

Assistant Varsity Team Coach

Purpose of Varsity Scouting –

Instill the values of the Scout Oath and Law in young people and prepare them to make ethical and moral choices during their lifetime. The aims of Scouting are to develop in youth (1) a strong ethical character, (2) an active, participating citizenship, including leadership ability, and (3) personal fitness: physical, mental, emotional and moral.

Guidelines of this stewardship –

Register with the Boy Scouts of America as an adult leader
Wear a Varsity leader uniform and encourage other leaders and the boys to wear uniform
Get to know all Varsity Scouts and their families in the ward and encourage involvement
Be a shadow leader to the young men helping them develop their leadership capabilities
Ensure a balanced program with activities in all five fields of emphasis
Develop and conduct at least one Varsity High Adventure experience each year
Plan and carry out activities with a priesthood purpose
Participate in District and Council activities to add depth and variety to the program
Follow Church/BSA safety guidelines and file appropriate tour permits as required
Maintain standards of the Church and BSA & ensure two-deep leadership at all activities
Integrate Duty to God requirements into team efforts
Keep it simple, make it fun!!

Meetings to attend –

Assist the young men to plan and conduct -
 monthly officers meetings for planning
 attended by both adult & boy leaders
 weekly Team meetings and activities
Monthly District Roundtable



Training to receive –

Read Varsity leader handbooks & related printed materials
Complete online Varsity Fast Start and Youth Protection Training (www.gslc-bsa.org)
Attend Varsity Basic Training
Participate in other training opportunities – University of Scouting, Wood Badge, etc

Expectations –

Attend leadership meetings when requested as an informed and prepared representative
Regularly report on your stewardship and share status on team efforts
Model excellence through your actions and use example to set the standard for others