

Calhoun Pathfinder Club Expectations & Guidelines

1. Pathfinder Responsibilities

Pathfinders are expected to demonstrate commitment, responsibility, and Christian character.

- Maintain at least **75% attendance** to remain eligible for Investiture, camping, field trips, and other special activities.
- Make up all missed work to be invested.
- Submit all Investiture and Honor requirements **at least one month before Investiture**.
- Live by the **Pathfinder Pledge and Law**, follow club rules, and strive for spiritual growth.

2. Club Policies

- Wear the appropriate uniform for all Pathfinder activities as required.
- All club meals are vegetarian/vegan.
- Questions or concerns should first be directed to the Pathfinder's **Unit Counselor**.

3. Code of Conduct

Pathfinders are expected to demonstrate:

- Teamwork
- Leadership
- Responsibility
- Respect
- Confidence
- Integrity
- Self-discipline
- Creativity
- Positive attitude
- Kindness

4. Dress Code

Participants should dress modestly and appropriately.

- Closed-toe & closed heel shoes are required for activities and meetings.
- Clothing must be modest (no short shorts, bare midriffs, tank tops, tube tops, halter tops, or sagging pants).
- Dresses and skirts should be fingertip length or longer.
- Clothing may not display offensive, violent, drug/alcohol-related, or gang-related images.
- Visible pierced jewelry is not permitted.....

5. Discipline Policy

Behavior concerns are addressed using a progressive discipline process.

The following are strictly prohibited:

- Fighting, bullying, harassment, intimidation, discrimination, abusive or inappropriate language.
- Drugs, alcohol, tobacco, or weapons.
- Inappropriate public displays of affection.
- Unauthorized use of cell phones or electronic devices during meetings. Phones may be collected during overnight events. *Junior or Teen pathfinders are not allowed phones at any event.*
- Leaving an activity or campsite without permission from their Counselor.

Three-Strike Guideline

1. Verbal warning.
2. Verbal warning, temporary removal from the activity, and parent notification.
3. Possible dismissal from the Pathfinder Club.

Serious violations may result in immediate dismissal at the Leadership Team's discretion.

All Behavior violations may also result in:

- Written disciplinary reports
- Extra duties
- Loss of activity privileges
- Being sent home from an event when necessary.

6. Parent Responsibilities

Parents are essential partners in the Pathfinder program.

- Volunteer approximately **10 hours each year** (fundraising, club campouts, field trips, honors, transportation, club meetings, etc.).
- Attend major club events, including **Induction, Pathfinder Sabbath programs, Investiture, and parent meetings.**
- Complete any required background checks and obtain approval before volunteering.
- Help Pathfinders prepare for activities and ensure proper camping gear is packed.

If a child has to be sent home for disciplinary reasons. Parents are responsible for picking up their child or any expenses related to getting them home.

Pathfinders gives young people a fun way to draw closer to God while learning unique practical skills not taught in school...or most homes. It helps kids build healthy bodies, strong values, and self-discipline so they are prepared for school, future jobs, and life's next adventures.

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Pathfinder's Signature_____

Date_____

Mother's Signature_____

Date_____

Father's Signature_____

Date_____

Staff's Signature_____

Date_____