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Troop 58

Davidson, North Carolina

New Assistant Scoutmaster Registration and Training

May 2019

Welcome to Troop 58!

We are thrilled to have you on board with Troop 58. As part of your new position within the troop an adult application as well as required training needs to be completed. This document details the requirements as well as how to access and complete them. Reach out to the Troop Committee Chair, Registration Chair, or Training Chair with any questions you may have.

It is recommended to complete the below requirements in chronological order and use the below summary as a checklist.

Requirement One: Youth Protection Training (YPT)

Method: Online

Frequency: Every 24 Months

Instructions: Pages 4 - 5

Details: It is the mission of Youth Protection volunteers and

professionals to work within the Boy Scouts of America to maintain a culture of Youth Protection awareness and safety. A certificate of completion will be generated upon completion of the course. <u>This certificate needs to be submitted along with the Adult Application</u>.

Requirement Two: Adult Application Method: Paper Application

Frequency: Once

Instructions: If not already provided one, an application can obtained from

the Troop Committee Chair or Registration Chair.

Details: Return completed application, along with YPT certificate of

completion, to Registration Chair.

Requirement Three: BSA Health Form

Method: Paper Form

Frequency: Every 12 Months

Instructions: If not already provided one, the form can be accessed via the below

link or Google BSA Health Form.

https://filestore.scouting.org/filestore/HealthSafety/pdf/680-

001 ABC.pdf

Details: Parts A and B are required for all participants. Part C is required if

you will participate in an activity lasting longer than 72 hours (like summer camp). Note that Part C must be completed by a certified and licensed physician (MD, DO), nurse practitioner, or physician assistant. Return completed form to the Troop Health Form

Coordinator.

Requirement Four: Troop 58 Adult Code of Conduct

Method: Paper Form

Frequency: Once

Instructions: The form is on Page 6 of this document. Print the form and return

completed and signed to Troop Committee Chair.

Details: This demonstrates the commitment from each adult leader to serve

as a positive role model and to live up to the Scout Oath, Law,

Motto and Slogan.

Requirement Five: Scoutmaster Training Method: Classroom or Online

Frequency: Once

Instructions: Classroom: See Council training site for schedule and registration at

https://sites.google.com/site/bsamcctraining/

Online modules: Pages 7 - 9

Details: Position specific training designed for Scoutmasters and Assistant

Scoutmasters. This course serves as an orientation to the position

as well as the patrol method and effective scoutmaster

conferences. The classroom course is preferred, however the online modules will suffice if you are unable to attend the live class.

Requirement Six: Program Safety Course (Including Hazardous Weather)

Method: Online

Frequency: Every Two Years

Instructions: Page 10

Details: Online course designed to teach new Scoutmasters the basics of

safety in the program as well as how to safely handle dangerous

weather conditions.

Requirement Seven: Introduction to Outdoor Leadership Skills (OLS)

Method: Live two-day (one-night camping) class

Frequency: Once

Instructions: Register on Mecklenburg County Council OLS site at

https://sites.google.com/site/outdoorleaderskillsmcc/home

Details: Hands-on course designed to teach new Scoutmasters the basic

camping and outdoor skills for the First Class Rank. This course is held at Belk Scout Camp and Mecklenburg County Council typically

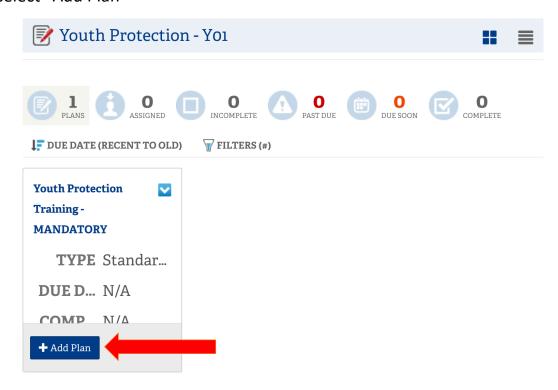
offers it twice a year in March and November.

How to Complete Youth Protection Training (YPT)

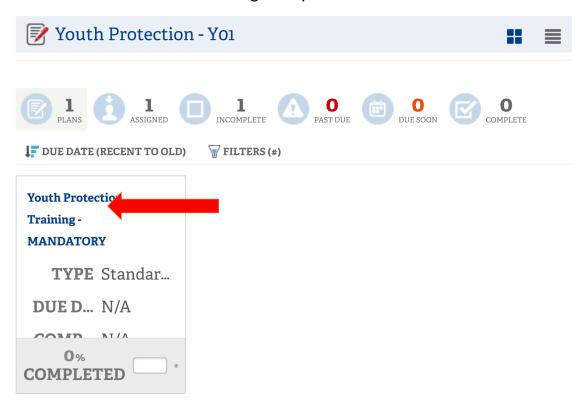
- Visit <u>my.scouting.org</u> and sign in to your account
 - o Recommended browsers are Google Chrome for PC or Safari for Mac
 - o "Forgot Username" and "Forgot Password" links available if needed
- On the opening page, select the Youth Protection logo



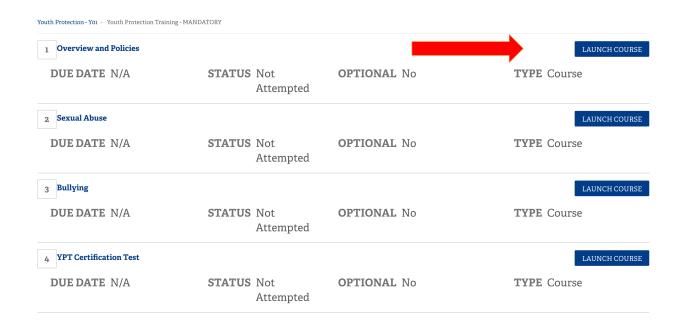
 A new window will open. Review the Opening video then scroll down and select "Add Plan"



• Select "Youth Protection Training" to open the course



• Select "Launch Course" to open each module. All four need to be completed for full credit of Youth Protection Training



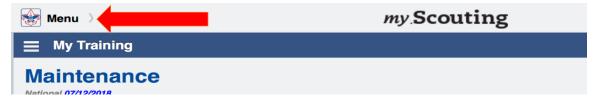
Troop 58 Adult Code of Conduct

All adults participating in Troop 58 activities serve as role models and leadership examples for our Scouts. Therefore, all of us are as accountable as our Scouts are for living up to the Scout Oath, Law, Motto and Slogan. We must also follow Scout adult leadership best practices. The following Adult Code of Conduct is our commitment by each adult leader and by each parent/guardian who will serve as an adult chaperone during the course of the program year. Any situation that is not explicitly covered by the code will be decided by the Troop Committee.

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| 2. | principles of BSA Youth Protect | | ut activities must be familiar with the ining/Youth-Protection). Additionally, the erence guide. |
| 3. | youth, other than their own chi | | lip. At no time will one adult be alone withone n facilities with Scouts . Separate usage able. |
| 4. | | | text, or navigation while driving during navigation or with holding mobile devices for |
| 5. | Adults will abide by the law and will not purchase, possess or consume illegal drugs. Adults will not possess or consume alcoholic beverages at Scout events. Adults will not use tobacco products in the presence of Scouts. | | |
| 6. | Adults will set the standard for use of clean and kind language. Profanity, put-downs, sexual-related comments, and verbal taunting will not be tolerated. | | |
| 7. | Adults will behave in a safe manner. Unsafe behaviors will not be tolerated and include improperuse of knives or axes, improper use of sharp sticks, rope or other equipment, and playing with fire. | | |
| 8. | Adults will abide by the underlying principle of never doing anything for a Scout that they can do themselves . We allow Scouts to grow by practicing leadership and by learning from their mistakes. And while Scout skills are an important part of the program, what ultimately matters when our Scouts become adults is not whether they can use a map & compass, but whether they can offer leadership to others in tough situations; and can live by a code that centers on honest, honorable, and ethical behavior. | | |
| 9. | The Troop Committee will review any incident as requested by a scout, a parent/guardian or adult scout staff member or chaperone. | | |
| My sig | nature below indicates that I | agree to follow the Troop 58 Ac | lult Code of Conduct. |
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Online Course Instructions: Scoutmaster Training

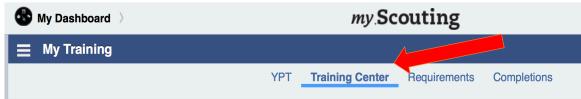
- Visit my.scouting.org and sign in to your account
 - o Recommended browsers are Google Chrome for PC or Safari for Mac
 - o "Forgot Username" and "Forgot Password" links available if needed
- Select "Menu" in the upper left corner



• Select "My Dashboard" in the drop down



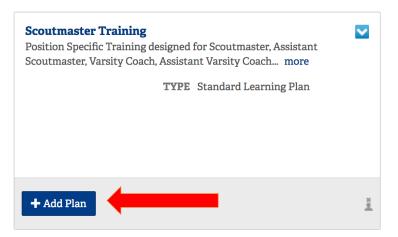
• Select "Training Center"



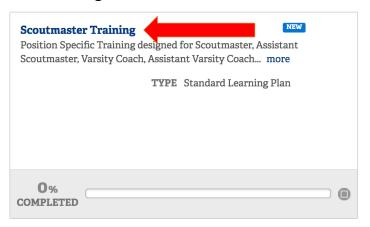
• Select "Scouts, BSA" from the list of programs



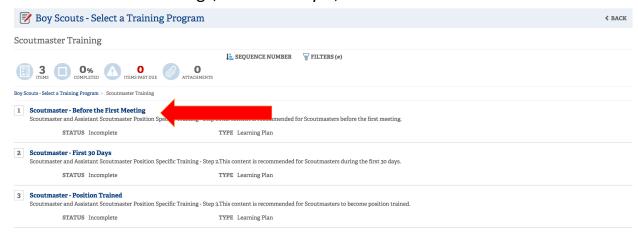
 New Window will open...scroll down and under "Scoutmaster Training", select "Add Plan"



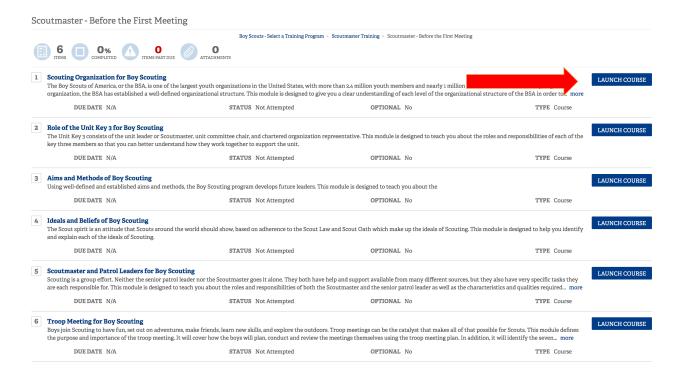
• Select "Scoutmaster Training"



Select each individual course. There are three:
 "Before the First Meeting"; "First 30 Days"; "Position Trained"



 Within each of the three courses, select "Launch Course" to complete each listed module. Each course has six individual modules - all eighteen need to be completed for full credit.

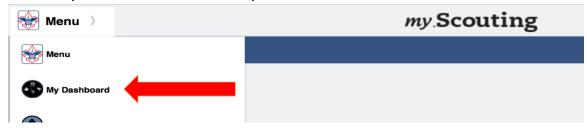


Online Course Instructions: Program Safety Training

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- Select "Menu" in the upper left corner



• Select "My Dashboard" in the drop down



• Select "Training Center"



• Select "Expanded Learning"



• Select "Program Safety" then follow prompts

