

# 1st Greenwood Sea Scouts

## Code of Conduct

1. Every member, regardless of position, has the right to be treated with RESPECT and dignity by their fellow Scouts and adult leaders. (The Golden Rule).
  - a. This means respect others personal space – keep your hands to yourself.
  - b. Respect yourself.
2. Scouts shall at all times conduct themselves in accordance with the intent and spirit of the Scout Law and Promise.
3. Physical confrontations and abusive or foul language will not be tolerated.
4. No Scout has the right to disrupt Troop activities at the expense of other Troop members
5. Scouts will respect their uniform – it's a symbol for what we stand for.
6. Scouts will respect the rules of our meeting place.
  - a. This means boots and wet shoes will remain in the foyer – in a tidy fashion.
  - b. Scouts will not wilfully damage physical property

## Uniform:

All scouts are to be in full uniform for meetings and outings. The uniform consists of:

1. Scouts Canada shirt (tucked into pants neatly)
2. Group necker
3. Woggle
4. Scout sash (for openings and closings only)
5. Scout epaulets (worn after investiture)
6. Scout belt and buckle (optional)
7. Non marking soled shoes

## Court of Honour:

Breaking the Code of Conduct will result in the following actions being taken by the Court of Honour. This list is incremental – continued mis-behaviour or breach of the Code of Conduct will result in the next steps being taken:

1. Warning from the either the Bosun, the Coxswain, or a witnessing Scouter
2. The Scout will be directed to take a time out. Duration could be the activity in question or the rest of the meeting dependant upon the actions taken by the Scout, and may be decided by the Court of Honour.
3. The Scouts parents will be requested to come and get their youth and remove them from the meeting or activity. The Group Commissioner will be notified.
4. A discussion will occur with the parents regarding the violation of the Code of Conduct. The Group Commissioner will be engaged from this point forward.
5. The Scout will miss the next meeting, activity or camp.
6. The Scouts parents to attend the meetings, activities and camps.
7. The Scout will not be permitted to attend any more activities or camps outside of regular meetings.
8. A Scout who repeatedly violates Troop rules of conduct, and shows no indication of correcting their actions may, as a final option, face expulsion from the Troop and possibly, Scouting.

## A reminder for parents:

You must come into the school, or activity area, when you drop your youth off. Please do not depart until you have verified that there are at least two leaders from Troop present. Scouts Canada requires that Scouters are two deep with youth at all times.

Yours in Scouting,

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Please have your youth and yourself sign this as recognition that your youth will honour the Troop's Code of Conduct.

Signature of Youth: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_