



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA®

The Silver Beaver Award Nomination Form



The Silver Beaver Award was introduced in 1931 and is a council-level distinguished service award of the Boy Scouts of America. Recipients of this award are registered Scouters who have made an impact on the lives of youth through service given at the council level. This nomination form must be sent to the local council.

To prevent embarrassment, the candidate should not be notified of this nomination.

Name Samuel Blake Hall Jr. Spouse's name Sonya Hall
Home address 1019 Wildcat Road
City Dickson State TN Zip code 37055
Country USA Home phone (615) 446-0770 Mobile phone (615) 521-6508
Company name OnePulse INC. Professional title Licensed Practical Nurse (LPN)
Scouting position Troop Committee Chair Unit type and No. Troop 593 District name Highland Rim District
The nominee is registered in Scouting as Troop Committee Chair and holds a membership certificate expiring 12/31/2022 will recharter. (If Scouter is currently unit-connected, give unit number: Troop 593)
If the award is granted, we plan to present it on at Council Recognition Banquet April 2023
(This date is required, as it is recorded on the certificate.)

I confirm that the nominee lives by the principles of the Scout Oath and Scout Law in word and deed, and is exemplary in his/her personal, family, and professional activities.

Confirmation by person submitting nomination: Woody B. Hall
Scouting position Crew New Member Coordinator Woody B. Hall
Home phone (615) 491-2439 Mobile phone (615) 491-2439 Email ScoutingHalls@yahoo.com

* Silver Beaver Award committee chair signature

* Scout executive signature

* ONLY NECESSARY IF NOMINEE IS SELECTED

RECORD OF SERVICE IN THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Please list registered adult positions in the Boy Scouts of America with dates listed chronologically. Indicate unit number, chartered organization, and district where appropriate.

Position	Unit No.	District	Council	Dates From – To	Total Years
Council-level Leadership Roles					
Summer Camp, Winter Camp, OA Events, and Council Events Boxwell Staff to include Medical			MTC		10 or more Years
WLOE Staff for 10 years and WLOE Cubmaster 1 year			MTC		11 Years
POW WOW Staff			MTC		2 Years
BALOO Trainer for Multiple Districts			MTC		
College of Commissioner Science - Bachelors & 2 Masters and served on Staff			MTC		
Ran two Area Cub and Family Campouts			MTC		2 Years
Founder of the Highland Rim Merit Badge Extravaganza - Open to other Districts			MTC		7 Years
District-level Leadership Roles					
Unit Commissioner		HRD	MTC		
District Commissioner		HRD	MTC	2021	
District Training Chair		HRD	MTC		
OA Chapter Advisor		HRD	MTC		
Day Camp Program and Director		HRD	MTC		6 Years
Advancement Chair		HRD	MTC		
Merit Badge Counselor		HRD	MTC		
Unit-level Leadership Roles					
Tiger Leader	P 590	HRD	MTC	1999	
Cubmaster	P 590	HRD	MTC		
WEBELOS Leader	P 590	HRD	MTC		
Assistant Scoutmaster	T 593	HRD	MTC		
Committee Chair	T 593	HRD	MTC		

Total number of years as a registered adult Council volunteer: 23 Years

What significant council-level service to youth has been made by this nominee?

Here is a list of how Sam has given to Middle Tennessee Council and I'm sure I have missed even more.

Sam was a Cub Scout and earned the Arrow of Light. As a boy he attained the rank of Life Scout in LA. Is a member of the Order of the Arrow and is Vigil Started Cub Scouts again with his son Derek in 1999.

Sam earned Den Leader, Cub Scouter, Webelos, Cub Master, Scouter's, and Scouter's Key Awards. And the District Award of Merit.

He went through Woodbadge and earned his Woodbadge beads the following year.

WLOE staff for more than 10 years and was Cubmaster of the program once.

Went to National Camp School then help staff for 3 years.

Pow Wow staff for 2 years

Basic leader training

Training Chair for a couple of years

Baloo training in multi Districts

Advancement Chair

Assistant Commissioner for a couple of years

Staff of Winter Camp for 10 years

Staff Summer Camp for 5 years

Earned his Long Rifle

District Commissioner

Ran Day Camp for Highland Rim for 6 years

Ran two Area Cub & Family Camp-outs

College of Commissioner Science- staff and earned Bachelors and 2 Masters

Started Merit Badge Extravaganza for Highland Rim at the Renaissance Center for 3 years, then he has helped with it in Waverly for the last 4

His son Derek has earned his Eagle Scout Award and palms.

His daughter Kaitlynn has earned her Gold Award with Girl Scouts

Sam is still active with Troop 593 and loves teaching classes, and camping with the scouts.

(Attach additional page if needed)

NOTEWORTHY SERVICE OF EXCEPTIONAL CHARACTER TO YOUTH OUTSIDE OF SCOUTING

Please list organization, position held, recognition received and year(s) involved or awarded.

Organization	Position/Recognition	Year(s)
West Dickson Church of Christ		

Additional noteworthy comments on service of character to youth outside of Scouting:

ADDITIONAL NOTEWORTHY COMMENTS OF THE NOMINEE'S STANDING IN THE COMMUNITY

Information covering the nominee's standing in the community, citing activities in which he/she is **most active** in business, professional, civic, religious, educational, fraternal, veterans, and other non-Scouting areas.

Organization	Positions Held	Years Served	Accomplishments

Comments

Sam has deserved the Silver Beaver award for several years. He gives his heart and soul to the program along with a lot of his vacation time. He is a dedicated adult that gives it all to make the program better for the youth within our Council.

(Attach letters of recommendation if appropriate.)

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Give the full name and titles (if any) of the nominee exactly as you want them to appear on the certificate.
2. Furnish as much information as possible for each section.
3. Long-established policy limits the award of the Silver Beaver to adults 21 and older who are registered with the Boy Scouts of America as volunteer Scouters.
4. Nominations will not be considered for current or former professional Scouters within five (5) years of their leaving employment with the BSA. Other council employees (part time or full time) are eligible to receive the Silver Beaver Award based on their volunteer service, not employed service.
5. Nominations cannot be considered for posthumous awards.
6. Order Silver Beaver insignia using the regular Supply order form from the Supply Group distribution center.

RULES AND REGULATIONS of the BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Article X, Section 6, Clause 3 Silver Beaver Award

The Boy Scouts of America, acting through the National Court of Honor, may award the Silver Beaver for distinguished service to youth upon the following basis and procedure:

- a) Each local council may process their own annual allotment of Silver Beaver awards and shall send a list of Silver Beaver recipients presented each calendar year to the National Court of Honor no later than January 31 of the following year.
- b) The award is made for noteworthy service of exceptional character to youth by registered Scouters within the territory under the jurisdiction of a local council.
- c) As evidence of the award there shall be presented: a suitable certificate, duly authenticated by the Boy Scouts of America, pursuant to the action of the National Court of Honor; and a miniature Silver Beaver suspended by a blue, white, and blue ribbon to be worn around the neck.
- d) It shall be a general policy that no public announcements shall be made by the local council in advance of action by the National Court of Honor with reference to names presented for consideration.
- e) These awards shall be made to the recipients by the local council concerned in connection with its annual meeting or other public location.
- f) Each duly chartered local council shall be entitled to one nomination. Councils having more than 60 units shall be entitled to further nominations on the basis of one for each additional 60 units or fraction thereof in their territory, as of December 31 preceding the nomination, according to the records of the national office.
- g) Councils not using their full allotment in any year may accumulate the unused portion for use in any subsequent year.
- h) In extraordinary cases, the Silver Beaver Award may be made by the National Court of Honor to a Scouter upon the recommendation of the duly constituted Scouting authorities having supervision of one or more units of the Boy Scouts of America, located outside of the United States and not under the jurisdiction of a local council.