

# Troop 714 – Scout Vision and Goals

## Vision:

T714 has fun with a purpose, while giving respect, advancing in the troop, and following the Scout oath and law.

## Goals:

1. Respect for program and the sign; treat others as you wish to be treated
  - Respect Program, Sign, and Leadership
  - Attendance:
    - Arrive on time/start on time/stay to end
    - 75% attendance from each patrol
    - Correctly record attendance.
  - Troop to be in full uniform (full incl. belt and socks)
  - Troop to follow and respect the Three Simple Rules: Treat Others how you want to be treated
2. Improving Troop Meetings
  - PLC to review program plan
  - No bland or repeat of games
  - Engaging games supporting program
    - Less talking about subject, more doing/hands-on
  - Program Patrol to submit planning form two months before program and make a detailed plan the month before.
  - Program to plan and carry one flag ceremony
  - Program to encourage working with MB Counselor on program / advancement
3. Service to MV & Community & Scouting for Food
  - 50% of scouts in the Troop to get 10 hours of service
  - Scouting for Food Goals
    - 80% Active to collect 50 can
    - 90% Participation
    - Patrol(s) are encouraged to setup collection day at MV
  - Service patrol should come at 6:45 before the meeting and should not leave until dismissed
  - Troop to plan troop wide service day at MV – One Program Patrol is to undertake this as a program for one night.
  - Each patrol should carry out one patrol service project as Service Patrol and one Out of MV service project per year.
  - Troop to plan troop wide conservation project
4. Advancement – In rank, MBs, skills and leadership
  - At least 75% of Scouts advance one rank per year. New scouts advance to 1<sup>st</sup> Class by the end of their 1<sup>st</sup> year.
  - Scout/JASM or younger ASM to assist Life to Eagle Coordinator

- Promote availability of leadership projects for advancement
  - Promote out of troop Merit Badge clinics (possible leadership opportunity)
  - Two Merit Badge clinics sponsored by Troop 714 and open to others with in this year
  - One MB cleanup day (late fall)
5. Earn the Chicken Pin for 2015 & 2016
- The chicken pin requirements are available at:  
[foothillsbsa.org/files/2015\\_Foothills\\_Honor\\_Roll\\_Requirements.pdf](http://foothillsbsa.org/files/2015_Foothills_Honor_Roll_Requirements.pdf)