

LAMPLIGHTER AWARD

(Recognition for Advisors of Girl Scouts 11-17)

PURPOSE:

To recognize the outstanding long-term leadership of a Girl Scout advisor or assistant advisor.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION:

1. The candidate is a registered Girl Scout volunteer.
2. The candidate has completed basic leadership training for this age level.
3. The candidate has served in a leadership capacity for either four (4) consecutive years or is a current advisor who has completed three (3) previous years at the Girl Scout 11-17 age level.
4. The service performed by the advisor is outstanding, above and beyond expectations for the position held and results in the extension of the Girl Scout program.
5. Three (3) letters of endorsement that convey information and results clearly and concisely must accompany the nomination form.
One letter or the nomination form must be from a member of the Service Team, and one letter or the nomination form must be from a girl member.

FORM OF RECOGNITION:

The Lamplighter Award is a lapel pin worn on the right side of the uniform, below the personalized identification pin, and requires the approval of the Council's Board of Directors. The cost of the pin is the responsibility of the Council. In addition, a certificate suitable for framing is presented to the recipient.

PROCEDURES:

1. The nominator completes the nomination form and distributes the letter of endorsement forms and criteria to three (3) other Girl Scouts. Letters of endorsement are returned to the nominator.
2. The nominator submits the entire packet to the Boards Awards Committee, in care of the Adult Development Director at the council office. Packets are due by February 1st.
3. Information submitted should be objective, results-oriented, which details how the service meets the criteria. If more space is needed, additional sheets may be attached.
4. The nominator will be notified of the Board of Directors' decision.