Trail Life USA Troop CO-2626

Corpus Christi Roman Catholic Church

2318 North Cascade Ave, Colorado Springs, CO.

By-Laws of the Committee and Troop



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ARTICLE I NAME AND PURPOSE

A. NAME

The organization referred to in this By-Laws is Trail Life USA Troop CO-2626, henceforth referred to as CO-2626.

B. PURPOSE

Troop CO-2626 exists as part of the Corpus Christi Catholic Church to provide the structured program established by Trail Life USA to all eligible youth. The Troop functions in accordance with Roman Catholic teachings and Trail Life USA membership policies.

ARTICLE II

GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. BASIC POLICY

Troop CO-2626 was established in December 2015 and is chartered by Corpus Christi Catholic Church located in Colorado Springs, Colorado. Corpus Christi Roman Catholic Church is hereafter referred to as the Charter Organization. The Charter Organization provides the Charter Organization Representative (COR).

Troop CO-2626 is run in accordance with the policies established by Trail Life USA and in strict accordance with the Charter Organization Agreement. As such, Navigator and Adventurer activities are planned and executed by the youth leadership under the guidance and supervision of registered adults. Woodlands Trail activities are planned and executed by registered adults. This By-Laws provides additional policies and guidance specific to Troop CO-2626.

B. BY-LAWS

Specific by-laws governing the Troop Committee are covered under Article III and by-laws governing the Officer's Conference (OC) are covered under Article IV.

C. CHANGES TO THE BY-LAWS

The OC or any Committee Member or the Troopmaster may recommend changes to any provision in this By-Laws. Changes will be voted on during specially held meetings of the Committee (may be an adjunct to a regularly scheduled Committee meeting). A vote to alter the By-Laws, however, can only be taken after all Committee members have been given at least two weeks prior notice of the pending action. Notice must be given in writing (electronic communication such as e-mail is sufficient). The Committee may not be held responsible for failing to notify a Committee member of a special meeting if the member does not give the Committee proper notice of changes to their address, e-mail account, or phone number.

Changes to the By-Laws can be adopted by a simple majority vote of registered Committee members in attendance at any regularly or specially scheduled Committee meeting. Changes to the By-Laws become effective after endorsement by the Charter Organization and formal publication of the amended By-Laws in its entirety.

D. SUPERSEDE AND REVIEW

Once approved and published, the amended By-Laws supersede all previous By-Laws. Each troop family has a right to receive a current copy of the By-Laws and a parent or legal guardian of the Trailman must return a signed statement of understanding to the Troop Membership Chair within two weeks of receipt.

E. LOCATION

The primary meeting location for Troop CO-2626 is Corpus Christi Catholic Church located at 2318 North Cascade Ave., Colorado Springs, Colorado.

F. TROOP LIABILITY

In the event that the assets of Troop CO-2626 are insufficient to discharge liabilities, the membership of the Troop may be held liable under State and local laws governing organization debts.

G. TROOP ORGANIZATION

The Troop organization will be in accordance with Trail Life USA policies, publications, and other policies set by the Charter Organization.

The Charter Organization and Troop will work cooperatively to establish and nurture the

Troop as part of the youth apostolate of Corpus Christi Catholic Church so that young men and adults may grow in faith, Christian character, personal responsibility and citizenship, and physical fitness.

Youth and adult membership in Troop CO-2626 is open to all youth and adults that meet the Membership Standards for Trail Life USA.

No leader or Trailman may use Troop CO-2626 or the Charter Organization to promote a particular social or political agenda advocating for a moral view that is inconsistent with that of the Charter Organization or which becomes a distraction to the Charter Organization or Troop. Doing so is grounds for immediate dismissal.

ARTICLE III TROOP COMMITTEE BY-LAWS

A. TROOP COMMITTEE

The authority for the Committee to operate is granted, in part, by these by-laws, the governing rules of the Charter Organization, and the Charter Organization Agreement from Trail Life USA. These by-laws supplement the roles and responsibilities of committee members as defined in the Trail Life USA Troop Level Positions and bound the limits of their authority.

The Committee Chair, Troopmaster, and Treasurer must be separate individuals and not of the same Trailman family.

1. Charter Organization Representative

The Charter Organization Representative is the liaison between Troop CO-2626 and the

Charter Organization.

2. Committee Chair

The Committee Chair is ultimately responsible for Troop CO-2626 and all of its functions.

The Committee Chair answers to the Charter Organization.

The Committee Chair coordinates and schedules all regular boards of review (one month prior to Court of Honors), regular courts of honor, and ensures that the unit is providing opportunity for timely advancement within the Trail Life USA model.

The Committee Chair ensures the meeting location is reserved for Troop CO-2626 use and is maintained in a high state of repair by the Trailmen.

3. Vice Committee Chair

The Vice Committee Chair provides assistance to the Committee Chair and acts as the Committee Chair in his or her absence.

4. Troopmaster

The Troopmaster oversees all direct contact leaders, understands all programmatic operations of the Troop, and reports successes and systemic challenges faced by

leaders and youth to the Committee.

The Troopmaster is coach of and Troop Committee representative for the Rangers, Trailmasters, Advisors, and Trail Guides.

Additional responsibilities of the Troopmaster as they pertain to the supervision of the

Troop are defined in Article III, Section G.

5. Troop Chaplain

The Troop Chaplain assures that the Troop emphasizes and stays true to its Christian mission (organizing prayer for meetings, services at campouts, etc).

The Troop Chaplain is qualified to give spiritual advice and encourages regular religious participation of each member.

6. Treasurer

The Treasurer collects money and keeps track of all Troop finances.

The Treasurer reports status of finances to the Committee on monthly basis.

The Treasurer disburses funds and executes expenditures approved by the Committee.

The Treasurer works directly with the youth Scribe.

7. Troop Advancement Chair

The Troop Advancement Chair is responsible for all advancement records and works to ensure adults and Trailmen receive awards, badges, and ranks in a timely manner.

The Troop Advancement Chair maintains the TroopTrack online database.

The Troop Advancement Chair provides all departing Trailman a record of advancement/ awards completed with Troop CO-2626.

The Troop Advancement Chair works directly with the youth Scribe.

8. Troop Outdoor/Activities Chair

The Troop Outdoor/Activities Chair assists in the planning of outdoor activities.

The Troop Outdoor/Activities Chair books venues and make arrangements supporting the outdoor activity program laid out by the Officer's Conference to include filing necessary tour permits and parental permission slips.

The Troop Outdoor/Activities Chair serves as transportation coordinator and maintains a file of authorized drivers.

9. Troop Membership Chair

The Troop Membership Chair helps ensure regular recruiting of new members, provides

a smooth transition of new Trailmen into the unit, and orientation of new parents.

The Troop Membership Chair maintains youth and adult health and medical records.

10. Troop Training Chair

The Troop Training Chair ensures proper execution of the background checks required by Trail Life USA and the diocese of Colorado Springs of all adult leaders.

The Troop Training Chair maintains certification of records for all adult leader training.

11. Troop Community Service Chair

The Troop Community Service Chair coordinates the annual community service program, which is recommended to include four Troop service projects per year.

12. Troop Secretary

The Troop Secretary produces, prints, and disseminates minutes from each committee meeting and develops agendas for subsequent committee meetings.

The Troop Secretary works directly with the youth Scribe and Historian.

13. Troop Equipment Coordinator

The Troop Equipment Coordinator works with the youth Quartermaster and is responsible for inventory, storage, and maintenance of unit equipment.

14. Troop Public Relations Chair

The Troop Public Relations Chair provides news and announcements about the unit to newspapers, websites, and other media outlets.

The Troop Public Relations Chair may also be the Troop Webmaster (if desired).

The Troop Public Relations Chair promotes service projects.

The Troop Public Relations Chair promotes new membership and lets people in the town or neighborhood know that TRAIL LIFE USA is available.

15. Troop Fundraising Chair

The Troop Fundraising Chair coordinates the time, location, work schedule, and all other details associated with Troop fundraising events.

16. Other Committee Positions

There are a number of other positions on the Troop Committee that are filled as volunteers become available. In the absence of volunteers, the duties listed below may be assigned to any member of the Committee by the Committee Chair.

Trail Badge Counselor Coordinator

The Trail Badge Counselor Coordinator develops and maintains a merit badge counselor list.

Freedom Award Advisor

The Freedom Award Advisor assists Adventurer Trailmen with selection, approval, planning, accomplishment, and write-up of Freedom Award projects.

The Freedom Award Advisor advises Trailmen completing Freedom Award applications and shepherds Freedom Award applications through the approval process.

The Freedom Award Advisor coordinates and schedules Freedom Award Boards of Review with appropriate representatives.

Uniform/Equipment Exchange Coordinator

The Uniform/Equipment Exchange Coordinator maintains uniforms and equipment for sale or exchange.

B. UNIFORM

The uniform prescribed by Trail Life USA is the accepted uniform of Troop CO-2626. The Class A uniform includes embroidered shirt with epaulettes, cargo pants, web belt

with embossed metal buckle, socks, and baseball cap. The Class B uniform substitutes a green (Woodlands Trail), gray (Navigator), or blue (Adventurer) T-shirt or polo for the Class A shirt. All Committee Members are highly encouraged to set the proper example for the Trailmen and wear the Class A or Class B uniform at all Troop Life USA activities.

C. PARENTAL SUPPORT

Parental support is an essential ingredient in the successful operation of the Troop. The Troop needs every parent's support! Parents are encouraged to:

Volunteer to be a Committee Member or Adult Leader.

Volunteer to be an adult leader for activities held away from Corpus Christi Catholic Church.

Volunteer to provide transportation to and from activities held away from Corpus Christi Catholic Church.

Volunteer to be a trail badge counselor.

Help with and support fund raising activities.

Help schedule the Trailman's time so he can participate in as many Troop activities as possible.

Encourage and support the Trailman's advancement.

Help the Trailman obtain a full uniform. Note: Freedom Award candidates must have a complete class A uniform (See Article IV, Section A).

Attend family-oriented Troop functions (e.g., Courts of Honor, etc.).

D. TROOP FINANCES

Registration fees, dues, and Troop fundraising activities are the main sources of Troop income. This income is used to pay annual registration fees, support Troop equipment maintenance and upgrades, and finance Troop activities. The Charter Organization Representative (or designee) will audit troop accounts annually, each September.

The Troop Committee will approve all disbursements over \$300.00. Bills for these expenses will be submitted directly to the Treasurer.

All outgoing financial transactions will be made by check and signed by the Charter Organization, Treasurer or its designated representative.

Each Trailman will pay semi-annual registration fee when he joins the Troop. This is nonrefundable. Annually, each youth member will pay re-charter fees.

At re-charter, if funds are available, the Troop will reimburse adult leaders for their re-charter fees.

Trailmen must pay dues during the first Troop meeting in January and September. The dues amount is established by the Troop Committee (currently \$50.00 per semester or \$80 a year) and will be considered delinquent after the third Troop meeting. Trailmen with delinquent dues may be denied advancement and / or the right to participate in Troop activities.

All adults will pay the fees charged for their attendance at Troop events and encampments, including food. Fees are due at least one week prior to the event and are nonrefundable.

The Troopmaster or senior registered adult leading an encampment will determine the participant cost. The cost will include site / participant fees and food costs, to include a fee assessed each Trailman participating in a troop encampment to cover common patrol expenses such as charcoal, paper towels, foil, soap, cooking oil, and scrub pads.

The Meal Planner for each patrol will shop within the given budget. Requests from the patrol Meal Planner for reimbursement will be made to the Troop Treasurer through the Troopmaster or senior registered adult leading the encampment.

Drivers will not normally be reimbursed for trips less than 200 miles one-way (400 miles round trip), except for the owner of the vehicle towing the trailer, who may request reimbursement based on actual mileage using the government-approved rate.

At the discretion of the Troopmaster or senior registered adult leading a trip, a nominal transportation fee for passengers may be requested as part of the overall cost of the trip (transportation fee to be approved by the Committee).

Consumable supplies used in preparing meals, such as special spices and seasonings, are provided by the patrol with the cost shared equally among patrol members.

Trailmen are responsible for their gear and Troop gear in their use. The Troop will not be liable for lost, stolen, or damaged personal gear. Troop equipment damaged by Trailmen through negligence or abuse will be repaired or replaced by the Trailmen responsible for the damage. The decision to repair or replace the damaged equipment

will be made by the Troop Committee. In any case, the cost will not exceed the original cost of the item.

Depending on the state of Troop finances, the Troop may contribute up to \$25.00 towards the purchase of a cake for a Freedom Award Court of Honor. All other expenses associated with the event will be borne by the Trailman and his family.

At any time someone experience financial hardship may request exceptions and/or assistance from the Troopmaster and/or Committee.

E. HEALTH RECORDS AND POWERS OF ATTORNEY

Every Trailman and adult leader must have a current Weekend Health and Medical Record on file with the Troop Secretary. When traveling greater than 500 miles, a general Medical Power of Attorney assigning Troop CO-2626 and its leaders the authority to seek medical assistance for each Trailman on a parent's behalf is required.

F. MEETINGS

During the school year, Troop meetings are weekly at Corpus Christi Catholic Church. The OC or Troopmaster may change the time and/or place of the Troop meeting as necessary. With the exception of overnight activities, all Troop and patrol activities will terminate no later than 8:00 pm.

Adults picking Trailmen up from Troop or patrol activities are expected to arrive by 8:00 pm. Trailmen will not be permitted to leave the building unless a parent or adult guardian accompanies them out.

The Committee meets monthly at Corpus Christi Catholic Church. The purpose of the Committee meeting is to:

- Discuss events for the coming month, discuss future events, determine if the Committee needs to assist the Officer's Conference in the preparation for event(s) (i.e., vehicle drivers, trail badge counselors, etc.).
- Receive the Treasurer's Report.
- Receive the Troopmaster's report outlining the current program and Troop needs.
- Approve the Annual Planning Calendar.
- Discuss other issues.

Committee will be run in accordance with parliamentary procedures and use Robert's Rules of Order. The following exceptions apply:

- A simple majority vote by registered Committee members present during a Committee meeting is sufficient to conduct all business.
- In the event of a tied vote, the Committee Chair will cast the deciding vote (the Committee Chair will not cast a vote under most circumstances).
- Rangers, Trailmasters, Advisors, and Trail Guides advise the Committee on issues of concern but have no vote.

G. SUPERVISION

There are several adult positions within the Troop responsible for direct leadership or supervision youth leadership. The Committee and the Charter Organization must approve candidates for each position.

1. Troopmaster

The Troopmaster oversees all direct contact leaders and assures that the Troop meetings and activities are run in accordance with the policies of Trail Life USA and the Charter Organization.

Additional responsibilities of the Troopmaster as they pertain to the committee are defined in Article III, Section A.

2. Assistant Troopmaster

The Assistant Troopmaster provides assistance to the Troopmaster and acts as the Troopmaster in his absence. There may be several Assistant Troopmasters with specific assignments.

3. Ranger

Rangers lead the Woodlands Trail patrols within the Troop.
Ranges are NOT voting members of the Committee but may be asked to attend Troop Committee meetings.

4. Trail Master

Trail Masters oversee the operation of Navigator patrols within the Troop by providing direction, coaching, and support.

Trail Masters are NOT voting members of the Committee but may be asked to attend Troop Committee meetings.

5. Advisor

Advisors oversee the operation of Adventurer patrols and the Guidon Unit within the Troop by providing direction, coaching, and support.

Trail Masters are NOT voting members of the Committee but may be asked to attend Troop Committee meetings.

6. Trail Guides

Trail Guides assist Rangers, Trailmasters, and Advisors in delivering the troop program.

H. TRAINING

The welfare and safety of the Trailmen within the Troop are our highest priority and this By-laws has been specifically designed to address that priority. All Trailmen activities in which the Troop participates will be supervised for the duration of the activity by a minimum of two adults over the age of 21. These adults will be a registered leader and have completed, at a minimum, the requirements levied by Trail Life USA, the Diocese of Colorado Springs, and those outlined in this section.

If the second adult is not a registered leader, then he/she must be the parent or legal guardian of a youth attending the activity. In the event the Troopmaster is unable to attend a particular activity, then he will designate a registered leader, having met the training requirements described above, to assume the position of Troopmaster-in-Charge during the activity. The Troopmaster or Troopmaster-in-Charge will be present for the duration of the entire activity. Exceptions may occur, but these will be made on a case-by-case basis and must be approved by the Committee.

All registered adult leaders will be safe trained according to the Diocese of Colorado Springs, will complete Trail Life USA youth protection training, and will remain current. All direct leaders (Troopmaster, Assistant Troopmasters, Rangers, Trail Masters, Advisors, and Trail Guides) are strongly encouraged to complete Red Cross or equivalent First Aid and Cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and must complete other training required by Trail Life USA. All adult leaders will provide the Committee Advancement Chairperson certification of their training.

I. REPLACEMENT OF ADVANCEMENT ITEMS

Trailmen must show written verification of an originally received award to the Advancement Chairperson before being given a replacement. Replacements are purchased directly from the Advancement Chairperson. In the event that the Trailman cannot provide written verification of an award the matter will be deferred to the Committee, which will determine the appropriateness of providing the Trailman a replacement.

J. BOARDS OF REVIEW

Boards are normally conducted twice a year, one month prior to each Court of Honor. The Committee Chair will select the venue and ensure that a minimum of three registered Committee Members or registered adults (Troopmaster and Assistant Troopmasters excepted) are present to conduct a board. Out-of-cycle Boards of Review will be convened at the discretion of the Advancement Chair and Committee Chairman.

ARTICLE IV

OFFICER'S CONFERENCE BY-LAWS

A. UNIFORM

The uniform prescribed by Trail Life USA is the accepted uniform of Troop CO-2626. The Class A uniform includes embroidered shirt with epaulettes, cargo pants, web belt with embossed metal buckle, socks, and baseball cap. The Class B uniform substitutes a green (Woodlands Trail), gray (Navigator), or blue (Adventurer) T-shirt or polo for the Class A shirt. The Class A or Class B uniform is mandatory at all Trail Life USA activities. On occasion, the Troopmaster may approve an alternate Trail Life USA related T-shirt, but all T-shirts will be in the spirit of the Trail Life USA image (Troopmaster's discretion). The uniform must be in good condition and the shirt tucked inside the pants/shorts.

B. TROOP MEETINGS

See Article III, Section F.

C. OFFICER'S CONFERENCE AND LEADERS' MEETINGS

The OC consists of the following personnel: First Officer, Second Officer, Patrol Leaders, Junior Patrol Leaders, Troop Guide(s), Scribe, and a minimum of two adult leaders (one being the Troopmaster). The Scribe is a non-voting member. The Officer's Conference will also hold an Annual Planning Conference to outline the program and annual calendar for the coming year. The date of this meeting will be determined by the Troopmaster and First Officer. The OC will also meet at least once a month, or more frequently if needed, to review plans and address issues of concern to the council. See Article III, Section F.

D. CAMPOUTS

A schedule of weekend campouts will be completed at the Annual Planning Conference. The Troop Outdoor/Activity Chair will assist the Troopmaster or senior adult leader in completing the Outdoor Activity Plan in preparation for each campout. The Troop Outdoor/Activity Chair will keep the Committee Chair and Troopmaster advised of the progress of preparation actions.

Trailmen will normally pay all fees charged for attendance at events, including food. These fees are due prior to the event and are non-refundable, but the Troopmaster or Committee Chair may modify this requirement. If a Trailman decides to not attend an

outing after the food has been purchased, he is still responsible for paying his portion of the cost. Similarly, he may also still be liable for any and all camping fees associated with the outing if payments to the activity have already been disbursed.

Prior to a Campout

Each Trailman must inform his patrol leader and/or direct adult leader as to whether or not he will attend. Exceptions are rare and will be made on an individual basis and decided by the Troopmaster and Troop Outdoor/Activity Chair.

Patrol leaders will present a menu and duty roster to the First Officer. In turn, the First Officer will provide the Troopmaster and Troop Outdoor/Activity Chair with a printed camp schedule, list of Trailmen attending, and copies of each patrol's menu and duty roster.

Additional Items

Trail Life USA uniform will be worn at meetings, at flag ceremonies, and any other events specified by the Troopmaster.

Meals will be prepared and eaten by individual patrols unless the Officer's Conference and/or Troopmaster specify otherwise.

Trailmen will use Troop owned equipment to the maximum extent.

For protection of Troop tents, shoes and cots will NOT be taken or used inside the tent. Additionally, patrol boxes, coolers, food, and backpacks will be left outside under protective cover.

During campouts, duty rosters and menus will be posted on the patrol boxes.

E. MISBEHAVIOR

A Trailman who misbehaves (rough housing, use of profanity, etc.) will be counseled by his patrol leader. If the behavior continues, the First Officer will counsel the Trailman. If it continues still, the Troopmaster or other adult will counsel the Trailman. If the Trailman's behavior does not change, the parents will be contacted by the Troopmaster and asked to pick up their son and take him home. The decision to send a Trailman home rests with the Troopmaster. Additionally, the Trailman will not be allowed to attend any other Troop events until the Trailman, Trailman's parents, Troopmaster, Ranger/Trail Guide/Advisor, Patrol Leader, and First Officer, have arrived at a mutually agreeable solution.

Stealing

Stealing will not be tolerated. A Trailman found in the unauthorized possession of personal items belonging to another Trailman will be sent home and not be allowed to attend any other Troop events until the Trailman, Trailman's parents, Troopmaster, Ranger/Trail Guide/Advisor, Patrol Leader, and First Officer, have arrived at a mutually agreeable solution.

Fighting

Fighting will not be tolerated. A Trailman physically fighting with another Trailman will be sent home and not be allowed to attend any other Troop events until the Trailman, Trailman's parents, Troopmaster, Ranger/Trail Guide/Advisor, Patrol Leader, and First Officer, have arrived at a mutually agreeable solution.

Firearms, Explosives (Including Fireworks), Illegal Drugs, Alcohol

Firearms, explosives (including fireworks), illegal drugs, and / or alcohol are strictly prohibited. These items will not be tolerated at any time. In the case of possession of illegal drugs, the local authorities will be notified first and without prior consent of the parent(s) and/or guardians(s).

F. TROOP ELECTIONS

No Trailman will be allowed to hold or run for a position of leadership or responsibility without approval of the Troopmaster. Job descriptions for all leadership positions and positions of responsibility within the Troop are detailed in the Troop CO-2626 Guide for New Parents. Each Trailman elected or appointed to a position of responsibility will also

be given a personal copy of the statement of his duties and responsibilities. Training for

newly elected and appointed positions will take place within two weeks after the elections. The Troopmaster will conduct this training for the Assistant Troopmaster's and other adult leaders in attendance.

First Officer, Patrol Leaders, and Junior Patrol Leaders are elected during Troop elections and serve a six-month term of office. The First Officer appoints the Second Officer.

Requirements for First Officer

Rank of Journey Award or higher. In exceptional circumstances, the Troopmaster may waive this requirement.

Has been an active member in the Troop during the last six months. Participation is

based on attendance records supplied by Troop Scribe. The rank of First Officer carries

with it special obligations and he and the Second Officer are expected to participate in 75% or more of Troop activities.

Recommendation from Troopmaster.

Requirements for Patrol Leader Candidates

Rank of Journey Award or higher. In exceptional circumstances, the Troopmaster may waive this requirement.

Has actively participated in 75% or more of Troop activities during the last six months (and must maintain that level of participation during tenure). Participation is based on attendance records supplied by Troop Scribe.

Recommendation from Troopmaster.

Requirements for Junior Patrol Leader Candidates

Rank of Able Trailman or higher. In exceptional circumstances, the Troopmaster may waive this requirement.

Has actively participated in 75% or more of Troop activities during the last six months (and must maintain that level of participation during tenure). Participation is based on attendance records supplied by Troop Scribe.

Recommendation from Troopmaster.

Appointed Positions

The First Officer and Second Officer will identify and provide a list of their nominees for the appointed positions of responsibility (i.e., Instructor, Quartermaster, Librarian, Historian, Scribe, Chaplain Aide, etc.) to the Troopmaster no later than one week after Troop elections. Trailmen working towards the Journey Award, Horizon Award, or Freedom Award should be given first opportunity to hold a leadership position. See Troop CO-2626 Handbook, Appendix A, Table 2, Troop Organization.

ARTICLE V

TROOP DISSOLUTION

A. DISPOSAL OF ASSETS

In case of the dissolution of Trail Life USA Troop CO-2626, all funds remaining in the Troop treasury will be used to satisfy any outstanding debts, liabilities, or financial obligations. Any remaining assets and all real property will be turned over to the Charter Organization for disposal.

APPROVAL

AUTHORIZING SIGNATURES: This document becomes effective and approved once the Troop Committee chairperson and the Charter Partner have signed below.

Chartered Organization Representative

Deacon Kein Rihany

Trail Life USA Troop CO-2626

Committee Chair

Trail Life USA Troop CO-2626

Don C. Zalun

STATEMENT OF PARENTAL UNDERSTANDING

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE BY-LAWS OF TROOP CO 26:26

Please acknowledge your understanding by signing in the space(s) below. On behalf of the Troop Committee, we welcome you and your son to Troop CO26:26. Once signed, please return this statement to the Troop. Parental support is essential to providing your son with the most rewarding Trail Life USA experience possible.

Parent or Legal Guardian Signature	Date	
Print Name		
Adventurer/Navigator Signature		