

BOY SCOUTS of AMERICA: Troop 376

Preparing young people to make ethical and moral choices throughout their lifetime with devotion to God, country and themselves.

Since 1952, we've been developing our youth from ages 6 to 21 in self-awareness, leadership, teamwork, athletics, appreciation of the outdoors, citizenship, emergency preparedness, with respect and tolerance for all religions.

Boy Scouts teaches our children how to become active members of their community, productive adults, and how to have good fun.

We have a boys Cub Pack 376 (ages 6-10), Boy Scout Troop 376 (ages 10-21), and a co-ed Venture Crew 376 (ages 16-21).

Meetings are every Friday night, separately for both pack and troop.

Troop Camping: 1 weekend a month, plus 1 week of summer camping

Committee work: One night a month

Patrols meet as needed to plan activities.

Special "high-adventure week" is planned once every 2 years.

What Scouts do:

Learn life skills necessary to achieve various ranks within the program, by performing community service and group activities.

Adult leaders supervise youth in sponsoring various activities such as the parish New Year's Eve Party and Getting to Know You Sundays.

Adult leaders:

Need minimum of 6 adult leaders. Currently, the Cub Scouts have barely enough adult leaders. Please consider joining us.

Duties: Scoutmaster, Committee Chair, Den Leaders, Advancement Chair, Financial Secretary, and assistants perform administrative coordinating, technical skill training and coaching.

Skills: All skills apply, from learning to wash dishes to understanding the stock market. We prepare for life. Must enjoy working with young adults, be a good listener, have good communication skills, and love to work outdoors.

For the future:

Increased membership, a fixed and dedicated meeting location, more adult participation, a trailer/bus. Our wishes for someday: Establish a trust fund where the interest earned is used to support scouts who do not have the means for participating in our activities. Gain a Corporate Sponsorship.