

Troop 80

2012 Goals and Objectives

Advancement

1. **Initial Rank Advancement** – All active scouts should achieve their 1st class rank within one year. Patrol meetings will help to focus on advancement.
2. **Meeting Attendance** – Scouts are expected to attend 75% of troop meetings. (see participation guidelines)
3. **Merit Badge College** – The troop will participate in the council merit badge college again this year.
4. **CPR** – 3/4 of the troop scouts and leaders will maintain a valid CPR certification. CPR Training will be offered in a troop meeting early in the year.
5. **Merit Badges in Troop Meetings** – We will offer at least one merit badge during troop meetings.

Outdoor Program

1. **Summer Camp** – The troop will participate in a week of summer camp this year.
2. **Camping** – The troop will have at least 14 nights of camping this year.
3. **High/Special Adventure** – The troop will participate in at least one special adventure outing this year.

Leadership

1. **Order of the Arrow** – The troop will participate in order of the arrow this year.
2. **Scout Leadership Elections** – Elections for troop leadership positions will be held every six months.
3. **Scout Leadership Expectations** – Scouts in leadership positions will be expected to fulfill their positions as described in the Scout Handbook.
4. **Adult Leadership Expectations** – Adult leaders will act as consultants.
5. **Patrol Leader Council** – The patrol leader council will meet monthly to set troop direction and plan for upcoming troop activities. Sr. Patrol leader will also perform the annual planning and will address issues regarding troop policy.
6. **Quality Unit Awards** – The troop / patrols will participate in the National Quality Unit Award and National Camping Award.

Service

1. **Service Activities** – The troop will organize at least 6 service events for approximately 12 hours. Some activities must benefit our chartering organization.
2. **Scouting for Food** – We will participate in the scouting for food program.
3. **Scout Sunday** – Participate in Scout Sunday this year.

Fund Raising

1. **Christmas Tree Sale** - The troop will work with the Pack to run the Christmas tree sale again this year.
2. **Individual Fund Raising (e.g. Popcorn)** – Scouts will have the option to participate individually in fund raising events such as the popcorn sale. Money earned will be set aside for that scout to pay for troop activities.

Recruiting

1. **Recruiting Events** – Hold and participate in at least two recruiting events this year.
2. **Inactive Scouts** – Active scouts follow up with scouts with less than 50% meeting attendance over a two month period to encourage them to re-join keeping attrition low.
3. **Webelos Recruitment** – The troop will actively recruit perspective Webelos by selecting one or two target packs to include in troop activities.