

CUB SCOUT LEADER

RESPONSIBLE TO: GROUP LEADER

1. BROAD OBJECTIVES

- a. To promote Cub Scout activities at Group/local level.
- b. To strongly encourage progression of Cub Scouts into the Scouts.
- c. To encourage and facilitate the development of each individual in the Pack.

2. FUNCTIONS

- a. Set a high standard of behavior through personal example and encouragement.
- b. Establish and maintain the operation of the Six System in the Pack.
- c. Encourage, instruct and guide the Sixers and Seconds in their responsibilities.
- d. Ensure the effective functioning of the Pack Council.
- e. Provide or arrange the instruction, assistance and testing of Cub Scouts in skills appropriate to the program of the Pack especially in topics and skills appropriate to the Award Scheme.
- f. In co-operation with all the Pack Leaders (including Cub Scout Instructors) conduct the Pack program including Pack meeting, weekend and other activities.
- g. Ensure adequate adult supervision of all activities.
- h. Establish and maintain friendly relationships with parents, involving them, where appropriate, in the Pack's activities and explain the principles of the Association and the reason behind the programs.
- i. Ensure that all Cub Scout Leaders and Cub Scout Instructors have and discharge specific responsibilities in the various aspects of the Pack's program and involve them as important members of the Leadership team.
- j. Enhance the personal growth and development, **S**ocially, **P**hysically, **I**ntellectually, **E**motionally and **S**piritually, of the Cub Scouts by encouraging their participation in challenging activities.
- k. Ensure a high degree of co-operation with the Joey Scout and Scout Sections and encourage individual's progress through all sections.
- l. Develop an understanding and knowledge of all Sections.
- m. Support all District/Area/Region run activities relevant to the Cub Scout Section.
- n. Attend and actively participate in the following meetings:
 - i. Meetings and activities of the Pack.
 - ii. Pack program planning meetings.
 - iii. Group Council meetings.
 - iv. District Training meetings.
 - v. Other planning meetings (Group/District/Area/Region/Branch).

- o. Ensure that adequate and correct records are kept in relation to the Pack membership, finance and equipment.
- p. Ensure that the Youth membership details are forwarded to the Scout Section at the advancement ceremony.
- q. Through the Group Council and at other appropriate times or as the need arises keep the Group Leader informed of all matters relevant to the Cub Scout Pack.
- r. Ensure correct administration of Pack activities in accordance with the Association and Branch policies.
- s. Ensure maintenance of Pack equipment.

3. REQUIREMENTS

- a. Enthusiastic and able to motivate young people and adults.
- b. Have a strong commitment to the Cub Scout Section.
- c. Ability to communicate with young people and adults.
- d. Be prepared to complete Wood Badge Training
- e. Be prepared to share leadership and develop other Leaders.