

**Troop 346**  
**Leadership Position Description**  
**Den Chief**

**General Information**

**Type:** Volunteer (with concurrence of Cub Scout Den Leader, Boy Scout Scoutmaster and Assistant Scoutmaster)

**Term:** 6 months

**Reports to:** Cub Scout Den Leader, Boy Scout Assistant Scoutmaster

**Description:** Under the direction of the Cub Scout Den Leader, the Den Chief teaches skills and works with the Cub Scouts in the Den. He leads by example, being open-minded and fair in his dealings.

**Comments:** The Den Chief is a focal point in the Cub Scout Den. He needs to attend as close to all den meetings as possible. The Den Chief is a visual representative of the Boy Scouts of Troop 346.

**Qualifications**

**Age:** none

**Rank:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Class or higher

**Experience:** Active in Boy Scout Troop for at least 6 months

**Performance Requirements**

**Training:** Den Chief Training available through Council. Meet with Den Leader. Gain/Maintain familiarity with basic Scout skills.

**Attendance:** Regular attendance is expected at Cub Scout Den Meetings. Regular participation is expected at weekly troop meetings, patrol meetings, special events and campouts. Not required to attend the Troop Leadership Committee meetings.

## Specific Leadership Responsibilities

- Helps the Cub Scout Den Leader lead den meetings and activities, and assists the Den Leader at Pack meetings and activities.
- Serves as the activities assistant at den meetings.
- Introduces Cub Scouts to new skills; helps train Cub Scouts in basic Scouting skills.
- Generates an on-going interest in Scouting and prepares Webelos to join Boy Scouts; provides a bridge for Cub Scouts graduating to Boy Scouts into Troop 346.
- Projects a positive image of Boy Scouting.
- Knows the purpose of Cub Scouting.
- Be a friend to the boys in the den.
- Works with younger Scouts in the troop to meet leadership and advancement goals.

## General Leadership Responsibilities

**Uniform:** Set the example by wearing your uniform correctly.

**Behavior:** Set a good example by living the Scout Oath and Law in your everyday life. Show Scout Spirit in everything you say and do.

**Attendance:** Set the example by being an active Scout. Be on-time for meetings and activities. You must call the Den Leader and Assistant Scoutmaster if you are not going to be at a meeting or if you suddenly have to miss an outing.

## Personal Goals

In addition to the responsibilities listed above, set at least two personal goals for this position:

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Scout Signature & Date

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Assistant Scoutmaster Signature & Date