

7. _____ **Area Meetings:** A member of the Leadership Team **must attend 60%** of all Scouter's Club Meetings.

Scouter: _____ Date: _____
Scouter: _____ Date: _____
Scouter: _____ Date: _____
Scouter: _____ Date: _____

8. _____ **Membership:** The Troop must retain 75% and show a net increase of the previous years registered membership.

Membership as of April 30, 2009 Youth: _____ Leaders: _____

Membership as of April 30, 2010 Youth: _____ Leaders: _____

9. _____ **Family Involvement:** The Troop should involve their families in at least two activities during the year.

Activity: _____ Date: _____

Activity: _____ Date: _____

10. _____ **Communication:** Regular communication must occur between the Troop, Parents, and Group Committee.
(A copy of the Troop Newsletter or Calendar of Events must be attached to the completion certificate)

11. _____ **Service to Community:** The Troop must do **two "Good Turns"** for their community such as carol singing, litter pick-up, helping at a food bank, etc.

Good Turn: _____ Date: _____

Good Turn: _____ Date: _____

12. _____ **Linkage:** The Troop must participate in at least **one Pack – Troop and one Troop – Company activity**.
(Note: This would be an activity other than a Going – up Ceremony).

Activity: _____ Date: _____

Activity: _____ Date: _____

13. _____ **Inter-Troop Activities:** The Troop must participate in **one inter-troop activity** with another Troop, such as a joint meeting night.

Activity: _____ Date: _____

Other Troop involved: _____

14. _____ **Events:** The Troop must participate in at least **two Area or Council Troop** events during the season.
These events may include Apple Day or Scoutrees.

Event: _____ Date: _____

Event: _____ Date: _____

15. _____ **Outings/Field Trips:** The Troop must participate in **five activities** held away from the usual meeting place during the year (**not to include camping**). These can be regular meetings held outdoors, day hikes, field trips.

Event: _____ Date: _____

Event: _____ Date: _____

Event: _____ Date: _____

Event: _____ Date: _____

Event: _____ Date: _____

16. _____ **Camping Activities:** The Troop must conduct a minimum of **three overnight camps** during the year. (**May include area/council camps not included in #13 Events**)

Location: _____ Date: _____

Location: _____ Date: _____

Location: _____ Date: _____

17. _____ **Fund Raising:** The Troop must participate in at least two fund raising events during the year with other sections of their Group one of which must be Apple Day, Popcorn or Scoutrees.

Event: _____ Date: _____

Event: _____ Date: _____

18. _____ **Spiritual:** The Troop must incorporate spirituality into the program throughout the year by doing three of the following and **show examples of each.**

- Opening and/or Closing of meeting and events with a prayer
- Scouts Own and/or Scouters Five
- Incorporating Promise, Law and Motto into the program
- Attend organized activities such as a Scouting Church Parade
- Participate in the Religion in Life Award
- Other Spiritual Development for the Troop or the individual at the Troop Level

19. _____ **Environmental Awareness:** The Troop program must have at least **one environmental oriented evening** or an **educational outing.**

Theme: _____ Date: _____

Activity: _____

20. _____ **Ongoing Community Project:** The Troop 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: _____

21. _____ **Advancement:** The Troop must participate in a Going – up Ceremony.

Date: _____

SECTION COMMITMENT FORM

During the 2009-2010 Scouting year,

the _____ Troop/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 _____ Troop of _____ Group
(PLEASE PRINT) (PLEASE PRINT)

hereby certifies that we have met a minimum of **18 of the 21** 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)

BOB 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 Region.

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, 2009 (NO EXCEPTIONS)**