#### Life to Eagle Seminar

June, 2023



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- Discuss the Eagle Leadership Service Project
- Review the requirements for Eagle
- Understand the Time commitment
- Discuss the Eagle Board of Review
- Answer questions and...avoid surprises!

#### Life to Eagle

"While a Life Scout, plan, develop, and give leadership to others in a service project helpful to any religious institution, any school, or your community."

Eagle Rank requirement 5

#### Eagle Project Workbook—3 parts

- Proposal—4 approval signatures required to start
- Plan
- Final Report—signatures attesting completion



Use computer to complete the fillable PDF or neatly print in ink

Add pictures with captions—define & explain

Proofread, proofread, proofread

#### Life to Eagle

#### Path--

- Proposal Approval
- After Approval
- Eagle Project Workbook
- Eagle Application including other rank req
- Supplemental Info
- Eagle Binder
- Submittal
- Board of Review

#### Service Project Proposal Approval Process

Define Service Project Complete Project Proposal section Present for approval by

- Beneficiary representative
- Unit Leader
- Unit Committee

After receiving these 3 approval signatures Call to set up District Approval Meeting

### Contacts for District Approval Meeting Call either:

• JoAnne Strom 215-272-4155

Austin Armstrong 267-218-1817

Be Prepared—leave a complete message: Name, Unit, Phone#, Reason for call Repeat Name, Phone#

## Info for Contacts page in workbook "District Project Approval Representative"

JoAnne Strom—215-272-4155 616 Landis Road; Telford, PA 18969 SJStrom@verizon.net

Austin Armstrong—267-218-1817 517 Prospect Ave; North Wales, PA 19454 AustinHArmstrong@gmail.com

#### Project Approval Meeting Expectations

- Professional attitude and appearance
- Proposal section of Workbook completed
- Photos and/or drawings
- Basic understanding of skills required

Will Receive & Review—Eagle Application and "Steps after Approval"

## After Approval meeting— determine if Fundraiser Application is needed

#### NOT needed for contributions from:

- Scout & scout's family/relatives
- Scout's unit or charter organization
- Beneficiary
- Families in the scout's unit

If Not—Finish plan and start the project



- If Yes—Complete the Fundraising Application (form is located in Project Plan)
  - Be specific—Who will be asked for what? Or How? (carwash, or...)
  - Obtain approval signatures
  - Scan & Email form & Project Proposal signature page to:
    - Holly\_Hammond@verizon.net
  - Submit >2 weeks before fundraiser or before asking for donations/materials
  - After approval--start fundraising & project

#### After Project Proposal Approval

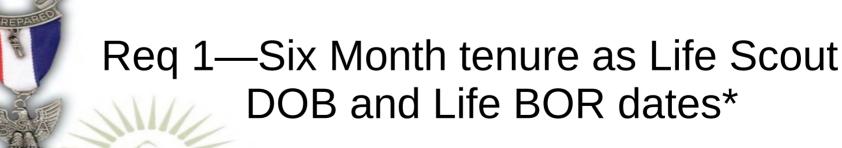
#### Develop detailed plan

- Anticipate issues
- Work out details
- Learn any special skills
- Possibly construct a sample or model

\*\*Major changes require re-approval\*\*



# Eagle Application Current Revision—scouting.org 2-sided, print in color Fillable PDF or print in ink Scoutbook can auto-fill parts of app



\*Tenure must be completed before scout's 18th birthday

## Eagle Application Req 2—Demonstrate scout lives by Oath & Law (Letters of Recommendation)

#### Identify a contact for each area specified

- If no religious affiliation—parent affirms belief
- "Employer" is the only optional contact
- Give each contact a stamped envelope with unit leader's address
- Add scout's initials to back; add key to ID sender
- Submit sealed envelopes with all other paperwork/binder to GN Eagle BOR Chair



## Eagle Application Req 3—21 Merit Badges for Eagle Rank\*

- Used to verify MBs used for each rank
- List Electives in order of "date earned"
- Multi-choice badges:

1<sup>st</sup> earned is Eagle RequiredCross out other optionsOther options may be used for electives

Include complete advancement record in binder \*MBs must be completed before 18th birthday

#### Req 3—21 Merit Badges for Eagle Rank\*

- Camping
- Citizenship in the Community
- Citizenship in the Nation
- Citizenship in Society
- Citizenship in the World
- Communications
- Cooking
- Emergency Preparedness <u>or</u> Lifesaving
- Environmental Science <u>or</u> Sustainability
- Family Life
- First Aid
- Personal Fitness
- Personal Management
- Swimming <u>or</u> Hiking <u>or</u> Cycling



#### Req 3—21 Merit Badges for Eagle Rank\*

- Family Life
- Personal Fitness
- Personal Management
- These 3 merit badges requirements state:
   Meet with your counselor <u>first</u>
   After starting badge, keep records for <u>3 months</u>
- No counselor can add, subtract, or alter reqs
- Meet with counselor <u>AT LEAST</u> three months before 18<sup>th</sup> birthday



## Eagle Application Req 4—Position of Responsibility for Eagle

- Total 6 Months <u>after</u> Life BOR\*
- Any combination equaling 6 Months
- List of acceptable Leadership Positions in scout's Troop, Crew or Ship

\*Pos of Resp must be completed before 18th birthday

## Eagle Application Req 5—Eagle Project

- Completion date from workbook\*
- Grand total of service hours

Req 6—Unit Leader Conference\*

\*must be completed before 18th birthday

## Eagle Application Certification by Applicant

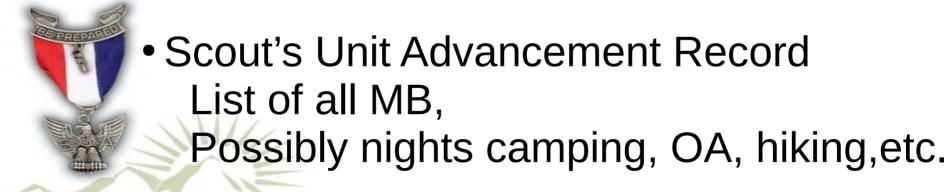
Statement of Ambition and Life Purpose--Sharing plans and goals for your <u>future</u>

List of Leadership/Awards outside Scouting School clubs/sports, band, science fair, church youth group, leadership at work

Sign, confirming all info true & completed before 18<sup>th</sup> birthday; signature may be dated afterward.

#### Supplemental Information

- Statement of Life Purpose and Ambition
- Leadership/Awards outside of Scouting
- Save these files as PDFs



## The Eagle Project Binder Contains ALL originals:

- Eagle Project Workbook (all 3 parts)
- Eagle Application
- Scout's Unit Advancement Record
- Statement of Ambition and Life Purpose
- Listing of other Leadership/Awards
- 5 (or 6,if employed) Sealed Letters of Recommendation

#### The Eagle Project Binder

Review by Unit leader, Scout, Adv. Chair:

- Review all for completeness
- Use Checklist as a guide
- Sign & place completed checklist in front pocket of the binder

#### The Eagle Project Binder

#### Make 3 b&w copies for Board members:

- Eagle Application,
- Scout's Unit Advancement Record,
- Ambition and Life Purpose Statement
- List of other Leadership/Awards
- The Eagle Project Workbook (only copy workbook pages where the scout has entered information or pictures)

Prepare files for submittal-Eagle Project Workbook
Ambition Statement
Leadership outside of scouting
Eagle Application

- Save all files as PDFs
- Suggested format for naming files— Lastname, FirstnameUnit, <item>.pdf
   "Smith, Jo—C401, Workbook.pdf"

#### Email or Upload to council:

- Application
- Statement of Ambition
- List of other Leadership/Awards
- Eagle Project Workbook

Either email Emily.Frederick@scouting.org (and cc: David.Arnold1@siemens.com)

**OR upload** (new--pilot program for GN) https://forms.gle/tjhZjnAens25HqXn6



#### **Deliver:**

- Binder with <u>all</u> Originals
- 3 b&w copies, binder clipped
- Sealed letters of recommendation

To: Dave Arnold, GN Eagle BOR Chair Contact to arrange David.Arnold1@siemens.com or bring to T84 Cabin, Thurs@730

Board of Review-Dave Arnold, GN Eagle BOR Chair

COL approves application & notifies BOR Chair

BOR Chair will contact Unit Leader and Scout to arrange day/time for a BOR

BORs typically held Tues or Thurs at the North Wales (T84) Scout Cabin