



# TROOP FL-0118 FALL 2024 INFORMATION SHEET

### MISSION:

To guide generations of courageous young men to honor God, lead with integrity, serve others, and experience outdoor adventure

### REGULAR MEETINGS:

**Full troop:** Tuesday evenings, twice per month (calendar aligned with American Heritage Girls)

**Grades 6-12:** meet twice more per month on the other Tuesday evenings

### GRADE LEVELS:

**Woodlands Trail** (Grades K-5)

- Fox (Grades K-1st)
- Hawk (Grades 2-3)
- Mountain Lion (Grades 4-5)

**Navigator** (Grades 6-8)

**Adventurer** (Grades 9-12)

**HIGHEST HONOR:** Freedom Award

### TRAILMAN OATH:

On my honor, I will do my best  
To serve God and my country;  
To respect authority;  
To be a good steward of creation;  
And to treat others as I want to be treated.

### MOTTO:

**Walk Worthy!** "...That you may walk worthy of God, in all things pleasing; being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God:"  
Colossians 1:10

### YOUTH PROGRAM FEES:

**\$37.97** national registration fee (paid online directly to Trail Life, covers liability insurance).  
**\$118.00** troop dues (paid to Good Shepherd Parish, covers troop tee-shirt, handbook, etc.). Troop dues also cover various costs paid by troop, including \$195 troop charter fee and \$20 program fee the troop pays per boy).

### UNIFORMS:

Uniforms are ordered directly from Trail Life's online shop: <https://shop.trailifeusa.com> (to avoid \$9.99 flat-rate shipping, troop periodically arranges bulk orders).

## CALENDAR

See separate schedule for dates of monthly trail hikes

### SEPTEMBER

- 3** Officers' Conference 6:30pm-8pm (Rm 312)
- 7** Mass of Priesthood Ordination (*Sacred Heart Cathedral*) for Deacon Randy Recker, followed by reception (*lunch*) and visit to National Naval Aviation Museum 8am-8pm (*Pensacola*)
- 10** Full Troop Meeting 6:30pm-8pm (CC)
- 17** Nav/Adv Patrol Meeting 6:30pm-8pm (Rm 306)
- 21** Troop Service Project (*Redemptive Love Farm*)
- 24** Full Troop Meeting 6:30pm-8pm (CC)

### OCTOBER

- 1** Officers' Conference 6:30pm-8pm (Rm 306)
- 8** Full Troop Meeting 6:30pm-8pm (CC)
- 11-13** Campout at Ochlocknee River St Pk (*Sopchoppy*)
- 15** Nav/Adv Patrol Meeting 6:30pm-8pm (Rm 306)
- 22** Full Troop Meeting 6:30pm-8pm (CC)
- 29** Hit the Trail 6:30pm-8pm (*Making Awesome*)

### NOVEMBER

- 5** Officers' Conference 6:30pm-8pm (Rm 306)
- 8-10** Emerald Coast Area Fall Rendezvous (*Multi-troop camporee, Camp Okaloosa, Crestview*)
- 12** Full Troop Meeting 6:30pm-8pm (CC)
- 19** Nav/Adv Patrol Meeting 6:30pm-8pm (Rm 306)

### DECEMBER

- 3** Officers' Conference 6:30pm-8pm (Rm 306)
- 6-8** Campout at Florida Caverns St Pk (*Marianna*)
- 10** Full Troop Meeting 6:30pm-8pm (CC)
- 17** Nav/Adv Patrol Meeting 6:30pm-8pm (Rm 306)

### JANUARY 2025

- 4** Ten Commandments Hike 7:45am-2pm (*TACCOS*)
- 7** Officers' Conference 6:30pm-8pm (Rm TBA)
- 14** Full Troop Meeting 6:30pm-8pm (Rm TBA)
- 21** Nav/Adv Patrol Meeting 6:30pm-8pm (Rm TBA)
- 28** Full Troop Meeting 6:30pm-8pm (Rm TBA)

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**Annex** Cercy Trace Annex (behind church)  
**CC** Community center (parish hall)  
**LL** Lower level of parish center  
**Rm 306 / 312** Room 303 / 312 of parish center  
**TACCOS** Hosted by Tallahassee Area Catholic Committee on Scouting