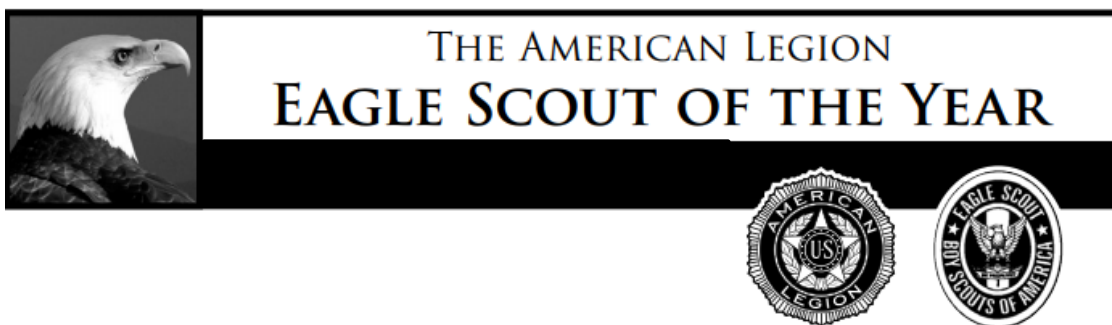


2023



American Legion Eagle Scout of the Year Submission Information Department of Colorado

Description: Recognition for the Colorado selectee is given at the Department (state) level during the annual convention. The Colorado selectee's package is forwarded to compete for National American Legion Eagle Scout of the Year. The American Legion honors the National Eagle Scout of the Year at the national convention with a \$10,000 scholarship. The three runners-up at the national level get \$2,500 Scholarships.

Eligibility Requirements

THE NOMINEE MUST:

- Be either a registered active member of a Boy Scouts of America unit that is chartered to an American Legion post, American Legion Auxiliary unit or Sons of The American Legion squadron.

OR

- Be a registered active member of any chartered Boy Scouts of America unit and have a parent or grandparent possessing up-to-date membership in The American Legion or Sons of The American Legion or American Legion Auxiliary, and in the case of a recently deceased member, their membership for the year immediately prior to the current year may be used.

AND

- Received the Eagle Scout Award.
- Received a Scouts BSA or Venturer Religious Emblem.
- Have demonstrated practical citizenship in church, school, Scouting and community.
- Have reached their 15th birthday and be enrolled in high school at the time of selection.
- Applied through the department (state) in which their Scout unit is chartered.
- Provide documentation of current BSA membership. (Membership must be valid for the year in which you are applying.)

Deadline: Packages must be **received** by the American Legion Department Scouting Chairman **NO LATER THAN March 1, 2023** to be considered

Nomination Form: **The 2023 form is posted on the national site at:**
<https://www.legion.org/scholarships/eaglescout>

NOTE: Print once complete, add printed statements, letters of recommendation, transcripts and records, then submit the entire completed package per instructions below.

Questions: Contact Steve Hayes, 719-494-7166, coloradolegionscouting@gmail.com

Submit complete packages to Department of Colorado Headquarters to be received **NO LATER THAN 1 Mar 2022 as follows:**

American Legion Department of Colorado
Attn: Steve Hayes, Scouting Chairman
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