

# STARTING PLACE DIRECTOR



**General:** Conduct the camp Starting Place program, working with Adult Leaders and Senior Patrol Leaders to insure quality instruction.

**Responsible to:** Program Director

**Specifics:**

1. Oversee the operation of the program Area. Provide positive training for Scouts and adult leaders.
2. Maintain safety throughout the area at all times.
3. Keep accurate records of all equipment. Remove any damaged or retired equipment immediately.
4. Ensure that all BSA advancement standards are adhered to.
5. Account for all equipment in the area.
6. Keep all equipment in good working condition. Tag all broken equipment and set it aside "to be repaired". Check axes frequently for loose heads and cracked handles.
7. Supervise the instruction of advancement requirements in the area. Make certain that Adult Leaders and SPLs are competent in the skills they are teaching. Provide additional training if needed.
8. Serve as a merit badge counselor of additional camp merit badges.
9. Serve as a C.I.T. Mentor.
10. Promote camp-wide evening activities including Waterball. Work with key staff to plan Waterball.
11. Serve as the Check-In crew on Family Night starting at 4:00pm
12. Make certain that all BSA National Standards are adhered.
13. Conduct a weekly first year scout outpost to promote scout skills and spirit.
14. Be an enthusiastic key leader of the entire camp staff – work closely with the Camp Director and other key leaders in providing positive leadership to the staff. Assist the Program Director in planning and implementing staff morale boosters.
15. Attend Area Directors meetings.
16. Responsible for opening and closing inventories of all Starting Place equipment.
17. Other duties as assigned by the Camp Director.