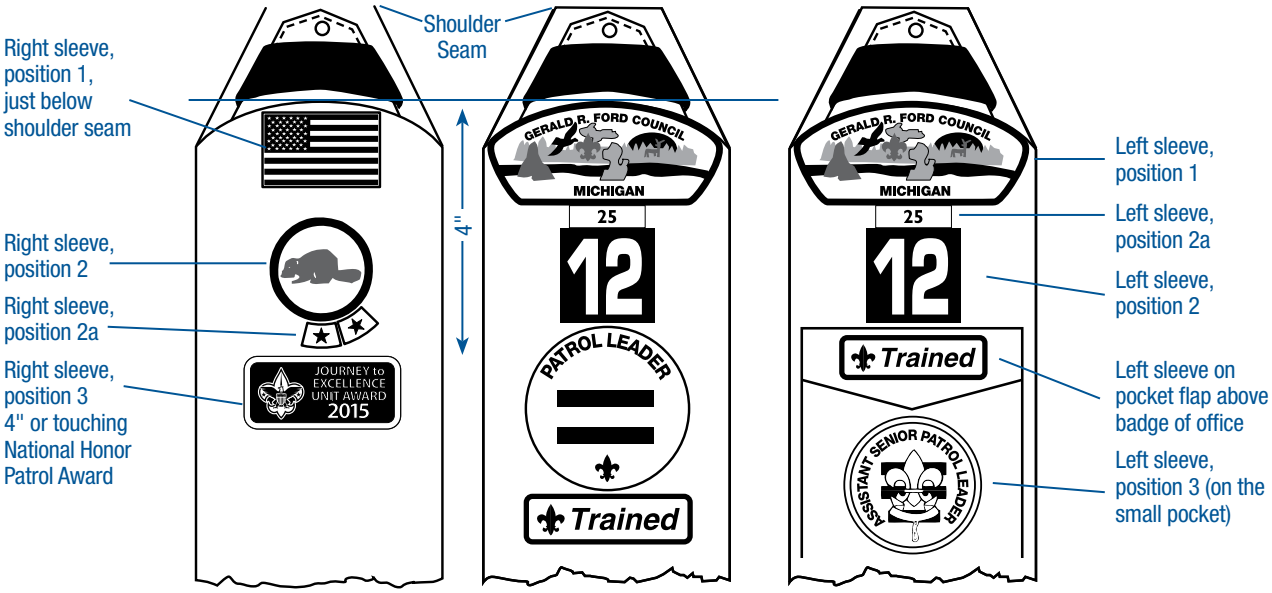
BOY SCOUT INSIGNIA

SHOULDER EPAULETS AND LOOPS



Boy Scout Program Identification

U.S. flag emblem, cloth, red, white, and blue, No. 103; Boy Scout and Boy Scout leader, right sleeve, position 1, just below shoulder seam. New uniforms have this emblem already sewn in the correct position. Only the BSA-issued flag may be worn. The flag orientation of the BSA uniform flag meets U.S. flag code.

Council shoulder emblem, cloth; Boy Scout and Boy Scout leader, left sleeve, position 1, just below shoulder seam.

Unit number, cloth, green on tan, Nos. 10400 through 10408 (last digit indicates the unit number for 0 through 8); for unit number 9, order No. 10406. Boy Scout and Boy Scout leader, left sleeve, position 2, touching council shoulder emblem if veteran unit bar is not worn. Multiple-digit numbers may be special-ordered—2-digit, No. 10409; 3-digit, No. 10410; 4-digit, No. 10411.

Lone Scout emblem, cloth, red and black on tan, No. 621122; Lone Boy Scout, left sleeve, position 2 (in place of unit number).

Veteran unit bars, cloth, Boy Scout and Boy Scout leader, left sleeve, position 2a; 25 years, No. 133; 30 years, No. 50006; 35 years, No. 50007; 40 years, No. 50008; 45 years, No. 50009; 50 years, No. 105; 55 years, No. 194; 60 years, No. 195; 65 years, No. 196; 70 years, No. 197; 75 years, No. 107; 80 years, No. 198; 85 years, No. 138; 90 years, No. 50010; 95 years, No. 50011; 100 years, No. 50012.

Unit number with veteran bar, cloth, unit number with veteran bar embroidered above the numerals. Special-ordered 2-digit unit number, No. 10412; 3-digit, No. 10413; 4-digit, No. 10414.

National Honor Patrol Award, cloth, No. 367; Boy Scout; beneath patrol emblem of qualifying patrol, right sleeve, position 2a. Circles patrol emblem if earned more than once.



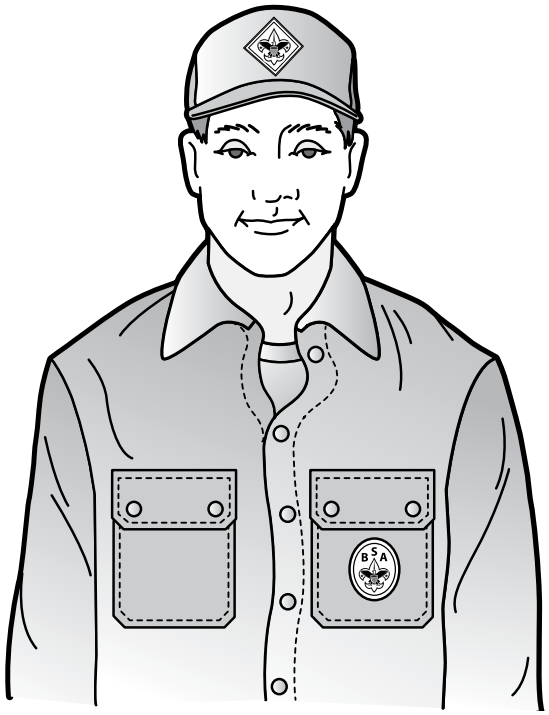
Neckerchief slide, No. 601; Boy Scout and Boy Scout leader, worn with troop neckerchief.

Bolo tie, No. 618; Boy Scout and Boy Scout leader, worn with open-collar shirt.

Order of the Arrow identification, lodge insignia fits the exact size and shape of right pocket flap and may not extend beyond this size and shape in any way. Order of the Arrow membership emblem, No. 604942, suspended from right pocket button. Appropriate OA honor sash worn over right shoulder—under epaulet of uniform shirt—diagonally across chest to left waist. The Order of the Arrow sash and the merit badge sash may not be worn at the same time. See page 31.



BSA emblem, cloth, No. 320; Boy Scout and Boy Scout leader, worn on left pocket of jac-shirt and over left breast of jacket.



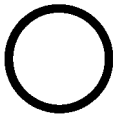
Jac-shirt, on left pocket

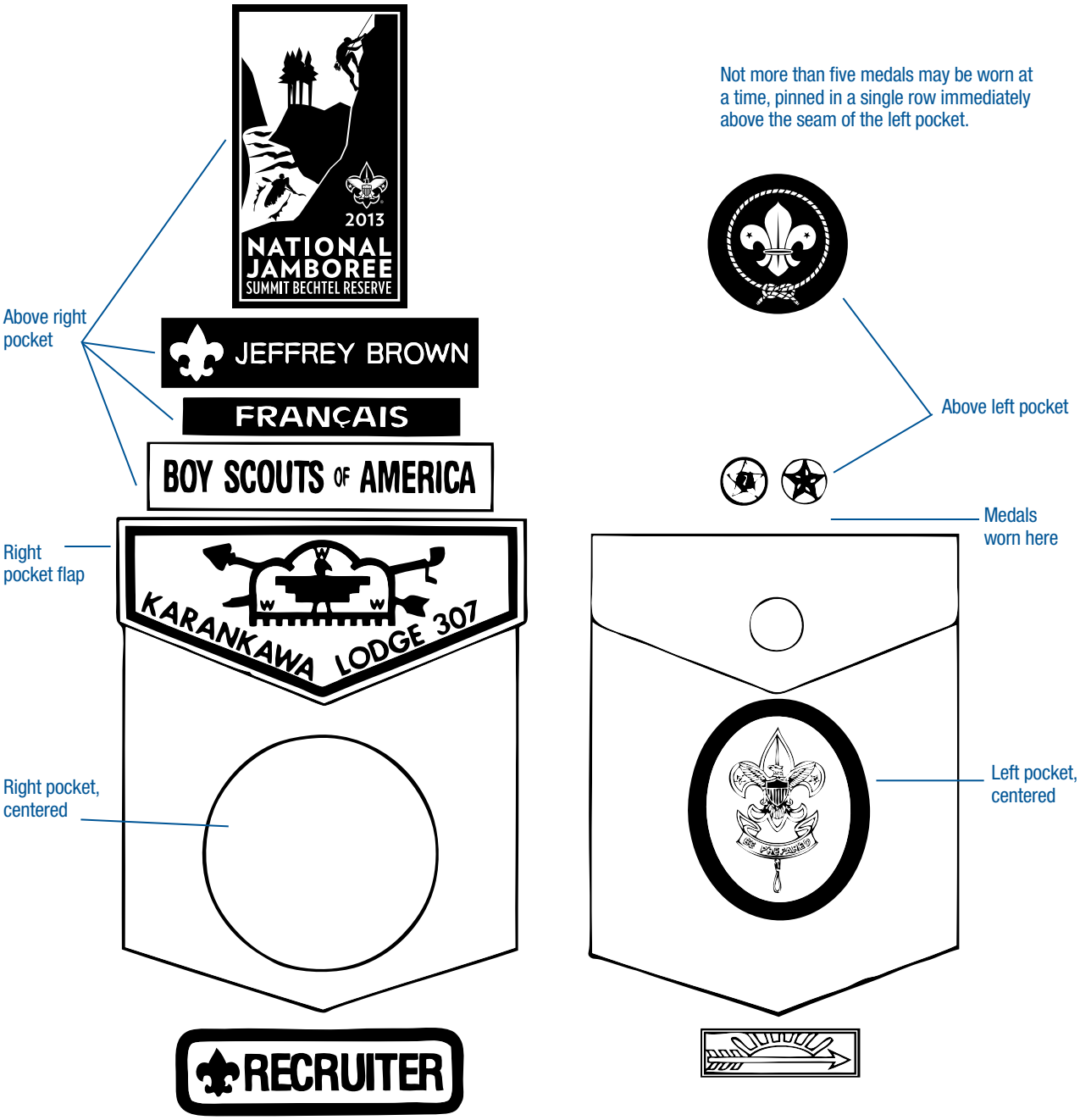


Jacket, over left breast

Patrol emblem, cloth, 31 different emblems including one blank to make your own design; Boy Scout, right sleeve, position 2. See specific emblem for correct number. Optional for Webelos Scouts if Webelos dens are named.

PATROL EMBLEM

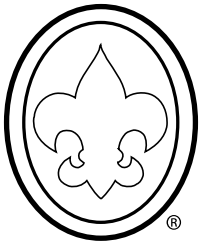
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Falcon  No. 618728	**Flaming Arrow**  No. 10213	**Fox**  No. 10215	**Game Master**  No. 618731	**Knight**  No. 618733
Lightning  No. 10221	**Native American**  No. 618734	**Ninja**  No. 618735	**Old Goat**  No. 618736	**Owl**  No. 10223
Phoenix  No. 618737	**Rattlesnake**  No. 10230	**Robot**  No. 618739	**Scorpion**  No. 10233	**Shark**  No. 10234
Squirrel  No. 618740	**T. rex**  No. 618741	**Viking**  No. 10237	**Wolf**  No. 10239	**Zombie**  No. 618743
Blank  No. 10240				


Not more than five medals may be worn at a time, pinned in a single row immediately above the seam of the left pocket.
Above right pocket
2013
NATIONAL JAMBOREE
SUMMIT BECHTEL RESERVE
JEFFREY BROWN
FRANÇAIS
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA
Above left pocket
Medals worn here
Right pocket flap
KARANKAWA LODGE 307
Right pocket, centered
Left pocket, centered
RECRUITER
Right Pocket
Left Pocket

Boy Scout Advancement

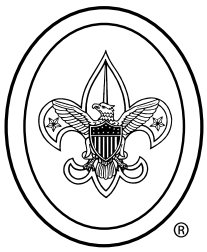


Arrow of Light badge, cloth, gold on tan with blue frame, No. 44; metal pin, No. 463; Boy Scout, below left pocket.



Boy Scout badge, cloth, yellow on tan, No. 620078; metal pin, No. 414; Boy Scout, left pocket.

Boy Scout metal miniature pin, No. 116; parent, nonuniform wear.



Tenderfoot rank, cloth, gold on tan, No. 416; metal pin, No. 10; Boy Scout, left pocket.

Tenderfoot metal miniature pin, No. 604964; parent, nonuniform wear.



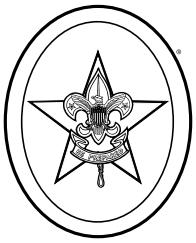
Second Class rank, cloth, gold on tan, No. 417; metal pin, No. 14; Boy Scout, left pocket.

Second Class metal miniature pin, No. 120; parent, nonuniform wear.



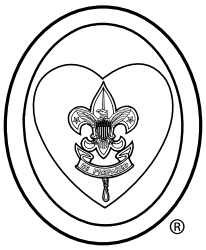
First Class rank, cloth, gold on tan, No. 418; large standard metal pin, No. 17; Boy Scout, left pocket; center front of campaign hat and expedition hat.

First Class metal miniature pin, No. 121; parent, nonuniform wear.



Star rank, cloth, gold on tan, No. 419; metal pin, No. 92; Boy Scout and Venturer, left pocket.

Star metal miniature pin, No. 122; parent, nonuniform wear.

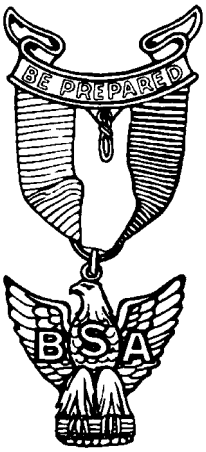


Life rank, cloth, gold and red on tan, No. 420; metal pin, No. 91; Boy Scout and Venturer, left pocket.

Life metal miniature pin, No. 123; parent, nonuniform wear.



Eagle Scout rank, cloth, silver, white, and blue on red, No. 489; Boy Scout and Venturer, left pocket. Adults wear square knot, No. 5011.



Eagle Scout Award, silver medal suspended from scroll, No. 135; sterling silver, No. 137; Boy Scout, Venturer, and Sea Scout. Adults wear only on formal Eagle occasions.

Eagle Scout square knot, cloth, red, white, and blue on tan, No. 5011; Scouter, above left pocket. Boy Scouts, Venturers, and Sea Scouts wear Eagle Scout badge, No. 489.



Eagle Palm, Bronze, No. 335; Gold, No. 336; Silver, No. 337; Boy Scout, Venturer, Sea Scout, and Scouter, worn on the Eagle Scout Award ribbon or square knot. Youth members may pin palms on the cloth Eagle Scout rank. Wear only the proper combination of Palms for the number of merit badges earned beyond Eagle Scout. The Bronze Palm represents five merit badges; Gold, 10; and Silver, 15. For example, if 10 merit badges and two Palms are earned, wear only the Gold Palm. If 20 merit badges and four Palms, wear a Silver and a Bronze Palm.



Eagle Scout metal miniature, antique finish, No. 93; sterling silver, No. 604946. Tie tack, sterling silver, No. 25; Boy Scout, Venturer, Sea Scout, or mentor; nonuniform wear.

Eagle Mom pin, antique finish, No. 14121; sterling silver, No. 14125; nonuniform wear.

Eagle Dad pin, antique finish, No. 14122; sterling silver, No. 14126; nonuniform wear.

Eagle Mentor pin, gold tone, No. 14123; sterling silver, No. 14127. For non-parent who was instrumental in the Scout earning his Eagle; nonuniform wear.

Merit Badges on Required List for Eagle Scout Award

Merit badges (required), cloth, silver border; Boy Scout, right sleeve, position 4, limited to six; merit badge sash, maximum of three per row as shown, no limit. See accompanying list of merit badges for specific number.

Boy Scouts may wear only one merit badge sash at a time. A merit badge sash is *never* worn on the belt. Merit badge sashes are worn only by Boy Scouts and Venturers who are earning Boy Scout advancement. Merit badges may be worn on the front and back of the sash. Miscellaneous patches may only be worn on the back of the sash. The merit badge sash and the Order of the Arrow sash may not be worn at the same time.

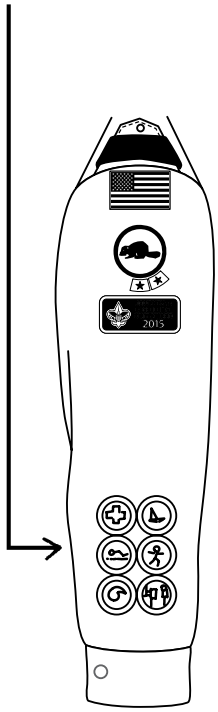


Merit badge sash pin, No. 14712; gold-colored pin; can be worn on shoulder, parallel to the epaulet, to secure merit badge sash to the epaulet.

Merit badge sash, worn with Boy Scout, Varsity Scout, or Venturing uniform over right shoulder. May be worn under or over epaulet.



Right sleeve, position 4, above cuff



Varsity letter may be worn on sash as shown.

Merit Badges Required for the Eagle Scout Award

Camping



No. 10302

Citizenship in the Community



No. 10303

Citizenship in the Nation



No. 10304

Citizenship in the World



No. 10305

Communication



No. 10306

Cooking



No. 618111

Cycling



No. 10527

Emergency Preparedness



No. 10307

Environmental Science



No. 10308

Family Life



No. 10316

First Aid



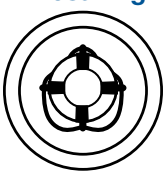
No. 10309

Hiking



No. 10548

Lifesaving



No. 10310

Personal Fitness



No. 10312

Personal Management



No. 10311

Sustainability



No. 617645

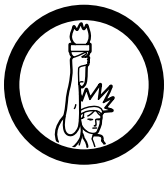
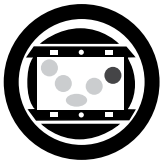
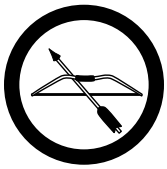
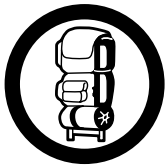
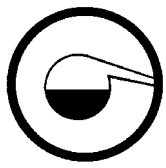
Swimming



No. 10315

Optional Merit Badges

Merit badges (optional), cloth, green border; Boy Scout, right sleeve, position 4, limited to six; merit badge sash, maximum of three per row, no limit. See accompanying list of merit badges for specific number.

American Business	American Cultures	American Heritage	American Labor	Animal Science
				
No. 10502	No. 10503	No. 10504	No. 10554	No. 10505
Animation	Archaeology	Archery	Architecture	Art
				
No. 620494	No. 10614	No. 10506	No. 10507	No. 10508
Astronomy	Athletics	Automotive Maintenance	Aviation	Backpacking
				
No. 10509	No. 10510	No. 18115	No. 10615	No. 10513
Basketry	Bird Study	Bugling	Canoeing	Chemistry
				
No. 10514	No. 10516	No. 10518	No. 10519	No. 10520
Chess	Cinematography	Climbing	Coin Collecting	Collections
				
No. 613249	No. 10521	No. 10522	No. 10523	No. 10610

Composite Materials



No. 10623

Crime Prevention



No. 10613

Dentistry



No. 10528

Digital Technology



No. 619675

Disabilities Awareness



No. 10547

Dog Care



No. 10529

Drafting



No. 10530

Electricity



No. 10531

Electronics



No. 10532

Energy



No. 10533

Engineering



No. 10534

Entrepreneurship



No. 10620

Farm Mechanics



No. 10535

Fingerprinting



No. 10536

Fire Safety



No. 10537

Fish and Wildlife Management



No. 10539

Fishing



No. 10538

Fly-Fishing



No. 10579

Forestry



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Game Design



No. 617171

Gardening



No. 10541

Genealogy



No. 10542

Geocaching



No. 612253

Geology



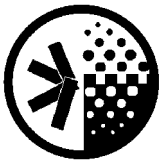
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Golf



No. 10545

Graphic Arts



No. 10546

Home Repairs



No. 10549

Horsemanship



No. 10550

Indian Lore



No. 10551

Insect Study



No. 10552

Inventing



No. 610616

Journalism



No. 10553

Kayaking



No. 615305

Landscape Architecture



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Law



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Leatherwork



No. 10557

Mammal Study



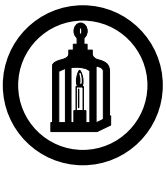
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Medicine



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Metalwork



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Mining in Society



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Model Design and Building



No. 10563

Motorboating



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Music



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Nature



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Nuclear Science



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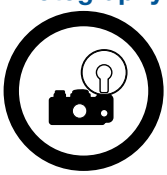
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Programming



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Reptile and Amphibian Study



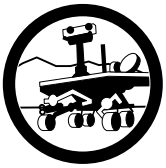
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Rifle Shooting



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Robotics



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Rowing



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Safety



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Salesmanship



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Scholarship



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No. 615306

Shotgun Shooting



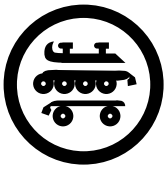
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Signs, Signals and Codes



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Skating



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Small-Boat Sailing



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Snow Sports



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Soil and Water Conservation



No. 10594

Space Exploration



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Sports



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Stamp Collecting



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Surveying



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Veterinary Medicine



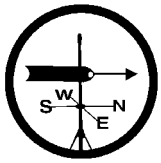
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Whitewater



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Wilderness Survival



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Wood Carving



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Woodwork



No. 10608

Boy Scout Troop Badges of Office

Badges of office are worn on the left sleeve, position 3, except as noted.



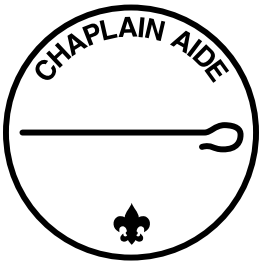
Troop committee chair, cloth, No. 18145; Boy Scout leader.



Troop committee, cloth, No. 434; Boy Scout leader.



Chaplain, cloth, No. 440 (must be ordained or appointed clergy by religious organization).



Chaplain aide, cloth, gold on green, No. 443; Boy Scout.



Scoutmaster, cloth, No. 423; or Unit Leader Award of Merit, gold border with gold star, cloth, No. 610093.



Assistant Scoutmaster, cloth, No. 424; Boy Scout leader.



Junior assistant Scoutmaster, cloth, No. 425; Boy Scout.



Senior patrol leader, cloth, No. 426; Boy Scout.



Assistant senior patrol leader, cloth, No. 427; Boy Scout.



Patrol leader, cloth, No. 428; Boy Scout.



Assistant patrol leader, cloth, No. 429; Boy Scout.



Instructor, cloth, No. 90; Boy Scout.



Scribe, cloth, No. 430; Boy Scout.



Quartermaster, cloth, No. 431; Boy Scout.



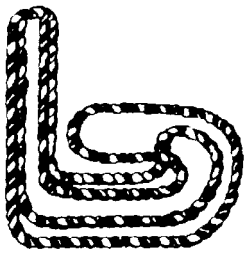
Librarian, cloth, No. 432; Boy Scout.



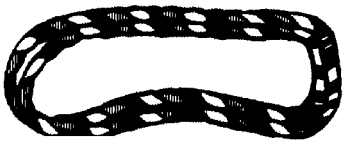
Bugler, cloth, No. 433; Boy Scout.



Den chief, cloth, No. 387; Boy Scout and Venturer.



Den chief shoulder cord, cloth, blue and gold strands, No. 388; Boy Scout and Venturer, over left shoulder.



Webelos den chief shoulder cord, cloth, blue, gold, and red cords, No. 457; Boy Scout and Venturer, over left shoulder.



Musician, cloth, No. 449; Boy Scout, right sleeve, position 3 or below and touching Journey to Excellence Unit Award. Worn only by members of troop bands or drum corps. See "Drum and Bugle Corps Uniforms," page 10.



Honor Guard, cloth, No. 621029; Boy Scout, right sleeve, position 3 or below and touching Journey to Excellence Unit Award. Worn only by members of honor guards.



Troop historian, cloth, No. 450; Boy Scout.



Troop guide, cloth, No. 21; Boy Scout.



Order of the Arrow troop representative, cloth, No. 606776; Boy Scout.



Order of the Arrow Troop Advisor, cloth, No. 617948; Boy Scout leader.



Webmaster, cloth, No. 18088; Boy Scout.

Boy Scout Participation and Achievement



National Youth Leadership Training, cloth, No. 10003; Boy Scout; right pocket.



National Advanced Youth Leadership Experience, cloth, restricted (presented to those who attend the course at Philmont Training Center); Boy Scout; right pocket.



Recognition medal, universal emblem surrounded by wreath suspended from red and white ribbon; Bronze, No. 937; Silver, No. 938; Gold, No. 604791; Boy Scout, for participation or achievement in Scouting activity; above left pocket.



Totin' Chip, cloth, No. 8597; Boy Scout; worn as a temporary patch on right pocket; not to be worn on pocket flap.



Firem'n Chit, cloth, No. 8599; Boy Scout, worn as a temporary patch on right pocket; not to be worn on pocket flap.