SHIELD OF SERVICE AWARD

The Shield of Service Award is for unit-level Scouters. Units may nominate one Scouter for every 50 registered youth (or fraction thereof) to be recognized with this award each year. Some units choose to recognize a person with long and distinguished service to the Pack, Troop, Crew, or Ship. Other units choose to honor an individual for specific contributions during the past year.

ELIGIBILITY: Nominees will be currently registered in any position within a scouting unit. Also, they will have served as <u>registered scouters</u> throughout the major portion of the past charter year.

Note: "Institutional Heads" and "Tiger Cub Adult Partners" names appear on unit rosters, but they are not usually considered *registered scouters* for award purposes.

NOMINATION PROCEDURE: The UNIT COMMITTEE will decide which Scout Leader(s) to nominate. The Committee Chair or Unit Leader (Cubmaster, Scoutmaster, Advisor, Coach, or Skipper) will complete the nomination form and forward it to the District Awards Chairman.

NOTE- Be sure to check the list of previous Shield of Service Award recipients on the Western Shore District website to avoid duplications.

PRESENTATION: This award is a fully embroidered patch and a certificate. It is presented at the annual District Awards Dinner.

SHIELD OF SERVICE AWARD
WESTERN SHORE DISTRICT

I nominate the following registered Scout Leader for the Western Shore District Shield of Service Award,

NOMINEE: _____
(Please print or type name exactly as it should appear on the certificate)

This nominee is currently registered in Scouting as: _____

Unit Type: _____   Unit Number: _____   Years of service: _____
(Pack-Troop-Crew-Ship)

Sponsoring Organization: _____

Sponsor's City and State: _____

Training completed: _____

Leadership awards received (if any): _____

Why should the nominee be awarded the Western Shore District Shield of Service Award?

Submitted by (print or type name): _____

Submitter's position in Scouting: _____   Unit: _____

Signature: Date: _____

Phone: _____   Email: _____

Return this form to the District Awards Chairman by 31 January