

EAGLE SCOUT CHALLENGE

1. **Scouts A:** Ben and Matt Genco
2. **Scouts B:** Jack Klingshirn and Daniel Sasala
3. **Scouts C:** Cody McIntyre, Ryan Bellmore, Zachary Sefcovic
4. **Scouts D:** Joe Mueller, Eric Orlandi, Paul Thomas
5. **Scouts E:** Colin, Derek, Chris, Jeff, Andy, Jim, Nick, Shawn, Mark

All scouts assemble upfront prior to reading Challenge: left (scouts A) to right (scouts E).

SCOUTS A: Ben and Matt

The foremost responsibility of an Eagle Scout is to live with **honor**. To an Eagle Scout, honor is the foundation of all character. He knows that "A Scout is trustworthy" is the very first point of the Scout Law for a good reason. An Eagle Scout lives honorably, not only because honor is important to him but because of the vital significance of the example he sets for other Scouts. Living honorably reflects credit on his home, his church, his troop, and his community. May the white of the Eagle badge remind you to always live with honor.

SCOUTS B: Jack and Daniel

The second obligation of an Eagle Scout is **loyalty**. A Scout is true to his family, Scout leaders, friends, school, and nation. His loyalty to his troop and brother Scouts makes him pitch in and carry his share of the load. All of these help to build the loyalty which means devotion to community, to country, to one's own ideals, and to God. Let the blue of the Eagle badge always inspire your loyalty.

SCOUTS C: Cody, Ryan, Zachary

The third obligation of an Eagle Scout is to be **courageous**. Courage has always been a quality by which men measure themselves and others. To a Scout, bravery means not only the courage to face physical danger, but the determination to stand up for the right. Trusting in God, with faith in his fellowman, he looks forward to each day, seeking his share of the world's work to do. Let the red of the Eagle badge remind you always of courage.

SCOUTS D: Joe, Eric, Paul

The fourth obligation of an Eagle Scout is to be **cheerful**. To remind the Eagle Scout to always wear a smile, the red, white, and blue ribbon is attached to the scroll of the Second Class Scout award, which has its ends turned up in a smile.

SCOUTS E: Colin, Derek, Chris, Jeff, Andy, Jim, Nick, Shawn, Mark

The final responsibility of an Eagle Scout is **service**. The Eagle Scout extends a helping hand to those who still toil up Scouting's trail, just as others helped him in his climb to the Eagle. The performance of the daily Good Turn takes on a new meaning when he enters a more adult life of continuing service to others. The Eagle stands as protector of the weak and helpless. He aids and comforts the unfortunate and the oppressed. He upholds the rights of others while defending his own. He will always "Be Prepared" to put forth his best. You are deserving of much credit in having achieved Scouting's highest award. But wear your award with humility, ever mindful that the Eagle Scout is looked up to as an example. May the **Scout Oath** and the **Scout Law** be your guide for tomorrow and onward.