2023 HETUCK DISTRICT AWARDS NOMINATION FORM

Awards will be presented at the 2020 District Dinner

Nominations of Individuals that provided significant service to Scouting in the Hetuck District in the 2022 Year.

The District Committee of the Hetuck District wants to recognize outstanding volunteers that give exceptional service to the youth or volunteers of the Hetuck District. You should use this form to nominate people for consideration to receive the, Hetuck Award, Scouter of the Year, Cub Scouter of the Year, Commissioner of the Year, The Ranger Award, Unit Driving Force Award Unit Leader Award of Merit and the *District Award of Merit. Individuals may not nominate themselves or be nominated by their spouse. Before nominating an individual, consider these guidelines:

Hetuck Award - For long term service to Scouting in the District or Units of the District. Service can be at any level, Cubs, Scouts, Venturing or Exploring. Candidates should be active and have demonstrated a firm commitment to the ideals of Scouting, the programs and policies of the National and Buckeye Councils and have given outstanding service over a long period of time. Nominee must be a registered Scouter.

***District Award of Merit** - For service to Scouting in the Council, the District or Units of the District. Service can be at any level, Cubs, Scouts, Venturing or Exploring. Candidates should be active and have demonstrated a firm commitment to the ideals of Scouting, the programs and policies of the National and Buckeye Councils and have given outstanding service over a long period of time. Nominee must be a registered Scouter. **(SEE SEPARATE NOMINATION FORM FOR THIS AWARD!)**

Scouter of the Year - This is not a long-term service or tenure award. This award seeks to recognize a volunteer that has given exceptional service in the past year to the Boy Scout program. Service can be at the Unit or District level. Nominee must be a registered Scouter.

Cub Scouter of the Year - This is not a long-term service or tenure award. This award seeks to recognize a volunteer that has given exceptional service for the past year to the Cub Scout Programs. Service can be at the Unit or District level. Nominee must be a registered Scouter.

Commissioner of the Year - This is not a long-term service or tenure award. This award seeks to recognize a volunteer that has given exceptional service for the past year as an active Commissioner. Service can be at the Unit or District level. Nominee must be a registered Scouter.

Ranger Award – This is not a long-term service or tenure award. This award seeks to recognize a volunteer that has provided exceptional service in the past year to the Venturing or Exploring programs. Service can be at the Unit or District level. Nominee must be a registered Scouter.

Unit Driving Force Award - This is not a long-term service or tenure award. This is an award that seeks to recognize the one person that has made a difference in the successful operation of your Unit in 2020. This person may be a Leader, Committee Member, Parent, or Friend of Scouting. This is the person the Unit can always count on to make the Scouting experience the best that it can be for your Units Cubs/Scouts.

***Unit Leader Award of Merit** - To encourage units to be strong and viable by attaining certain benchmarks characteristic of strong units; seven requirements must be met with nomination by the top youth leader if for a troop, team, or crew; nomination is certified by the unit commissioner. Nominee must be a registered Scouter. **(SEE SEPARATE NOMINATION FORM FOR THIS AWARD!)**

Those nominees that do not receive the above awards may qualify to receive a First Class or Akela, (as appropriate) to recognize their service.

All completed nominations forms must be received at the Council Office, by Tuesday, February 28th. Please complete the reverse side of this form to the best of your ability. **Completed forms may be sent to the Council office or dennis.vargo@scouting.org**

***See separate nomination form for the District Award of Merit and Unit Leader Award of Merit.**

< Please complete the reverse side. >

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***District Award of Merit** ***Unit Leader Award of Merit** **Hetuck Award** **Scouter of the Year**

Cub Scouter of the Year **Ranger Award** **Commissioner of the Year** **Unit Driving Force**

Considered for: (Circle the Award being considered)

Nominee's Name _____

Positions held as Scouting Volunteer, indicate position and dates served: _____

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Awards received, both in Scouting and other Community Organizations: _____

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In your own words, describe why you believe that the person is deserving of the indicated recognition. (You may attach additional sheets if necessary.)

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Submitted by:

Your name_____Telephone #:_____Email_____

The committee may need to contact you for additional information, please provide your phone number and email.

***MUST USE DISTRICT AWARD OF MERIT or UNIT LEADER AWARD OF MERIT NATIONAL NOMINATION FORM**