



WELCOME TO TROOP 1518

On behalf of the Scouts, Troop Committee, and Assistant Scoutmasters of Troop 1518, I welcome you to our troop.

Our philosophy is simple: We want Troop 1518 to be super troop where boys have the opportunity to participate in fun and challenging activities, and have the chance to practice leadership skills in a safe, positive, learning environment. We work hard to maintain a good relationship with the Cub Scout packs in our area, and ALWAYS look forward to opportunities to invite rising Webelos, and boys new to Scouting, to join us.

Troop 1518 is a Scout-led troop. We are fortunate also to have a “deep bench” of experienced, dedicated Assistant Scoutmasters and an active, supportive Troop Committee to insure that our Scouts receive the guidance and support they deserve as they learn and grow in our troop. Our Assistant Scoutmasters provide leadership and mentorship to our Scouts, and take charge of the many and varied outdoor activities we offer.

Our Troop Committee members, led by Chairman Ellen Musante, provide the structure and guidance to our Troop’s activities that we need to be successful. In addition, we are fortunate that many members of our Troop Committee take an active role in our program, leading outdoor activities, serving as merit badge counselors, and taking charge of many of our activities that occur during our regular troop meetings.

All of the adult volunteers in our troop work towards one goal: to provide the very best program we can for our Scouts. We hope you are ready to give Troop 1518 a try. Please take the time to check out our website at www.troop1518.org. To get a feel for our activities, please have a look at our monthly newsletter the Troop Trumpet, and check out our calendar.

Our meetings are on Monday nights, from 7:30 PM – 8:45 PM at the Sydenstricker Methodist Church, 8508 Hoes Road in Springfield. We meet in the white church across the road from the main chapel. Please feel free to contact Ellen Musante or me if you have any questions about our troop. We hope to see you soon!

Yours in Scouting,

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