



Youth Code of Conduct and Honor

Offences

1. Possession or consumption of alcohol or tobacco.
2. Possession or consumption of illegal substances.
3. Sexual activity of any kind.
4. Exclusion of any scout or venturer.
5. Physical horseplay.

Brother/ Sister Keepers

All scouts, venturers and adults are each other's keeper. If any scout or venturer sees or hears anything that endangers themselves, an adult or the group as a whole that scout or venturer is strongly encouraged to report it **immediately** to an adult. Failure to report knowledge of the offences listed above will result in punishment as if the scout or venturer committed the offence himself or herself.

Random Busts

At any given time on a trip, an adult may take the liberty to conduct a random bust. During these random busts, youth will be asked to pour out their water bottles and/or turn out their pockets. Any scout or venturer found with an illegal substance or an alcoholic beverage will be punished as outlined above.

Consequences may include

- a verbal warning
- a SM or Advisor conference with the Scout
- a SM or Advisor conference with the Scout & parent
- a request for a Scout to leave a meeting or trip
- suspension or expulsion from the Troop/Crew with agreement from the Troop/Crew Committee

Signature of Scout/Venturer _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____