

BISON DISTRICT NOMINATION FOR 2025/26 DISTRICT AWARDS

I nominate the following person:

Name _____ **Address/City/State/Zip** _____

(Please provide full name, correctly spelled, and title, if any)

Phone _____ **Email** _____ **Unit/Position** _____

Nominator's Name: _____ **Address/City/State/Zip** _____

Phone _____ **Email** _____ **Unit/Position** _____

Please select the award or awards nominated. **Please confirm whether or not the nominee has previously received this award(s) before submitting this nomination form. Also please include any information about other awards received, leadership positions (current and previous) and training of which you are aware.**

Youth Awards

- ☐ Outstanding Scouter Award (Any Registered Youth Scouter)
- ☐ Shawnee Chapter Scouter of the Year (Any Registered Dues Paid Lodge Member)
- ☐ Once an Eagle Always an Eagle (Eagle Scout who has continued service to unit for a year past their Eagle Date)

Adult Awards

- ☐ Outstanding Scoutmaster Award (Any registered Scoutmaster, Ass't Scoutmaster, Crew Advisor, or Ass't Crew Advisor)
- ☐ Outstanding Cubmaster Award (Any registered Cubmaster, or Ass't Cubmaster)
- ☐ Outstanding Volunteer Award (Any registered volunteer Scouter)
- ☐ Sparkplug Award (Any newer adult who has done an amazing job within a unit or in the district)

Special Awards

District Award of Merit (Any registered volunteer Scouter within the District that has given at least five years of service to Scouting and/or District – Highest Award in District) (See additional nomination form online)

Added Details

****Please add additional information below on why your nominee deserves that award. It will help differentiate your candidate apart from others when the Nominations Committee is selecting winners.

Nominations are due on or before December 31st, 2025. **Nominations received after this date will not be accepted.**

We need the nominations to be sure that all awards are ordered and engraved by the time of the award presentation. Award winners will be alerted ahead of time in order to plan on attending the 2026 District Dinner, where they will receive the award.

Send District Nominations to: Kurt Garner kurt.garner@scouting.org

Please type on this page or a separate file and email a copy back. Excerpts maybe read during award presentation.

I Nominate this person because... (Type reasons here)

Awards You Should Know About

Nominated Awards

Unit Leader Award of Merit

(Knot and Special Position Patch)

Must be started by the Unit Committee Chair

Complete 18 continuous months



Award of Merit shoulder sleeve insignia.

Den Leader Award

Must have Cubmaster and Committee Chair Approval

Complete 1 year in position



Scouter's Training Award

Must Have Committee Chair Approval

Complete 2 year in position

For Pack, Troop and District Committee



Scouters Key

Must have Committee Chair Approval

Complete 3 year in position

For Cubmaster, Scoutmaster and District Committee



Other Awards

James E West Fellowship Award

