

WA-HI-NASA LODGE CODE OF CONDUCT

On my honor, I promise to do my best to comply with the Wa-Hi-Nasa Code of Conduct, for the sake of the lodge, my fellow Scouts, and the world brotherhood of Scouting.

- 1. I will do my best to live up to the Scout Oath, Scout Law, and the Order of the Arrow Obligation, and hold others in Scouting accountable to those standards. I will exercise sound judgement and demonstrate good leadership, and I will use the Scouting program for its intended purpose consistent with the mission of Scouts, BSA and the Order of the Arrow.
- 2. I will not threaten, fight, or intimidate another member through words or actions, nor will I use language that is offensive or discriminatory with respect to sex, race, religion, ethnicity, physical/mental disability, etc.
- 3. I will wear appropriate clothing for all events and meetings, and I understand that I will have to change and/or leave the activity if I do not comply.
- 4. I will follow the buddy system at all times, which consists of two members of the same gender, three or more if the group consists of mixed genders. I will not share tents, sleeping areas, or bathroom facilities with members of the opposite gender.
- 5. I will not possess or consume any tobacco products, alcohol products, controlled substances, pornography, firearms, fireworks, or explosives at lodge events and understand that possession of any of these could result in legal consequences.
- 6. I will ensure that no one-on-one contact occurs between a scout and an adult. This extends to phone calls and all digital communications (texting, email, Slack messaging, etc.). I will report any incidents that involve violation of YPT immediately.
- 7. I will not drive on property during an event if I am under 18. Likewise, I will not leave property during an event if I am under 21 unless given the express permission of my parents and both the Lodge Adviser and Staff Adviser.
- 8. I will report any violation or suspicious activity to Lodge Adviser David Emery at 734-883-6734 or Lodge Professional Staff Adviser Nick Trogdon at 615-957-7435 immediately.