



BROWNSEA II LEADERSHIP TRAINING PROGRAM



What is Brownsea? It is a unique and exciting, hands on approach designed to teach youth leaders 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 Baden Powell in 1907. This program places special emphasis on scout skills, teaching, and practice; the purposes 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 of their personal leadership styles.

COURSE: Sunday, June 29th to Saturday, July 5th, 2008 at Wah-Tut-Ca Scout Reservation in Northwood, NH.

LEADERSHIP STAFF: A specially selected staff of junior leaders who have completed the course themselves will guide and direct the program. Mr. Kenneth Reardon Jr., Brownsea Staff member for over twenty years, will serve once again as the 2008 Brownsea Scoutmaster.

TROOP: The Brownsea Scouts will sleep in tents, prepare their own meals, and live by the patrol method. All learners will be expected to live and act as First Class Scouts. The Brownsea troop is set at 32 scouts.

REQUIREMENTS: All Scouts need to be First Class or above and have attended a one week summer camp experience. Ages should be between 14-16 years old. We are looking for those scouts that will be the future leaders of your home troops.

PRE-TRAINING: Once accepted, the scout and troop leader or parent will be required to attend a Pre-Brownsea troop meeting. Meeting will be held in June 2008.

Specific questions will be answered at the meeting and a skill assessment of scout needs will be given.

COST: The cost is \$225.00 per scout. Since this training will greatly benefit your unit it is suggested that the troop pay all, or part of the fee.

APPLICATIONS: Applications may be picked up at the council office, downloaded off of the council website, or sent via email by Kenneth Reardon Jr. Once completed, return application to the council office with a deposit as soon as possible. The scout, scoutmaster, and parent should fill out the appropriate sections prior to submission. 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, they may do so in the event that additional spots in the program become available.

DEADLINE: Applications with a deposit of \$100.00 is due by April 18, 2008. Balance of fee due by June 6, 2008.

QUESTIONS: Please contact Kenneth Reardon Jr. via email: fyrman26@yahoo.com.

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

BROWNSEA DOUBLE-TWO

PERSONAL EQUIPMENT LIST

- _____ An up-to-date official [BSA Class 3 MEDICAL FORM](#) (signed by parent and doctor)
- _____ Any medications needed for the week

UNIFORMS

- _____ 1-2 Scout Shirts
- _____ 2-3 Pairs 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

TOILET ITEMS

- _____ 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 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 be 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 requiring batteries other than **a flashlight and a watch** (including but not limited to cell phones, pagers, radios, TV's, walkmen, I-pods, etc...)

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BROWNSEA DOUBLE-TWO APPLICATION

NAME _____ BIRTHDATE _____

ADDRESS _____ CITY/TOWN _____

STATE _____ ZIP _____ TEL NUMBER _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____

HEIGHT _____ WEIGHT _____ RELIGIOUS PREFERENCE _____

TROOP _____ TOWN _____ DISTRICT _____

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 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 _____

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

(Signed) Scoutmaster _____ Date _____

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

(Signed) Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

RETURN THIS FULL APPLICATION as soon as possible (by the deadline) to:

Brownsea Course, Yankee Clipper Council, 36 Amesbury Road, Haverhill, MA 01830

DEPOSIT RECEIVED: _____ DATE RECEIVED _____ ASSIGNED SPACE NUMBER _____

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?

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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 ON THE FIRST DAY OF BROWNSEA.

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: _____

NOTE: Any vacation trip location should be given to the Brownsea Staff and Camp Nurse when your son comes to Brownsea on the first day of the course.

BROWNSEA DOUBLE-TWO

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE SCOUT APPLICANT

SCOUT _____ UNIT _____

	Excellent	Strong	Average	Weak	Not Observed
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Community Involvement					
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Maturity toward Adult Leaders					
Peer Relationship					
Camping Skills					
Compass Skills					
Knot Skills					
Wood Tools Skills					
Cooking Skills					
Punctuality					
Proper Uniforming					

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

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