

# Boards of Review

## General

The Boards of Review for First Class, Star and Life will consist of two sections. A Non Discretionary portion and a Discretionary portion

### Non Discretionary Portion

To start, the Committee Chair will ask if there are any problems or questions any Board Member may have with the Scout so it can be brought to the attention of the Board. The Scout will then be presented to the Board by the Scoutmaster. The Scout will present himself in full Scout Uniform with the attached Board of Review Application. He will be able to recite everything contained on the application as indicated on the application. There will be a brief dismissal after this portion of the Board at which time the Scout will be asked to leave while the Board discusses the Scouts performance. If the Board approves the Scout he will be asked back to complete the Discretionary portion. If the Scout is not approved he will be brought back and told why he has not passed and will be asked to reschedule a follow up Scoutmasters Conference and Board of Review

### Discretionary Portion

During this portion the Scout will be asked a series of random questions by the Board. Unlike the Non Discretionary portion there is no right or wrong answers, just answers given to the best ability of the Scout. It is during this portion of the Board where the members will get to know the Scout and his likes or dislikes about his Scouting experience. The Scout will have an opportunity to ask questions of the Board about the quality of Scouting or Troop 9 or any other topics he may wish to pursue. Once this portion of the Board of Review has been completed the Scout will be dismissed and asked to report back to the Scoutmaster. The Scoutmaster and Scout will return and a decision will be rendered.

# First Class

These are the questions you will need to know for the Non Discretionary part of your Board of Review.

*The Scout must be able to recite from memory. There will be some leeway given to a Scout who might stumble but is able to regroup and fully recite #1 to #5. Scouts that are unable to exhibit/demonstrate proficiency will be dismissed and asked to request a follow up Scoutmasters Conference and a follow up Board of Review when fully prepared. The Scout Sign will be given at all times during #1 to #5 with no exceptions. If a Scout does not give the sign he will be immediately stopped and asked to reschedule.*

*A Scout should be able to fully describe the parts of the Scout Badge. He should be able to point out the elements of the badge and know most of the six elements but will be given leeway if most but not all are known.*

*The Scout will know what every part of the uniform they are wearing means. They will be able to describe everything on their uniform. All badges on their uniform and sash must be up to date as far as they have been awarded.*

*The Personal History Book must be neat and up to date and representative of the Scouts Scouting experience. In addition, they will have a synopsis of every badge and rank awarded as well as any leadership position they may have held. They should have pictures and summaries of activities they have participated in.*

Scout Oath  
Scout Law  
Scout Slogan  
Scout Motto  
Outdoor Code  
Scout Salute  
Scout Handshake  
Significant Good Turn  
Parts of the Uniform  
Parts of the Scout Badge  
Full Uniform  
Personal up to date History Book  
Look Shipshape

I \_\_\_\_\_ have reviewed the above and feel that I am fully  
*signature of Scout*  
prepared to take this Board of Review.