

Troop 53 Honor Patrol Program

AKA "Bead" Program

Beads will be awarded to Patrols for participation in weekly Troop meetings, Troop campouts and Troop service projects. Beads will be kept by the Quartermaster and displayed at each Troop meeting. The Patrol with the most beads at the end of each program period (about 6 months) will be the Honor Patrol and will be allowed to pick a special reward/award for their Patrol.

Bead Awards:

- **Troop meetings**
 - all Patrol members in full uniform – 1 bead
 - all Patrol members have their Scout Handbook – 1 bead
 - Patrol has its symbol (flag, banner) – 1 bead
- **Patrol Leaders Council**
 - Patrol Leader or his representative participates – 5 beads
- **Troop Campouts**
 - Patrol members arrive on time (6:30–arrive, 6:45–assemble, 7:00–leave) – 2 beads
 - at least 2/3 of the Patrol members participate – 2 beads
 - Patrol camp set up as Patrol – 2 beads
 - Patrol camp passes inspection (anytime during campout) – 2 beads
 - Patrol duty roster complete and displayed – 1 bead
 - all Patrol members in Class A uniform coming and going – 1 bead
 - all Patrol members have their Scout Handbook – 1 bead
 - Patrol has its symbol (flag, banner) – 1 bead
- **Troop Service Projects**
 - at least 1/2 of the Patrol members participate – 12 beads

Possible Awards – you can come up with your own idea within reason and with the Scoutmaster's approval.

- adults cook Saturday night dinner at a campout
- pizza party at a Patrol meeting
- ice cream party
- night at the movies
- video arcade game night
- roller/ice rink night
- putt–putt golf
- St. Louis City Museum
- Cardinal Hall of Fame
- a trip up the Arch
- St. Louis Transportation Museum
- a night at the Looking Glass or SWIC theater
- LaserRock
- Omnimax at the St. Louis Science Center
- St. Louis Toy Museum
- bowling night
- minor league sporting event
- White Castle party