

# Tennessee SAR



## Eagle Scouts Program

### *Arthur M. & Berdena King Eagle Scout Scholarship*

Open to all Eagle Scouts who are currently registered in an active unit and have not reached their 19th birthday during the year of application. The year that Eagle was awarded is not restricted. Three cash scholarship awards are given: As the National first place winner - \$8,000.00; Runner-up \$4,000.00; 2nd Runner-up \$2000.00.

The TN SAR Eagle competition and the NSSAR competition are open to all Eagle Scouts who are currently registered in an active unit and have not reached their 19<sup>th</sup> birthday during the year of application. (The current 2016 contest year is 01 Jan 2016 to 31 Dec 2016). College plans do not need to be completed in order to receive the cash scholarship.

Go to the NSSAR Eagle Scout Scholarship page for full details of the NSSAR Eagle Scout Scholarship Program and to download the required application forms.

<https://www.sar.org/education/youth-contests-awards/arthur-m-berdena-king-eagle-scout-award>

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### *The Tennessee SAR Competition*

The Tennessee SAR award is \$1000.00 with the winner being entered in the National Eagle Scout competition as the TNSSAR's representative. Further awards may be made by the Chapter to their winner. Entrants need to complete only one application -- the one for the Chapter competition. If it is a winner it is then used for the State competition and, if it is a winner again, it is then used for the National competition.

**Note: Applications are accepted during a calendar year for Scholarships to be awarded in the Spring of the following year from Eagle Scouts who have not attained the age of 19 years old during that calendar year. Applications must be submitted through local Chapters first. If sent directly to the State Chairman, they will be returned to the applicants. If necessary, Scouts**

should contact the State Chairman for the chapter nearest him. The Tennessee State Chairman sets the specific deadline for receipt of applications. Applications must be received by the designated Chapter no later than 31 December 2016. Deadline for Chapter submission to State Chairman is Jan. 15, 2017.

Applications are to be sent to the appropriate TN SAR Chapter. To determine which Chapter area you are in go to our Chapter/District contacts page. The Tennessee SAR competition is conducted in two phases, local (Chapter) and state (Society). The competition must be entered through the Chapter level.

Required Forms:

- Eagle Scout Scholarship Application
- Four Generation Ancestor Chart

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Required Forms may be obtained in one of three ways:

- I. They should be downloaded from the SAR National web site by going to the NSSAR Eagle Scout Scholarship page . Full details of the NSSAR Eagle Scout Scholarship Program and downloading of the Application Form and Four Generation Ancestor Form in various word processor formats. Both the Application Form and the Four Generation Ancestor Form are required.
- II. If you have a problem downloading the application forms they may be obtained by e-mailing the Tennessee State Society Eagle Program State Eagle Scout Chairman:

Dr. Irvin Rainey, Jr.

731-898-0051,

EMAIL: docraineyjr@hotmail.com

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This Chairman can furnish information if your Local BSA Council office does not have the material. Visit the Boy Scouts of America web site for information on Scouting.