

BROWNSEA II

LEADERSHIP TRAINING PROGRAM



What is Brownsea? It is a unique and exciting hands on approach designed to teach youth leadership skills through the actual practice and use of Scout Skills. Skills most closely concentrated on are camping, hiking, nature study, pioneering, and cooking.

This course closely parallels the first Scout camp conducted by Lord Baden Powell in 1907. This program places special emphasis on Scout skills, teaching and practice; the purpose of Scouting; and the role of the patrol method within the troop program. It is not done by classroom lecture, but rather by programs of skill, leadership exercise, and patrol competition. Scouts who complete the program will have a better awareness of their own strengths and weaknesses for their personal leadership styles.

COURSE: Sunday June 28, 2020 (12:00 Noon) through Saturday, July 4, 2020 at New England Base Camp, Milton, MA.

LEADERSHIP STAFF: A specially selected staff of junior leaders who have completed the course themselves and Scouters trained in the program will guide and direct the program. Mr. Ken Reardon, Brownsea Staff Member for over 30 years, will serve as Brownsea Scoutmaster.

TROOP: The Brownsea Scouts will sleep in tents prepare their own meals by the patrol method and will be expected to live and act as First Class Scouts. The Brownsea Troop is set at 40 scouts.

REQUIREMENTS: All Scouts need to be First Class or above and have attended a one-week summer camp experience. Ages should be between 13-16 years old. We are looking for those Scouts that will be the future leaders of their home troops.

PRE-TRAINING: Once accepted, the Scouts and Troop leader/parent will be required to attend a Brownsea meeting in May/June 2020. Specific questions will be answered at this meeting and a skill assessment of Scout needs will be given.

COST: The cost is \$475 per Scout. Since this training experience greatly benefits the home unit it is suggesting that the troop pay all or part of the fee. This is a Specialty week be sure to take advantage of the 20% Adventure Card discount.

APPLICATIONS: Applications may be downloaded from the council website or received via email from Ken Reardon. The Scout, Scoutmaster, and parent should fill out the appropriate sections prior to submission. Submit completed application to Ken Reardon at KenReardon22@gmail.com The limit of learners per home troop is set at two Scouts. If the home troop wishes to submit additional learners to be placed on a waiting list.

DEADLINE: To reserve your place, applications and deposit must be submitted by April 15 2020. Balance of fee due by June 1, 2020. If balance is not met, forfeiture of space and deposit can result. All requests for refunds must be made in writing prior to the beginning of the course and submitted to the council office.

QUESTIONS: Contact Scoutmaster, Mr. Kenneth Reardon Jr. via email to KenReardon22@gmail.com

DON'T LET YOUR YOUTH LEADERS MISS OUT ON THIS AMAZING LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE!

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Personal Equipment List

An up-to-date official Scouting Personal Health and Medical Form signed by parent/guardian and doctor
(Health forms are available at <http://www.scoutspirit.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/Camp-Health-Form.pdf>)

UNIFORMS

1-2 Scout Shirts
2-3 Pairs of Scout knee socks
1-2 Scout shorts
1 six foot stave (walking stick)
Hiking Boots (not sneakers)
Scout Belt

CLOTHING

1 pair long pants
Windbreaker jacket
T-shirt (for seven days)
Swim suit
1 pair sneakers
Sweatshirt
Underwear (for seven days)
Socks for the week
Sleeping clothes

CAMPING GEAR

Frame style backpack
Compass
Knife, spoon, fork (marked)
Bug repellent
Scout Handbook
Poncho/raincoat
Pillow
3-ring notebook w/ paper
Watch
Ground cloth
Work Gloves

Folding pocketknife
Canteen
Mess kit (Bowl, cup, dish – Marked)
Mosquito netting w/posts
Clothes bag
Flashlight w/extra batteries
Pen/pencils
Sleeping bag
Extra light blanket (if needed)
Laundry bag

TOILETRIES

1-2 Towels
Soap bar w/ container
Toothbrush and paste
Deodorant
Face cloth
1 roll toilet paper
Shampoo
Comb or hairbrush

OTHER ITEMS

50 feet of clothesline
Camera/film (optional)
Duct tape
Scout neckerchief or bandana
Picture money \$10-15
Sunglasses
Sunscreen/block
Spending money (optional)

One set of 22 Brownsea numbers will be provided. More can purchased at the scout shop.
All items should fit inside a backpack and small duffel bag if needed. NO footlockers.

Items not permitted: Sheath knives, aerosol bug spray and anything that requires batteries other than a flashlight and wristwatch (including but not limited to cell phones, radios, TV's, walkmen, iPods, etc)

BROWNSEA DOUBLE-TWO APPLICATION

Please Print

NAME _____ BIRTHDATE _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY/TOWN _____

STATE _____ ZIP _____ TELEPHONE NUMBER _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS (Scout) _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS (Parent) _____

HEIGHT _____ WEIGHT _____ RELIGIOUS PREFERENCE _____

TROOP _____ DISTRICT _____ COUNCIL _____

PRESENT RANK _____ PRESENT LEADERSHIP POSITION _____
(Note: Must be 1st Class Scout before course begins or Scoutmaster grants special permission)

SUMMER CAMP WEEKS COMPLETED _____ CAMP NAME _____

PREVIOUS LEADERSHIP COURSES TAKEN _____

I hereby approve this application and my scout's participation the Brownsea Course.

(Signed) Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

DEPOSIT RECEIVED: _____ DATE RECEIVED _____ ASSIGNED SPACE NUMBER _____

RETURN THIS FULL APPLICATION as soon as possible (by the deadline) to:
Brownsea Course, Spirit of Adventure Council, 2 Tower Office Park, Woburn, MA 01801

BROWNSEA DOUBLE-TWO

EMERGENCY INFORMATION

Last Name _____ First _____ Middle _____ Troop _____

Home phone (____) _____

To enable us to act effectively in any emergency, please COMPLETE this form and return it with the application. Be sure all telephone numbers are completed. THIS DOES NOT REPLACE THE REQUIRED CAMP PHYSICAL FORM DUE AT THE PREMEETING HELD IN JUNE.

EYE COLOR _____ HAIR COLOR _____ HEIGHT _____ WEIGHT _____

In case we, the parents, cannot be reached:

PHYSICIAN _____ TEL _____

ADDRESS _____

DENTIST _____ TEL _____

ADDRESS _____

NEIGHBOR/RELATIVE:

1. _____ TEL _____

ADDRESS _____

2. _____ TEL _____

ADDRESS _____

Please list any food, religious, or health needs that we need to be aware of (allergies, illness, medications or any restrictions):

Contact lens: Yes ___ No ___ Glasses: Yes ___ No ___ Epi-pen _____ Swimming Ability _____

Father/Guardian Address (if different) Telephone

Father/Guardian's place of employment Address Telephone

Mother/Guardian Address (if different) Telephone

Mother/Guardian's place of employment Address Telephone

I give permission for the camp nurse or medical person to give my son acetaminophen (non-aspirin) Yes ___ No ___
The undersigned certifies that the information on this sheet is correct and up-to-date.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

BROWNSEA DOUBLE-TWO

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE SCOUTMASTER

SCOUT	UNIT				
	Excellent	Strong	Average	Weak	Not Observed
Involvement in Your Troop					
Leadership Exhibited					
Community Involvement					
Maturity toward Peers					
Maturity toward Adult Leaders					
Peer Relationship					
Camping Skills					
Compass Skills					
Knot Skills					
Wood Tools Skills					
Cooking Skills					
Punctuality					
Proper Uniforming					

Please comment on his Scouting advancement progress, summer camp experiences, and any strengths/weaknesses.

Based on what you know about the Brownsea program, what do you expect him to learn or achieve through the course?

I am happy to endorse this application and recommend this scout for participation in the Brownsea Course.

(Signed) Scoutmaster _____ Date _____

Scoutmaster Name (Print) _____ Troop Number _____

Address _____ City _____ St. ____ Zip _____

Phone Number: _____ Cell Number: _____ E-Mail: _____

BROWNSEA DOUBLE-TWO

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE SCOUT APPLICANT

SCOUT	UNIT				
	Excellent	Strong	Average	Weak	Not Observed
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Please comment on your Scouting advancement progress, summer camp experiences, and any strengths/weaknesses.

Based on what you know about the Brownsea program, what do you expect to learn or achieve through the course?

I recognize that by participating in Brownsea Double-Two, I incur a leadership responsibility to my troop during the coming year. Further, it is expected of me that I will endeavor to “do my best” to discharge this responsibility by giving effective leadership to the scout, the junior leaders and the staff of my troop.

(Signed) _____ Date _____