



SEA SCOUT SHIP 25 - SSS YORKSHIRE CODE OF CONDUCT AGREEMENT

I, _____, as a member of the Sea Scouts and Ship 25 "Yorkshire," agree to conduct myself, while attending Ship and Scouting activities, in the following manner:

- I will behave as a lady or gentleman, and will follow the ship's rules and regulations, the Scout Oath, the Scout Law, and the Code of Conduct of the Ship.
- I will maintain a professional Scout-to-Scout relationship with members of the ship. As in the business and military world, a cordial, caring, and supportive but professional demeanor is expected of Sea Scouts on "ship time". Public displays of affection are not acceptable and are defined as conduct more generally, but not necessarily exclusively, defined as kissing, holding hands, snuggling, close intimate personal contact, and the like.
- I will refrain from any forms of harassment, including sexual harassment, which includes sexual comments about gender, preference, dress, speech, or actions.
- I will not wear clothes displaying tobacco, drug, or alcohol symbols, nor use profane or inappropriate speech.
- I will not engage in horseplay or other inappropriate actions.
- I will not discriminate in any manner against anyone by reason of race, color, creed, religion, national origin, condition of handicap, or sexual preference.
- I will not participate in any illegal activity, nor will I use tobacco products, illegal drugs, or consume alcohol.

I understand that violation of this Code of Conduct may result in the following actions depending on the severity of the violation:

- My Parents/Guardians will be notified and may be asked to pick me up from the activity.
- I may be asked to take a leave of absence from the program for a designated period of time.
- I may be permanently removed from the program.

Sea Scout activities include any gathering for the purpose of training, competition, or socializing. To be considered an activity, it must be:

- Arranged by the ship.
- Approved by a Senior Officer or the Ship's Committee.
- Have at least two adult Officers over 21 in attendance.
- If co-ed, have adult Officers from both genders present, who may be from any ship participating.

In keeping with the objectives of my Ship, I agree to follow this Code of Conduct and represent the highest standards of Sea Scouting.

Signature (crew member)

Date

Principles: Our code is based on our principles:

Scout Oath:

On my honor I will do my best to do my duty
To God and My Country
To obey the Scout Law
To help other people at all times
To keep myself physically strong, mentally
awake, and morally straight.

Scout Law:

A Scout is:
Trustworthy, Loyal, Helpful
Friendly, Courteous, Kind
Obedient, Cheerful, Thrifty
Brave, Clean, and Reverent.