at their den meetings.
- Comments - The Den Chief provides knowledge of games and scout skills that many Den Leaders lack. The Den Chief is also a recruiter of the troop. This function is important because no troop can thrive without new members and most new members and most new scouts come from Cub Scouts.

#### **Qualifications**

- Age - 13
- Rank - 1<sup>st</sup> Class
- Experience - none
- Attendance - Must have had attendance of 50% in the previous 12 months

#### **Performance requirements**

- Training - Attend troop Junior Leader Training and Den Chief training
- Attendance - You are expected to attend 75% of all troop meetings, Patrol Leaders Meetings, outings, campouts and service projects. In regards to the attendance of the Den meetings, you are required to attend 90% of all den meetings. If your attendance is low, or if you have 3 unexcused absences in a row, you can be removed from this position
- Effort - You are expected to give this position your best effort.

#### **General leadership responsibilities**

- Uniform - Set the example by wearing the full scout uniform correctly.
- 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 an example by being an active scout. Be on time for meetings and activities. You must call the senior patrol leader if you are going to be absent for an outing and attempt to find someone to assume your responsibilities.

#### **Specific leadership responsibilities**

- Knows the purpose of Cub Scouting
- Helps Cub Scouts advance through Cub Scout ranks
- Encourage Cub Scouts to join a Boy Scout troop upon graduation from Cub Scouts
- Assists with the activities in the Den meetings
- Helps out at weekly Den meetings and monthly pack meetings
- Meets with adult members of the Den, pack, and troop as necessary



## Troop 2 Application for Leadership Position

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Rank \_\_\_\_\_ Current position \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Attendance record: Meetings \_\_\_\_\_ Campouts \_\_\_\_\_

Position being applied for \_\_\_\_\_

Why do you want this job? \_\_\_\_\_

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**Scouts agreement:** I have read the job description for this position. I understand the duties and responsibilities and if selected will carry them out as outlined in the position description.

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Scout Signature

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Date

**Parents agreement:** I have read the job description that my son is applying for. I will support my son in his required attendance. I understand that once in this position, my sons presence is needed for the performance of the troop and to get credit for his term of office.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Scoutmaster

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Advancement Chair