

Crew Criteria

To be eligible for the Bob Edwards Quality Award, Crews **must complete 13 of the 17** requirements **one of which must be #1 Planning.**

1. _____ **Planning:** The Crew must have a long range program plan and show the plan including a detailed plan for the next four weeks, to their Group Committee. The plan should indicate the schedule for business meetings, all proposed fundraising events and how specific projects will be carried out (**A copy of the long range plan MUST be attached to the completion certificate.**)

2. _____ **Training:** All advisors in the Crew must have a minimum of Crew Basic Training.

Advisor: _____ Date: _____
Advisor: _____ Date: _____
Advisor: _____ Date: _____

3. _____ At least one leader in the Crew must have a Crew Advanced Training.

Advisor: _____ Date: _____

4. _____ At least one member of the leadership team holds a **current recognized** first aid qualification.

Advisor: _____ Date: _____

5. _____ **Group Committee:** A member of the Crew or an Advisor **must attend 80%** of all Group Committee meetings throughout the year. This duty may be shared by members of the Crew.

Member: _____ Date: _____
Member: _____ Date: _____
Member: _____ Date: _____
Member: _____ Date: _____
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Member: _____ Date: _____
Member: _____ Date: _____
Member: _____ Date: _____
Member: _____ Date: _____

6. _____ **Area Meetings:** A member of the Rover Crew or an Advisor **must attend 60%** of all Scouter's Club Meetings.

Member: _____ Date: _____
Member: _____ Date: _____
Member: _____ Date: _____
Member: _____ Date: _____
Member: _____ Date: _____

7. _____ **Membership:** The Crew must maintain 75% of the previous years registered membership.

Membership as of April 30,2009 Members: _____ Advisors: _____

Membership as of April 30, 2010 Members: _____ Advisors: _____

8. _____ **Family Involvement:** The Crew should involve their families in at least one activity during the year.

Activity: _____ Date: _____

9. _____ **Service to Community:** The Crew must do **two "Good Turns"** for the community, such as service projects, assisting with a Blood Donor Clinic, etc.

Good Turn: _____ Date: _____

Good Turn: _____ Date: _____

10. _____ **Inter – Crew Activities:** The Crew must participate in at least **two inter-Crew activities** with another Crew or Ranger Company, such as a joint meeting night. (**Not of include activities used in #12 Events**).

Activity: _____ Date: _____

Activity: _____ Date: _____

Other Crew/Ranger Company involved: _____

11. _____ **Linkage:** The Crew must participate in at least **one Company-Crew activity**. (**Note this would be an activity other than a Going – up Ceremony**).

12. _____ **Events:** The Crew must participate in at least **two Area, Council, Inter-Council, Provincial or National** Crew events during the year. (**Not to include fund raising events**).

Event: _____ Date: _____

Event: _____ Date: _____

13. _____ **Spiritual:** The Crew must incorporate Spirituality into the program throughout the year by doing three of the following **and show examples**.

Opening and/or Closing of meeting and events with a prayer.

Incorporate Promise, Law and Motto into the program.

Participating in the Religion and Life award.

Be involved in organizing and participating in Scouts Own/Scouters Five and/or a Church Parade.

Other Spiritual Development for the Crew or the individual at the Crew level.

14. _____ **Service to Partner or Group:** The Crew must do at least **two service projects** with their Partner or Group, such as co-ordinating group camp, repairing facilities, helping with a Partner's activity.

Project: _____ Date: _____

Project: _____ Date: _____

15. _____ **Youth Forums:** The Crew must have a member attend at least **two meetings** of the Area or Regional Youth Forums. This duty may be shared by members of the Crew.

Member: _____ Date: _____

Member: _____ Date: _____

16. _____ **On Going Community Project:** The Crew must undertake a long range (**several months**) community project, such as working towards the purchase of a harness for a seeing eye dog, helping with a local food bank, helping at a Senior Citizen's home, etc.

Brief Description: _____

17. _____ **By-Laws/Objectives:** The Crew must have a set of By-Laws which are understood and adhered to by the members of the Crew. The By-Laws must be approved by the Group Committee. Objectives for the Crew must be set, such as two service projects per year, as per the Rover Handbook. (**A copy of the Objectives must be attached to the completion certificate**).

SECTION COMMITMENT FORM

During the 2009-2010 Scouting year,

the _____ Crew/Group
PLEASE PRINT

will achieve the Bob Edwards Quality Award

To be eligible for the 2009-2010 Bob Edwards Award, this commitment form **MUST** be received by
Judi Chartrand
Post dated no later than December 16, 2009

Section Scouter (Please Print)

Signature of Section Scouter

Date

Signature of Group Commissioner

Return to:
Judi Chartrand
15 Blue Mound Drive
Barrie, ON L4M 4B3
Attn: SWC Bob Edwards Quality Award

COMPLETION CERTIFICATE

The _____ Crew of _____ Group
(PLEASE PRINT) (PLEASE PRINT)

hereby certifies that we have met a minimum of **13 of the 17** requirements
to achieve the Bob Edwards Quality Award.

As part of a quality process is to adhere to clear goals and timetables,
the **COMPLETION CERTIFICATE** and **CRITERIA PAGES**
MUST be received by

Judi Chartrand
15 Blue Mound Drive
Barrie, ON L4M 4B3

Postdated no later than April 30, 2010

Date

Section Scouter (PLEASE PRINT)

Group Commissioner (Signature)

BOD EDWARDS QUALITY AWARD

The Bob Edwards Quality Award is dedicated to the memory of a great Scouter and friend.

Bob was a former youth and adult member and the first Regional Field Executive for Shining Waters Council.

Bob's passion in scouting was to ensure quality programs for the young people in our movement. Therefore it only seems fitting that the Quality Award be named in his memory.

The Bob Edwards Quality Award for the 2009-2010 year is intended to complement other award programs and applies to the Scouting year commencing September 2009 and runs until April 30, 2010. This program is a tool to assist Scouters in enhancing the program they deliver to the youth of our communities. It can help identify and focus on a number of elements that for one reason or another may have been missing from your program. The program offers recognition for those groups/sections who are currently meeting the criteria, while outlining areas that all groups could most likely improve upon.

To qualify for the 2009-2010 Bob Edwards Quality Award, your group will track your performance against the criteria and sign the attached **COMPLETION FORM**, returning it with the **CRITERIA PAGES** to **Judi Chartrand** postmarked not later than **April 30, 2010 (NO EXCEPTIONS)**

