

Sam Houston Area Council

Boy Scouts of America



2005
Annual
Recognition
Dinner

J.W. Marriott Hotel
Monday, October 24, 2005



Suzanne Becker

Suzanne has served Scouting for over 12 years in Circle Ten Council and Sam Houston Area Council. She currently serves Polaris District as Vice Chairman of Program, Committee Member of Ship 1659, and a member of the District Training Team. Some of Suzanne's other roles have included Cub Scout Day Camp Program Director, District Activities Chairman, and Cub Scout Pow Wow Staff.

Suzanne has received the District Award of Merit and the Polaris District Family of the Year Award. She has completed Wood Badge as well as serving on Wood Badge Staff.

Suzanne has helped establish packs at two elementary schools, been a facilitator for the Junior Great Books program, and home-schooled her two sons through high school. She has served as a volunteer with Meals on Wheels, Champion Oaks Assisted Living, and the Dallas Nature Center.



Margaret Bridgwater

Margaret Bridgwater has been involved in Scouting for 17 years. She has served as Den Leader in Pack 18 and as Assistant Scoutmaster and Philmont Crew Advisor for Troop 18 at Saint Paul's Methodist Church in Golden Arrow District. For the past 10 years, she has served as Assistant Scoutmaster to Troop 205, a Special Needs Scouting unit chartered to The Center for the Retarded, Inc., and served as Cubmaster and Den Leader for at risk youth in the pack at Crespo Elementary School

Margaret has over 500 hours of volunteer service to The Center for the Retarded, Inc. She also served as a coach for the Kashmere High School robotics team.

Margaret is the recipient of the District Award of Merit from Special Needs Scouting. She is an Ordeal member of the Order of the Arrow.



John Corbett

John Corbett has served Scouting for 60 years in the Brahman District. He has been Assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 7, District Committee Member, District Commissioner, and District Camping Chairman. He has served as Committee Member for a troop, crew, and post. In 1943 he was named the "Outstanding Scout" in Houston, and served as an altar server for the first field mass given by the Bishop at Camp Strake.

John has been awarded the District Award of Merit and Arrowhead Honor Award. He has received the Bronze Pelican Award and Saint George Recognition from the Victoria Catholic Committee on Scouting.

John is active in American Legion and a former Post Commander. He is a charter member and former Grand Knight of the Knights of Columbus. He has served as president of the Parent Teacher Council of Saint Philips Catholic School and has been honored as a Lifetime Member of El Campo Museum Society. He is a member of El Campo Rotary Club and El Campo Ricebird Booster Club. John was El Campo's 2003 Citizen of the Year and has been that town's official Santa Claus for 25 years.



Joe Crabb

Joe Crabb has been active in the Sam Houston Area Council and the Flaming Arrow District for 30 years. He has served in many positions during that time, including Assistant Scoutmaster, Scoutmaster, and Committee Member for Troop 1154. He currently serves on the Sam Houston Area Council Advisory Board of Directors.

Joe has supported the Scouting program by serving as counselor for participants in the God and Country program and coordinating Eagle Scout service projects. As a Scoutmaster and Scouting volunteer, he has helped many Scouts on the trail to Eagle. Joe has facilitated active youth programs, both Sunday school and evening programs, in his churches to support youth spiritual growth and development.

Reverend Crabb has been a minister for more than 35 years and presently serves Addicks United Methodist Church. He is the representative for North Harris County in the Texas House of Representatives. Joe is a retired Navy Reserve Commander.

Alan W. Cross

Alan Cross has been active in Polaris District for 13 years. He has served as Assistant Den Leader and Webelos Den Leader for Pack 1331, Scoutmaster for Troop 1332, and Associate Advisor for Crew 2020. Alan has also served as a Unit Commissioner, as a member of the District Training Team, Wood Badge Staff, and multiple Winter Camp staffs at Camp Strake.

Alan has been recognized with the Den Leader Award, Webelos Den Leader Award, Scouter's Training Award, District Award of Merit, Arrowhead Honor Award, Commissioner Key, and Distinguished Commissioner Service Award.

He has completed Wood Badge and is a Brotherhood member of the Order of the Arrow.

Alan is an FCC-licensed Amateur Radio operator and has served as the Public Relations Manager for the American Radio Relay League. He has also been a Sunday School teacher and Head Usher at Christ Church Cathedral. Alan has also been recognized with the Den Leader Award, Webelos Den Leader Award, Scouter's Training Award, District Award of Merit, Arrowhead Honor Award, Commissioner Key, Distinguished Commissioner Service Award

Chuck Davidson

Chuck Davidson joined the Board of Directors for the Sam Houston Area Council in 1993. He has given leadership to the annual Friends of Scouting campaign for many years and has served as its Chairman for the last two years. Additionally, Chuck served on the Executive Committee.

Chuck serves on the Board and is former chairman of the Society for Performing Arts. He also serves on the Board of Directors for the Offshore Energy Center and is past President of Spindletop International - an oil industry youth charity.

Chuck is Chairman, President and CEO of Noble Energy, Inc. Prior to joining Noble Energy he held a number of executive assignments at ARCO and Vastar Resources. Mr. Davidson is a member of several professional societies, trade associations and currently serves as the Chairman of the Domestic Petroleum Council and Chairman of the IPAA Offshore Committee.

Chuck Davidson joined the Board of Directors for the Sam Houston Area Council in 1993. He has given leadership in the annual Friends of Scouting campaign for many years and has served as its Chairman for the last two years, raising over \$10,000,000 to meet the council's annual budget needs.

Rick Ewan

Rick Ewan has served Scouting for 16 years in the Bayshore District. He has served as Tiger Cub, Wolf, Bear, and Webelos Den Leader for Pack 595. He has also served as Assistant Scoutmaster, Merit Badge Counselor, and Scoutmaster with Troop 595, as well as Advisor for Crew 595. He is currently serving as the District Commissioner for Bayshore District, and he continues to support Troop 595 as the Assistant Scoutmaster for Eagle Projects.

Rick is a recipient of the District Award of Merit, Scoutmaster's Key, and the Scouter's Training Award. In 2000, he was named Bayshore District's Outstanding Scoutmaster. He is a Brotherhood member of the Order of the Arrow and has attended Wood Badge.

Rick is a member of Saint Bernadette's Catholic Church in Clear Lake where he is a Lector and was selected to serve on the Parish Council. He was an active parent volunteer with his children's school organizations, and served as the Activity Chairman with Clear Lake High School Falcon Band Booster Club.

Brian Foster

Eagle Scout Brian Foster has served Scouting for over 30 years. He currently serves the Mustang District as District Commissioner, Advisor of Crew 424, and Assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 424. Brian's other service has included Committee Chairman for Troop 424, District Training Chairman, Webelos Woods Staff, and Wood Badge Staff.

Brian has completed Wood Badge and attended The Philmont Training Center. He has received the Cub Scouter Award, Webelos Den Leader Award, Scouter's Training Award, District Committee Key, and District Award of Merit. He is a James E. West Fellow and a Brotherhood member of the Order of the Arrow.

Brian is a member of the First Baptist Church of Katy where he is involved in working to develop Scouting-related programs for youth. He has also managed co-ed Little League teams for three years.



Mac Garza

Mac Garza has served Scouting for 17 years. He currently serves as Cubmaster for Pack 1274 and Scoutmaster for Troop 274 in Antares District. He is a member of the Council's Hispanic Scout Committee and Catholic Scout Committee. He has also served as a unit commissioner for Antares District, as well as a Cubmaster and Scoutmaster for after-school programs in Urban Scouting North and South Districts.

Mac has been recognized for his service to Scouting with the Cubmaster Award, Scouter's Award, and the Siempre Listo Award. He has completed Wood Badge training.

Mac serves on the committee of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo. He is on the School Board of Saint Charles Borromeo Catholic Church. He has coached and umpired for various youth sports organizations including the YMCA and North Houston American Little League.



Glennie H. Gordon

For over 20 years, Glennie Gordon has served Scouting in the W.L. Davis District of the Sam Houston Area Council. She has served as Chartered Organization Representative to Pack 4500 and Troop 500 as well as Administrative Chairman, Advancement Chairman, Troop Committee Chairman, and Webelos Den Leader. She has also assisted on many Camporees, Cuborees, and other district events.

Glennie has been recognized by the W.L. Davis District with the Family of the Year Award and the District Award of Merit.

Glennie has served as Secretary and Vice President of the Parent Teacher Organization for elementary, middle, and high school; on the committee for Briargate Civic Association; and as a leader in Girl Scouting. A member of Brentwood Baptist Church, she has been a Bible Study leader, a youth Sunday School leader, and a member of the Youth Advisory Committee. She was named Unsung Heroine for April 2005 by her church.



Nolan Gordon

Nolan Gordon has been involved in many positions in W.L. Davis District for over 20 years. He has been Scoutmaster and Assistant Scoutmaster for Troop 500 and staffed the District Training Team. He has served as Unit Commissioner as well as Webelos Den Leader, Committee Member, and Committee Chairman of Pack 601.

W. L. Davis District has recognized Nolan's service with the Family of the Year Award and the District Award of Merit. Gordon has also completed Wood Badge training.

Nolan has been Treasurer of Briargate Civic Association, helped Coach T-Ball for the Briargate Youth Association, and was an assistant coach for the Association Slow Pitch League. At Brentwood Baptist Church Gordon has helped lead a Bible Study Group for teenagers, worked in Sunday School Outreach and Visitation programs, and been a Youth Night Leader. He was presented the Unsung Hero Award for April 2005 by his church.



Joseph "Tad" Halbach

Eagle Scout Tad Halbach has been an active adult Scouter for over 30 years. He began in Circle Ten Council, where he served as Assistant Scoutmaster for his troop. In Sam Houston Area Council, Tad has served as Den Leader, Assistant Cubmaster, Explorer Post Advisor, Assistant Scoutmaster, Troop Committee Chairman, and District Vice Chairman. He has been active on several Winter Camp Staffs.

He is a recipient of the District Committee Key, District Award of Merit, Bronze Pelican Award from the Catholic Scouting Committee, and is a James E. West Fellow. He has completed Wood Badge and is a Brotherhood member of the Order of the Arrow.

Tad is a member of Saint Vincent de Paul Catholic Church and has served on the Harris County Juvenile Justice Board. He has been a director of Marywood Children and Family Services and the Aspiring Youth Foundation. He has served as a Harris County District Court Judge since 1995 and is currently the Administrative Judge over all of the Harris County Civil District Courts.



David Harris

David has been involved with the Scouting program in the Sam Houston Area Council for over 24 years. Currently, he is the Division 3 FOS Chairman and Council Scout Fair Ad Sales Chairman. He is a member of the Tomahawk District.

David received the District Award of Merit and the Tomahawk Award. He has completed Wood Badge training.

David served as the Assistant Scoutmaster for Troop 1583 and Troop 1656 in the Tomahawk District, Assistant Scoutmaster for a National Jamboree troop, Tomahawk District training chairman, Council training team, Council JLTC, University of Scouting staff, Assistant District Commissioner and District Chairman for Tomahawk District.

David also organizes an annual sporting clays shoot to raise funds for the Tomahawk District. Outside of Boy Scouts, David actively supports the 4-H and FFA programs in Fort Bend County.

David works as a drilling manager for Murphy Exploration and Production Co. International. He is married, has a daughter, an Eagle Scout son, and two grandchildren. He is a member of St. John's Methodist Church and resides in Richmond, Texas.



Debra A. Harvey

Debra Harvey has been a Scouter in the Flaming Arrow District for 14 years. She has served as a Den Leader, Committee Chairman, Day Camp Director, Assistant Scoutmaster, Unit Commissioner, Sea Scout Mate, Assistant District Commissioner, and Cubmaster. She has staffed multiple summer and winter camps at Camp Strake, Bovay Scout Ranch, and El Rancho Cima.

Debra has received the Scouter's Training Award, Distinguished Commissioner Service Award, District Award of Merit, and Sea Scout Training Award. She has completed Wood Badge and is a Vigil member of the Order of the Arrow.

Debra has worked the Spring Festival at Saint Mary's Catholic Church and has organized the Porter Community Trash Day on Lake Houston. She is the recipient of the Outstanding Venturing Award presented by the Galveston-Houston Diocese.



Howard Hill

Howard Hill has served Scouting for over 11 years. He currently serves Troop 922 in the Mustang District as Scoutmaster. He has also served as Order of the Arrow Associate Chapter Adviser, District Committee Member, Unit Commissioner, Pack Committee Chairman, and Den Leader. Some of Howard's other roles have included Camporee Director, Cub Scout Pow Wow Staff, and National Youth Leadership Training Staff.

Howard has received the District Award of Merit, Scoutmaster Award of Merit, Scoutmaster Key, Distinguished Commissioner Service Award, Mustang District Spirit Award, Arrowhead Honor Award, Cub Scouter Award, and Den Leader Award. He is a Vigil member of the Order of the Arrow and has completed Wood Badge.

Howard is an active member of Bear Creek United Methodist Church where he sings in several choirs and ensembles.



Earl T. Hughes III

Earl Hughes has served Scouting for 22 years. He served as an Assistant Scoutmaster, Scoutmaster, Troop Committee Member, Explorer Advisor, District Advancement Chairman, and District Committee Member for the Yucca Council in El Paso. He has also served as an Assistant Den Leader, Den Leader Coach, Boy Scout Training Chairman, District Training Chairman, and Unit Commissioner in the Bayshore District of the Sam Houston Area Council.

Earl has been recognized with the Explorer Achievement Award, Boy Scout Training Award, Explorer Trainer Award, Scoutmaster Key, Den Leader Coach Award, and District Award of Merit. He has attended Wood Badge and Powder Horn.

Earl is a long time member of the Knights of Columbus and is a recipient of the Bronze Pelican Award from the Diocese of El Paso.



Kathy McKinzie

Kathy McKinzie, with over 14 years of service to Scouting, is presently Advisor of Crew 288 in Rising Star District. She also serves as Advancement Chairman of Troop 88 and was an Assistant Scoutmaster to Troop 88 and 658. While in Pack 1537, Kathy was a Tiger Cub Assistant Den Leader and a Den Leader Coach.

Kathy has been recognized with the Venturing Leadership Award, District Award of Merit, and Rising Star District Family of the Year. She has also received the Venturing Training Award and Boy Scouter Award. Kathy has completed Wood Badge training.

Kathy has also been active as a Girl Scout leader, President of the Tomball High School Junior Reserve Officer Training Booster Club, and is currently Vice President of the Timberloch Estates Homeowners Association.



Tim Murray

Tim Murray has been active in the Sam Houston Area Council for nine years. He served as the Skyline District Chairman for two years, achieving the Quality District Award both years. He has served on the Board of the Sam Houston Area Council for the past seven years, actively involved in Friends of Scouting Campaigns and the annual golf tournament.

Tim is an Eagle Scout and a Brotherhood Member of the Order of the Arrow. He grew up in Bossier City, Louisiana in a Scouting family – Tim's father was Scoutmaster of Troop 113 of the Norwellia Council and his mother was a Girl Scout Leader. All five of his siblings were active in Scouting.

Tim is an Executive Vice President of Wells Fargo and President of Wells Fargo Energy Capital. He served as President of the Houston Producers Forum, Chairman of the Capital Markets Committee and Finance Committee Director for the Independent Producers Association of America. He is an MBA Advisory Board Member at Texas A&M University. Tim and his wife Shelley have three children.



Robert W. Scharar

Mr. Scharar is President of FCA Corp, Houston and is a member of the Florida and Massachusetts Bars and is a Certified Public Accountant of Florida. Mr. Scharar is Director and past President of the American Association of Attorney-CPAs; Director of United Dominion Realty Trust (NYSE); Holly Mortgage Trust; First Commonwealth Mortgage Trust and IVY Realty Trust. He became a valued member of the Sam Houston Area Council Board of Directors as he served as District Chairman for N. W.

Territory in 2002 and then a member of the Executive Board in 2004 serving as the Learning for Life Chairman.



Debby Shipley

Debby has served as an adult Scouter in Tomahawk for 13 years. She has served as a Committee Member and Committee Chairman of Pack 910, Committee Member, Scoutmaster and Committee Chairman of Troop 911, and Committee Chairman of Crew 910. She has also served as Cub Day Camp Chairman, Unit Commissioner, and District Commissioner.

Debbie has been recognized with the Arrowhead Honor Award, Cub Scouter Award, Scouter's Training Award, Commissioner Key, District Committee Key, Distinguished Commissioner Service Award, the District Award of Merit, Wood Badge and is a Brotherhood member of the Order of the Arrow.

Debbie is active in the Alvin High School Future Farmers of America Booster Club and has volunteered at Alief Hasting High School. She has taught Sunday School and Children's Bible Choir for the Broadway Church.



Howie Sussman

Howie Sussman has served Scouting for 10 years in the Golden Arrow District. He has served as Den Leader and Cubmaster for Pack 806, Troop Committee Member and Assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 806, and Advisor of Crew 806. He has also been active as a member of the District and Council Training Teams and has given leadership to many district events, including Camporee, Merit Badge Fair, and Webelos Woods.

Howie has been recognized with the Cub Scouter Award, Cubmaster Award, Scouter's Training Award, Scouter's Key, and District Award of Merit. He has completed Wood Badge and is a Vigil member of the Order of the Arrow.

Howie is chairman of the Temple Camping Committee and Sabbath Dinner Group at his Temple. He is a member of the National Council on Aging and is a Certified Aging in Place Specialist.



Pat Van Treeck

Pat Van Treeck has been very active in Scouting for over 20 years in the Rising Star District. She has served as a Den Leader, Cubmaster, Assistant Scoutmaster, Scoutmaster, Committee Member, Unit Commissioner, and Wood Badge staff. She currently serves the Urban Scouting Division as an Executive Board Committee member and trainer.

Pat has been recognized by the Urban Scouting Division with the Scout Spirit Award and the District Award of Merit. Pat has completed Wood Badge training and is an Ordeal member of the Order of the Arrow.

Pat has also been a Girl Scout leader with her daughter's Brownie, Junior Girl Scout and Cadette troops.



Craig Loper

Eagle Scout Craig Loper been active for over fifteen years as an adult Scouter. He has served as a Tiger Cub Den Leader, Den Leader, Webelos Den Leader, Assistant Cubmaster, Assistant Scoutmaster, Associate Advisor, and Crew Committee Chairman. He is currently active as Advisor of Crew 55, Assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 55, and Associate Advisor of Crew 137. He has also served as Order of the Arrow Chapter Adviser.

Craig has been recognized with the District Award of Merit, Den Leader Award, and Webelos Den Leader Award. He has completed Wood Badge and is a Vigil member of the Order of the Arrow.

Craig is a Certified Huntmaster and Huntmaster Trainer with the Texas Parks and Wildlife Association's Youth Hunting Program. He is a cinematographer and producer with experience in feature films and national television programs who has provided services to Sam Houston Area Council, the Texas Parks and Wildlife Service, the Gulf Coast Regional Blood Center, and numerous Native American groups.



Gary McFarland

Gary McFarland has been an adult leader in Scouting for 14 years. He has served as Webelos Den Leader and Committee Chairman of Pack 1030; Committee Member, Assistant Scoutmaster, and Scoutmaster of Troop 1852; and Assistant Scoutmaster of Troop 103. He has also served as Camporee Chairman, District Activities Chairman, District Vice Chairman of Program, and Wood Badge Staff.

Gary has been recognized with the District Award of Merit, Cub Scouter Award, Den Leader Award, Webelos Den Leader Award, and Scouter's Training Award. He has completed Wood Badge and has attended Philmont Training Center. Gary is a Brotherhood member of the Order of the Arrow and has served as Associate Chapter Adviser in Tomahawk District.

Gary is a member of Southminster Presbyterian Church where he serves on a committee to study of the church's information technology requirements. He has also served as a Little League coach.



Steve Powell

Eagle Scout Steve Powell has served Scouting for over 12 years as an adult Scouter. As District Committee Chairman for George Strake District, he currently serves on the Board of Directors for Sam Houston Area Council as well as Chartered Organization Representative for Crew 772. Steve has previously served the district as Vice Chairman Finance.

Steve has received the District Award of Merit, District Committee Key, George Strake District Pine Tree Award, and the Friends of Scouting Century Plus Award. He has participated in several training courses at the Philmont Training

Center as well as a Philmont Trek. Steve was inducted into the tribe of Mic-o-Say in the Heart of America Council.

Steve is an active member of The Woodlands United Methodist Church where he is President of his Sunday School Class.



Roberta Pugh

Roberta Pugh has been active in Arrowmoon District for 14 years. She has served as Den Leader, Cub Day Camp Program Director and Chairman, Associate Advisor, District Training Chairman, Unit Commissioner, Assistant District Commissioner for Venturing, and Wood Badge staff. She is a member of the Council Venturing Committee.

Roberta has been recognized with the District Award of Merit, Arrowhead Honor Award, Commissioner Key, Distinguished Commissioner Service Award, Venturing Leadership Award, and the "Cross and the Flame" Award of the Meth-

odist Church. She has completed Wood Badge and is a Brotherhood member of the Order of the Arrow.

Roberta is a past President of the Brazos Valley Foster Parent Association. She is an active member of the United Methodist Church. She has taught Sunday school and currently sings in the adult choir.



Charles Raimond, Sr.

Charles Raimond, Sr. has been involved in Scouting for 11 years in the Golden Arrow District. He has served as a Troop Committee Member, Assistant Scoutmaster, District Vice Chairman of Administration, and Assistant District Commissioner. He has also served as a Committee Member and mate for Sea Scout Ship 5000. Charles is an active Member of the Galveston-Houston Diocesan Catholic Committee on Scouting, as well as serving on the Executive Board of the National Catholic

Committee.

Charles has been recognized with the District Award of Merit, Sea Badge, and Wood Badge. He has been awarded the Scroll of Honor, the Bronze Pelican, and the Saint George Award by the Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston Catholic Committee on Scouting.

Charles is an active member of Saint Thomas More Catholic Church where he is a Eucharistic Minister and Lector. He has also been involved in the Cursillo movement at the Diocesan level, where he has served as Treasurer.



Jim Rice

Jim Rice has been an adult leader in Scouting for over 14 years. He has held many leadership positions including Tiger Cub Den Leader, Cub Scout Den Leader, Webelos Den Leader, Cubmaster, and Committee Chairman of Pack 41. He has also served as Committee Member and Committee Chairman of Troop 441 and is now serving the Tomahawk District as District Chairman.

Jim is a District Award of Merit recipient, holds the Adult Religious Award, and has attended Philmont Training Center. He has completed Wood Badge and is a Brotherhood member of the Order of the Arrow.

Jim is a charter member of Christ United Methodist Church in Sugar Land where he can be found teaching Confirmation classes as well as God and Me and God and Church classes. He is member of the Fort Bend Leadership Forum and the Fort Bend Chamber of Commerce.



Steve Rodgers

Eagle Scout Steve Rodgers has served Rising Star District for over 12 years. Steve presently serves as District Friends of Scouting Chairman and Committee Chairman for Crew 1996. He has also been District Vice Chairman, Committee Chairman for Troop 1944, Unit Commissioner, Assistant Scoutmaster for Troop 1944, as well as Cubmaster and Assistant Cubmaster for Pack 1177.

Steve has been recognized with the Venturing Leader, Distinguished Commissioner Service Award, Rising Star District Family of the Year, District Committee Key, District Award of Merit, Commissioner Key, Arrowhead Honor Award, Scouter's Training Award, and Cubmaster Award.

Steve has been active as an American Red Cross Instructor in First Aid, Community CPR, and canoeing. He has served as a basketball coach and scorekeeper for the Cy-Fair Sports Association and on the Board of Directors of Woodlands Trails Community Improvement Association. Steve has also served Saint Phillips Presbyterian Church as a Deacon and Elder.



Charles Samson

Charles Samson has served Scouting for 11 years in Bayshore District. He is currently an Assistant Scoutmaster with Troop 595. He has been a Den Leader, Cubmaster, Webelos Woods Chairman, and Boy Scout Roundtable Commissioner. He has served on numerous staffs including Cub Scout Roundtable, Cub Scout Leader Pow Wow, Webelos Woods, and Camporee.

Charles is a recipient of the District Award of Merit, Den Leader Award, Cubmaster Award, and Scouter's Training Award. He has completed Wood Badge and is a Brotherhood Member of the Order of the Arrow.

Charles is a member of Saint Paul's Catholic Church. He has served as a Eucharistic Minister, Altar Server, and adult volunteer for retreats. He has also been an active parent with his daughter's Girl Scout Troop.



Frank Pesce

Frank Pesce began his Scouting career in 1991 and has served Polaris District for the past 14 years as a Cub Scout Den Leader, Webelos Den Leader, Assistant Scoutmaster, Unit Commissioner, Venturing Crew Advisor, and Assistant District Commissioner. Frank has also served on the District Training Team, Friends of Scouting Presenter, and District Representative for Eagle Scout Boards of Review.

Frank has received the Distinguished Commissioner Service Award, Scouter's Training Award, Arrowhead Honor Award, Commissioner Key, and District Award of Merit. He has completed Wood Badge and is a Brotherhood member of the Order of the Arrow.

Frank is an active member of Saint James Catholic Church and volunteers for Elves and More assembling bicycles for the youth of Houston each Christmas. He is a charter member of the Cypress Creek Youth Association and serves the building committee of the Forest Lakes Home Owners Association.



Lori Powell

Lori Powell has served Scouting for over 14 years. She currently serves the Mustang District as the District Training Chairman, Unit Commissioner, and Cub Scout Roundtable Staff. Lori also serves as Troop Committee Chairman for Troop 827. She has also served as Cub Scout Training Chairman, District Activities Chairman, and Wood Badge Staff.

Lori has been recognized with the District Award of Merit, Mustang District Family of the Year, Distinguished Commissioner Service Award, Arrowhead Honor Award, Scouter Training Award, Webelos Den Leader Award, Cub Scouter Award, and Den Leader Coach Award. She has completed Wood Badge training and is a Brotherhood member of the Order of the Arrow.

Lori is a member of Saint Catherine of Siena Catholic Church and the Mayde Creek Band Booster Club.



Steve Johnson

Steve Johnson has served Scouting for 13 years in the Brahman District where he is currently the Venturing Roundtable Commissioner. He has served as a Den Leader, Assistant Scoutmaster, Troop Committee Chairman, Advancement Chairman, and Venturing Crew Advisor. He has also served as a Unit Commissioner, Order of the Arrow Chapter Adviser, Cub Day Camp Staff, and District Commissioner.

Steve is a recipient of the District Award of Merit, David Hinds Conference Training Feather, Arrowhead Honor Award, Commissioner Key, and Scoutmaster Training Award. He is a Vigil member of the Order of the Arrow and has completed Wood Badge and Powder Horn.

Steve is a member of the Wharton First Presbyterian Church where he has served as Elder, Building and Grounds Chairman, and teen Sunday School teacher. He has served as a Board Member of the Wharton Boys and Girls Club.



Jim Kelly

For past 30 years Jim Kelly has served Scouting in a variety of leadership roles for Troop 40 at Saint Rose of Lima Catholic Church. He has held the positions of Scoutmaster, Assistant Scoutmaster, Chartered Organization Representative, Troop Committee Chairman, and Ad Altare Dei counselor. He is also a member of the Diocesan Catholic Committee on Scouting for the Diocese of Galveston-Houston.

For his service to Scouting, Jim has been recognized by the Skyline District with the District Award of Merit. He is an active member of Saint Rose of Lima Catholic Church and the Saint Vincent DePaul Society. He is a Life Member of the Texas PTA. Jim has also served his community as a civic club officer, Meals on Wheels driver, and athletic coach at the Northwest YMCA.



Rick West

Rick West has been active in the Golden Arrow District for nearly 20 years. He has served as a Cubmaster for Pack 43, a Scoutmaster and Assistant Scoutmaster for Troop 211, and Advisor for Post 80. He also currently serves as a Unit Commissioner.

Rick has been recognized by the Golden Arrow District with the District Stick, Godfather Award, and Golden Arrow Unit Scouter Award. He is a recipient of the Scoutmaster Award of Merit.

Rick is a member of Bellaire United Methodist Church and has been actively involved in Bible Study Fellowship and Promise Keepers. He has helped organize the regional sandcastle building competition on Galveston Island.



Charles Williams

Charles has served Scouting for over 10 years as an adult Scouter. He has served as a Cub Scout Den Leader, Webelos Den Leader, Pack Committee Chairman, Assistant Scoutmaster, Scoutmaster, and Associate Crew Advisor. Charles also serves as a member of the Golden Arrow District Committee and the District Training Team.

Charles has completed Wood Badge and Powder Horn training and has both attended and taught at the Philmont Training Center. He is a Brotherhood member of the Order of the Arrow and has received numerous Scouting awards, including the District Award of Merit.

Charles is an active member of Saint John the Divine Episcopal Church and has received the Saint George religious award. He has served on the Board of Trustees of the Annunciation Orthodox School, the Mayor's Committee on Land Use and Zoning, and as the Vice President of the Neartown Association.