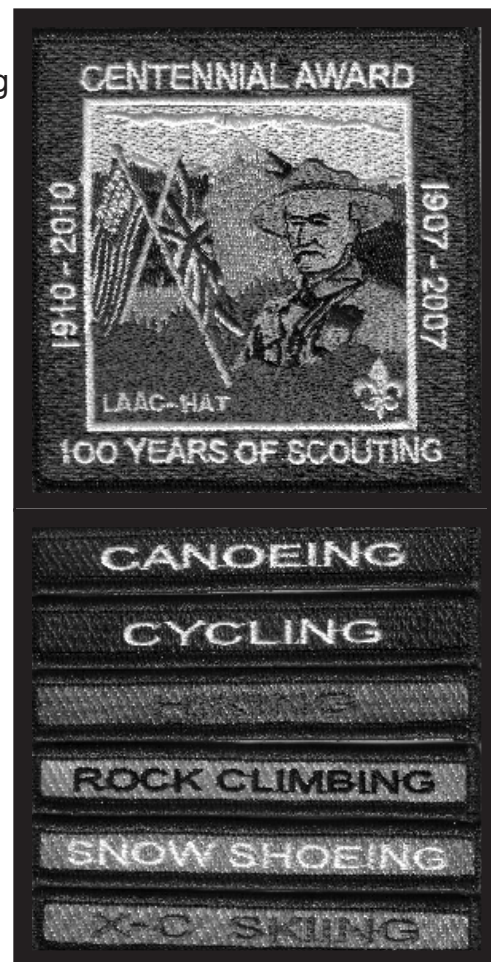


Award for Scouting's Centennials

In 1907, Lord Robert Stephenson Smyth Baden-Powell took twenty boys to Brownsea Island for a week of outdoor adventure. Three years later, the Boy Scouts of America was founded. The year 2007 is the one-hundredth anniversary of the activity that is accepted as the beginning of Scouting. In recognition of these events, the Los Angeles Area Council-High Adventure Team, under the direction of its Camping Department, is offering a commemorative High Adventure award that may be earned only during the years 2007 through 2010. The purpose of this unique award (shown here) is to encourage High Adventure by Units everywhere during this anniversary period.

Registered Scouts and Scouters must satisfy all of the following requirements to receive the award.

- ◆ Meet all the General Requirements for a High Adventure Award, as stated in Hike Aid 6, "High Adventure Awards Program", page 3, published by the LAAC-HAT (available on-line at www.boyscoutsla.org, tab HAT, tab Publications) and in High Adventure Awards, published by the Orange County Council-HAT.
- ◆ Take a long-term, High Adventure outing (50 mile, 5-night minimum): backpack, aquatic, bicycling, ski touring.
- ◆ Perform a 6-hour conservation project on public land (with proper agency approval).
- ◆ Take two additional day/weekend High Adventure outings:
 - a. aquatic: canoe, raft, kayak.
 - b. bicycle tour.
 - c. overnight backpack.
 - d. rock climbing.
 - e. cross country skiing.
 - f. snow shoeing.
- ◆ Discuss the early history of Scouting during one of the outings.
- ◆ All of these activities must occur during 2007-2010.
- ◆ **Outdoor activities taken to earn this award may be used to qualify for other outdoor award offered by the Boy Scouts of America or its Councils.**



In addition to the basic patch, patch rocker strips for outings a-f complete the award. Awards are to be obtained by using the LAAC-HAT High Adventure Application (see Hike Aid 6, page 22), with an attached page that states the specifics of the activities (date, location, type, Tour Permit Number, etc.). Submit it to the Scout Shop, LAAC-BSA, 2333 Scout Way, Los Angeles, CA 90026 (tel. 213-413-0575), with a payment for the number of awards requested.

Any questions about this award are to be directed to Dick Rose, Vice Chair-Awards and Recognitions, LAAC-HAT: email, rerose@earthlink.net.

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Award for Scouting's Centennials

Application for LAAC-HAT Centennial Award

Requirements:

1. Take a long-term outing (5 days): Backpacking, Canoeing, Cycling, Winter Camping.
 2. Perform a six hour conservation project on public land.
 3. Take two additional day/weekend outings: overnight hike; aquatic-canoe, raft, kayak; rock climbing; bicycle tour; cross country ski hike; snow shoe hike.
 4. Discuss the early history of Scouting on one of the outings.
- Participation in these High Adventure activities earns the person the Award and the Rockers for the day/weekend outings. Take additional day/weekend outings to earn the remaining Rockers.
5. Requirements must be completed during the four year Centennial period, 2007-2010.
 6. The standard requirements for High Adventure awards must be met for each, including registration, Tour Permit, adult supervision, etc.
 7. A separate Application is to be prepared for the Award and each Rocker.

High Adventure Application

The persons named below have satisfied all of the requirements for the indicated Award/Rocker, as registered Scouts or Scouters.

Unit: _____ District: _____ Council: _____

Unit Leader: _____ Position: _____

Event: _____ Date: _____

Location: _____ Tour Permit #: _____

Unit Leader Signature: _____ Date: _____

Award/Rocker Earned

- Centennial Award
- Hiking Rocker
- Cycling Rocker
- Canoeing Rocker
- Rock Climbing Rocker
- Snow Shoe Rocker
- Cross Country Skiing Rocker

Recipients

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____
9. _____
10. _____
11. _____
12. _____
13. _____
14. _____
15. _____
16. _____

High Adventure Approval*

Representative: _____

Date: _____

* May be by a member of the High Adventure Team for the Unit's Council.

Contact the Scout Shop, LAAC-BSA, 2333 Scout Way, Los Angeles, CA 90026 (tel. 213-413-4400) to order and arrange payment.

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