

Troop 121

**The Parents Role toward
Helping the Scout Advance**



Introduction

Purpose

To give YOU the resources YOU need to
help your Scout advance to Eagle
and beyond!

Agenda

We will cover:

What motivates a Scout

How can you help your Scout advance

Problem Solving

Passion

It starts with excitement and enthusiasm

If you are excited about the program your son will be also

Talk with him about why you think Scouting is a good program

Explain the importance of the program, the value that Scouting brings and the fun your Scout can have

Explain that you believe in him, support him, will work with him and stand behind him to insure that he succeeds

Vision

Instill and Focus on Goals and Objectives

Help your Scout see what Scouting can offer him

Review with your Scout the exciting programs that Scouting offers

Explain where you see him in a few months
and a few years from now

Help him set some initial goals that get him excited about the
program and what he can experience from it

Communicate

Take time to talk with your Scout

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A quote from James Dobson of Focus on the Family

Take time to:

Meet with you Scout and review his accomplishments

Discuss how he did and what he accomplished – be specific

Let him know that you are proud of him

Review with him his next objectives toward advancement

Explain that you believe in him

Let him know that you support him and that you are there to help

The BSA Hand Book

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Merit Badge Books

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