



Code of Conduct

This code of conduct will be in force for all Moraine Trails Council Venturing events. The behavior and attitude of all Venturers must always be based first on the Venturing Code and Oath

Venturing Oath

As a Venturer, I promise to do my duty to God and help strengthen America, to help others, and to seek truth, fairness, and adventure in our world.

Venturing Code

As a Venturer, I believe that America's strength lies in our trust in God and in the courage, strength, and traditions of our people.

I will, therefore, be faithful in my religious duties and will maintain a personal sense of honor in my own life.

I will treasure my American heritage and will do all I can to preserve and enrich it.

I will recognize the dignity and worth of all humanity and will use fair play and goodwill in my daily life.

I will acquire the Venturing attitude that seeks truth in all things and adventure on the frontiers of our changing world.

Four particular aspects of these concepts are further emphasized for this Code of Conduct:

- § Respect for others
 - Respect each other's privacy. Separate sleeping quarters and sanitary facilities will be provided for males and females and remain separate.
 - Tolerate no fighting, foul language or disruptive behavior.
 - Respect and obey all adult leaders regardless of their affiliation with your own crew or the event leadership
 - Participate in scheduled events and be on-time
 - Know the rules and follow them. Bring concerns about "unfairness" to the activity leaders.
- § Common sense
 - Be safe. Make sure an adult leader always knows your whereabouts. No one should go out on his or her own. Always bring a "buddy". There should always be at least two females and two males in any mixed group.
 - Get plenty of sleep.
 - Use good judgment. If a decision takes you into the gray area between black and white, assume the worst and err on the safe side until you can get further direction from an adult.
- § Leave-No-Trace
 - Clean up after yourself. We have no maid service. Show respect for your fellow participants, the activity organizers and hosts by cleaning up after yourself and cheerfully offering to assist in maintaining common areas.
- § Have fun!

Violating this code could result in immediate removal from the activity with no refund of fees paid.