

## *James L. Hawkins Award Grand High Adventure Maker-2008*

At Adult Leaders Backpack Training each year, the LAAC-HAT recognizes Scout Leaders as Grand High Adventure Makers. This is acknowledgement of the quality, diversity, and duration of the High Adventure Program that they lead. This year, awards were presented to Bill Hirokawa, Troop 719, Ron Santarosa, Troop 276, and Tom Thorp, Troop 849. They are worthy additions to the roster of outstanding Scouters who have received the James L. Hawkins Award.

The prior recipients of the Grand HAM Award, and their affiliations are:

2007		1995	
Brian Felsman	191	Steve Brown	203
Warren Searles	966	John Cleek	966
Bill Vanderberg	V192	1994	
2006		Wayne Richey	872
Drew Blandis	V985	James Yokota	719
Steve Dodson	HAT	1993	
Joan Lewis	276	John Hainey	211
2005		Sal Valle	549
Cindy Farber	985	1992	
Dave Ledford	966	Ron Forbess	257
2004		Dick Rose	849
Dominick Sanchez	219	1991	
Marion Sarmiento	468	Dave Dwelley	406
2003		Tom Elkins	207
Paul Craig	958	1990	
Larry Evans	441	Don Dekay	210
2002		1989	
Rich Hoesly	849	Bob Ogawa	379
John Schumann	65	1988	
2001		Roy Menzies	52
Paul Howard	290	Dick Plebuck	276
Ken King	966	1987	
2000		Jim Fretz	985
Edward Brady	242	Lyle Whited	211
William Roseland	283		
1999			
Dennis Cline	706		
Stephen Schlaifer	333		
1998			
John T. Boyt	276		
Peter F. Matthews	210		
1997			
John P. Risk	333		
Michael D. Vahey	849		
1996			
Sherwood "Butch" Bresler	242		
Charles R. Kline	533		

The members of the LAAC-HAT commend all of these individuals on their unselfish contributions to Scouting and to their communities.

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