



PTC Class 407 Crew Committee Challenge



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Who Are We?

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Who are you?

What do you hope to get from this course?

Agenda

- × Welcome
- × Aims and Methods of Scouting and Venturing
- × The Chartered Organization
- × Crew Leadership
- × Crew Committee Organization and Responsibilities
- × Selecting and Retaining Adult Leaders
- × Closing

What is Venturing

- × Youth and young adults
- × Definition clarifications
 - + Venturers
 - + Venturing
 - + Separate unit

Aims and Methods of Venturing

- Aims of Venturing
 - Character development
 - Citizenship training
 - Personal fitness
 - Leadership training

Aims and Methods of Venturing

- Methods of Venturing
 - Leadership and mentoring
 - Group activities and adventure
 - Adult association
 - Recognition
 - The ideals
 - Service
 - Group Identity

The Venturing Program

- + Adventure
- + Leadership
- + Personal Growth
- + Service

ALPS

- + Youth run
- + Uniform

The Chartered Organization

- What is Chartered Organization?
- Responsibilities
- Activity – Chartered Organization Relationship
- Chartered Organization Representative
- Crew Key 3
- Unit commissioner

Crew Leadership

- Position Descriptions
 - Who does what and who helps?

Crew Organization

- What do you notice about this chart?
- Why does the committee appear smaller?

Crew Committee Organization and Responsibilities

What have we already learned?

Committee Organization

- Who makes up the crew committee?
- How many members does a crew committee have?
- Who runs the crew committee?
- How is a crew committee organized?

Crew Finances

- Elected crew treasurer
- Financial Set-up
- Fundraising
- Adult committee member mentor

Recognition

- Awards, not ranks
- How can the crew committee offer supporting functions to ensure that the crew's program offers youth the opportunity for recognition?

Other Considerations

- Training
- Public Relations
- Activities and Adventures
 - Guide to Safe Scouting
- My Scouting Tools

Selecting and Retaining Adult Leaders

- Responsibilities of crew committee
 - Adult leadership
 - Program Capability Inventory
 - Equipment, facilities and program resources
 - Review, support and approve crew's program

Recruiting Adult Leadership

- Most important responsibility of committee
- Activity

Recruiting the committee

- Where do we find members?
- What if committee is small?
- Program Capability Inventory

“It’s far better to find 10 people who can do the work than it is to find one to do the work of 10.”

In Conclusion

Resources

- A version of this course is available online at Myscouting.org

Questions?

How do you feel about your job?

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