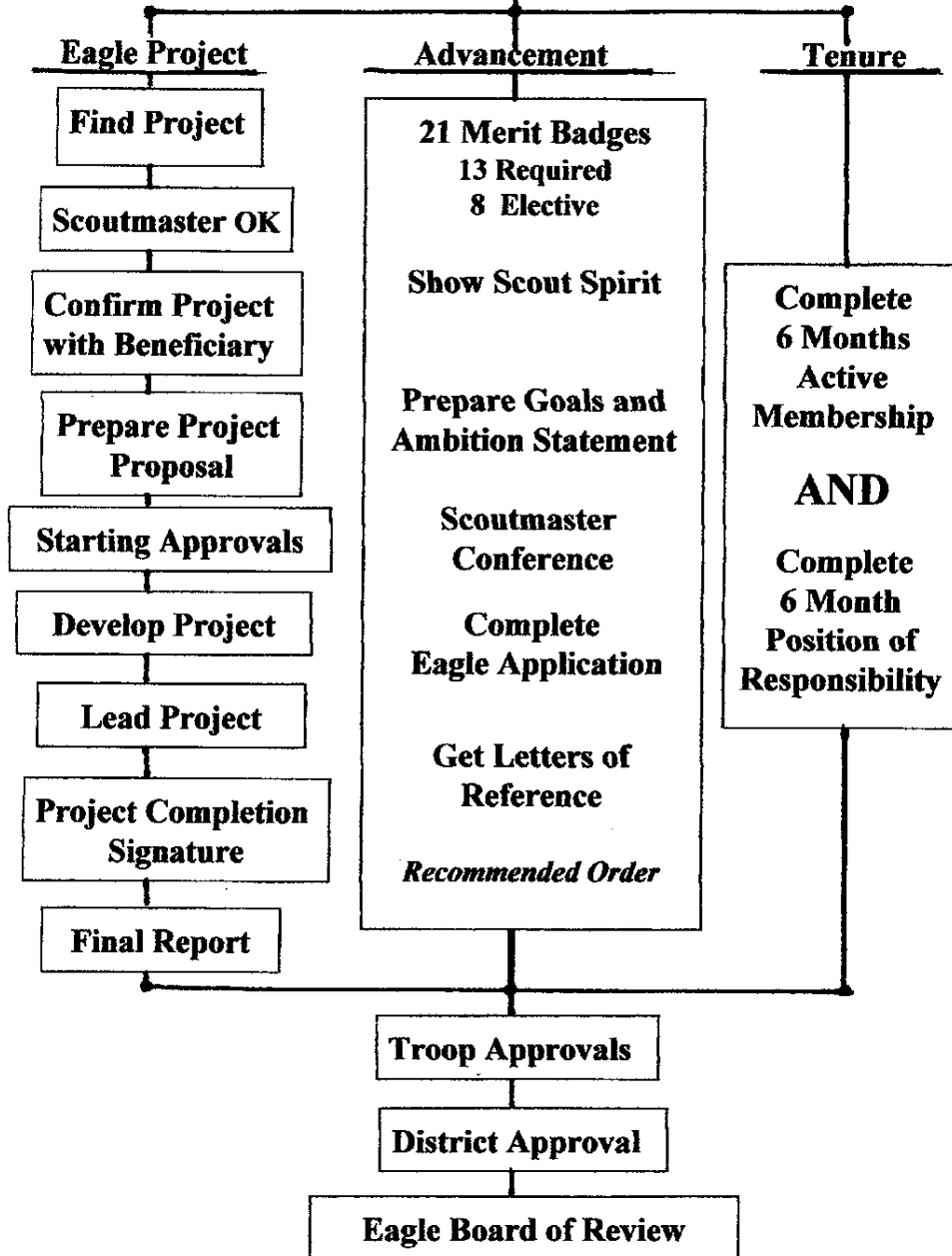


# Trail to Eagle

## Complete Life Board of Review



## EAGLE REPORT AND SUPPORTING MATERIALS CHECKLIST - 2017

Eagle \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
SM/ADV/CC \_\_\_\_\_ PH \_\_\_\_\_

- Packet neat and organized, preferably in a three ring binder, to provide an appropriate presentation of the Eagle's project and records.

### The Eagle Packet must include the items listed in bold face type.

- Eagle Application #512-728, Current Printing**  
*Please use current "fill-in PDF" - Type in information and save to allow editing*
- Applicant's name correct and all information legible
- Applicant's address - **No Abbreviations.**
- Unit type, Local number, location - **No Abbreviations.**
- Area codes for all telephone numbers.
- Dates of entry into Scouting
- Board of Review dates for First Class, Star and Life Ranks.
- At least four months between First Class and Star Scout Board of Review dates.
- At least six months between Star Scout and Life Scout Board of Review dates.
- Webelos Scout and Arrow of Light questions answered.
- Date of birth.
- Service project completed between Life Scout and Eagle Scout Board of Review dates and prior to 18th Birthday.
- At least six months between Life Scout and Eagle Scout Board of Review.
- Names, **complete addresses (street, city, state, zip-code)**, complete phone numbers and email addresses for five references.
- 21 merit badges earned (date listed: month-day-year, must agree with Council Advancement Report)
- Any four required merit badges earned prior to Star Scout Board of Review
- Any three additional required merit badges (7 total) earned prior to Life Board of Review. Credit should be given if applicant has earned multiple merit badges in the same optional grouping.
- Must serve six-months in a position of responsibility between Life Scout and Eagle Scout Board of Review dates. See application for list of accepted positions.
- Growth conference dated
- Applicant's signature, signed and dated
- Unit Leader's signature, signed and dated
- Unit Committee Chairman's signature, signed and dated
- Life Ambition/Goals Statement.** Statement must include ambitions and life purpose plus a listing of leadership positions held in and awards from your religious institution, school, community or other organizations outside of your unit.
- Letters of Reference (five required)**
- Complete Eagle Scout Workbook, #512-297, Current Printing: Use current "fill-in PDF" - Type in information and save file for editing.**
- Contact Information Page Completed
- Eagle Scout Service Project Proposal, including the complete set of dated signatures
- Eagle Scout Service Project Final Plan
- Fund Raising Application, if applicable, including the complete set of dated signatures
- Eagle Scout Service Project Report, including the complete set of dated signatures
- Project pictures
- Copies of Merit Badge Blue Cards or Council Advancement Report.**
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*Advancement Report is highly preferred.*

## Advancement Resources

<http://www.scouting.org/scoutsource/BoyScouts/AdvancementandAwards/resources.aspx>

This includes links to

- The Guide to Advancement 2015 , No. 33088
- 2018 Boy Scout Rank Requirements
- Eagle Scout Service Project Workbook, No. 512-927
- Eagle Scout Rank Application 2016, No. 512-728

Alternately, You can reach the Eagle Project Workbook Procedures directly

<http://www.scouting.org/Home/BoyScouts/AdvancementandAwards/EagleWorkbookProcedures.aspx>

## Buckeye District Advancement Representatives Contact Information

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Mike Speed	<a href="mailto:mjs_speed@yahoo.com">mjs_speed@yahoo.com</a>	614-353-8923		Hilliard/ Dublin
Jeff Wallace	<a href="mailto:jwallay@aol.com">jwallay@aol.com</a>	614-419-1039	614-310-6049	Worthington/ Clintonville
John Guegold	<a href="mailto:jbguegold@aol.com">jbguegold@aol.com</a>	614-216-9750		Worthington/ Clintonville

District Advancement Representatives approve Eagle Project Proposals and are present at Eagle Boards of Review. All representatives on the list can be contacted by a Scout in any area of the District, but their primary areas are listed. Contact should be by telephone.

When a Scout contacts one of the representatives, he must have completed the Eagle Scout Service Project Proposal including Contact Information Sheet, have it approved, signed and dated by the Beneficiary of the project, his Unit Leader and his Unit Committee. If he will be raising funds for the project, he should have the Eagle Scout Fund Raising Application completed and signed by the Beneficiary and the Unit Leader.

## **Buckeye District Eagle Advancement Policy**

**All policies and procedures regarding Eagle Advancement as listed in the current Guide to Advancement will be followed.**

1. When a Life Scout has completed his Project Plan in the Eagle Project Workbook and it has been approved by the Unit Leader, Unit Committee and Beneficiary, the Scout will contact one of the District Advancement Committee Members by a telephone call to set up a meeting to review the proposal.
  - A. The District Representative cannot be a member of the Scout's Unit.
  - B. Nominally, the District Representative approving the Proposal will also be the Representative for the Eagle Board of Review.
2. At the meeting, if the proposal is consistent with the current BSA policies for Eagle Advancement, the District Representative will sign and date the project. This signifies the Scout is approved to work on the project.
  - A. At this meeting the District Representative will go over the requirements for recording the project in the Eagle Project Workbook and other requirements listed on the Eagle Application and in the current edition of the Guide to Advancement.
  - B. At this meeting the District Representative will explain the acquisition of Letters of Reference and the need to leave the envelopes sealed for the Eagle Board of Review.
  - C. At this meeting the District Representative will explain the mechanics for holding a Board of Review and the process for the Board.
3. When the project is completed and has been recorded in the Eagle Project Workbook, the Eagle Application and Workbook are reviewed for completeness and approved by Unit Leader and the Unit Committee.
  - A. The Eagle Application, the Life Purpose and Aims Letter, the Eagle Project Workbook, and letters of reference (the Eagle Packet) are transmitted by an Adult Unit Leader to the District Representative assigned to the Scout for his review of completeness.
  - B. The District Representative, upon approving the Eagle Packet, will contact the Adult Unit Leader and arrange for a date to hold the Eagle Board of Review.
  - C. After determining an acceptable date and location, the Unit will provide no less than 3 to no more than 5 suitable adults for the Eagle Board.
  - D. The District Representative, the Unit members of the Eagle Board will meet and review the Eagle Application, the letter of Aims and Purpose supplied by the Scout, the Eagle Project Workbook and the letters of reference. At this time the Scout will be asked to join the Board and the Board will commence.
  - E. Following the questioning by the Board, the Scout will be asked to leave the room and the Board will vote for acceptance of the application. A unanimous vote is required for approval. The Scout will be asked to return to the Board and the vote will be announced.
  - F. The Unit will transmit the successful Eagle Application to the SKC Leadership Development Center as soon as practical for submission.



## Eagle Rank Requirements 2018



1. Be active in your troop for at least six months as a Life Scout.
2. As a Life Scout, demonstrate Scout Spirit by living the Scout Oath and Scout Law. Tell how you have done your duty to God, how you have lived the Scout Oath and Scout Law in your everyday life, and how your understanding of the Scout Oath and Scout Law will guide your life in the future.

List on your Eagle Scout Rank Application the names of individuals who know you personally and would be willing to provide a recommendation on your behalf, including parents/guardians, religious (if not affiliated with an organized religion, then the parent or guardian provides this reference), educational, employer (if employed), and two other references.

3. Earn a total of 21 merit badges (10 more than required for the Life rank), including these 13 merit badges:
  - (a) First Aid,
  - (b) Citizenship in the Community,
  - (c) Citizenship in the Nation, (d) Citizenship in the World,
  - (e) Communication,
  - (f) Cooking,
  - (g) Personal Fitness,
  - (h) Emergency Preparedness OR Lifesaving,
  - (i) Environmental Science OR Sustainability,
  - (j) Personal Management,
  - (k) Swimming OR Hiking OR Cycling,
  - (l) Camping, and
  - (m) Family Life.

You must choose only one of the merit badges listed in categories h, i, and k. Any additional merit badge(s) earned in those categories may be counted as one of your eight optional merit badges used to make your total of 21.

4. While a Life Scout, serve actively in your troop for six months in one or more of the following positions of responsibility:

**Boy Scout troop.** Patrol leader, assistant senior patrol leader, senior patrol leader, troop guide, Order of the Arrow troop representative, den chief, scribe, librarian, historian, quarter-master, junior assistant Scoutmaster, chaplain aide, instructor, webmaster, or outdoor ethics guide.

**Venturing crew.** President, vice president, secretary, treasurer, quartermaster, historian, den chief, chaplain aide, or outdoor ethics guide.

**Sea Scout ship.** Boatswain, boatswain's mate, purser, yeoman, crew leader, media specialist, specialist, den chief, or chaplain aide.

**Lone Scout.** Leadership responsibility in your school, religious organization, club, or elsewhere in your community.

Assistant patrol leader and bugler are not approved positions of responsibility for the Eagle Scout rank. Likewise, a Scoutmaster-approved leadership project cannot be used in lieu of serving in a position of responsibility.

5. 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. (The project must benefit an organization other than the Boy Scouts of America.) A project proposal must be approved by the organization benefitting from the effort, your Scoutmaster and unit committee, and the council or district before you start. You must use the Eagle Scout Service Project Workbook, BSA publication No. 512-927, in meeting this requirement. (To learn more about the Eagle Scout service project, see the Guide to Advancement, topics 9.0.2.0 through 9.0.2.16.)
6. While a Life Scout, participate in a Scoutmaster conference.

In preparation for your board of review, prepare and attach to your Eagle Scout Rank Application a statement of your ambitions and life purpose and a listing of positions held in your religious institution, school, camp, community, or other organizations, during which you demonstrated leadership skills. Include honors and awards received during this service.

7. Successfully complete your board of review for the Eagle Scout rank.<sup>10</sup> (This requirement may be met after age 18, in accordance with Guide to Advancement topic 8.0.3.1.11).