

The Basics

Who We Are:

The Scout Programs of Adventure Scouts USA are the only fully nondiscriminatory Scout Programs in the United States. Our Scout Programs govern themselves democratically at the team level, providing our Scouts with the opportunity to vote and decide on their own activities. Our Scouts personalize their own Scout experience. We stress the importance of being a good person, responsible citizenship, diversity, a spiritual approach to life, and we enhance character as instilled by parents.

Our Mission Is:

We shall provide the leadership to support the growth and character development of our co-ed youth membership and the greater community by providing outdoor skill programming activities that enrich the individual on a non discriminatory basis;

putting principles of mutual respect into practice through FUN social activities, outdoor skill programming, character building, personal achievement, learning by doing, and related educational programs promoting good character in our youth members.

Rising Star Scout Promise (5 to 10 year olds)

As a Rising Star Scout
I love my family
And my friends,
Our community and country too.
I wonder about it all, stand tall and true,
and I Give my Best in all I do.

North Star Scout Promise (11 to 18 year olds)

We are united in our common interests and by bond in our hopes and dreams. I am unique, responsible for my life physically, mentally, socially, and spiritually. I will live a life of purpose and by the Scout Code.

I value family, friends, community, and will honor my country.

Scout Motto

The motto of our Scouts is “Give Your Best.” We chose this motto because we believe that giving your best is the truest demonstration of character. Our Scouts have different levels of ability. Some already have experience with sports and outdoor skills, and others do not. Some have aptitudes on a particular subject, and

others do not. In addition, some of our Scouts have challenges they struggle with everyday. However, everyone can give his or her best. Giving your best requires commitment, character, passion and strength. Giving their best is a reflection of the content of our Scouts' character, rather than details that make up their identities. It does not

matter which neighborhood
our Scouts are from, if
English is their first
language, or if they use a
wheelchair. Our Scouts
choose to give their best, and
so they are heroes.

The Adventure Scouts USA Code

A Scout is:

Trustworthy;

A Good Person;

A Responsible Citizen;

A Good Friend and

Brother or Sister to all

Other Scouts;

Honest and Respectful;

Responsible and

Caring;

Loyal and Ready to
Help.

These are not just
nice-sounding words.

They have meaning.

Let them guide you
wherever you go, in
everything you do. As
you say them, resolve to
live by their meaning

Our Scout Spirit is
inclusion.

Adventure Scouts
USA is Committed
To:

* Promoting strong

families and
strengthening family
values

* Encouraging the
skill of fostering
friendship

* Instilling respect

for the diversity of
others in our
Scouts and our
membership

* Instilling the skill
of leadership in all
of our Scouts and

our membership

- * Instilling true proficiency in outdoor skill

- * Instilling a sense of purpose

in life through
service to others

* Encouraging
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* Encouraging
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* Improving the
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* Protecting,
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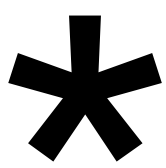
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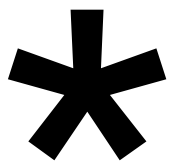


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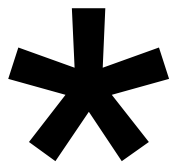
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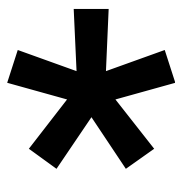
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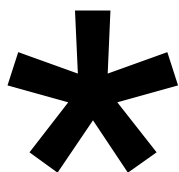
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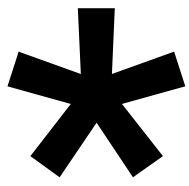
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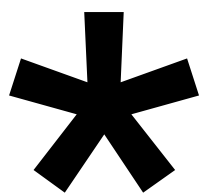
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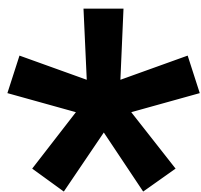
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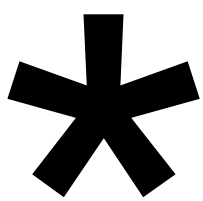
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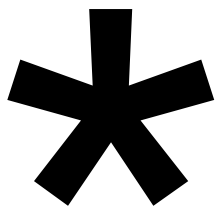
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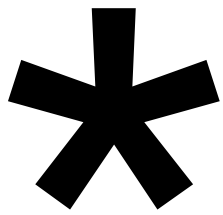
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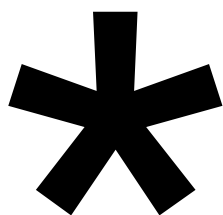
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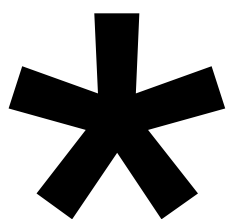
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